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A Narrow Escape.

B. B. Pixley, of 52 Maybury avenue, Detroit, met with an accident about 5 o'clock Sunday morning that might cost him his life.

He is employed by the Michigan Central, as a brakeman on the night shift of the steam shovel which is at work near the Sylvan crossing. At the time of the accident, the trainmen were engaged in spotting five flat cars and the injured man stepped on a lump of earth, and was thrown to the ground, landing just outside of the track, and the boxes on the end of the trucks badly lacerated his left hand and leg, but fortunately no bones were broken.

The train crew brought the young man to the Chelsea station, and Dr. Palmer, the company physician here, dressed the wounds, and the injured man was taken to the Detroit Sanitarium on the morning train which is due here at 6:32 o'clock, accompanied by one of the train crew.

Edward Doody.

Edward Doody, a well known and respected resident of Lyndon, died at the sanitarium in Pinckney, Wednesday morning, July 20, 1910. He was born in Dexter township, January, 1840, and his entire life, except about fourteen years which he spent in California, has been in this vicinity.

For a few years past Mr. Doody has been suffering with rheumatism, and a few days before his death he went to the sanitarium for treatment and his death was a shock to his many friends. He is survived by his wife, whom he married in California, and two sons, Charles and George.

The funeral will be held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, of which he was a member, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, Rev. W. P. Considine officiating. Interment Mt. Olivet cemetery, Chelsea.

Baseball Game Friday.

There will be a game of baseball at Ahnemann park, Friday afternoon of this week, between the Stockbridge team and Chelsea Cardinals. This game promises to be one of the best of the season and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

The following is the line up of the two teams:

| STOCKBRIDGE. | CARDINALS. |
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| Farmer.....1 b..... | Bacon.....1 b..... |
| Lantis.....2 b..... | Prudden.....2 b..... |
| Hynes.....3 b..... | McGuinness.....3 b..... |
| H. Dancer.....4 b..... | Kelly.....4 b..... |
| Hollis.....5 b..... | Dunn.....5 b..... |
| G. Dancer.....6 b..... | Dillon.....6 b..... |
| Lewis.....7 b..... | Holmes.....7 b..... |
| Berry.....8 b..... | Kratz.....8 b..... |
| Jackson, Standish.....9 b..... | Patterson.....9 b..... |

An Improvement.

The Michigan Central is about to make a decided change in the grain elevator in connection with their freight house at the Chelsea station. At present, the farmer who delivers his grain at this elevator has to draw it up the steep bridge to unload. The change will be the removal of the bridge, and more modern means installed to do elevating, which will probably be an electric motor. The improvement will give the farmer a chance to unload his grain on the level. The elevator is operated by the Wm. Bacon-Holmes Co.

Paid Their Taxes.

Auditor General Fuller states that all the telephone companies in the state have complied with the order of the U. S. district court at Grand Rapids and paid in the taxes which they say they owe the state under the repealed specific tax law. An order requiring the payment before proceeding the case against the ad valorem tax law, was made by the court. The companies paid in \$137,941.80 this year as compared with \$124,000 last year, voluntarily increasing their taxes this amount.

Wool Prices.

The cause for the low prices of wool this season as compared with those of former years is undoubtedly to be attributed to the great amount of wool carried over from last year's crop. The total amount of old wool in the four principal markets of the United States on June 1, 1910, was Boston 100,000,000 pounds, Philadelphia 50,000,000 pounds, St. Louis 15,000,000 pounds and Chicago 8,000,000 pounds.

State Canvass.

The state board of canvassers announces that it will meet September 26 to canvass the primary election vote. This early announcement is made to advise the state central committees of the several political parties what dates they may select for their state conventions. The primary laws require the conventions to be held within ten days after the board meets.

Miss Bernice Hoag.

Ann Arbor Times News: Nina, Bernice Hoag, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hoag of 114 North Division street, died at 1 o'clock Sunday morning at the Smith & Barrett private hospital, after but a few days' illness of appendicitis, for which an operation was performed Thursday night.

Miss Hoag was taken sick last Tuesday, but the doctors at first seemed at a loss to fix the nature of the disease, and it was not decided that an operation was necessary until Thursday night, when it became imperative to operate at once. She came through the ordeal fairly well, and hope was given Saturday that she would live, but the few days' illness had so weakened her that she was unable to rally, and her death occurred just before sunrise Sunday morning.

No life could have been more beautiful or more full of hope for the future than was Miss Hoag's. She was immensely popular with everyone who knew her, both among those of her set and among older people as well. She was graduated with honors from the Ann Arbor high school two years ago, in 1908, but had not yet entered the university although she planned to do so in the fall. She was a member of the First Congregational church and was very active and faithful in the work of the Christian Endeavor society and of the Sunday school. Miss Hoag was born in Chelsea 21 years ago where she lived with her parents until eight years ago, when they came to this city where Mr. Hoag now has extensive business interests. There are two other children in the family, a son and a daughter.

Dr. Carl S. Patton conducted the services at the residence Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 and a special car took the remains to Chelsea for burial in the family lot.

Trusty Escapes from Jackson.

Climbing the north wall of the Jackson prison at about 6:30 Monday night, by aid of a long rope to which a hook was attached, Harry Schofield, a convict serving a fifteen years' sentence for assault with intent to rob, made good his escape. Schofield was a trusty and had the privilege of the prison yard during the time he made his escape. The guards on the walls go off duty at 5:45 and no one saw him taking French leave. As soon as he was missed all towns and cities adjacent to Jackson were notified and posses in automobiles were sent out to scour the country. It is thought that Schofield made north, but how far he has gone in that direction is conjectural. He either fled in his underclothes or in ordinary clothing, as his prison garb was found in the yard near where he climbed the wall.

Schofield evidently had been planning his escape for some time, as the iron hook which he secured a purchase on the top of the wall, is one that was made for that purpose, and no such article is made for the market at the prison. He also gave an artist's intention to details and muffled the hook with cloth, so it would make no noise when striking against the wall.

Schofield was sentenced from Adrian, February 10, 1906, for fifteen years for assault to rob, armed with dangerous weapons. His home is Detroit. He was employed at the telephone switchboard in the prison.

Moros Attack Michigan Man.

Dean C. Worcester, secretary of the interior for the Philippines, who was assistant professor of zoology at the University of Michigan as late as 1895, was set upon by renegade Moros on the island of Palawan Monday and escaped assassination only through the alertness of his body guard who shot down the outlaws, killing three of them outright.

Secretary Worcester was touring the island, which is the most westerly of the larger of the Philippine group bounding the Sulu sea on the west, and was present at the installation of the new governor.

In anticipation of his coming a band of Moros planned his death. Armed with bolos carefully concealed, they laid a trap for the secretary, who suddenly found himself the object of a savage rush.

Capt. Moynihan of the scouts was the first to recognize the hostile movement, and just in the nick of time he ordered the scouts to fire.

At the fusillade three Moros who led the attack dropped dead in their tracks, while several others doubled up with more or less severe wounds. The rest of them took to their heels.

Miller's Corn Remover is sold in Chelsea by L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co., and L. T. Freeman Co.

An Exciting Runaway.

Albert Fahrner, of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, and Harold Luick, of Lima, had an exciting experience with a runaway horse Sunday afternoon at Cavanaugh Lake.

The young men were driving a horse owned by C. Fahrner, Jr., of Sylvan Center, and when they arrived opposite of the summer home of Wm. Bacon stopped to visit with friends, a boy who was in the crowd unfastened one of the thill straps and when the young gentlemen started on their drive they did not notice that the strap was left unfastened, the buggy ran upon the heels of the horse and it broke into a run, and with every step of the frightened horse it struck the vehicle with its feet. The animal ran around the lake past the Glazier residence where it was stopped.

The horse was badly cut up, one of its legs being nearly severed, and it was necessary to call a veterinarian to dress the numerous wounds it received. The buggy was slightly damaged, the young men badly frightened but not injured.

Life Imprisonment.

Joe Blackburn, the 76-year-old colored man who was arrested three weeks ago for committing an assault on little 7-year-old Margaret Van Houten of Ann Arbor, was sentenced to life imprisonment in Jackson by Judge Kinne Tuesday afternoon.

Blackburn, who had waived examination before Justice Doty shortly after the offense, pleaded guilty in circuit court without necessitating a trial in the October term of court to which he had been bound over. In view of the fact that Blackburn had been before the court on a similar charge, and in consideration of the peculiar depravity of the present crime the court gave him the limit, life imprisonment. He will be taken to Jackson before the end of the week.

Blackburn was discovered with the little VanHouten girl in his room at the Washtenaw hotel on Broadway at 10 o'clock one night about three weeks ago under circumstances that removed all doubt of his guilt. He had previously made a practice of enticing little white girls to his rooms with offers of candy and money.

Lo! The Poor Indians.

The papers about now are making mention of the fact that this year marks the 71st since the last Indians left these parts.

In 1839 Chief Bawbeese and his Pottawatomie braves, squaws and papooses were in the neighborhood since called Squawville 7 miles southwest of Hudson and from here they were evicted by the detachment of U. S. troops. While the officer was serving the papers on Bawbeese the others were lined up and sorted out the squaws and papooses being loaded into wagons and the Indian braves marched with the soldiers to the reservation, most of the remnants of the tribe are in Oklahoma.

On the farm of the late Chas. Davis west of Clinton an old oak tree stood for many years marking the spot where Bawbeese and his tribe held council and his father who kept a tavern just across the road had a visit with them—Tumecseh Herald.

Don't Build Limestone Roads.

The state highway department is doing all possible to discourage the building of limestone roads, as this type of road does not wear well and in from one to two years it begins to show wear. The limestone powders under loads rapidly and that it is affected materially by the weather has been proven. Indiana is now having a rather unenviable experience with these roads at the present time.

Several Michigan townships which have built these roads in the past are now asking advice of the highway commission and the department is doing all possible to discourage the building. There is a great deal of activity throughout the state in road building and the department is kept busy inspecting roads.

New Counterfeit Appears.

Discovery of the existence of a new counterfeit \$10 gold certificate has been announced by Chief Wilkie of the secret service at Washington. The certificate is represented to be of the act of July 12, 1882, series of 1901, and bears the check letter "D," plate No. 150, the signature of W. T. Vernon, register of the treasury, Lee McClung, treasurer of the United States and the portrait of Hilligas.

The note is from a photographic plate printed on bond paper in which the coloring in the seal, serial numbers and back appears to be a brownish-red waterproof ink. The silk thread is imitated by red and blue ink marks. The counterfeit made its first appearance in Kentucky.

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Vernor's Ginger Ale, freezing cold, bottles packed in cracked ice. Try it. 5c. No other place so cold.

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Heinz's Sweet Cucumber Pickles, just the right flavor, tender and crisp.

Heinz's Sweet Mixed Pickles, the best ever, and delivered to you in prime condition.

Teas, just right for icing, all kinds, English Breakfast, Ceylon, Japan and Oolong. The finest grades.

Red Band Coffee, the 30c kind, here only, per pound, 25c.

Large, smooth, waxy, Messina Lemons, the kind with the rich, ripe flavor.

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WHY MEN HAVE TO LABOR

Nigerian Legend as to Reason the Sterile Sex Is Compelled to Work for Women.

A Nigerian legend of the origin of man's subjection to woman was related to the Royal Geographical Society of London by Mr. P. A. Talbot, who has spent some time in southern Nigeria.

At the beginning of things, the legend runs, the world was peopled by women only. One day the earth god, Awbassi Nai, happened by accident to kill a woman. On hearing this the rest gathered together and prayed that, if he meant to slay them, he would bring destruction on all together rather than kill them one by one.

Awbassi was sorry for the grief he had caused and offered as compensation to give them anything they should choose out of all his possessions. They begged him to mention what he had to give and said that they would all cry "Yes" when he named the thing they wished to have.

Awbassi mentioned one by one all his fruits, fowls and beasts, but at each they shouted "No." At length the list was nearly ended—only one thing remained to offer.

"Will you, then, take man?" asked Awbassi at last. "Yes," they roared in a great shout, and catching hold of one another danced for joy at the thought of the gift Awbassi was sending.

Thus men became the servants of women and have to work for them to this day.

A Graceful Introduction.

It was Mr. Swan's first experience as chairman of the entertainment committee, with the task of introducing the lecturer of the evening, and he was, to use his own words, "a trifle flustered."

The buzz of conversation which had filled the hall ceased as Mr. Swan stepped on to the platform, and the groups of villagers dissolved and sank decorously on the benches.

"This, ladies and gentlemen, is the evening for our lecture on 'How to Know the Bushes,'" said Mr. Swan, waving his hand over his shoulder toward the visitor.

"It's now quarter before eight, and I just asked the gentleman who is to address you, whether we'd better let the folks enjoy themselves a few minutes longer, or whether he'd begin right off, and he thought he would. I therefore now present to you Professor Greenore."—Youth's Companion.

Fies Dislike Honeysuckle.

For a person with perfume to sell the young woman asked an amazing question:

"Are you going anywhere this summer where there will be lots of flies?" Some passerby at whom she squinted a spray of perfume had definite knowledge on the fly question, others had not. To all the young woman imparted a bit of information.

"This perfume will shoo away the most pestiferous fly," she said. "It is a delightful perfume, too. It is made of the essence of honeysuckles. There are a number of perfumes that do not agree with flies, but they have a particular aversion for honeysuckle. A honeysuckle shaded porch is never invaded by flies and a person with a few drops of honeysuckle on his clothes can sleep undisturbed with swarms of flies buzzing all around him."

Her "Foolish" Friend.

When Mrs. Lysander John Appleton is in trouble she sends for her foolish friend. And after she has told of her troubles and sighted holes in her straight-front corset, and soaked three or four handkerchiefs, the foolish friend makes a number of fool suggestions, not one of which is practical or of any use, after which Mrs. Appleton, having sighed and wept to the limit, cheers up. "You are so helpful," she says to the foolish friend, and then looks around in her cupboard to give the foolish friend something to eat.—Atchison Globe.

A Difficult Feat.

The office boy was giving valuable hints to the newcomer, and ended with, "An' don't you have nothin' to do wid Maloney."

"Who'd be matter wid him?" was the natural query.

"He's a coward, dat's wot," was the emphatic reply. "He sneaked up on me yesterday and kicked me in the stomach when me back was turned."

How He Did It.

"How have you managed to live so long without getting a wrinkle in your face?"

"Well, I don't think I—"

"Oh, that's it, eh? I suppose one has to be born with the ability to keep from thinking."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Admiration.

"You are admiring my library?" said the collector.

"Yes," replied Mr. Cumrox. "A big library always commands my admiration and interest. It is an evidence of the patience and skill of the American book agent."

Worse Yet.

"Don't it make you feel bad to see a person go hungry?"

"It makes me feel worse to see them come hungry, when I'm not prepared for them."

10,000 GRAND TRUNK MEN ON STRIKE

PRESIDENT HAYS REFUSES DEMANDS OF O. R. T. AND ITS MEMBERS WALK OUT.

NON-UNION CREWS GET TRAINS THROUGH, THOUGH MANY OF THEM ARE LATE.

All Shops, Employing Thousands, Are Closed By Road; Little Violence Reported Anywhere.

Freight movement on the G. T. R. is utterly paralyzed and passenger traffic seriously crippled by a strike of the conductors, baggagemen, brakemen and part of the switchmen which went into effect Monday night.

So serious is the tie-up that on the line between Toronto and Detroit turned officials of the road have turned conductors and are running trains in place of strikers.

Both the switchmen's and firemen's unions are ready to call a sympathy strike if requested.

Five thousand shop hands are affected and 10,000 men probably are made idle by the strike.

Union telegraphers decided not to go out, the railroad agreeing to arbitration.

The men demand an increase in pay to the standard given by a number of the other roads. President Hays offered a general increase of approximately 18 per cent at this time and the remainder when the Grand Trunk Pacific line is finished and, failing this, arbitration, but the employees decided to strike.

About 300 men are on strike in Detroit and more than that number will be affected by the tying up of the line. The Windsor yard is also tied up.

The Grand Trunk railway system has a mileage of 4,745, made up as follows: Grand Trunk railway, 3,949; Grand Trunk Western railway, 336; Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee, 191; Toledo, Saginaw & Muskegon, 116; Cincinnati, Saginaw & Mackinac, 53; and Pontiac, Oxford & Northern, 100.

