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#### Early Potato Crop a Failure.

Reports from various sections of southern Michigan indicate that the early potato crop—as it is in Washtenaw county—is nearly a total failure because of the dry weather and extreme heat. It is estimated that if the acreage planted had given an average yield it would have produced nearly a million bushels. It is believed that the late crop will be saved, rains having improved conditions.

#### Requires Early Notice.

Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction Keeler, of Lansing, says that inquiries regarding the tuition law are pouring in from all parts of the state. Many parents who desired to send their children to some high school or institution of the district in which they reside, failed to file notice with the board of education prior to the fourth Monday in June. This makes it impossible for them to participate in the fund set aside for tuition purposes and has caused considerable confusion.

#### Will Sell Dead Timber.

Land Commissioner Russell announced Tuesday that he is making arrangements to sell all the dead and down timber on state lands as directed by the public domain commission, which the commission believes will yield considerable revenue for reforestation as well as remove some of the danger of serious forest fires. Sales will be held at central points near state lands and the timber sold for its estimated value. This is the first time this scheme was ever proposed in Michigan.

#### Keeping Tab On Births.

The federal government has asked the secretary of state to furnish the state department at Washington a record of all the births registered in the Michigan office last year, for which Uncle Sam is willing to pay three cents per. This will necessitate the making out of about 60,000 transcripts. Last year the state made a little money after paying the salaries of additional clerks, but it is not considered a money-making scheme, as the government figures that the money it pays the state will just about cover the expense of preparing the records.

Last year the state department was commended by the federal authorities for promptness and accuracy in preparing the reports, Michigan being one of the first states in the union to be recognized in this manner.

#### Second Annual Sports Day.

The second annual sports day celebration of the Chelsea Fire Department was held Wednesday. A good sized crowd was present and enjoyed the day. The Chelsea Band furnished the music.

The program of sports which had been arranged was a good one and the events were nearly all won by young men who reside in this vicinity. The horse race was won by horses owned by R. B. Waltrous, 1st; Wm. Wheeler, Jr., 2d; Mr. Detling, 3d.

The ball game at Ahemiller's park drew a good crowd and was a good game, the Ann Arbor team defeated the Cardinals by a score of 2 to 4.

In the evening a display of fireworks was witnessed and a social dance given in the town hall.

The new arch lights on Main street were turned on for the first time and proved a very attractive feature of the evening, lighting up the streets in better shape than ever before.

#### Interest In Postal Bank Plan.

As an evidence of the interest in the establishment of the proposed postal savings bank system, 390 postmasters and 923 banks have written to Postmaster General Hitchcock. The postmasters asked that their offices be designated as postal savings banks and the banks requested that they be named as depositories for postal funds.

For every state and territory except Arizona, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Nevada and Rhode Island applications have been made by postmasters, and only Delaware, Nevada and Utah bankers have failed to ask for deposits from the fund to be accumulated. Only Delaware and Nevada have failed to be represented by either postmasters or banks in the making of such requests.

The greatest interest in the new institution has been shown in the state of Pennsylvania, whence came 34 requests from postmasters and 102 requests from banks. Among the southern states, Texas takes the lead in the matter of interest in the new system, 30 postmasters and 39 banks of that state having written to Mr. Hitchcock in reference to the new postal banks.

#### A Large Payroll.

Frank Adair, local agent of the Michigan Central, last Monday paid out \$22,000 for the company to the men employed here. \$18,400 in checks were distributed to the laborers, teamsters, foremen and time-keepers employed on the grade west of here. \$3,500 in cash was paid out to station employees, train crews and section men. As considerable of the supplies for both the men and teams are bought from our local merchants a neat sum of money has been left in Chelsea.

#### Paid \$5,000 on Bond.

As an echo of the failure of the Chelsea Savings bank the Federal Union Surety Co., of Indianapolis, Ind., paid the state Monday \$5,000 of the original forfeiture of \$57,500. This installment makes \$30,000 which the bonding company has already paid.

Acting Deputy Treasurer Gorman said that the state still has \$177,907.24 coming from the bank, that sum being covered by amounts due from bonding companies and the remaining installments from Glazier's personal bond. It is now asserted that the state will not lose by the failure of the bank and that several bonding companies, when the affairs of the institution are finally adjusted, will have small amounts in rebates coming to them.