Kick on Butter and Cream.

Numerous complaints have been received at the office of the state dairy and food commission from commission merchants and creamery men in various parts of the state regarding butter. The commission men claim that the butter is not up to the standard and the creamery men allege that the cream is often old and nearly spoiled when delivered to them by the farmers. The butter manufacturers are afraid to accuse the farmers, as they declare that it is exceedingly difficult to secure sufficient cream and they do not want to antagonize the ruralists. The commission has promised to investigate both complaints and will remedy conditions if possible. Many of the smaller villages of the state are desirous of having samples of milk tested during the warm weather. The commission will make as many tests as possible during the summer.

Michigan Favors Postal Bank Idea.

Interest throughout the country in the establishment of postal savings banks is shown by the application of about 400 banks in 41 states, to be depositories for postal funds. Although postmasters will not receive extra compensation for work done in connection with the receiving of deposits, about 175 have made application to have their offices designated as postal banks. These postmasters are located in 30 states, the majority, however, being Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Texas and Oklahoma. The South Atlantic states are conspicuous because of an apparent lack of interest.

State Aids Good Roads.

During the last year the state highway department paid out for state road work \$138,349. Of this amount \$12,000 was paid for roads which were constructed last year but were not approved by the department in time to be incorporated in the previous report. Two and three-quarter miles of class A road was constructed for which the department paid \$250 per mile. The other classes are as follows: 114 1-2 miles of class B road at \$500 per mile; one mile of class C road, at \$750; 3-1-3 miles of class D road, at \$750; 65 2-3 miles of class E road, at \$1,000.

Deposits Show \$8,000,000 Gain.

The quarterly report of the condition of the 385 state banks and five trust companies doing business in Michigan, issued by State Banking Commissioner H. M. Zimmerman yesterday, shows that there has been a gain in the aggregate business since the last report, March 29, 1910, of \$8,169,277.11.

One Killed, Five Hurt.

One man was killed outright, two were seriously injured and three others, all trainmen, sustained more or less serious hurts, when a northbound extra freight on the Pere Marquette collided head-on, with a train hauling rocks from Elk Rapids, one-half mile north of Maple.

W. C. Cornwell, of Saginaw, and a number of wealthy Chicago business men have purchased 400 acres of land near Clare and will build a summer resort. They will dam the waters of Beebe lake and raise a section of it to an altitude of 70 feet.

Jumping from his train off the bridge it was passing and into the Iron river, at Marquette, Brakeman Carl Anderson rescued a small boy from drowning in the stream at the risk of his own life. Those who saw him jump said they thought he would break his neck, as the river is shallow at this point.

MICHIGAN IN BRIEF.

The members of the Hastings M. E. church will build a new church to cost about \$30,000.

The materials used in the manufacture of ice cream cones are to be investigated by the state dairy and food commission.

Charging that water mains have been destroyed by electrolysis, Marshall has begun suit for \$200 against the M. U. R.

Judge Emmet L. Beach, a prominent Democrat, has announced his candidacy for the nomination of mayor at Saginaw.

Gov. Warner has appointed J. S. Haggerty, of Detroit, a delegate to the national good roads congress to be held at Niagara Falls July 28 to 31.

A. J. Callahan, of Jackson, was elected first vice-president of the Independent Petroleum Marketers' association at the Louisville meeting.

State Treasurer Sleeper received a check for \$45,000 from the federal government, which will be placed to the credit of the Michigan Agricultural college.

The scarlet fever plague has struck Northville and a number of people are ill with the disease. Quinsy is another disease which holds numbers in its grasp.

The proposition to bond the village of Decatur for \$12,000 for a new school building was lost, the vote being a tie. A special election will be called to vote on the matter again.

Because the mayor and aldermen of Ludington are in a row over permitting the opera house to be remodeled under present plans, building operations have been suspended.

The Exchange bank of Powers, Mich., has been reorganized and incorporated into a state bank. After Aug. 15 it will be known as the First State Bank of Powers. The capital is \$20,000.

The annual convention of the Michigan Sportsmen's association will be held this year in Owosso on September 12. The Shiawassee county association will tender the visitors a banquet.

The state fish tug, Chase Osborn, captured two hunters for setting fires along the Cedar river in the upper peninsula. This is the first time that "firebugs" have ever been taken by the state tug.

According to a decision of the state board of auditors employees touring the state in the future will be required to take a direct route to their destination, and not place the state under unnecessary expense.

Because his wife poisoned herself, the supreme court has held that William Ruterbusch, who started suit in the Bay circuit court, cannot collect \$1,000 life insurance from the Independent Order of Foresters.

At a meeting of the board of control the \$7,000 bonds of Capt. George R. Stone, who was appointed warden of Jackson prison to replace John C. Wenger, were approved, Stone assuming his new duties at once.

For the first time in more than 30 years the village of Charlesworth, five miles south of Eaton Rapids, is without a store. C. D. Stringham having closed out his general store and quit business. The reason is not given.

According to figures, just compiled, the population of Michigan prisons is divided as follows: Jackson, 72; Ionia, 531; Marquette, 309; Detroit house of correction, 368; industrial school for boys, at Lansing, 500; school for girls, at Adrian, 486; total, 2,918.

Mrs. Samuel Libarger, a boarding-house keeper of Battle Creek, prevented the suicide of David Mullin, one of her boarders, when he attempted to shoot himself while intoxicated. Mrs. Libarger wrestled the weapon away from him and he was placed under arrest.

The Calhoun county veteran battalion reunion will be held in Marshall on Aug. 17. Rev. Sergeant of Battle Creek, ex-Judge H. B. Winsor, of Marshall; Grant Fellows, of Hudson; Congressman Gardner, of Albion; and J. M. C. Smith, of Charlotte, will be the speakers.

Chester Alderton, William McKnight and Gus McKinnon, held for minor offenses, escaped from jail at Harrison by breaking through the floor, dropping into the basement and removing a window. Alderton was recaptured soon after the delivery. The others are still at large.

Palmer Gruette, the half-breed who assaulted a 16-year-old girl in the woods near Marquette, was captured by a member of the posse which has been searching the woods for him. He says he was drunk and knew nothing of his actions when he committed the assault.

Saginaw ice cream cones and ice cream are both up to the standard, according to Fred J. Hoerner, inspector of foods. Mr. Hoerner made an investigation of both in view of the agitation concerning them in other sections of the country, and he pronounced them all right for consumption.

Prosecuting Attorney Warner's semi-annual report shows that there were 89 criminal cases instituted in all the courts of Van Buren county, in all of which there was not a single acquittal. There were three cases dismissed and three settled. This covers the first six months under the working of the amended liquor laws. The report for the last full year under the provisions of the old law shows that there were 221 cases commenced during that time, a decrease in favor of the present statute of 132 cases.

In affirming the decision of the Houghton county circuit court in the case of Theodore Swenson, the supreme court decided that foreign liquor dealers doing business in Michigan will have to pay the required \$500 license to the state. There are about 300 liquor firms located outside the state doing business in Michigan, and only a few of them are paying the license.

President Kenyon L. Butterfield, of the Massachusetts Agricultural college, spoke on "The Place of the Church in Rural Progress" before the conference of rural ministers and their wives at Lansing.

\$100,000 BLAZE AT KALAMAZOO

BIG LUMBER YARDS AND SEVERAL RESIDENCES TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

DETROIT HAS A POPULATION OF OVER 468,000 ACCORDING TO WATER BOARD.

Official Census Figures Will Not Be Published for Several Weeks to Come.

Fires at Kalamazoo.

While the fire department was fighting flames in the North & Coon lumber yards, another alarm was turned in from the south side of the city, where a fire had been discovered in the J. E. Gall lumber yards. Damage to the extent of several thousand dollars was done in the North & Coon yards, but because of the low water pressure and a high wind the firemen lost control of the fire in the Gall yards, and within an hour half a block of lumber was in flames. The fire quickly spread to a number of residences near by, which were burned to the ground.

By attaching the city mains to the asylum water tower, a new water supply was secured. Six houses were entirely destroyed and three others damaged.

The police declare a gang of robbers and thieves following a wild west show that visited Kalamazoo set fire to both the yards, and when the flames were well under way started robbing several houses about the city. As soon as the flames were well under way numerous reports were received from all sections of the city of attempted burglaries. The home of Mrs. Jennie Gilmore, one of the wealthiest residents of the city, was entered and robbed. The loss by the fire will probably amount to \$100,000.

Detroit's Population.

The census bureau is being flooded with requests for information as to the population of various cities, but nothing will be given out until the official figures are published, which will not be for several weeks.

There is intense rivalry between several cities and a good deal of curiosity as to whether Detroit will reach the 500,000 mark. It can be said that it will not, and while the exact figures are secret the census will show the population to be slightly in excess of 468,000.

This is very close to the water board estimate of 462,678, given out. The water board's figures are based on the number of users of water, computed according to an established scale.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Following six months' illness, Alexander V. Mann, pioneer lumberman and banker of Muskegon, died.

Mrs. Glover Frakes hanged herself in a clothes press in her home, at Vicksburg. She was demented.

The council of Sebawing has decided to pave the main street with concrete and cement at a cost of \$5,000.

If ministers and the allied church society can prevent it, the Reno fight pictures will not be shown in Benton Harbor, the authorities having been asked to use their influence against it.

The supreme court has affirmed the decision of the lower court that the house of David must pay judgment in favor of Ethelyn Brink for an assault committed in the Park of Eden, near Benton Harbor.

According to the records kept by Assistant Fire Chief Hudson, government weather observer at Saginaw, July to date has been the driest of any similar month for several years. The drought is having a serious effect on crops.

While completing plans to attend the Elks' convention at Detroit, William H. Payne, a foremost citizen of Bancroft, died from heart disease. He was a director of the Bancroft Exchange bank and operated several elevators in Shiawassee county.

Because the picture shows at Macatawa park, near Holland, are advertising the Jeffries-Johnson films, the township board is threatening to enforce the blue laws and close them up Sundays, the most prosperous day in the week for the theaters.

Stretching his body from "tail" to "rail," firmly clasping one of them so no one could pull him off, an unidentified man waited on the tracks of the Michigan Central railroad in Mat-tawan for the approach of a fast train. His body was terribly mangled.

The board of public works of Eaton Rapids has voted to increase the salaries of the superintendent, engineer and electrician at the municipal water and lighting plant \$5 per month each, with the addition of free lights and water and coal for fuel at their homes.

According to the monthly mortality report issued by the secretary of state 51 persons lost their lives by drowning in the state during the month of June. Excessive heat killed 19 people, while tetanus was responsible for six deaths and two were killed by lightning.

Three hundred panic-stricken girls fled down the stairway to escape death in a fire which 15 minutes after it broke out practically destroyed the straw hat factory of Roseau brothers, at Philadelphia. The building five stories high, was located at Eighth and Vine streets, in the shopping district. The loss is \$150,000. All the girls escaped unhurt, though several faint.

St. Paul was chosen as the place for holding the next convention of the Photographers' Association of America. G. W. Harris, of Washington, D. C., was elected president.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Penniless because of their long strike, many miners in the coal districts of Oklahoma are said to be in destitute circumstances.

One man was killed and many were injured in a Canadian Northern train wreck, near Quebec. Six cars containing 300 English emigrants were shattered and then took fire.

Safely back from her long test run of 1,600 miles the submarine torpedo boat Salmon anchored in Provincetown harbor, having made the run home from Bermuda. She was delayed 12 hours off Nantucket lightship by fog.

A dispatch from the city of Guatemala says that Guatemala is to be placed upon a new monetary basis. The present basis is paper currency. Congress will convene in special session this month to adopt either a silver or gold standard.

Demanding an increase in wages from \$3 to \$3.50 a day and a reduction of working hours from 9 to 8 hours a day, about 196 molders employed in 12 iron foundries at Hartford, Ct., went on strike. The men are members of the molders' union.

The largest day's shipment of fruit ever sent from the Sacramento Valley was dispatched when 75 cars of pears and plums left for points in Canada and the eastern parts of the United States. There was nearly 2,000,000 pounds of fruit in the cars.

A bill making it a misdemeanor to bet on elections has been passed by the house of representatives of Georgia. The bill is not aimed at freak bets, but seeks to prevent the wager of money or articles of value. The measure still has to be passed by the senate.

Five men, all foreigners known by numbers, were killed in the quarry of the Nazareth Portland Cement Co., at Nazareth, Pa., by the premature explosion of a charge of dynamite. This is the second quarry in which seven men were killed in a similar manner a few weeks ago.

The American Institute of Homoeopathy in session at Pasadena, Cal., elected Dr. G. J. Jones, of Cleveland, president; Dr. Walter E. Nichols, of Pasadena, vice-president, and Dr. James R. Ward, of San Francisco, Dr. E. I. Man, of St. Paul, and Dr. J. P. Sutherland, of Boston, trustees.

The Southern Pacific Co. has paid into the United States district court a fine of \$18,000 recently imposed by Judge Van Fleet at San Francisco, after the corporation pleaded guilty to granting of rebates. On the payment of the fine indictments embracing 150 counts were ordered dismissed.

William Durand, who claims the heavyweight pugilistic championship of the United States navy, was convicted, at Hampton, Va., by a jury in the circuit court, of prize fighting. He was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Durand was knocked out several weeks ago at Buck Run beach by a negro named Scarborough in the first round of what was to have been a 10-round match. Durand formerly lived in Pennsylvania.

As a result of the Riff war in Morocco, the unsettled state of affairs in Nicaragua and the recent earthquake in Costa Rica, is evident in the steadily increasing immigration into the isthmus of Panama. The immigration figures at Colon for the past six months, just reported at Washington, show that the volume of immigration has increased nearly 1,000 per cent among the Europeans and more than 50 per cent among the West Indians, compared with the first six months of 1910.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT.—Cattle: Market 25c lower. We quote choice dry fed steers and heifers, \$6.25@7.25; good to choice butchers steers and heifers, 1.000 to 1,200 pounds, \$5.00@6.00; light to good butchers steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs., \$4.50@5.50; mixed butchers' fat cows, \$3.25@4.50; common, \$2.50@3.50; common, \$2.25@3.25; good shippers' bulls, \$4.25@4.50; common feeders, \$4.00@4.25; good weaned feeders, \$4.50; light stockers, \$3.94.

Veal Calves—Market 25c higher; best calves, \$9.00@9.50; others, \$8.50@9.00; milch cows and springers, \$3.00@5.00. Sheep and Lambs—Market 25c below last week's closing; best lambs, \$8; fair to good lambs, \$7.25@7.50; light to common lambs, \$6.00@7.00; good butchers' sheep, \$4.00@4.50; culls and common, \$3.00@3.50.

Hogs—Market dull; heavies and mixed, \$8.75@9.15; pigs, \$9.30; light Yorkers, \$9.30; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle, steady. Hogs: slow; heavy, \$9@9.20; mediums, \$8.25@9.40; Yorkers, \$9.50@9.70; pigs, \$9.80@9.90. Sheep: slow; spring lambs, \$7.75@8.00; yearlings, \$5.50@6.40; weathers, \$5.25@5.50; ewes, \$4.25@4.50. Calves—\$5.00@5.50.

Grain, Etc. Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.07; July opened without change at \$1.04 1-4 and advanced to \$1.08 3-4; September opened with an advance of 1-4 at \$1.04 1-2 and advanced to \$1.08 1-4; December opened at \$1.08 1-4 and advanced to \$1.09; No. 1 white, \$1.07. CORN—Cash No. 2, 65 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 66; No. 3 yellow, 64 1-2.

OATS—Market dull; 4c bid; September standard, 40c bid; cash No. 3 white, 41 1-2; September No. 3 white, 5 cars at 41 1-2. RYE—Cash No. 1, 78c; August, 70c bid. SEASONS—Cash, \$2.22; October, \$2.05; November, \$2.

CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$7; October, \$6.85; March, \$6.90. FEEDING—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$23; coarse middlings, \$24; fine middlings, \$27; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$27; corn and oat chop, \$24 per ton. FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$5.10; ordinary patent, \$4.90; straight, \$4.80; clear, \$4.60; pure rye, \$4.50; spring patent, \$5.90 per bbl. in wood, jobbing lots.

Imports of precious stones, as reported by the New York customs officials this month have sent the total for the fiscal year ending June 30, above \$45,000,000. The highest previous record was \$43,602,476 for the year 1907. About 85 per cent of the imports are diamonds, one-third of these being uncut.

Joseph Martin Brown, for three years a member of the expedition which John Walker led into Nicaragua in 1853 and by which Walker eventually sought to make himself dictator, died at his ranch home near Denver, Col. He was 77 years old.

MICHIGAN NEWS TERSELY TOLD

Lansing.—The decision of the lower court was affirmed with costs by the supreme court in the case of the A. M. Campau Realty company of Detroit against the city of Detroit et al. Some time ago a bill was filed by the city attorney in the Wayne county circuit court to quiet the complainant's alleged title to a triangular tract of land and dock frontage on the Detroit river, also to remove a cloud arising from the defendant's claim to the title; also permanently to enjoin the defendant from interfering with the possession of the disputed land, or removing buildings. The circuit court rendered a decision in favor of the Campau company, and this was affirmed.

Jackson.—People living near the Grand river are very much dissatisfied because of the filthy condition of the stream and it is probable that some action will be taken by the board of health toward cleaning it up. The flow of the river at low water is entirely insufficient to carry away the debris dumped in from hundreds of sources. In many places in the very heart of the city there are long banks of putrescent mud, semi-liquid nastiness of the most loathsome character. An unwholesome stench from the river during the day and disease-laden vapors arise and are carried long distances at night.

Battle Creek.—The prowess of Mrs. Samuel Libarger, a local boarding-house keeper, prevented a suicide here. One of her boarders, David Mullin, a boiler-maker, attempted to shoot himself while intoxicated, but Mrs. Libarger sprang to his side and wrested the weapon away from him. The boiler-maker was locked up at the police station on the charge of being drunk and disorderly.

Lansing.—Children playing about an outhouse at the home of Fred Paul, 517 Beaver street, found a pocketbook in which Paul had placed nearly \$1,000 and which he supposed he had securely hidden. Paul, who is an employee of the auto body company, is said to have accumulated the money from his wages and hidden it away without his wife's knowledge.

Charlotte.—John Crone, Arthur Preston and Willard Ditchfield, laborers on the J. C. Potter permit farm north of this city, engaged in a quarrel over their work which ended in a fight with pitchforks. Crone and Ditchfield were badly injured, Crone being brought to this city for treatment.

Hastings.—The township of Carlton has completed another mile of state road and a mile and a half of highway is now being surveyed. John T. Lombard has offered the township of Baltimore \$1,000 for the improvement of McComber hill, one of the steepest grades in the county.

Battle Creek.—Prophetess Ellen G. White of the Seventh Day Adventists was responsible for the choice of this city for the big camp meeting of the faith, and considering her recent crusade against settling in the food city local people are wondering why she stopped.

Grand Rapids.—The National City and Grand Rapids National banks are to consolidate under the name of the Grand Rapids National City bank of Michigan, with a capital of \$1,000,000. The stockholders in each bank will share equally in the shares of the new one.

Ann Arbor.—Floyd Lyman, Milton Lyman, Langford Diamond and Ray Harrington, all under sixteen, are under arrest and have confessed to placing barrels full of stones on the Michigan Central tracks at Geddes. A wreck was narrowly averted.

Sault Ste. Marie.—The population of Sault Ste. Marie as enumerated in the thirteen census, was 12,615, according to official figures given out at the Washington census bureau. This is an increase of 2,077 since the last census in 1900.

Port Huron.—When the United States gunboat Nashville, which is on a cruise of the lakes, stopped here Quartermaster William Mather was removed to the hospital with an attack of appendicitis.

Adrian.—In the cleaning process of the River Raisin the decomposed body of an infant and the carcasses of cats, dogs, rats and other animals were found. A shocking condition of fil

The SPIRIT of the WEST

Wonderful Development Since Dawn of Irrigation

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The spirit of the west is optimism and progress. It is the spirit that fired the hearts of our forefathers who erected in the primeval forests of New England the superstructure of the greatest nation on earth. It is the optimism and faith which imbued their descendants who carved an agricultural empire of unparalleled richness from the Mississippi valley.

Once a wilderness so unpromising that it evoked derision in the halls of congress, the west has become today the land of fortune and opportunity. In this land of boundless distances the altitude is stimulating, the air is a tonic, giving health to the infirm and courage to those who have failed elsewhere. Its constant sunshine encourages optimism and cheerfulness. The glories of its opal-tinted dawns, the indescribable beauty of its sunsets and the nameless witchery of its twilight softly melting into night are the work of a divine painter.

There is a mental and spiritual uplift in its mountains, whose summits are in regions of perpetual snow. Its sapphire lakes, exclaiming in beauty those of Switzerland, open up a wondrous field of interest and pleasure to the sightseer and those in search of rest and recreation. The monarchs of its forests cast their shadows on the earth before the coming of the gentle Nazarene.

Its canons, sculptured during uncounted centuries by wind and wave, are unrivaled in their wonderful and varied coloring and in their awe-inspiring depths. Its deserts, in vastness of area, in potential wealth of soil and climate, and in rivers of constant supply, are sleeping empires awaiting exploitation and development. Here nature offers to every man his birthright—a wide sky, the sunshine, the wind, and a sure reward for intelligent effort. Here things are written in characters too vast for human pen.

The late Gov. John A. Johnson well said the west symbolizes "home" for the homeless, food for the hungry, work for the unemployed, land for the landless, gold for the penniless, freedom for the enslaved, adventure for the restless, dangers for the brave, an unknown world to conquer, and room for all.

Irrigation has wrought its miracle and 13,000,000 acres reclaimed are annually producing harvests valued at more than \$250,000,000 and supporting in homes of their own more than 300,000 families. The wealth of that portion of the country which great statesmen in Webster's day were wont to declare worthless is greater now than that of the entire nation in 1860.

In the swift march of national events during the past decade, the development of the west has focused the attention of the world. It furnishes one of the most inspiring pages in the annals of our commonwealth. It is a story of progress and human achievement—a battle with nature in her sternest and most forbidding aspect.

Future writers will record the irrigation movement as an epoch in our history the far-reaching influence of which overshadowed in importance any other progressive movement of the opening to settlement of the Mississippi valley. The reclamation of vast areas of our arid and semi-arid regions, which is being promoted by the federal government and by large corporations working in conjunction with several states, is of profound economic importance to the nation.

The additional opportunities thus created for home makers are already serving to check the undesirable exodus of the country people to the city. Millions of acres of desert, unleased by rain and stored in its bosom the fertility gathered there by centuries of washing from hills and mountains, are being quickened by life-giving water.

Cities, populous and great, have sprung up; rural communities, attractive and prosperous, broad vistas of fertile fields and blossoming orchards whose yields are prolific beyond comparison, replace the wastes of sand and sage brush.

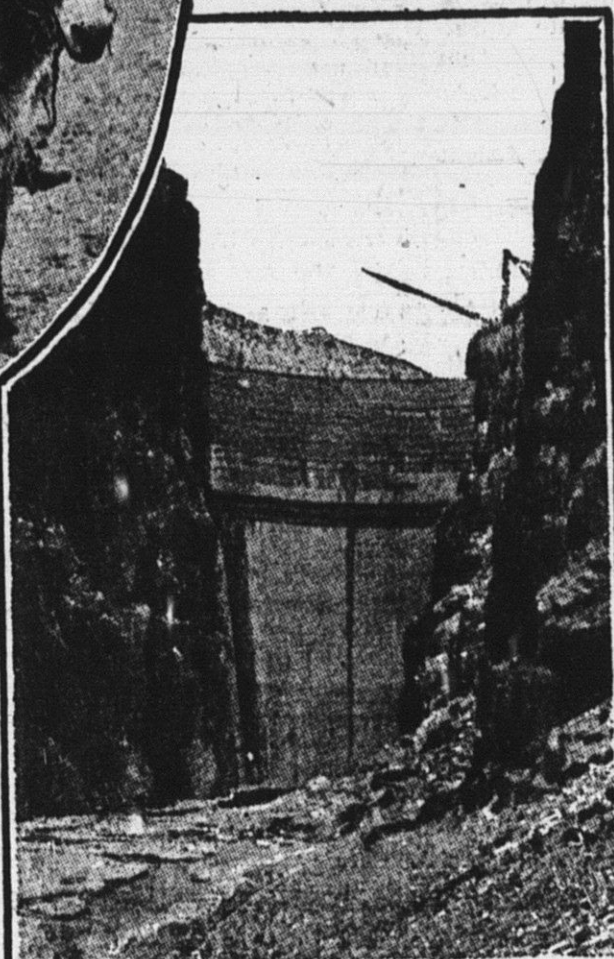
Economic forces are at work today in the country, and particularly in the arid west, which are gradually but surely shaping our agricultural development along new lines. In many parts of the irrigated country agriculture now occupies a position of greater dignity among the vocations than ever before. Its place among the scientific professions is now recognized and it is calling more strongly every day for the best talent and brains the nation affords.



LOOKING DOWN INTO TETON CANYON, YAKIMA PROJECT, WASHINGTON



A FAMILIAR TYPE: THE OPTIMISTIC PROSPECTOR



HIGHEST DAM IN THE WORLD, THE SHOSHONE DAM, WYOMING

The reclamation service began its work in 1902 on the passage of the reclamation act. The first contract was let in September of the next year and, on June 17, 1905, an important project in Nevada was formally opened.

Progress has been rapid and the activities of the bureau have been extended to 26 or more projects, which to date have involved the expenditure of \$60,000,000. In the seven and one-half years of its work the service has built 4,215 miles of canal. Placed end to end, these canals would reach from Washington to San Francisco and back to New Orleans. Several of these canals carry whole rivers.

It has excavated 17 miles of tunnels. Before the end of the year it will have completed four of the highest dams in the world. Its excavations of rock and earth amount to the enormous total of 60,000,000 cubic yards. Its roads have a total length of 417 miles; telephones, 1,127 miles; levees, 70 miles.

It has purchased 916,751 barrels of cement and has manufactured in its own mill 340,000 barrels. As a result of its work water is available for 750,000 acres on 13,000 farms.

The gross value of crops produced on the lands irrigated by the government projects in 1910 was \$14,038,000. As a result of the work of the government it is estimated that land values have increased more than \$105,800,000.

The reclamation service is entering 1910 with money and plans for completing most of its larger and unfinished masonry structures and with about three-quarters of a million of acres of arid land under irrigation.

It will finish this year the great Roosevelt dam in Arizona, one of the most massive in the world. It has completed the Shoshone dam, in northern Wyoming, the highest structure of its kind ever built; the Pathfinder dam, in southern Wyoming; and the Laguna dam, in Arizona. It will for the first time utilize the Gunnison tunnel, whose completion was celebrated by President Taft last summer.

The funds available for construction are somewhat less than in previous years, and the organization, which is very elastic, has been cut down to fit reduced expenditures. About fifty skilled men—engineers, experts and technical assistants—have either sought private employment, have been transferred to other bureaus of the government or put on furlough, in order to keep the overhead charges consistent with the expenditures.

Reviewing the history of the reclamation service as a whole, its maximum activity and expenditures were in the year 1907. In 1902 the expenditures were less than \$1,000,000, and in 1903 less than \$1,000,000. In 1904 they were \$2,500,000; in 1905, \$5,000,000; nearly \$14,000,000 in 1906; \$10,000,000 in 1907; decreased to \$5,000,000 in 1908, to about \$9,000,000 in 1909, and in 1910 they will be a little under \$8,000,000. It is expected that in 1911 they will shrink to about \$7,000,000, which sum will probably continue to be available during after years, assuming that the water-right charges are paid as they fall due.

This is the most critical period in the history of national irrigation since the passage of the reclamation act, in 1902. By public notices of the secretary of the interior, issued last year, hundreds of water-right installments, involving approximately \$1,000,000, became due on April 1, 1910. That date is a memorable one, not only to the settlers, whose entries are liable to cancellation for failure to make the payments due, but also to the reclamation service, which is concerned in securing the return of its investment in the engineering works. It is also a matter of interest to citizens of the number of sections containing feasible projects, the construction of which cannot be undertaken without additional funds.

As the repayments are made through the local land offices and not directly to the service, some time must elapse before the actual amounts collected are known. On a number of the projects, like Sun River, Shoshone and Huntley, the settlers have already made their initial payments and will not be delinquent on the second installment until April, 1911, which enables them to market two crops between payments. On several other projects, such as the Mindoka, Klamath, Lower Yellowstone, Belle Fourche, Carlsbad, Truckee-Carson, North Platte and others, the first settlers have had the use of water for two crops, and it is probable that a majority will be able to meet their obligations without difficulty.

Detailed reports from various sources on each of the projects have been received at Washington. The conditions as a whole are described as favorable for a large return to the reclamation fund. On several of the projects there will be no delinquents. On a number of projects the engineering work is not fully completed, but water is ready for large areas and is being supplied on a rental basis pending the announcement of the actual cost of water right. The reclamation service has derived considerable revenue from these sources and at the same time the farmers have been enabled to increase the areas in cultivation. The following financial statement is interesting as showing the status of the reclamation fund and the amounts which thus far have been credited to it through the operations of the reclamation service:

Total moneys received and transferred to the reclamation fund from sales of public lands under reclamation act to February 28, 1910, \$58,342,617.02. Approximately \$4,500,000 are still in the treasury of the United States, but not yet available.

Moneys received under operations of reclamation act from all sources in cash and credits, for work done, \$2,379,475.04, divided as follows: Town-site sales, \$103,673.91; miscellaneous, \$1,275,801.13.

ous sales, water rentals, etc., \$1,694,844.77, collections on water rights, \$814,145.34. This does not include any of the moneys collected for the water rights which were due and payable April 1, 1910.

Among the several large projects, one of especial interest is located in northern Wyoming. When the springtime showers and sunshine fall upon the snowy peaks of the lofty mountains on the eastern rim of Yellowstone park a thousand streams will rush downward to fill to brimming the swift-flowing Shoshone river. An important physical change will occur at that time. The flood that once, unchecked and uncontrolled, swept madly through the rock-walled gorge will beat itself to stillness against a massive wall of concrete with which man has blocked the canon. A beautiful lake, 100 feet deep and covering ten square miles, will appear.

In this wonderful gash in the mountains, with perpendicular walls a thousand feet high, the government has erected the highest dam in the world. It is a wedge of concrete 328 feet from base to top. Its height can only be appreciated when compared with that of some well-known structure. New York's famous Flatiron building would not reach within 47 feet of the top of the dam, and the tip-top of the dome of the United States capitol would fall short 21 feet of the parapet.

In the summer, when the crops are thirsty, the big gates will be opened and the pent-up floods will be released into the river below.

Another dam, a low structure of concrete, will divert the waters through a tunnel 34 miles long into a canal which for 40 miles passes along the upper edge of a broad and fertile valley containing 150,000 acres.

Two years ago it was a desolate waste. Today it contains more than 200 farm houses and three thriving towns. Ten thousand acres produced crops last year on this project. With 16 farm houses along each mile of the main highway, the valley already has a suburban appearance.

More than 250 farm units of 40 to 80 acres each are now available to entry and offer exceptional opportunities for men of moderate means to secure homes in a prosperous and growing country.

Close to the Black Hills, in South Dakota, lies the beautiful valley of Belle Fourche, containing 100,000 acres of grass-covered prairie. Many miles of canals have been laid across its level surface, and what was only a short time ago the finest free cattle range in this country is rapidly becoming a compactly settled agricultural community.

An impressive engineering feature of this project is the Owl Creek dam, one of the longest and highest earthen embankments in the world. This structure, now nearing completion, is 6,200 feet long, has a maximum height of 115 feet and contains 1,600,000 cubic yards of material.

The Roosevelt dam, which is about completed as you read the story today, is in many respects the most remarkable structure of its kind in the world. Its towering height, 280 feet, its length on top, 1,080 feet, the inspiring scenery in which it is located and the enormous capacity of the reservoir created by it combine to make it one of the most stupendous engineering works of modern times.

Conceive, if you can, two valleys—one 12 miles, the other 15 miles in length, and each from one to three miles wide—transformed into a lake 200 feet deep in places and containing enough water to cover Delaware a foot deep.