#### Christian Miller.

Christian Miller, for the last thirty-four years a resident of Sylvan, died at his home in that township, Monday evening, August 8, 1910. He was born in Germany, January 18, 1828.

Mr. Miller immigrated to this country in 1853. When he first came to Washtenaw county he located in Sharon, finally locating on the farm where he has resided for so many years.

He was married in 1858, to Miss Mary Lehman, who died four years ago. To this union four children were born, two of whom are living. He is survived by one son, John H. Miller, of Sylvan, and one daughter, Mrs. H. P. Riemenschneider, of Port Huron, four grand children and one great-grand child.

The funeral was held from the German M. E. church, of which he was a member, this, Thursday afternoon, Rev. J. E. Beal officiating.

#### Destroy the Weeds.

This is the time of the year when most weeds have reached their full growth in height and are now setting about their chief business of producing seed for next year's weed crop. Ditch banks, road sides, fence rows and neglected corners are now in too many cases a perfect jungle of rag-weeds, milkweed, nettles and other noxious weeds. If left for a week or ten days too long, they will have ripened a full crop of seeds and scattered a large part on the ground.

Ditch banks are especially favorite places for weeds, and if neglected now they will soon have sown their seed in the most favorable places to have them carried to fields later on.

This is the critical time, therefore, to act. Mow the weeds now; let them lie until dry enough to burn; then fire them when there is no danger from the fire.

If left until spring, as is commonly the case, but few of the seed are destroyed by burning the old weeds, as they have been scattered long before and are often protected from the flames by a layer of soil.

#### Bronze Doors for the Capitol.

After 117 years the finishing touches will be placed on the national capitol. The third set of bronze doors, the last of the series has arrived. They will be hung in the main entrance of the house of representatives. The doors were designed by Prof. Louis Amateis, of Washington. They are nearly eight feet wide and thirteen feet high.

The transom figures represent America in a chariot drawn by lions and led by a child, signifying the superiority of intellect over brute force. Besides the chariot are figures representing the scholar, architecture, literature, painting, music, sculpture, mining, commerce and industry. On one side of the transom panels is a figure of Thomas Jefferson and on the other side one of Benjamin Franklin. Medallions at the four corners represent Peabody, founder of educational institutions; Emerson, philosopher; Horace Mann, educator, and Hopkins, merchant and philanthropist.

In the eight panels, four on each of the heavy doors, are scenes symbolic of jurisprudence, science, art, mining, agriculture, electricity, commerce and engineering, and on the sides of these panels are statuettes of famous Americans.

#### Statistics on Immigration.

According to a statement issued by the immigration bureau 1,041,570 immigrants were admitted to the United States during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1910.

Among the countries contributing, Italy led with 192,673, Poland was second with 128,348. Hebrews to the number of 84,290 landed at American ports. From the British Isles came 53,408; from Scandinavia, 52,037 and from Germany 71,390.

#### Secret Marriage Funds.

Inquiry at Lansing Tuesday regarding an item of \$65 in the state treasurer's report as "receipts from secret marriages," developed the fact that the secretary of state collects \$1 fee from each of these marriages performed by judges of probate, and that the records are filed in a special vault in the department, with strict orders to preserve the secrecy of the wedding papers. In most cases these marriages were performed to preserve the honor of young girls. The amount was the total collection of fees during the fiscal year of 1909.

#### Obituary.

Master Paul Willis Kern, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kern, Jr., living south of Sylvan Center, was born November 13, 1903 and died August 7, 1910, attaining the age of 6 years, 9 months and 24 days. Little Paul was born in the home in which he died. He attended the public school of Sylvan Center but a short time. Attractive, bright and sunny in disposition, he made friends wherever he went and became a favorite with many. Not a few hearts, young and old alike, bleed with sorrow at his early demise, and the deepest of sympathy goes out to the bereaved parents.

The funeral services took place on Tuesday afternoon from the parental home, with interment in Maple Grove cemetery, Sylvan Center, Rev. J. E. Beal, officiating.

#### "The Issue."

The following was taken from Congressman Townsend's speech at LaPeer, August 1st:

"The campaign from now on, so far as I am concerned, is a contest between two republicans for the office of United States senator. Much effort has been made on the part of a few federal office holders and office seekers and a few partisans who are subsidized either by the promise of a job or the hope of one, to deceive the voters as to the issue. President Taft is not the issue. I know of no candidate for senator in Michigan who is opposed to him. Certainly no Michigan man has been closer to him or honored more by him than I have been, and no republican campaign committee in this state will take kindly to the suggestion of such an issue. No republican president has ever felt it necessary to send for me to get my support for republican measures—Can others say as much?"