The Salt River reservoir, when full, has a capacity sufficient to fill a canal 300 feet wide and 19 feet deep extending from Chicago to San Francisco.

My one regret is that the space allotted me is too little to permit me to describe the charms and advantages of other projects of the government. I should like to tell you of the opportunities on the Klamath project, located in northern Oregon, in a region of unrivaled scenic beauty; of the wonderful progress made in the Boise valley, in Idaho, and the promise of even greater advance as the work of the government nears completion; of the Orland project, in the Sacramento valley, the land of fruits and flowers; of the Rio Grande valley, where there will one day be erected the most stupendous dam in the west—a region in which irrigation began before the Spanish invasion, which will become fruitful and prosperous.

The beacon of hope shines brightly in the west. It beckons the landless man to the landless land.

DEAN WORCESTER WALKS INTO TRAP

LIFE OF FORMER ANN ARBOR PROFESSOR SAVED BY HIS BODYGUARD.

THREE OF HIS ASSAILANTS ARE SHOT DEAD ON PALAWAN ISLAND, PHILIPPINES.

100,221 Persons in Prisons of the United States—2,918 in Michigan Institutions.

Set Upon By Brigands.
Dean C. Worcester, American secretary of interior for the Philippines, was set upon by renegade Moros on the island of Palawan, and escaped assassination only through the alertness of his bodyguard, who shot down the outlaws. Three were killed outright.

Mr. Worcester was touring the island, the most westerly of the larger of the Philippine group bounding the Sulu sea on the west, and was present at the installation of the new governor. In anticipation of his coming a band of Moros planned his death. Armed with carefully concealed bolos they laid a trap. The secretary found himself the object of a savage rush. Capt. Moynihan, of the scouts, was the first to recognize the hostile movement and just in the nick of time ordered the scouts to fire. At the fusillade the three leading Moros dropped in their tracks. Several others doubled up with more or less severe wounds. The others took to their heels.

U. S. Prisons Contain 100,221 Persons.
Invitations have been received by Lansing officers connected with the Michigan prisons to attend the international prison congress at Washington, D. C., Oct. 2 to 8. Representatives of foreign countries and nearly all the states in this country will be in attendance.

According to figures compiled by the secretary of the congress, 48 per cent of the total criminal population of the United States is confined in the 58 prisons of the country, or a total of 47,559 prisoners. There are confined in the 34 workhouses and houses of correction, 14,274 persons. In 103 reformatories and industrial schools 38,338 are confined. In the 195 institutions for criminals in the United States an aggregate of 100,221 are confined.

According to the figures of the secretary the population of Michigan prisons is divided as follows: Jackson, 724; Ionia, 531; Marquette, 309; Detroit house of correction, 368; industrial school for boys, Lansing, 500; state school for girls at Adrian, 486; total, 2,918.

Wheat Up to New High Mark.
A new high price record for wheat, the third within a week, for this season's crop was established Monday. Unbroken drought and heat in the northwest, excited buying on the part of shorts in Liverpool, world's shipmer's surprisingly light and damage by rains in France, all were influential on the high side.

In addition to the crop losses in this country and Canada, the French yield, it was predicted, would be 30 to 35 million bushels short. The opening was 1-4@3-8 to 2-1-8 up. September started at \$1.08 1-4 to \$1.08 1-2, a rise of 1-4@3-8 to 5-8. Fluctuating widely, the price went on advancing to \$1.08 3-4.

Apple Crop Will Total \$27,000,000.

Buyers for commission houses in New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia and other large cities which are distributing centers, traveling in the northwestern states, estimate that 15,000 cars of from 9,500,000 to 10,000,000 boxes of apples suitable for eastern markets will be shipped from commercial orchards in Washington, California, Colorado, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Utah this season. It is also estimated that between 3,000 and 4,000 cars will be required to supply the local and European trade. The market value of the crop in the several states is placed at from \$27,000,000 to \$29,000,000 at present prices.

Elks' Home Stays in Virginia.

In a tumultuous session of the grand lodge B. O. P. E., which lasted until a late hour Wednesday night, and in which the feeling of sectionalism rose dangerously close to the surface on several occasions, the proposition to abandon the Elks' National home at Bedford City, Va., or move it to some other city, was defeated.

Instead the board of trustees was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the remodeling of the home and beautifying of the grounds, to be presented to the next session of the grand lodge at Atlantic City. In addition the sum of \$7,500 was voted the board to be used in making such temporary repairs and improvements as are deemed necessary during the year.

The British Columbia government has placed orders in Pittsburgh for complete apparatus for three mine rescue stations to be installed in the principal coal mining areas of British Columbia. One will be established in Crownseet Pass and two on Vancouver island.

More than half a million cubic yards of concrete have been laid at the Panama canal locks at Gatun, which is one-fourth of the concrete required to complete the works there, and one-ninth of all the concrete necessary for completing the locks.

"The call of the fatherland" has come to Herman Gade, Norwegian consul at Chicago. He will renounce citizenship to the United States and return to Norway to become adviser to King Haakon. It is announced. Mr. Gade came to America 18 years ago and for ten years has practiced law in Chicago. He was graduated from Harvard.

The Wretchedness of Constipation

Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.



Genuine without Signature

SHE RECOGNIZED THE VOICE

And From Remark Made, Also Knew the Party Was Not Engaged in Prayer.

Confidential friends of Louis B. Shields are telling this story about that eminent Republican: A state convention at Columbus had just adjourned and the Cuyahoga county delegates were all back home when somebody suggested a friendly game of poker. The game was going along right merrily at three a.m.

At that hour an officious attendant called up Mr. Shields' residence, which happened to be almost next door.

"This is long distance," said the servant with no warrant of authority whatever. "We are all here in Columbus and can't get home until morning."

"That's all right," came back the reply, "but if that voice I hear in the apartment house next door saying 'that's good' isn't Mr. Shields' then I can't recognize a voice when I hear it at night."

And that is the end of the story, for the voice saying "that's good" was indeed that of Mr. Shields, and it was so near home, so the narrator relates, that there was no use in offering a denial.—Cleveland Leader.

The Stomach Held.

Col. H. N. Renouf, at the "Old Guard" banquet at Delmonico's, emphasized the importance to an army of a good commissariat.

"You have perhaps heard," he said, "of the company of privates that a patriotic lady entertained one Memorial day to dinner."

"It was a good dinner, and at its end a pretty maid servant entered with a superb dessert."

"Dessert, sergeant," she said to the stalwart young soldier at the head of the table.

"Dessert?" the sergeant answered. "When I can get eats like this for nothin'? Nixie! Not me!"

Incorruptible.

The lady of the house hesitated. "Are my answers all right?" she asked.

"Yes, madam," replied the census man.

"Didn't bother you a bit, did it?"

"No, madam."

"Feel under some obligations to me, don't you?"

"Yes, madam."

"Then, perhaps you won't mind telling me how old the woman next door claims to be?"

"Good day, madam," said the census man.

Old Advice.

Manager—You never get this scene right. Your business with the sweet peas is all wrong and you forget when you are to speak—you get your lines all mixed up.

Actress—All right, sir, I'll be more attentive and fix the sweet peas and try to get my lines in the right place.

Manager—Your course is very simple. Just mind your peas and cues.—Baltimore American.

HARD TO PLEASE

Regarding the Morning Cup.

"Oh how hard it was to part with coffee, but the continued trouble with constipation and belching was such that I finally brought myself to leave it off."

"Then the question was, what should we use for the morning drink? Tea was worse for us than coffee; chocolate and cocoa were soon tired of; milk was not liked very well, and hot water we could not endure."

"About two years ago we struck upon Postum and have never been without it since."

"We have seven children. Our baby now eighteen months old would not take milk, so we tried Postum and found she liked it and it agreed with her perfectly. She is today, and has been, one of the healthiest babies in the State."

"I use about two-thirds Postum and one-third milk and a teaspoon of sugar, and put it into her bottle. If you could have seen her eyes sparkle and hear her say 'good' today when I gave it to her, you would believe me that she likes it."

"If I was mother of an infant's home, every child would be raised on Postum. Many of my friends say, 'You are looking so well!' I reply, 'I am well! I drink Postum. I have no more trouble with constipation, and know that I owe my good health to God and Postum.'"

"I am writing this letter because I want to tell you how much good Postum has done us, but if you know how I shrink from publicity, you would not publish this letter, at least not over my name."

Send the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in plain. "There's a Reason." After read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are written, true, and full of human interest.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank Storms and family were in Flint Sunday.

Miss Edna Raftrey was an Albion visitor Monday.

R. D. Walker was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Miss Margaret Miller is visiting Jackson relatives.

Miss Helene Steinbach spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. J. Gibney, of Chicago, is visiting relatives here.

Nelson Jones, of Northridge, Ont., spent Sunday here.

Charles A. Smith, of Detroit, spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Mrs. M. J. Noyes is visiting her sister in New Haven.

George Smith, of Toledo, is spending his vacation here.

Carlton Runciman spent Monday evening in Ann Arbor.

Geo. H. Foster spent Sunday with his son Earl in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rich, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Miss Helen Burg, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Wm. Arnold is the guest of her sister in Saginaw this week.

Mrs. Charles Whitaker spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Wm. Dancer and sons, of Stockbridge, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Clara Runciman was the guest of her sister in Jackson last week.

Fred Taylor, of Jackson, visited his parents here the first of the week.

Misses Nina Hunter and Ethel Burkhardt were in Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Ruth Pratt, of Toledo, is a guest at the home of J. S. Cummings.

Misses Clara and Laura Hieber spent Monday evening in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber, of Grass Lake, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes spent the past week with their daughter in Detroit.

Mrs. R. D. Walker and daughter Josephine spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Wesley Canfield entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chapman Wednesday.

Ed. McNamara, of Traverse City, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Julia Crowell.

Miss Ruie Mapes, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, F. C. Mapes.

Miss Jennie Geddes and Wales Foster are spending this week in Tecumseh.

Mrs. Louis Watkins and daughter, of Grass Lake, are guests of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert.

Misses Clara and Eva Oesterle, of Jackson, are visiting their mother at this place.

Dr. Andros Gulde left Sunday afternoon for a week's outing with out-of-town friends.

Miss Emilie Hefper, of Cadillac, is spending her vacation with her parents here.

Mrs. Thomas Daly and children, of Jackson, are guests of her mother, Mrs. R. Zulke.

Miss Theodosia Branch, of Dansville, is spending this week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barry, of Jackson, spent the past week with Chelsea relatives.

Mrs. Jas. L. Ryan, of Chicago, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKernan.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Howlett and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, of Albion, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seid and Miss Emma Seid, of Jackson, were guest of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. G. Hoffman and children, of Imlay City, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Eisele.

Miss Warren Lombard and Miss Seley, of Jackson, were the guests of Miss Nen Wilkinson Sunday.

Misses Johanna and Gertrude Alperman, of Ypsilanti, were guests at St. Paul's parsonage Sunday.

Miss Ida Potts, who has been a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole, for some time, left Tuesday for her home in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. William Canfield, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis, of Grand Rapids, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Miss Helene Steinbach at Cavanaugh Lake this week.

Miss Agnes Cunningham returned to her home in Chicago last Sunday after spending a week with relatives here.

Mrs. F. G. Stabler returned to her home in Milwaukee Saturday, after spending several months at this place.

Mrs. L. Conk and grandson Kenneth Millsap left Monday for Gregory, where they will spend the next two weeks.

Margaret Farrell left Friday for Jackson where she will spend the next two weeks with her cousin, Marie Snoor.

Mrs. D. Sullivan and grandchildren of Columbus, Ohio, are guests at the home of Mrs. Catherine Sullivan, of Congdon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Webb and daughter, of Ypsilanti, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Chapman of Sylvan Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Wood, of Bordentown, N. J. and Mrs. E. O. Wood and daughter, of Sunbury, Penn., are guests of Mrs. J. R. Gates.

Church Circles.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.

Services at the usual hour next Sunday morning.

Young People's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

Combined service at 10 a. m. Sermon subject, "Mysteries, Human and Divine."

Union evening service at the Baptist church.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Dunning Idle, Pastor.

Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.

Combination service at 10 a. m. Subject, "The Voice of the Sea."

Union service at the Baptist church at 7 p. m.

Prayer service at 7:15 p. m. Thursday.

BAPTIST.

Rev. F. L. Blanchard, Pastor.

Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Repentance."

Sunday school at 11 a. m.

Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "A Life With Christ."

Union service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Lovable, But Lacking."

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m.

Birthday Party.

Last Saturday the children of Mrs. R. P. Chase gave her a birthday party at her home on Orchard street at which a very enjoyable time was had both afternoon and evening.

About thirty guests from Detroit, Ann Arbor and Chelsea were present and an elegant dinner was served at six o'clock.

Princess Theatre.

The Princess theatre offers for tonight (Thursday) 15 views of the Johnson-Jeffries fight. These are handsomely colored slides and show the fighters in different stages during the battle. There is nothing about the views that can possibly offend any lady or child. In addition there will be 2000 feet of film and two illustrated songs. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Owing to a change in film companies the Princess theatre management promises an extra strong show for Saturday night. Its feature film will be one of the best the Bison company ever produced, called "A Family Fied" a story of the west. In addition there will be 2000 feet of selected film and two illustrated songs by Miss Florence Heschwerdt accompanied by Harold Pierce on the traps.

Public Auction of School Property.

The wooden buildings on the school grounds also some stoves and furnace will be offered for sale at public auction on Thursday, July 28th, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m. The right reserved to reject any or all bids. By order of building committee.

J. BACON, Secretary.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us during the death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Wessels.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

STOCKBRIDGE.

The huckleberry season is on, with prospects of a light crop.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Clark were Stockbridge visitors on Saturday last.

Many families are out camping at lake side resort these warm days.

E. L. Glenn has put up seventy loads of hay and started his wheat harvest Monday.

Mrs. John Webb is in Lansing caring for a black eyed grandson with whom she is in love.

S. A. Mapes and family came in their auto and spent a day with relatives here last week.

The Stockbridge ball club went to Williamston, Friday, and were beaten for the second time this season.

The colored man that was to lecture here on Sunday evening at the Baptist church failed to put in his appearance for some unknown reason.

Rev. Wright and wife, of Pennsylvania, are spending their vacation visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mapes and other relatives around here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mapes will go east where the old stock of Mapes's hold their reunion. The couple are nearing eighty but full of life and energy, as many much younger, and are much respected in this vicinity.

The railroad company are doing off a part of the freight warehouse for the accommodation of passengers until a passenger house can be built to supply the place of the one burned last week. All hope it will be a better one this time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Glenn of Bradenton, Florida, and Mrs. Wm. Wood of North Lake, brother and sister of W. H. Glenn, spent part of this week with the last named and wife in Stockbridge where they renewed many acquaintances of former years. They also spent Thursday with Mrs. Floyd Hinkley and Miss Miller here.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

John Weber is on the sick list.

B. C. Whitaker is very ill with appendicitis.

Miss Blanch Foor spent Sunday with her parents at Chelsea.

Mrs. A. L. Holden, sr., is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Earl and Glenn Bertke were Freedom visitors Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Waltrous and Mrs. Anna Fletcher spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Zahn and daughter Bertha, of Freedom, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Gottlieb Heller.

Geo. and Ben Uphous, of Sharon, were recent guests of Arthur Widmayer and wife.

Mrs. D. J. Guerin, of Detroit, is spending a few days with A. L. Holden and wife.

Miss Anna Bertke, of Freedom, was the guest of her cousin Miss Madeline Bertke last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burch and daughter spent Sunday with H. Phelps and family.

Miss Mana and Walter Frey spent Saturday and Sunday with L. C. Hayes and Mrs. F. G. Widmayer and families.

John Monks and Miss Lizzie Heschwerdt spent Sunday in Mt. Clemens, the guests of the former's sister Miss Martha Monks.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Mrs. Moore spent a few days of the past week in Jackson.

H. J. Musbach and wife were guests of the latter's parents Sunday.

Quarterly service will be held in the German M. E. church Sunday.

A. Ament and family, of Ypsilanti, were guests of H. J. Lehmann and family Sunday.

The next meeting of the Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be August 2 with H. Harvey and wife.