"I am in favor of the direct nomination and election of United States senators. I have assisted in passing through the house bills permitting the people to vote to change the constitution so that they could elect their senators, but every time they have gone to the senate and have been referred to the committee on privileges and elections as a cemetery from which there has been no resurrection."

"I was in favor of the honest fulfillment of a republican platform promise to pass a law compelling the publication of campaign subscriptions to national political committees. I so voted when the bill to that end passed the house, and President Taft never had to coerce me into voting for the measure. This bill was also referred to the senate committee on privileges and elections, where it slept until the big stick of the president clubbed it out during the very last week of congress, but even he was unable to prevent its partial emasculation, for it contains a provision that the publicity shall be made after instead of before election."

The real question is: Who shall represent Michigan in the senate? Shall it be a republican from Michigan, or one from some other state? The people will settle that on September 6th. Deceptive reports and flagrant misrepresentations will not avail to cloud the issue or mislead the people."

#### Won't Need a Crutch.

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## HISTORY OF THE WINDMILL

Question of Ownership of Wind One of Great Moment—Design of the Movable Dams.

Windmills are said to have been introduced into England by the Knights of St. John, who observed them in use among the Saracens in the Crusades; but how long they had been in existence before this it is not possible to ascertain. A water mill was built in Bohemia in the year 718, for an old chronicler mentions it, going on to say that "before that time all the mills in Bohemia were wind mills set upon the summit of hills."

Windmills became so common throughout Europe in the thirteenth century that the pope compelled them to pay tithes to the church, and landed proprietors and the clergy were forever quarreling as to the ownership of the wind! In Zealand a certain abbot built a mill to grind his corn in spite of the violent opposition of his landlord, who said that he was the owner of the wind on his property and no one else had the right to make use of it.

The bishop of Utrecht was appointed arbitrator, and he when told of the matter flew into a rage, declaring that what wind there was in his diocese belonged to himself and the church, and he proceeded to prove his contention by at once granting the abbot full power to build a wind mill when and where he chose.

For hundreds of years wind mills were among the most important adjuncts of industry, yet they hardly changed from the rude and primitive design of earliest days. They were fixed in one position, and so could only be worked when the wind blew from a certain quarter; while the four sails boasted no slats or checking apparatus of any kind, which must have been most inconvenient at times.

The first idea of arranging a mill so that it could be worked "wherever the wind blew," was that of tethering an ordinary mill in the middle of a pond by means of ropes. When the wind shifted the ropes were loosed and the mill dragged around until the sails were caught by the wind, and it was then again tethered as before.

Later on a great pole, which was worked on the principle of a turntable, was affixed to the mill. Not until 1500 did Holland, the land of windmills, introduce a movable dam carrying the sail axle. The dome ran on rollers and was shifted around by means of the pole mentioned above.

These ancient mills were often of massive build, being made of brick or stone, and later entirely of wood.

## A Guest Book.

A woman whose house parties are always successful owns up to keeping a note-book in which she inscribes the chief characteristic of each person she knows—man, woman and child. She has special departments in which she lists them, and when making her plans she has but to turn to a certain page to find thereon the persons who have the same tastes and are likely to prove congenial. Sometimes, she confesses, "at to give herself moments of interest in watching the byplay, she has borrowed a guest from another page. These experiments are sometimes more amusing to the hostess than they are to the ill-assorted guest. If he is a man he gets on fairly well, for his bank account prevails over considerations, and the points in which he differs from the remainder of the company are treated as an amusing eccentricities. But to the woman out of her element little mercy is shown."

## Latest Type of Baseball.

From 1853 until last year, very little, outside of minor changes, was done in developing the baseball. The league baseball used in this period had a rubber center, and the yarn wound around it was coated with a continuous layer of rubber cement. The ball now used includes a means of preventing the inner yarn from slipping away from the center of the ball, and the substitution of cork for rubber in the core. This cork of cork is covered with a layer of rubber vulcanized to a certain degree of hardness, and on this is wound the usual yarn.

The cork makes possible a more rigid structure and more uniform resiliency. It is said to outlast the rubber center balls many times over, because it will not soften or break in spots under the most severe usage.—Popular Mechanics.

## They Die.

"Don't the passengers make you fuss asking questions?" asked the trolley woman to the doorman at the railway station.

"They certainly do, ma'am," was the reply. "What else do you want to know, ma'am?"—Yonkers Statesman.

## The Much-Used Title.

"I don't believe that fellow is a regular poet," said the editor who works with his sleeves rolled up. "Why, he has composed some very beautiful pieces."

"Yes, but I've looked all through his works and I can't find anything entitled 'De profundis.'"

## Her 'Plaint.

"Do your eyes bother you, Charlie?" she asked.

"No; but yours do."—Buffalo Express.

## STATE TO HOLD BIG TIMBER SALE

DOWN AND DEAD STUFF TO BE DISPOSED OF FOR THE REVENUE.

LAND COMMISSIONER TO SELL AS DIRECTED BY THE PUBLIC DOMAIN COMMISSION.

Lieut.-Gov. Kelley in a Motor Car Crash in Which Three Are Injured.

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Lieut.-Gov. Kelley in Motor Accident.

Lieut.-Gov. Patrick H. Kelley, with a motor car party, including Probate Judge Cooke, William E. Bowen and his son, Schuyler Bowen, narrowly escaped being killed in an accident at Hastings, when the emergency brake of Mr. Bowen's machine failed to work and allowed the car to slide backwards down the hill towards a deep ravine.

Mr. Kelley kept his head when several members of the party attempted to jump out and shouted: "That big tree will keep us from going over the bank." The car struck the tree at great speed, throwing the occupants from their seats and crushing in the back of the car. Three members of the party were severely bruised, but Kelley was uninjured. Had the tree not stopped the progress of the car all might have been killed.

Sheriff's Slayer Taken to Detroit.

From the clutches of a mob that was beginning to swarm about the county jail at Monroe, William Henry Harris, self-confessed murderer of Sheriff Edmund Dull, was snatched by J. M. McLaughlin, chief of detectives of the Pennsylvania railroad service, J. C. DeLisle, of the E. H. Murphy agency, and Acting Sheriff George Renner, of Monroe, and taken to the Wayne county jail, Detroit, for safekeeping.

The transit was an exceedingly dramatic one. Men began to crowd about the jail, urging each other to action. The officers knew the jail would not withstand any determined assault. An automobile was secured and driven to the back door of the jail. Into this the prisoner was hurried, and the machine dashed out into the country, where detectives and prisoner boarded a car for Detroit.

Consumptives in the Poorhouses.

"In many counties in this state destitute tuberculosis patients are sent to county infirmaries to die, and horrible conditions prevail in consequence," said Secretary Murray, of the State Board of Corrections and Charities, at Lansing.

"I have just returned from Cheboygan county, where a consumptive is in the county infirmary living with the other inmates, although he has reached a condition where death may come at any moment. That seems to be the system of many counties. In Iron county four tubercular patients have died at the poorhouse, and the matron tendered her resignation when the fifth was brought there, declaring she would not be a party to the crime any longer."

"In Cheboygan county there is a jail which is simply terrible."

## Fight Power Company.

Saginaw's fight against the merger of Bartlett Illuminating company, Saginaw Power company and Eastern Michigan Power company took a new turn at a meeting of the council, when City Controller Siefert refused to pay a bill of \$2,000 which the company presented for city lighting. The bill was signed by the Saginaw Power company, and the city attorney says it has no right to present bills, thereby making several thousand dollars in similar monthly bills illegal.

Falls 200 Feet to His Death.

Two hundred persons gathered at Trout Lake to witness the ascension of a professional balloonist were horrified to see one of his assistants caught by the feet in the ropes, and carried 200 feet into the air, finally to come crashing down to his death at their feet. The victim was Norman McLeod, Detroit.

## May Call the Legislature.

Gov. Warner has announced that if Judge Dennison, of the United States circuit court at Grand Rapids, decides against the state in the case brought by the telephone and telegraph company to set aside their taxes, he will immediately call a special session of the legislature.

Newaygo's contest in supreme court to hold the county seat has been dropped, leaving White Cloud in possession.

Followed relentlessly by county officers since his disappearance last fall, immediately preceding the dismissal of an astounding series of forgeries, Richard H. Post has been apprehended in Mexico City and is now awaiting extradition proceedings to return to Holland for trial.