Mrs. Hawkins, of Michigan Center, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Fauser here.

Fred Mensing and family and H. Gieske and wife took an auto ride to Manchester Sunday and visited relatives.

Wm. Runciman and wife, of Stockbridge, and Geo. Runciman and wife, of Chelsea, were guests at the home of Jas. Richards Monday.

A Wretched Mistake.

To endure the itching, painful distress of piles, There's no need to. Listen: "I suffered much from piles," writes Will A. Marsh, of Siler City, N. C., "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured."

Burns, boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema, cuts, chapped hands, chilblains, vanish before it. 25c at L. T. Freeman Co., H. H. Fenn Co. and L. P. Vogel.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Miss Edna Barber spent the past week in Howell.

Huckleberries are scarce in this part of the country.

Miss Helen Hubbard is visiting relatives in Jackson.

Delivan Finch, of White Oak, spent Sunday with his sister.

Miss Vivian Gorton is visiting in Howell for a few weeks.

Rev. Seymour, the pastor of the U. B. church is severely ill.

Chas. Runciman, of Stockbridge, will spend the week here on business.

J. L. Hubbard entertained the Swastika Club Sunday, it being his birthday.

Everett Rowe, of Grass Lake, is spending a few days with Russell Hubbard.

Miss Garnet Pierce, of Chelsea, spent the last of the week with Miss Isabella Gorton.

Mrs. Edward Purchase, of Denver, spent the past week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. L. Gorton.

F. R. Synder and Geo. Archenbronn had the misfortune to have their horses die Saturday.

Norman Smith, of Detroit, who has been visiting at the home of D. N. Collins, returned home Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Howlett, of Albion, is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howlett.

The Vicary's had a family reunion Sunday as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vicary, who will soon make their home in Duluth, Minn.

The Y. P. C. U. of the U. B. church will give an ice cream social at the home of Orville Gorton on Friday evening, July 29. Everyone is invited to come and have a good time.

SHARON NEWS.

Elmer and Ira Lehman spent Sunday in Saline.

Miss Esther Troitz visited at Grass Lake last week.

H. P. O'Neill made his usual trip to Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Miss Florence Reno has been visiting at Clinton for a few days.

Misses Mabel Riggs and Mabel Lemm spent Thursday in Jackson.

Miss Harriet Erwin, of Grass Lake, is spending some time at the home of J. E. Erwin.

Mrs. Wm. Parker, of Riverside, California, is the guest of Mrs. May Serviss this week.

Adam Oberschmidt visited his brother-in-law Henry Rushton, Sunday, who is quite ill.

The Chelsea Markets.

The Chelsea buyers quoted the following prices today:

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| Wheat, red..... | 1 02 |
| Wheat, white..... | 1 02 |
| Oats..... | 43 |
| Steers, heavy..... | 5 00 to 5 50 |
| Stockers..... | 4 00 |
| Cows..... | 4 50 to 5 00 |
| Veal calves..... | 7 00 to 7 50 |
| Hogs..... | 8 50 |
| Sheep..... | 4 50 to 5 00 |
| Fowls..... | 12 |
| Chickens, spring..... | 18 |
| Butter..... | 20 |
| Eggs..... | 17 |
| Beans, per bushel..... | 1 50 |

Buy a bottle of Miller's Corn Remover of your druggist today. Price 15 cents.

BANDMASTER STARES.

Leading the 91st Highlanders' band, which plays at the State Fair this year, Sept. 19-24th.



The Annual July Clean-Up OF ALL Summer Stocks

This Week's Program Comprises a New Series of Offerings in Addition to Those Offered Last Week

Dry Goods Department

We have selected a lot of nice new Ginghams, in light colors for summer use, and placed them on sale to clean up this stock.

About 25 pieces of Domestic and Scotch Imported 25c Ginghams, others that were 19c, all new styles, now, choice **15c**
Another lot selected at random, were 15c, 17c and 19c, now, choice **12 1-2c**
Good Apron Ginghams, how **7c**
Big lot of light and dark Prints and Lawns, now **5c**
We are showing a big lot of new thin Wash Goods in Batistes, Lawns, Organ-dies and Dimities, were 19c, 25c and 35c, all reduced to **12 1-2c, 15c, 19c**

At 39c we are showing some newest shades and designs of 50c Wash Goods and Silks.

Corsets 1-3 to 1-2 Off

We are closing out one of the best brands of Corsets made in America at from 1-3 to 1-2 off regular price. All styles and prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00.

A few colored Wash Petticoats at cost and less than cost.

One lot of 5c Torchon Lace and one lot of 7c Val. Lace, well worth double these prices.

Children's Straw and Muslin Bonnets at 1-3 to 1-2 off regular prices.

There are about three dozen fancy Kimonos that must be cleaned out at once. They are made of Lawns, Krinkles and Fancy Materials, and will be sold at about 1-4 off.

Shoe Department

Women's, Misses', Children's, Men's and Boy's Oxfords must be cleaned up or carried over. We never carry over goods at all if reduced prices will clean up stock.

Broken Lines of Men's Trousers

Several hundred pairs piled on a counter in the clothing store, where you can look them over. Trousers in the lot worth as high as \$5.00, all to be sold

At 98c and \$1.98 per pair.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL EXCURSION Sunday, July 24, 1910 (Returning same day)

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| Jackson..... | 35c |
| Battle Creek..... | \$1.05 |
| Kalamazoo..... | \$1.35 |
| Grand Rapids..... | \$1.75 |
| Train leaves at 8:40 a. m. | |
| Ann Arbor..... | 30c |
| Detroit..... | 85c |
| Special train leaves 9:40 a. m. | |

In addition to the above fares, tickets will also be sold between all stations (where the one-way fare is \$3.00 or less) at which this train is scheduled to stop, at one and one-half fare for the round trip, with minimum of twenty-five cents.

FOR PARTICULARS
Consult Ticket Agent

\$16.25

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Atlantic City

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Tickets at low round trip fares on sale August 10th. Good returning to reach original starting point not later than August 20, 1910. 51

For particulars consult agents

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Announcement.

Dr. Byron Defendorf wishes to announce to the citizens of Chelsea and surrounding territory, that he will be located in Chelsea after July 25, 1910, as a physician and oculician, but making a specialty of chronic diseases and the diseases of children.

Offices at his residence in the Hindelang homestead corner of east Middle and East streets, one block from Main street. 50

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WE WILL PAY

The Highest Market Price
For Your New Grain.

Don't forget to let us figure on your Lumber Bills

WE ARE SELLING:

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| Bran, per hundred. | \$1.40 |
| Middlings, per hundred. | 1.50 |
| Corn and Oats, ground, per hundred. | 1.50 |
| Oats, per bushel. | .45 |
| Shelled Corn, per bushel. | .75 |

Bring us your Berries. Use Pennant Flour

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Geo. W. Millsbaugh was in Jackson Monday on business.

Dr. R. S. Armstrong is having his residence on South street repainted.

Wm. I. Wood purchased a four passenger Winton automobile Tuesday.

Mrs. Rose Lyons is having the material delivered for an addition to her residence.

Dr. John R. Ricker, of Detroit, is having a summer home built on his farm in Dexter township.

Henry Gorton is having a bathroom fitted up in his residence on the corner of Summit and East streets.

It is reported that Charles Honick, of Lima, while at work on his farm last Saturday, was overcome with the heat.

Ed. Riemenschneider has started the huckleberry wagon of the Chelsea Elevator Co. on the road for the berry season.

Frank E. Storms was in Detroit, Monday and Tuesday attending the annual convention of the Lumbermen's Association.

Ed. Vogel is having an addition built for a bathroom, and otherwise improving his residence property on west Middle street.

James Monroe while at play with some companions Wednesday afternoon stepped on a rusty nail lacerating one of his feet quite badly.

There will be a regular meeting of the Chelsea fire department on Thursday evening of this week. Every member of the department is requested to be present.

If any of our citizens contemplate running stands on the streets homecoming day, they should file applications with the committee in charge at once, in order to secure the most favorable locations.

Thomas Wilkinson has purchased one wing of the old fair grounds building of the Grant & Wood Mfg. Co. Mr. Wilkinson is moving the building to his Wilkinson street property and will use it for a hay barn.

Hon. Charles S. Winans, United States Consul at Seville, Spain, arrived in Jackson where his family resides Tuesday. Mr. Winans is a son of Mrs. Mary Winans of this place. He will return to his post about September 1.

Westerland & Geddes have perfected arrangements to open a moving picture show at Millington. Warren Geddes will spend the last of this week at Millington assisting Mr. Westerland with the work of starting up the business.

B. B. Turnbull and Rolland Schenk made the record catch of fish for the season last Friday morning. In three hours, from 7:30 to 10:30, they landed fourteen pickerel and three black bass, the largest one of which weighed eleven pounds.

Jackson voters will use the Australian ballot system in the next election instead of the machines now in use. The decision was reached by the majority of the council men after a lengthy meeting Monday evening the vote standing 9 to 7.

Paul & Vail have dissolved co-partnership. Thos. Vail having purchased Mr. Paul's interest in the threshing outfit will continue the business formerly conducted by them. Charles E. Paul will also operate the outfit owned by him individually as in the past.

The state dairy and food commissioners department has been investigating a number of ice cream manufacturing firms with the result that a large number have been found who are not complying with the law, but are using a poor quality of the ingredients which go into this frozen confection.

Wenk Bros., of Freedom, on Monday received a new Red River Special windstacker separator from Battle Creek, and a large Reeves traction engine from Columbus, Ohio, which they will use in their threshing business the coming season. They shipped their old traction engine to the factory. This will make three outfits that the firm will operate this season.

Rev. William Courtney, acting pastor of St. Joseph's church, of Dexter, during the absence of Rev. John P. Ryan in California, will be the guest of Rev. Father Considine at St. Mary's Rectory next Saturday and Sunday. On Sunday morning at 10 a. m., Rev. Father Courtney will celebrate mass and preach. Father Courtney is a native of Dexter and was recently ordained. He is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McQuillan, of Chelsea.

Born, Sunday, July 17, 1910, to Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Grant, a son.

While in bathing Tuesday Hazen Leach ran a nail into his right knee.

Some of the Chelsea fishermen are catching fine strings of fish the present week.

Chas. H. Kempf is having the front of his store building, occupied by John Farrell & Co., repainted.

Mrs. Fred Roedel is having a bathroom built and otherwise improving her residence on Harrison street.

The village council has instructed the Marshal to stop the riding of bicycles and carts on all sidewalks.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will give a ten cent supper at the church Wednesday, July 27th.

The manager of the Cardinals is making arrangements for a first-class game of baseball on Wednesday, August 10th.

H. S. Holmes returned to his Chelsea home the first of the week from an extended trip in the Canadian northwest.

Miss Anna Kaercher, of Ann Arbor, underwent an operation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Kaercher, of Lima Center, Tuesday.

The saloonkeepers will have three successive holidays in September. The days will be the 4, 5 and 6, being Sunday, Monday, Labor Day, Tuesday, primary election.

The committee in charge of the homecoming celebration, which will be held on Wednesday, August 10th, will announce the program for the events the coming week.

The first grain threshing of the season is reported to have been on the farm of Rev. A. B. Storms, of Lima, on Tuesday of this week. The crop being a field of barley.

The Michigan State Telephone Co. are making arrangements to move the poles from that part of North street, which has been vacated for the new factory building of the Grant & Wood Mfg. Co.

Miss Mabel Raftrey has accepted a position as chief operator in the local exchange of the Michigan State Telephone Co. Miss Genevieve Wilson has also accepted a position in the office as an operator.

LaRue Shaver, who has been ill in Detroit for a few weeks past, returned to the home of his father, M. A. Shaver, last Saturday. He is somewhat improved, but it will be a few weeks before he will be able to return to his work in Detroit.

Word was received here Wednesday evening announcing the sudden death of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of Flint. The remains will be brought here for burial today. Mrs. Miller is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Atkinson.

Secretary J. E. Hannon, of the Michigan State Agricultural Society, has issued the 1910 premium list, which is larger than ever and very complete. Copies of this publication can be had by writing to Secretary J. E. Hannon, 501 Bowles Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

According to the figures of the International Prison congress there are 2,910 inmates in Michigan's penal institutions, divided as follows: Jackson prison, 724; Ionia, 531; Marquette, 200; Detroit house of correction, 308; industrial school at Lansing, 500; state school for girls, Adrian, 486.

According to the mortality report issued by the secretary of state, 2,997 death occurred in Michigan during the month of June. Tuberculosis claimed 205 victims; cancer, 163, and 243 of the reported deaths were due to "violence." This large number is due to an unusual number of drowning accidents. One death was reported from pellagra.

Mrs. Margaret Wessels, of Lyndon, died at her home in that township Tuesday, July 12, 1910, aged 73 years, 11 months and 7 days. The deceased was a pioneer resident of Lyndon, having lived there all her married life. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. E. Jane Cooper and one grandson, Ed. Cooper. The funeral was held Thursday, July 14, 1910.

Referring to a speech of the Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer at a banquet of the Michigan Society in New York City, is the following from the souvenir of said occasion: "The speeches were all of highest grade, but, without decrying any, the event of the evening was the stirring address of Mr. Wedemeyer. It is here reproduced, but a pity 'tis his fine presence, his masterful delivery, and his searching enthusiasm cannot be put into print. The metropolitan press was a unit in praise of the man and his message, and the audience gave Mr. Wedemeyer an ovation."

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PATIENT ELEPHANT



KILLED AT KALAWENA

IR. E. RAY LANKESTER, the well-known English naturalist, speaking of elephants in a recent article in the London Daily Telegraph, says:

In the novel by that clever but contradictory writer, Sam Butler, entitled "The Way of the Flesh," an amiable and philosophically minded old gentleman who pervades the story, states that when one feels worried or depressed by the incidents of one's daily life, great comfort may be derived from an hour spent at the zoological gardens in company with the larger mammalia. He ascribes to them a remarkable soothing influence, and I am inclined to agree with him. I am not prepared to decide whether the effect is due to the example of patience under adversity offered by these animals, or whether it is perhaps their tranquil indifference to everything but food, coupled with their magnificent success in attaining to such dignity of size, which imposes upon me and fills me for a brief space with resignation and a childlike acquiescence in things as they are. The elephant stands first as a soothing influence, and then the giraffe, the latter having special powers, due to its beautiful eyes and agreeable perfume. Sometimes the hippopotamus may diffuse a charm of his own, an aura of rotund obesity, especially when he is bathing or sleeping; but there are moments when one has to flee from his presence. I never could get on very well with rhinoceroses, but the large deer, bison and wild cattle have the quality detected by Mr. Butler. So has the gorgeous, well-grown tiger, in full measure, when he purrs in answer to one's voice, but the lion is pompous, irritable and easily upset. He never purrs. He is unpleasantly and obnoxiously spotted. He seems to be afraid of losing his dignity and to be conscious of the fact that his reputation depends on the overpowering wig which he now wears, though his Macedonia forerunner had no such growth to give an illusive appearance of size and capacity to his head. However opinions may differ about these things, all will agree that the elephant (or 'oliphant,' as he was called in France 400 years ago) is the most imposing, fascinating and astonishing of all animals.

At the present day there are two species only of elephant existing on the earth's surface. There are the Indian (called *Elephas indicus*, but sometimes called *Elephas maximus* on account of the priority which belongs to that designation, although the Indian elephant is smaller than the other) and the African (called *Elephas africanus*). In the wild state their area of occupation has become greatly diminished within historic times. The Indian elephant was hunted in Mesopotamia in the twelfth century, B. C., and Egyptian drawings of this species brought as tribute by Syrian vassals. Today the Indian elephant is confined to certain forests of Hindoostan, Ceylon, Burma and Siam. The African elephant extended 100 years ago all over South Africa, and in the days of the Carthaginians was found near the Mediterranean shore, whilst in prehistoric (late pleistocene) times it existed in the south of Spain and in Sicily. Now it is confined to the more central and equatorial zone of Africa, and is yearly receding before the incursions and destructive attacks of civilized man.