A skeleton believed to be that of one of the women settlers who lost their lives in the battle of the Raisin River in January, 1812, was dug up at Monroe, by workmen digging a trench for the River Raisin Paper Co. Three metal bracelets, some beads, knitting needles and knives were found with the bones.

## MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Experts predict that the sugar beet crop in Michigan will be the largest this season in years.

Mrs. Mary Briggs, aged 98, the oldest Calhoun county resident, died at her daughter's home of old age.

W. A. Reddick, of Newberry, and Frank Ike, residence unknown, drowned in Millicoulin lake, while fishing. Their boat capsized.

Estimates made by the railroads indicate that the fruit shipments, compared with last season, have fallen off about half over some lines.

James A. Purdy, a wealthy Millington stock raiser, who disappeared a year ago, and was thought dead, has been located in northwest Canada.

With the arrest of Henry Debbico, aged 34, Pontiac officers feel that they have solved the mystery of the shooting several weeks ago of Frank Bevier.

Richard F. Church, for 21 years a business man of Albion, is dead at the age of 62 years. Before going to Albion he conducted a jewelry store at Homer.

Within four days of each other Mrs. Albert McNaughton, aged 41, and her twin sister, Mrs. Frank Dickinson, of Port Huron, died of an unusual malady known as Graves' disease.

Peter J. Campbell, a well known Kalamazoo county farmer, is in a serious condition as a result of being gored by a bull. Several ribs were broken and he was hurt internally.

Harsen D. Smith, well-known attorney, died in Cassopolis, after a few hours' illness of apoplexy. He was at one time circuit judge of Cass county and had practiced law 40 years.

Growing excited when her son Charles entered her home at Saginaw, after a long separation, Mrs. Abbey A. Browne, aged 62, greeted him affectionately and dropped dead of heart failure.

Circuit Judge Walter H. North has been asked to call a grand jury to probe charges that Ald. Erskine accepted a \$500 bribe in connection with the sale of a road roller to the city of Battle Creek.

The largest annual 10 days' camp meeting of the State Holiness Camp Meeting association in years, closed at Eaton Rapids. The closing sermon was preached by Dr. George Elliott, of Detroit.

"I'm sorry I didn't kill her," said Delmas Merritt, of Flint, when he was taken to jail charged with making a murderous assault on his wife by firing three shots at her. None of the shots took effect.

Two highwaymen went up against it when they held up William Green, a hotelkeeper of Owosso. One had a gun, but Green up-pitched him with his fist and chased the other away. He had \$63 in his pocket.

Grief over an accident in which he killed a little girl caused the death of Leonard T. Rowlee, a motorman of Kalamazoo. He was exonerated, but worried so much over the fatality that he began to decline in health.

As an outgrowth of the fire which destroyed the Ledyard building, at Grand Rapids, taking three lives, Mrs. Martha McMillan has commenced suit for \$5,000 against the owners, alleging that they kept her hall door nailed up.

Riley Johnson, a sailor, committed suicide in a sensational manner at the "Soo," when, with hundreds of onlookers powerless to interfere, he jumped to death from the 375-foot tower of the Great Lakes Radio Telephone Co.

A home-coming celebration and carnival will be held at Frankfort, Aug. 23, 24 and 25. Charles E. Townsend, Chase S. Osborn, Congressman James B. McLaughlin, county officers, candidates for county offices and others are to speak.

Dennis Minney rescued seven from drowning in the St. Joe river at St. Joseph. They were capsized in a boat and five more went to the rescue, and they, too, went into the water. Minney pulled them all out with the help of a long pole.

Judge Riley L. Crane, of Saginaw, has asked the Adrian School for Girls to inquire of Elizabeth Martin, sister of Marvin Martin, who was drowned there, what she knows of her brother's death. It is thought the girl may have pushed her brother into the river.

Hon. Joseph I. Brittain, American consul at Prague, Austria, who is visiting in Cadillac, said in an interview: "An entire house and lot for a family, a provision enjoyed by such a large proportion of the American people, is a luxury shared to a very limited extent by the working people of Austria."

Thomas Niland, Oliver Sullivan and Frank Wilson, the latter a negro, escaped from jail at Kalamazoo. The men removed a bar from one of the windows. Wilson was recaptured. Niland was sentenced to Jackson prison for five years for robbing a dental office. Sullivan is alleged to have robbed the House jewelry store of Kalamazoo, recently.

If anyone ever mentions banks to Robert Bittner, of Lafayette, he will tell that person that they are the only safe protection for the owner of any amount of money. He had \$3,500 in gold coin hoarded up and thought it would be a clever idea to hide it in the cellar beneath his house. He returned home Friday and found that every bit of the money except one \$5 gold piece was missing. The theft was committed in the daytime and is believed to have been done by someone familiar with the man's habits.

The proposition to bond Chippewa county for \$6,500 for the purpose of building a county jail cannot be submitted to the electors on Sept. 6, as planned. The bonding propositions must come at the spring or fall elections. The project for bonding for \$15,000 for the purpose of building an agricultural school has also been deferred.

In trying to ford Grand river in an auto, because of a bridge being out, a party below Eaton Rapids, A. E. Ranney and five passengers, became stalled in water beyond the depth of the machine, and were rescued by farmers.

## BACK UP THE BRIDE TALE

CHOCTAW CHIEF AND SON TESTIFY McMURRAY AND AGENT TRIED TO BUY INFLUENCE.

J. F. McMURRAY NAMED WITH HAMON AS A WOULD-BE BRIBER IN INDIAN LAND DEAL.

Senator Gore Issues Statement in Which He Says He Did Not Accuse Sherman.

Senator Gore issued the following statement relative to Vice-President Sherman:

"I have never, either in the senate or before the investigating committee, made any charge whatever against Mr. Sherman. I never said he was interested in the McMurray contracts, directly or indirectly. The vice-president's name was mentioned to me by Hamon as the man higher up who was interested in the contract."

"When I testified before the committee I was under obligation to state all that Hamon had said, and when it came to the mentioning what Hamon had said to me about Mr. Sherman, I was under obligation to state it. I am not a politician, and I am not a country to hope that the fact Hamon mentioned Mr. Sherman will be relegated to perpetual oblivion."

Not only Jake L. Hamon, but J. F. McMurray was named as a would-be briber in the investigation of the \$30,000,000 Oklahoma Indian land deal before the special congressional committee at Muskogee, Okla.

McMurray is the holder of the contract with the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians to promote which in congress Senator Thomas P. Gore charged he was offered a bribe.

D. C. McCurtain, a Choctaw Indian and delegate to Washington for his tribe, charged that McMurray, in 1906, offered him a bribe of \$25,000 to withdraw opposition to the old tribal McMurray contracts which subsequently were disapproved by President Roosevelt.

Green McCurtain, chief of 18,000 Choctaws and a venerable Indian of 62 years, with Choctaw hair and plump cheeks, then took the stand and told the committee that one George W. Scott, whom he believed acted in the interest of McMurray, had offered him one-fourth of the "profits" to be realized from the land deal, provided he induced the tribe to withdraw all opposition to the deal. The offer referred to new contracts held by McMurray, which are the cause of the present investigation.

The amount of the bribe mentioned by D. C. McCurtain, who is a son of the chief, is the same as that which Senator Gore alleges was offered him on May 6, last, by Jake Hamon to put through the pending contracts which, according to Senator Gore, would result in the selling of 450,000 acres of coal, asphalt and timber lands owned by the Indians to a New York syndicate on a basis which would give McMurray and his associates an "attorney's fee" of 10 per cent, or \$3,000,000.

Naval Reserves Off on Cruise.

Detroit Naval Reserves left Saturday night on the Don Juan de Austria for their annual two weeks' training. The Don will join the Naval Reserve fleet, composed of the Nashville, Essex, Dorothea, Yantic and Gopher, with the Wolverine as flagship. There will be maneuvers on Thunder Bay and then a cruise down the lakes as far as Buffalo. At Detroit, Aug. 15, Gov. Warner will inspect the fleet and later at Port Huron the board of inspectors of the United States navy will look the boats over.

G. A. R. Men Enjoy Picnic.

The annual outing of the Grand Army of the Republic for Detroit, and vicinity was held at Bois Blanc under the auspices of Fairbanks park. The picnic was held at the shore of the lake, and a body and all in Wayne county were represented. Samuel Lawrence received special honor in view of his recent election in Holland as department commander.

Commission Plan for Port Huron.

Gov. Warner signed the charter which provides a commission form of government for Port Huron, the first city of importance in this state to adopt the system. The charter was brought to Lansing by Philip Elchorn and E. J. Schoolcraft, and they carried away the pen with which the governor affixed his signature.