At no great distance of time before the historic period, earlier, indeed, than the time of the herdsmen who used polished stone implements and raised great stone circles, namely, in the late pleistocene period, we find that there existed all over Europe and North Asia and the northern part of America another elephant very closely allied to the Indian elephant, but having a bow-like outward curvature of the tusks, their tusks finally directed towards one another, and a thick growth of coarse hair all over the body. This is "the mammoth," the remains of which are found in every river valley in England, France and Germany, and of which whole carcasses are frequently discovered in northern Siberia, preserved from decay in the frozen river gravels and silt. The ancient cavemen of France used the fresh tusks of the mammoth killed on the spot for their carving and engraving, and from their time to this day ivory of the mammoth has been and remains in constant use. It is estimated that during the last two centuries at least a hundred pairs of

mammoths' tusks have been each year exported from the frozen lands of Siberia. In early medieval times the trade existed, and some ivory carvings and drinking horns of that age appear to be fashioned from this more ancient ivory. Already, then, within the human period we find elephants closely similar to those of our own time, far more numerous and widely distributed than in our own day, and happily established all over the temperate regions of the earth—even in our Thames valley and in the forests where London now spreads its smoky brickwork. When we go further back in time—as the digging and surveying of modern man enable us to do—we find other elephants of many different species, some differing greatly from the three species I have mentioned, and leading us back by gradual steps to a comparatively small animal, about the size of a donkey, without the wonderful tusk or the immense tusks of the later elephants. By the discovery and study of these earlier forms we have within the last ten years arrived at a knowledge of the steps by which the elephant acquired in the course of long ages (millions of years) his "proboscis" (as the Greeks first called it), and I will later sketch that history.

But now let us first of all note some of the peculiarities of living elephants and the points by which the two kinds differ from another. The most striking fact about the elephant is its enormous size, it is only exceeded among living animals by whales; it is far larger than the biggest bull, or rhinoceros, or hippopotamus. A fair-sized Indian elephant weighs two or three tons (Jumbo weighed five), and requires as food 60 pounds of oats, 1½ truss of hay, 1½ truss corn a day, costing together about five shillings; whereas a large cart horse weighs 15 hundred weight, and requires weekly three trusses of hay and 80 pounds of oats, costing together 12 shillings, or about 18 shillings a day. It is this which has made the elephant since man took charge of the world. The elephant requires so much food and takes so many years in growing up (20 or more before he is old enough to be put to work) that it is only in countries where there is a superabundance of forest in which he can be allowed to grow to maturity at his own "charges" (so to speak) that it is worth while to attempt to domesticate and make use of him. For most purposes three horses are more "handy" than one elephant. The elephant is caught when he is already grown up, and then trained. It is as a matter of economy that he is not bred in confinement, and not because there is any insuperable difficulty in the matter. Occasionally elephants have been bred in menageries.

POWER FROM STEAM TURBINE

Large Machine Will Increase Power at St. Denis Station 20,000 Horsepower.

A Paris electric company has just ordered for the power station at St. Denis, which supplies power for the Metropolitan railway and for the lighting of a part of the city, a turbine generator capable of yielding 20,000 horsepower. It will be of the mixed Brown Boveri-Parsons type. The steam will first impinge directly on a disc with one or more rows of blades, and then its energy will be exhausted by a series of Parsons reaction discs. This arrangement permits a considerable reduction in length as compared with turbines of the pure Parsons type, and in the present case has the advantage of enabling the new generating set to be erected in a space that has been reserved for a set of 8,000-10,000 horsepower, similar to those already installed. The turbine will be coupled to a three-phase generator yielding current at 10,250 volts and 29 periods at a speed of 750 r. p. m. With the addition of this machine the power available at the Saint Denis station will be increased from 77,000 to 97,000 horsepower.

Advice Wasted.

"Be saving of your time and energy," said the factory engineer to his assistant. "How can I be saving of either, when so much of both time and energy goes to waste?" grumbled the latter, as he picked up some of the machinery

Hints For Hostess



TIMELY SUGGESTIONS
for Those Planning Seasonable Entertainments

Picnics.
What does that name recall to your mind? Visions of spiders, ants, toads and other horrid insects not invited? Piles of cake, with only enough bread to go around once—the salt forgotten—so the hard boiled eggs were a "drug in the market." The coffee bottle leaked—so half the quantity was wasted and you went home hungry declaring it was the last picnic you would ever go to.

Well—picnics can be made most delightful. First of all the party must be thoroughly congenial, all well acquainted, even one stranger is apt to make things somewhat formal, but of course this all will depend on the person. Ten or twelve is a good number. The place to go to must not be too far away and if possible should be near water—only a small stream. The girls should meet and decide upon the lunch—each one knowing definitely what they are to furnish. One will bring the sandwiches, another the cake, pickles, olives, cheese, crackers and jelly, with sugar for coffee and salt being divided between two more. Potatoes to roast and butter falling to another. Corn if in season makes an agreeable addition.

To one may fall the responsibility of seeing that the dishes, coffee pot and table linen are provided. All these little items are carefully talked over. Paper napkins can be used and plates for each one cut out of white stiff paper, with quotations written around. If liked, smaller plates can be made for butter. Small pieces of soft paper should also be provided with which to hold the potato, for they are to be roasted. To the girl who furnishes the sandwiches I will tell her just how. Get a can of corn beef, remove any gristle, chop very fine, then make a dressing, like for cabbage salad. One egg, lump of butter, salt, pepper and mustard, with one cup of vinegar, diluted with water if too strong, is a good rule, boil until it thickens, being careful not to let it curdle; pour this over the meat and mix thoroughly with a spoon.

The bread must not be too fresh, but not dry. Cut in thin slices, spread with butter, then the meat. Cut off the crust or not, as you like. To look pretty, these sandwiches can be tied with ribbons in piles of a dozen, packed in a covered paste board box which can be thrown away, saving one basket to carry home. The hard boiled eggs can be left in the shell and each one ornamented with a quotation, or taken out of the shell and wrapped in tissue paper. Cabbage or salmon salad or any kind that is liked can be made and carried in a glass jar. The small dainty pieces of celery are nice if the distance is not far so they will keep fresh, but if the pieces are wrapped in wet paper, then a napkin or a towel put around them they will be found very nice and crisp. Lettuce sandwiches are appetizing if made properly. Use only the small tender leaves, place with a dash or salad dressing between two thin slices of bread.

The can opener and an olive fork must not be forgotten, although a hat pin has been made to serve very well for the latter. Some like radishes,

and even onions are not disdained. Supposing the boys furnish the conveyance and driver. Each one must be ready when the wagonette arrives. The baskets are snugly stored away and the merry party start. After arriving the fire should be built and when it is one mass of red coals, take the potatoes, put each one deep down under and each ear of corn unhusked. It will take about forty minutes to cook these properly. Meanwhile the table is prepared and when all is ready, not one thing is found missing. People never know what there is in a potato till they have eaten one roasted, with salt and butter.

After the baskets have all been repacked with the little that is left, dishes, spoons and jars returned to their proper owners, comes the camp fire, around which they all gather, songs and stories told, till the stars and moon illumine the sky and all are reminded that picnics must end. To start at three or four in the afternoon gives ample time, providing the distance is not great, which should not be the case. Generally the mistake is made of going too far and staying too long and having a large party. Fruits, such as bananas, cherries, plums and apples make a welcome addition.

A Conundrum Tea.

Of all the novel and interesting ways of entertaining one's guests I think the Conundrum Tea party took the best, for one given recently was the talk of the town, for several days after its occurrence.

The guests were 26 in number, filling two tables and as two sisters were the hostesses, one presided at each table. Everything in the way of china and floral decorations were simply perfect. At each place was found a card with the name of the person who was to occupy the chair, but besides the name, there was a conundrum. Each guest had the privilege of guessing her own first and if she failed it was passed on to the next person.

The one who guessed the largest number of conundrums received the first prize and the one who answered the least received the "consolation" prize. There were prizes provided for each table. I can assure you there was no lack of conversation. After tea, the prizes were distributed, games were played and from the lateness of the hour when the guests departed I am sure every one had a delightful time.

MADAME MERRI.



Butterfly motifs are extensively used. Wide stitching is again in vogue for girls.

There has been a revival of silver filigree.

Some of the chiffon veils are hemstitched on all four sides.

Parasols and stockings match the gown, whether the shoes do or not.

White wash ribbons are fast replacing the colored ones for lingerie.

Some Girls' Dresses



The first is a simple sailor dress suitable for either linen or serge, the plain skirt is turned up with a deep hem; the blouse is slipped over the head, therefore no fastening is necessary; white drill or linen collar and cuffs are worn. Materials required: 4 yards 44 inches wide.

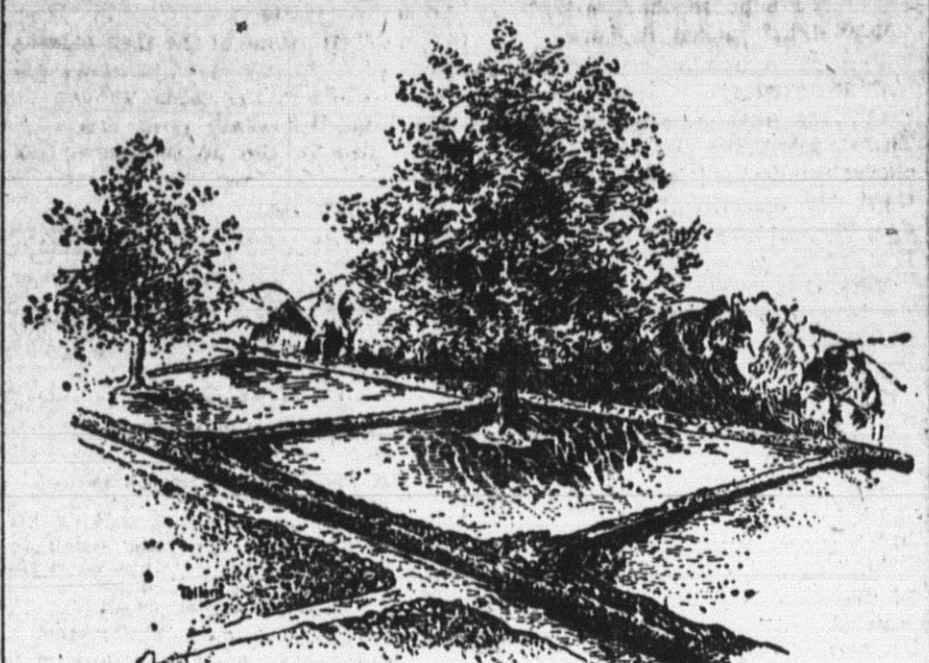
In the second we show a useful gymnasium dress; the tunic is drawn in at the waist by a belt, and is trimmed with braid at the lower edge, so also

are the collar and cuffs; these are of white cloth. About 2 inches of the knickers show below the skirt. Materials required: 5 yards 46 inches wide, 1 dozen yards braid.

The third would also be a good style for gymnasium; it has two wide box-pleats down back and front, and is slightly drawn in at the waist by a band, which is crossed in front. Materials required: 5 yards 46 inches wide.

ECONOMICAL FORMS OF IRRIGATING DRY ORCHARDS

Agricultural Wealth of Western Arid Regions Discovered by Poor Men Who Were Compelled to Make Lands Productive.



Basin Method of Irrigating.

(By SAMUEL FORTIER.)

The agricultural wealth of that vast region lying west of the Missouri river was first made known by men who were poor in worldly goods, but rich in those physical and mental endowments which go to make up the best type of citizenship. Their poverty, unfortunately compelled them to make use of the cheapest methods in rendering the arid lands productive. Water was led from the nearest stream in a few feet tried to spread it over the field by use of a shovel. The small and cheap equipment, consisting of a walking plow and shovel, has given place to a large number of implements, and the simple, laborious manner of applying water has been broadened out into more than a half dozen standard methods, yet in studying the latest improvements it is evident that many of them are mere makeshifts and that much remains to be done before the water of western streams is efficiently and economically applied to arid lands.

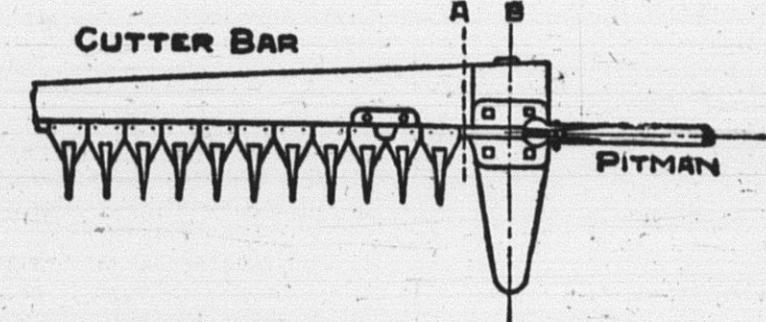
One of the popular forms of irrigating orchard trees in the arid regions is called the basin method, which is

In all essential features very much like the check method of irrigating a field of alfalfa. Orchards are prepared for irrigation by the basin method by forming ridges of the loose earth midway between the rows of trees in both directions. These ridges are made with ordinary walking plows by throwing up two furrows or else by a ridger. When the top soil is light and free from weeds only the ridger is required, but in more compact soils and on soils covered with weeds the surface should first be disked. This method is well adapted to the warmer portions of California, Texas, Arizona, and New Mexico, where the winter irrigation of orchards is becoming fixed practice. Water is then abundant and large quantities can be applied when the land is thus formed into small compartments.

Begin With Few Birds.

A beginner in the poultry business will find it more profitable to begin with a few good birds. He can then increase his fowls as he learns more about the care and management of fowls.

POINTS ABOUT CUTTER BAR



The cutter-bar sometimes gets out of line with the pitman, causing the machine to run hard. This may also result in breaking the sickle near the sickle-head at A as shown in the drawing. By the proper adjustment upon the line B, where the cutter-bar meets the pitman, and it should never be worked when out of true, writes A. P. Johnson in Farm, Stock and Home. The proper lineup is shown in the drawing.

If the guards become bent up or down the sickle cannot work smoothly upon the wearing surface of the guards, and the sections do not lie down upon the ledger plates. The guards, which are made of soft iron, should be hammered back into position. To do this best, use an ordinary hammer and raise the bar to road position, tapping lightly upon the point of the guard.

Sometimes the ledger plates become worn, and need replacing and often the clips above the sickle bind it more or less. This pressure may be removed by a leather washer or bushing.

Examine the bar to see that it is not bent. Often a slight bend in the bar is responsible for broken sickles and heavy draft without them being thought of. The blacksmith can straighten it for you, but the writer's experience with such work has not been wholly satisfactory. Unless the work has been carefully done the temper will be drawn from portions of the bar, and it will soon again get out of alignment. On the whole the cheaper way is to order a new bar.

The divider should be so adjusted that it will not catch on the ground when turning the corners or when backing to clear the bar of some obstruction; and the main-spring stiff enough so that it will help the foot to lift the bar, but not stiff enough to make it jump when running.

System in Strawberries.

Set a good solid stake, at the end of every row of strawberries, giving in plain letters the name of the kind in the row. But do not have the stakes so high that they will be knocked over by the whiffle-tree when you are cultivating.

TYPE BREEDING OF HORSES

Animals in Few Generations Become So Much Alike That Carloads Would Average About Same.

(By J. F. PAYNE, Colorado Agricultural College.)
During my 14 years' residence in eastern Colorado I have seen many horse ranches, and have usually found several types of stallions running on the same range or in the same pasture.

One ranchman of my acquaintance has Black Percheron, Coach and Clydesdale stallions. These stallions were all good of their kind, but they were used indiscriminately. The result was that after eight years of such breeding it was impossible to find a team of perfectly matched horses among a herd of 250 horses. Had matched stallions of either of the breeds been used, many matched teams could have been found, and the profits could have been materially increased.

Breeders of range cattle have found that they can sell their young steers with greater ease and profit if they have been bred to a type. Thus the XII. cattle were once so

uniform that one could cut 50 out of a trail herd and they would be practically like any other 50 in the herd. Those cattle were bred to a type so long that buyers could know what they were getting.

It should be the same with horses bred at old established horse ranches. If bred to a type for a few generations the horses would be so much alike that carloads would average about the same and matched teams would be common.

Scours in Calves.

Scours is a disease caused by indigestion and generally comes from feeding too much dry feed without change. Put the calf on a grain ration and feed a bran mash every day for a week. Turnips and other roots are also good in cases of this kind. For cattle a small dose of castor oil about two ounces, combined with an ounce of laudanum given in a little linseed gruel is a good remedy.

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Ducks never have cholera, roup or gapes. They lay more eggs which hatch better than hen's eggs. And they can be made to attain a weight of five pounds in ten weeks. But to secure the most profitable results one of the better breeds should be

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This is one of the first signs of stomach weakness. Distress after eating, sour eructations, sick headache, nervous conditions are all indications that it is the stomach that needs assistance. Help it to regain health and strength by taking

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for they are a stomach remedy that never disappoints. They act quickly and gently upon the digestive organs, sweeten the contents of the stomach, carry off the disturbing elements, and establish healthy conditions of the liver and bile.

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Is Buxes with full directions, etc., and etc.

H'E'D GET THE APPLE.



Eddie—Say, mom, give Jesse an apple. Mamma—Then you'll want one, too. Eddie—No. Just give it to Jesse. We are going to play Adam and Eve, and she is going to tempt me.

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For preserving the hands as soft as for preventing redness, roughness, and chapping, and imparting that velvety softness and whiteness much desired by women Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, is believed to be superior to all other skin agents. For those who work in corrosive liquids, or at occupations which tend to injure the hands, it is invaluable. Treatment—Bathe and soak the hands on retiring in a strong, hot, creamy lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry and anoint freely with Cuticura Ointment, and in severe cases spread the Cuticura Ointment on thin pieces of old linen or cotton. Wear during the night old, loose gloves, or a light bandage of old cotton or linen to protect the clothing from stain. For red, rough, and chapped hands, dry, fissured, itching, feverish palms, and shapeless nails with painful finger ends, this treatment is most effective. Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., sole proprietors, Boston, Mass.

His Claim to Prominence. At a social gathering a certain man, intent on knowing every one, was introduced to Senator Julius C. Burrows of Michigan.

"The name Burrows is very familiar to me," he said. "I am certain that you are a man of some prominence."

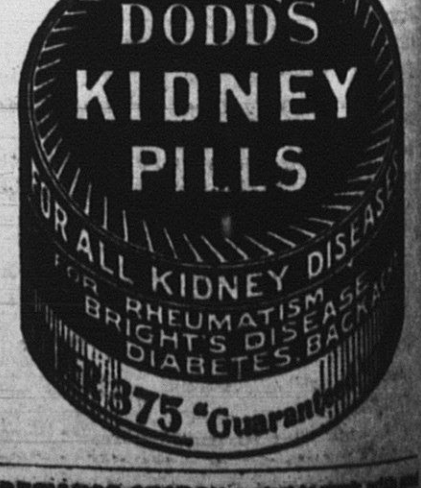
"Yes," replied Senator Burrows. "I am the man that 'died at first' just before Casey came to bat in that celebrated ball game in Mudville."—Success Magazine.

Otherwise Hopeless. "My daughter's voice is to be tried today." "Have you fixed the jury?"—Cleveland Leader.

Some women are beautiful when they are angry, but generally they are mean and ugly at such times.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See bottle.

And many a coming man neglects to arrive.



DEFIANCE STARCH

SERIAL
STORYTHE LITTLE
BROWN JUG
AT
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SYNOPSIS.

Thomas Ardmore and Henry Maine, governors of North and South Carolina, are in a tangle over one Appleweight, an outlaw with political influence. Grissold, an ally of Maine, is the cousin of Jerry Dangerfield, daughter of the governor of South Carolina, while Ardmore espouses the cause of Jerry Dangerfield, daughter of the governor of North Carolina. These two ladies are trying to fill the shoes of their fathers, while the latter are missing. Unaware of each other's position, both Grissold and Ardmore set out to make the other prosecute. Ardmore organizes a big hunt. Grissold's men capture Appleweight. Jerry Dangerfield discovers the captive and leads him to Ardmore, her own prisoner. Grissold and Barbara explore the scene of the disappearance and meet Ardmore and Jerry. Grissold refuses to recognize his friend.

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

Grissold's companion spoke to him earnestly in a low tone for a moment, and then Grissold addressed Ardmore indignantly.

"I don't know what you pretend to be, sir; but I may interest you to know that I am the governor of South Carolina!"

"And this gentleman," cried Jerry, pointing to Ardmore with his riding crop, "though his hair is mussed and his coat is a trifle untidy, is none other than the governor of North Carolina, and he is not only on his own property, but in the sovereign state of which he is the chief executive."

Prof. Grissold lifted his hat with the least flourish.

"I congratulate the state of North Carolina on having reposed authority in hands so capable. If this young lady is correct, sir, I will serve official notice on you that I have reason to believe that a person named Appleweight, a fugitive from justice, is hiding on your property and in your state, and I now formally demand that you surrender him forthwith."

"I may introduce myself," interposed Jerry. "I will say to you that my name is Geraldine Dangerfield, and that this Appleweight person is now at Mr. Ardmore's house."

"I suppose," replied Miss Osborne with gentle irony, "that he has the pink parlor and leads the conversation at table."

"You are quite mistaken," replied Ardmore; "but it would afford you satisfaction to see the outlaw you may look upon him in my wine cellar, where, only an hour ago, I left him sitting on a case of Chateau Bizet '82. My further intentions touching this scoundrelly South Carolinian I need not now disclose; but I give you warning that the Appleweight issue will soon and forever be terminated and in a manner that will greatly redound to the credit and the glory of the Old North State."

"I trust," said Grissold, "that the prisoner, whom we cannot for a moment concede to be the real Appleweight, will not be exposed to scarlet fever, pending a settlement of this matter. And now, I have the honor to bid you both good morning."

He and Barbara swung their horses round and retraced their way, leaving Ardmore and Jerry gazing after them.

When the shabby beasts from the stable at Turner Court House had borne Miss Osborne and Grissold out of sight beyond the bungalow, Ardmore turned blankly to Jerry.

"Have I gone blind or anything? Unless I'm crazy that was dear old Grissold, but who is that girl?"

"That is Miss Barbara Osborne, and I hope she has learned such a lesson that she will not be snippy to me any more, if she is the president general of the Daughters of the Seminole War."

"But where do you suppose she found Grissold?"

"I don't know, I'm sure; nor, Mr. Ardmore, do I care."

"He said he represented the state of South Carolina—do you suppose the governor has really employed him?"

"I do not," said Jerry emphatically; "for he appears intelligent, and intelligence is something that would never appeal to Gov. Osborne. It is quite possible," mused Jerry aloud, "that Miss Osborne's father has disappeared like mine, and she is running his office with Mr. Grissold's aid. If so, we shall probably have some fun before we get through with this."

"If that's true we shall have more than fun!" exclaimed Ardmore, thoroughly aroused. "You don't know Grissold. He's the smartest man alive, and if he's running this Appleweight case for Gov. Osborne, he'll keep us guessing."

"I wish you to remember, Mr. Ardmore, that you still have your opportunity, and that I expect you to carry this matter through to a safe conclusion."

tion and to the honor of the Old North State."

"I have no intention of falling, Miss Dangerfield; and with this they turned and rode slowly back toward the house."

Prof. Grissold and Miss Osborne were silent until the forest again shut them in.

Then, in a sequestered spot, Grissold suddenly threw up his head and laughed long and loud.

"Do you suppose they really have Appleweight?" asked Barbara.

"Not for a minute! They told us that story merely to annoy us when they found what we were looking for. That touch about the wine cellar is characteristically Ardmoreque. If they had Appleweight you may be sure they wouldn't keep him on the premises."

Whereupon they rode back to Turner Court House much faster than they had come.

CHAPTER XV.

The Prisoner in the Corn-Crib.

Jerry and Ardmore sat at a long table in the commodious Ardsley library, which was a modification of a Gothic chapel. A large accumulation of mail from the governor's office at Raleigh had been forwarded, and Jerry insisted that it must be opened and disposed of in some way. Gov. Dangerfield was, it appeared, a subscriber to a clipping bureau, and they had been examining critically a batch of cuttings relating to the New Orleans incident.

"It's a good thing we got hold of Collins," observed Ardmore, putting down a clipping from a New York paper in which the reports of Gov. Dangerfield's disappearance were announced and tersely dismissed; "for he knows how to write and he's done a splendid picture of your father on his throne attending to business; and his little stingers for Osborne are the work of a genius."

"There's a certain finish about Mr. Collins' lying that is refreshing," replied Jerry, "and I cannot help thinking that he has a brilliant future before him if he enters politics. Nothing pains me more than a careless, ill-considered, silly lie, which is the best that most people can do. But it would be very interesting to know whether Gov. Osborne has really discovered, or just how your friend the Virginia professor has seized the reins of state. Do you suppose he got a jug from somewhere, and met Miss Osborne and—"

"Do you think—do you think—she may have—er possibly—closed one eye in his direction?" asked Ardmore dubiously.

"Mr. Ardmore—and Jerry pointed at him with a bronze paper-cutter to make sure of his attention—"Mr. Ardmore, if you ever imply again by act, word or deed that I winked at you I shall never, never speak to you again. I should think that a man with a nice sister like Mrs. Atchison would have a better opinion of women than you seem to have. I never saw you until you came to my father's house to tell me about the jug—and you know I didn't. And as for that Barbara Os-

borne, while I don't doubt that even in South Carolina a Daughter of the Seminole War might wink at a gentleman in a moment of extreme provocation, I doubt if she did, for she lacks animation, and has no more soul than a gum overshoe."

The discussion ceased abruptly on the appearance of Big Paul, the forester.

"A body of South Carolina militia is marching across country from the south. One of my men heard of it down at Turner Court House last night and rode to where the troops were encamped. He learned that it was a practice march for the militia. There's several companies of infantry, so he reports, and a piece of artillery."

"Bully for old Grissold!" exclaimed Ardmore. "They're coming this way, are they, Paul?" And the three bent over the map.

"This is the place sir. They seem to be planning to get around Turner's without stirring up the town. But it would take a good deal to wake up Turner's," laughed the big German.

Jerry placed her finger on the state line.

"If they dare cross that—if they as much as dare!"

"If they dare we shall show them a few things. Take all the men you need, Paul, to watch their movements. That will do."

The forester lingered.

"You remember that we spoke the other day of the log house on Racoon creek, where the Appleweights had driven off our man?"

"Yes, Paul. It is where the state line crosses the heavy woods and the farthest outpost, so to speak, on my property. Also you said some of

these Appleweight fellows had been cutting off the timber down there, if I remember rightly."

"Yes, sir," replied the forester, twirling his cap awkwardly. "But some of the people on the estate have said—"

He broke off in an embarrassment so unlike him that Jerry and Ardmore looked at him curiously.

"Well, Paul, what's the matter? If the cabin has been burned down it's no serious matter."

"Why, sir; some of the men passing there at night say they see lights and hear sounds in the cabin, though no one from the estate goes there. A child died in the house last spring—and well, you know how some of these people are!"

"Cheer up, Paul. We have bigger business on hand than the chasing of ghosts just now. When we get through with these other things I'll go over there myself and take a look at the spook."

As Paul hurried away, Jerry seized a pen and wrote this message: Rutherford, Gillingswater, Adjutant-General, Camp Dangerfield, Abell, N. C.

Move all available troops by shortest route to Kildare at once, and report to me personally at Ardsley. Make no statements to newspapers.

DANGERFIELD, Governor.

"I guess that will bring him running," said Ardmore, calling a servant and ordering the message dispatched immediately.

Before luncheon a message was received from Gillingswater, to this effect:

Gov. William Dangerfield, Ardsley, N. C.

En route with our entire available force in the field. I am riding ahead with all speed, and will report at Ardsley at nine o'clock. Is full military dress de rigueur?

Gillingswater, Adjutant-General.

"Isn't that just like Rutherford! He's afraid he won't be dressy enough; but if he knew that the South Carolina troops might shoot holes in his uniform he wouldn't be due here for a couple of weeks, instead of at nine o'clock," and Jerry laughed merrily.

They debated more seriously this telegram from Collins at Raleigh sent the previous evening:

Can't maintain this bluff much longer. Even the friendly newspapers are growing suspicious. State credit jeopardized by disappearance of Treasurer Foster. Billings, of Bronx Loan and Trust, here in a great fury over bond matter. Do you know governor's whereabouts?

"Things are certainly growing more exciting," was Ardmore's comment. "I suppose even a gifted liar like Collins can't muzzle the press forever."

"You can't go on fooling all North Carolina all the time, either," said Jerry. "And I suppose when papa gets tired of being scared he will turn up in Raleigh and tell some plausible story about where he has been and what has happened. When it comes to being plausible no one can touch papa."

"Maybe he's dead," suggested Ardmore gloomily.

"That's a real inspiration on your part, Mr. Ardmore; and it's very sweet of you to mention it, but I have no idea that any harm has come to papa. It's too much trouble to get elected governor, without dying in office, and besides, papa is none too friendly with the lieutenant governor and would never think of allowing such a person to succeed him. But those bonds seem rather serious and I don't like the idea of your Mr. Billings making a fuss at Raleigh."

"That will be all right," remarked Ardmore, blotting the last of a number of telegrams which he had been writing, and pressing a button. "It's much more important for us to get Appleweight into a South Carolina jail; and it's not going to be so easy to do, now that Grissold is working on the other side, and angry at me about that scarlet fever telegram."

"There may be trouble," said Ardmore to his guests as they sat at luncheon. "But I should hate to have it said that my guests could not be taken care of here perfectly. I beg that you will all remain."

The luncheon was interrupted by the arrival of a summons for Ardmore, who hurriedly left the table.

Big Paul awaited him below, mounted and holding a led-horse.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

King Granary.

The Crimea and the whole Black sea region, owing to the sparse population to consume it, had a great surplus of wheat. For centuries it was coveted by all hungry nations—and exploited by the one with the strongest armies. For centuries after Athens had feasted upon the grain-raising lands beyond the Bosphorus, Mithridates, as a preparation for his life and death contest with Rome, fell upon the corn fields of the Crimea. Because Sicily was yellow with wheat from earliest memory, through ages and ages she was raided by all the powers of the world. It was because of Egypt's corn, more plentiful than anywhere else along the Mediterranean, that Caesar and Pompey wanted the land of the Ptolemies. It was when Rome held or controlled the granaries—her first and dearest conquests—of Sicily, Sardinia, Spain and Egypt that she could become mistress of the world.

Not Proper Comparison.

The old dorky had driven his fare to the hotel and was now demanding a dollar for his service. "What!" protested the passenger, "a dollar for that distance? Why, it isn't half a mile as the crow flies." "Dat's true boss," returned Sambo, with an appealing smile, "but 'y see, sah, dat old crow he ain't got f'ree wive's an' ten chilluns to support not to mention de keep fob de boss."

Happiness.

Happiness means to be with nature to see it, to commune with it.—Tolstoy.

The KITCHEN
CABINET

THROUGH ENVY, through malice, through hating, Against the world, early and late,

No jot of our courage abating, Our part is to work and to wait.—Alice Cary.

Early Rising.

The early risers are the ones who accomplish things in the world. To be up in the quiet, two hours before the stir and bustle of the day, gives one time to get well started for the day's work. For those who love nature, this season of the year is the time of all to get out and enjoy the trees and hills if one has them, or the sunrise and clouds, for those are the possession of us all.

We cannot all be as ambitious as the early rising Bridget who was up so early that she had all the work done and the beds made before the family were up; but with even a few minutes a day in the quiet of the uninterrupted morning when one's mind is fresh and rested from sleep problems are easier to work out.

It is said of Victor Hugo that his greatest novels were written in just a few minutes each day before breakfast.

It is amazing the amount of work that may be accomplished in a few moments of concentrated thought. If we wish to do anything very much we will find time to do it. The piece of sewing, the letters that should be written and many things about the house can be done without disturbing the other members who have not yet risen.

There are many things about cooking and baking that take much time that may be prepared before hand. Pastry is much better to be made and chilled before baking. One may prepare the flour, butter and lard with the salt, put into the ice chest and take enough for a crust, adding the water; this will keep indefinitely if kept cold.

Such step savers take time to get ready, but save time when it is often very pressing. Fruit may be prepared for the day, vegetables got ready, the cold dessert made and many things which may lighten the day's labor and thus make a smooth running, unhurried home.

Put in the hook, sew on that button, hem that frayed skirt before putting the clothes away, then they will be ready to put on. One is apt to put a garment away without attending to the bit of mending and forget it until it is wanted to wear. Constant vigilance is the price of being always neat and in order, but it is a price worth paying.

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Charcoal is recommended as an absorber of gases in the milk room or refrigerator. Keep it there continually in a powdered state, renewing occasionally, especially in hot weather when unwholesome odors are likely to affect milk and butter.

Clear boiling water poured through tea stains will remove them.

Some Uses for Salt.

Salt water is a splendid gargle for sore throat. Salt water snuffed into the nose is a great relief for cold, catarrh and often for a headache.

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If the chimney is burning out on a windy day throw in a handful of salt. Salt sprinkled on carpets brightens them and keep down the dust when sweeping.

Nellie Maxwell.

Hominy Muffins.

Mix a cupful of warm boiled hominy cooked to the proper consistency for the breakfast table with one tablespoonful of melted butter, a saltspoonful of salt and one cupful of milk. Add this mixture gradually to a cupful and a half of flour in which has been sifted two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Lastly add two well-beaten eggs and bake in hot buttered muffin pans.

To Remove Stains.

For certain kinds of obstinate spots, such as coffee and chocolate, for instance, there is no better detergent than glycerin, especially for fabrics with delicate colors. Apply the glycerin to the spot with a sponge or otherwise, let stand a minute or so, then wash off with water or alcohol. Hot glycerin is even more effective than cold.



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BREVITIES

ANN ARBOR—The census bureau gives Ann Arbor a population of 14,817, a gain of only 308 in ten years.

BROOKLYN—At the annual school meeting \$250 was appropriated for the purpose of purchasing an athletic field.

SOUTH LYON—The affairs of the South Lyon creamery have been closed up and the receiver discharged. The creditors realized about 48 cents on the dollar.

MILAN—During a heavy thunder storm, a Bohemian woman who was working in the fields near here, was struck by lightning and killed. Her name has not been learned.

LANSING—Distrustful of banks, Fred Paul buried nearly \$1,000 in the garden. Playing children unearthed it and he will probably find a more secure place to plant it in the future.

PINKNEY—The mill property owned by F. M. Peters, has been sold to H. P. Hoyt of Tecumseh, who will take possession soon. The mill will probably be run by Mr. Hoyt and a brother, who are both millers.

HILLSDALE—Wednesday, August 17, is the day chosen for the second annual business men's picnic and it will be held at Baw Beese park, the same as last year. There will also be auto and launch rides, a program and band music, following the custom inaugurated last year.—Standard Herald.

YPSILANTI—There are over 100 Washtenaw county teachers attending the State Normal college at Ypsilanti. Some of them are working for credits to apply on a life or a limited certificate. Others are reviewing the common branches and preparing for the teachers' examination in August.

YPSILANTI—William Rowe, the Ypsilanti farmer arrested about 10 days ago on a charge of stealing grain, pleaded guilty before Justice Stadtmiller in Ypsilanti Monday. The justice promptly soaked him with a 60-day sentence to the Detroit house of correction and Mr. Rowe repented of his frankness. He has appealed to the circuit court.

MILAN—There is an event, welcomed by all, that is coming Wednesday and Thursday nights, July 27 and 28. On those two nights the young people of the Presbyterian church will hold their first carnival. Many attractions have been planned to amuse all who will be there. Special music as well as appropriate decorations and lighting have been planned.—Leader.

ANN ARBOR—William Bucholz, who has been subject to fainting spells in hot weather since he was overcome by the heat five years ago, during a fainting fit on his farm Saturday in his crazed thirst drank a solution of paris green which he was using to spray potato plants. The mixture revived him sufficiently so that he could crawl to the house and tell what he had done. He was removed to the University hospital, where he died Sunday night.

BRIGHTON—The electric road is now practically an assured thing. The promoters announce that the route is decided upon. It will come out Warren avenue from Detroit, taking in Plymouth, Northville and South Lyon, thence on to Lansing via Brighton and Howell. The financial part has been taken care of and the work of construction will begin this fall. That being so, we will doubtless be able to ride on the electric by a year from this coming autumn at least.—Argus.

GRASS LAKE—John W. Knight, a representative citizen of East Jackson county and a man of wealth, was stricken with apoplexy early Tuesday forenoon while out riding in his automobile. Warned by the approach of the attack he stopped his vehicle, while he himself was driving, and the next instant sank over upon his wife at his side and passed into a condition of insensibility. He was brought back to his home in this village where he was attended by Dr. Lyon. Toward the close of the afternoon he had regained sufficient consciousness to understand what was addressed to him but was incapable himself of speech.

JACKSON—The machines into which the trusting feed nickels in the vain hope of having them returned many fold, which have always been familiar accompaniments of the county resorts, must go. Saturday Sheriff Bean sent a deputy to Michigan Center, Wolf lake, Clark lake and Vandercook lake, with instructions to see that the machines are removed and that the proprietors be given to understand that if they reappear they will be confiscated. "I am not disposed to be arbitrary," said the sheriff. "The nickel machines have been in operation for a long time, but they are unlawful and they must go. Moreover, they must not come back. If I find them here after they will be confiscated."

HOWELL—Lightning struck a barn just north of the county line, on the farm of Frank Pleese, near Petry, last Friday night. The barn and granary, including the new hay crop, were burned. Loss \$2,500.—Tidings.

GRASS LAKE—The home of John Schroeder, one mile east of this village, was entered by thieves Monday while the family were absent gathering huckleberries, and stole \$91 in cash and a gold watch. Thirty-five dollars of the amount were the earnings of Alice Schroeder, who works in a Jackson corset factory. No clue to the thieves.

PLYMOUTH—When Fred Bennett, general manager of the Daisy Air Rifle Co., lighted a match to find his way to the toilet box of his auto that had skidded into a ditch Monday night, the gasoline tank exploded, setting fire to the machine and burning it before farmers who had been summoned to help him out of the difficulty arrived. Bennett and his family were riding at a rapid rate when the machine plunged into a blind ditch. The occupants of the auto escaped unhurt. Only the metal frame was left when the fire was extinguished.

JACKSON—Attorneys Thomas A. Wilson and John E. Schekel, constituting a committee appointed by Circuit Judge James A. Packinson to investigate charges of unprofessional conduct preferred against William K. Sagendorph, a Jackson attorney, returned a report Tuesday morning recommending the disbarment or suspension of Attorney Sagendorph. He is cited to appear before the court August 2 to show cause why the recommendation of the committee should not be carried out. Mr. Sagendorph is one of four Jackson attorneys who are under investigation.

Council Proceedings.

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COUNCIL ROOMS,
Chelsea, Mich., July 28, 1910.
Board met in regular session in the council chambers. Meeting called to order by G. W. Palmer, president pro tem. Roll called by the clerk.

Present—Trustees McKune, Hammond, Hummel, Dancer and Palmer. Absent—Geo. P. Staffan, president and Trustee Lowry.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were then presented and read by the clerk:

ELECTRIC LIGHT ACCOUNT.
Frank C. Teal, motor wire, sockets, etc. \$183.33
Mich. State Tel. Co., rent and tolls 7.85
Elect. Appliance Co., meter 12.00
W. C. Nagel Elect. Co., lamps 100.23
Sunday Creek Co., car coal, No. 8145 26.60
Moore's Vegetable Boiler Purger, boiler compound 28.80
James Dann, hauling cinders, etc 11.65
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., 600 feet hose 420.00
F. E. Adair, frt. on 3 cars coal 146.32
J. T. Wing & Co., packing 11.43
Geo. H. Foster & Son, supplies and 10 taps 106.59
J. P. Maier, 1 mo. salary 35.00
D. Alber, 1 mo. salary 25.00
E. Paul, 1 mo. salary 25.00
Sam. Trouten, 1 mo. salary 25.00
Anna Hoag, 1 mo. salary 10.00
F. C. Penn, painting poles 7.50

GENERAL FUND.
J. S. Cummings, 2 days on board of review 8.00
Walter Dancer, 2 days on board of review 8.00
O. C. Burkhardt, taking assessment and board of review 100.00
Chelsea Standard, printing for June 12.00
Geo. H. Foster & Son, drinking fountain 15.00
Chas. Hepburn, 1 mo. salary 22.50
H. F. Brooks, fire at Nordman's 23.50

STREET FUND.
E. G. Upthegrove, work on street 2.10
Gil Martin, labor 7.10
John Hummel, 7 days with team 24.50

Moved by Hummel, seconded by Dancer, that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

The petition of J. W. Speer and others asking to have water mains extended down Railroad street was then presented.

Enter Geo. P. Staffan, president. Moved by Hummel, seconded by Hammond, that the petition be referred to the Electric Light and Water Works committee. Carried.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. Orrin T. Hoover, being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the printer and publisher of The Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, that the annexed printed notice has been duly published in said paper on the 9th day of June, 1910, and on the 16th day of June, 1910.

ORRIN T. HOOVER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, A. D. 1910.

P. G. Schaible, Notary Public. My commission expires May 7, 1912. Moved by Trustee McKune, seconded by Trustee Palmer and resolved that whereas, the Grant & Wood Manufacturing Company did make and file with the Clerk of the council a petition in writing asking that this council take the necessary action by resolution or otherwise to vacate, discontinue and abolish certain parts of North street in said village of Chelsea

and described at length in said petition, a copy of said petition being fully set forth in the record book of the council for the meeting held June 6th, 1910; and whereas this council did pass a resolution at said meeting held June 6th, 1910, whereby and wherein it was deemed advisable to vacate, discontinue and abolish certain parts of North street; and that this council at said meeting did declare it to be a necessary public improvement and for the public convenience and the best interest of said village to vacate, discontinue and abolish said part of North street, and whereas this council did in the same resolution appoint the time when it would meet and hear objections to the proposed action of this council, said time being set for the 18th day of July, A. D. 1910, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. of said date, in the council rooms of said village and that a copy of said resolutions be published in the Chelsea Standard and whereas it appears by affidavit that said resolutions were published in said paper; and whereas no objection to said proposed action has been filed with the clerk in writing, and whereas no person appearing at the meeting of the council to make objection to said action.

Therefore by virtue of the power vested in this council, we do hereby vacate, discontinue and abolish certain parts of North street described as follows, viz:

All that part of North street between Main and East streets, lying directly north of block one (1) original recorded plat of the Village of Chelsea; excepting all of that part of North street occupied by a cement reservoir belonging to said Village lying north of lots twenty-five and twenty-six of said block one, being a strip of land fifty-three and one-half feet in width east and west by twenty-five feet in width north and south, also reserving a right of way twelve feet in width from northeast corner of said reservoir land to East street; also excepting land surrounding old reservoir in said North street and right of way for water mains leading to said reservoirs.

Ayes—McKune, Hammond, Hummel, Dancer, Palmer. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by McKune, seconded by Hummel, that we adjourn. Carried. W. H. HESSELSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

Saved at Death's Door.

The door of death seemed ready to open for Murray W. Ayers, of Transit Bridge, N. Y., when his life was wonderfully saved. "I was in a dreadful condition," he writes, "my skin was almost yellow; eyes sunken; tongue coated; emaciated from losing 40 pounds, growing weaker daily. Violent liver trouble pulling me down to death in spite of doctors. Then that matchless medicine Electric Bitters cured me. I regained the 40 pounds lost and now am well and strong." For all stomach, liver and kidney troubles they're supreme, 50c at L. T. Freeman Co., H. H. Penn Co. and L. P. Vogel Co.

TOO COSTLY.

Geraldine—I don't believe in flirting. Gerald—Neither do I. The last time I tried it I was sued for breach of promise.

WANT COLUMN**RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.**

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a Hallett & Davis piano. As good as new. W. J. Knapp. 51

FOR SALE—Folding bed and couch, full web springs. Very large, a very high priced piece of furniture. Will sell cheap. A. G. Faist. 50tf

FOR SALE—A. Burkhardt's residence on East street. 1

LOST—Large white chignon veil between postoffice and Archie Clark's residence. Reward if left at Archie Clark's. 50

LOST—Rimless Nose Glasses, on road between Schultz farm and Chelsea. Finder please leave at the Standard office. 50

LOST—Tuesday, July 5th, on Main street or around the M. C. depot, a gold fraternity pin set with 17 pearls. On back initials "B. J. H. —1903." Finder leave at Dancer Bros. Reward. 51

FOR SALE—Windmill, 75 foot derrick and 65 barrel tank. All in good repair. Apply at Standard office. 50

OLD PAPERS—To put on shelves or under carpets. Big bundle for five cents at the Standard office.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, June 30, 1910, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

| RESOURCES. | | | |
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| Loans and discounts, viz:— | | \$ 64,392.83 | \$ 64,392.83 |
| Commercial Department..... | | | |
| Savings Department..... | | | |
| Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:— | | 79,200.00 | 390,401.88 |
| Commercial Department..... | | 231,101.88 | |
| Savings Department..... | | | 1,299.31 |
| Real estate..... | | 15,000.00 | 15,000.00 |
| Overdrafts..... | | 5,000.00 | |
| Banking house..... | | 400.00 | |
| Furniture and fixtures..... | | 400.00 | |
| Other real estate..... | | 400.00 | |
| Due from other banks and bankers..... | | 400.00 | |
| Items in transit..... | | 400.00 | |
| Reserve..... | | | |
| United States bonds..... | | \$19,294.64 | 49,569.75 |
| Due from banks in reserve cities..... | | | 60.00 |
| Exchanges for clearing house..... | | 2,250.00 | 5,530.00 |
| U. S. and National bank currency..... | | 3,897.50 | 12,762.50 |
| Gold coin checks outstanding..... | | 2,211.25 | 44.85 |
| Silver coin..... | | 145.85 | 25.47 |
| Nickels and cents..... | | | |
| Total..... | | \$27,678.24 | \$71,792.07 |
| Checks, and other cash items..... | | | 215.78 |
| Total..... | | | \$584,202.85 |

| LIABILITIES. | | | |
|---|--|--------------|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in..... | | \$ 40,000.00 | |
| Surplus fund..... | | 25,000.00 | |
| Undivided profits, net..... | | 7,508.81 | |
| Dividends unpaid..... | | | |
| Commercial deposits subject to check..... | | \$ 2,000.00 | |
| Commercial certificates of deposit..... | | 69,182.13 | |
| Certified checks..... | | 36,112.64 | |
| State monies on deposit..... | | 18.25 | |
| Due to banks and bankers..... | | | |
| Savings deposits (book accounts)..... | | \$51,153.23 | |
| Savings certificates of deposit..... | | 50,047.78 | 511,634.04 |
| Total..... | | | \$584,202.85 |

I, Geo. A. BeGole, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1910. Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier.

J. L. Fletcher, Notary Public. My commission expires January 12, 1911.

CORRECT—Attest: C. H. KEMPF, C. KLEIN, R. KEMPF, Directors.

ALTHOUGH often the most neglected, the plumbing system of a house is undoubtedly the most important part of it on account of the influence it has upon health. Reliable plumbing work and dependable fixtures will make your home safe and comfortable. We guarantee our workmanship, and supply "Standard" guaranteed fixtures. Let Us Quote You.

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ADAM EPPLER

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POSTAL HOTEL CO.

FRED POSTAL, Pres. M. A. SHAW, Manager.

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Club Breakfast, 25 Cents and up

Luncheon, 50 Cents

Table d'Hotel Dinner, 75 Cents

Also Service a la Carte

Rates (European) \$1.00 to \$3.00 Per Day

Reduced Fares for the round trip to **Chicago** account **Knights Templar**

Going August 5, 6, 7 and 8, returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight of August 16, 1910.

For Particulars Consult Agents' **MICHIGAN CENTRAL**

Reduced Fares for the round trip to **Milwaukee, Wis.** account **Knights of Pithias**

Going July 29 to August 1, inclusive, returning to reach original starting point not later than midnight of August 13, 1910.

For Particulars Consult Agents' **MICHIGAN CENTRAL**

Notice of Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, Carl E. Jones and Jennie Jones, his wife, of Detroit, Washtenaw county, Michigan, made and executed a certain mortgage, bearing date the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1910, in and to the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned by said mortgage to the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 10, day 10, assigned