Bad Year For Forest Fires.

The current year threatens to be one of the most disastrous to the national forests from fires in the history of the country because of the drought conditions in the west. Officials of the forest service are perturbed over the situation and have decided to adopt energetic measures.

Two thousand, seven hundred and fifteen persons have made application to become notaries. This means that the state will be enriched \$2,715.

The Fremont and Grand Haven boards of trade, numbering 60, the Grand Rapids board of trade, about 900 strong, and 20 members of the Ravenna improvement association had an outing in Hackley park at Muskegon. A banquet was served in Lake Michigan park in the evening.

In an effort to prove that Ira G. Rawn, president of the Monon railroad, was slain a reward of \$5,000 has been offered by the Rawn estate for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty party or parties.

Mr. Rawn was found dead in his home at Winnetka, near Chicago, on the morning of July 20.

Postmaster-General Frank Hitchcock won an auto in a raffle conducted by the younger society set for the benefit of a working boys' home, but dared not keep it. He is the government official charged with enforcing the laws against lotteries. He turned the motor over to the b. home.

## NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF.

Horace A. Taylor, former assistant secretary of the United States treasury and United States consul to France, is seriously ill.

Twenty strike-breakers for the Canadian Northern car shops, at Winnipeg, Man., who refused to take the oath of allegiance to King George, were deported to St. Paul.

The steamship Princess Beatrice has sailed for Vancouver with the survivors of the wrecked steamer Princess May, which went on the reef north of Sentinel Islet, Alaska.

H. Brooks of the United States geological survey sailed on the steamer Alameda for Valdez and Seaward, where he will oversee the work of survey parties in the Alaska coal fields.

Compulsory employers' liability is contemplated in a revision of the Illinois laws covering workmen's accidents, proposed by the Illinois employers' liability commission, as shown in its tentative report.

Two men were fatally injured and two badly hurt as a result of an explosion of sawdust which wrecked the boiler and power house of the Diamond Match Co., near Chico, Cal. The loss will be over \$100,000.

Gemalie Bradford, a student, tenth in the line of descent of the famous Puritan governor, shot himself dead in a hotel room in Boston because of the refusal of Miss Mary Cochrane to break her engagement and marry him.

The American consul at Celba, Honduras, has been instructed to have the body of Benjamin H. Johnson, late American consul at Celba, who died at his post seven years ago, disinterred and shipped to his home at Keasauqua, Ia.

The enlisted strength of the army during the present fiscal year has been fixed approximately at \$7,000 men, under the arrangement of the estimates by Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, and approved by President Taft.

Gov. Sanders has issued a proclamation convening the Louisiana assembly in extra session August 15 to vote on the submission of an increased bond issue to popular suffrage in support of the World's Panama exposition, proposed to be held at New Orleans in 1915.

In a battle with a negro armed with a hatchet, J. Homer Knowles, a depot employe at Columbus, Ga., was victor while a hundred persons looked on. Knowles used a pistol and, sending him to death on the floor of the union passenger station.

The big battleship Delaware, sister ship to the dreadnought North Dakota, has slipped out of the harbor at Newport, R. I., and is now somewhere on the North Atlantic, steaming off her final trials and testing all her equipment for her final acceptance by the government. She probably will steam a thousand knots before returning to port.

Heavy Apple Crop in U. S. Predicted.

C. P. Rothwell, of Martinsburg, W. Va., secretary of the International Apple Shippers' association, submitted his annual report on the condition of the apple crop Aug. 1, compared with the same date a year ago.

"If present prospects are maintained," he says, "the country will have plenty of apples of better than average quality. The Pacific states will produce one of the heaviest crops ever harvested."

A summary of the report: The New England crop shows an increase of about 40 per cent.

The central crop shows increases in Ohio, Delaware and New Jersey over last year. New York's crop will equal last year's. Pennsylvania, Michigan and Wisconsin show a decline of from 5 to 10 per cent.

The middle west, or Ben Davis group, promises a crop practically equal to one year ago.

The southern and Pacific groups will show an increase of fully 50 per cent. Canada, not including the province of Nova Scotia, shows a decline of 30 per cent.

On the question of quality the situation is decidedly better than one year ago.

Girl Will Stand by Crippen.

Those mysterious London friends of Dr. Hawley Harvey Crippen, who have already retained counsel to defend him on a charge of killing his wife, proffered further assistance by cable.

Crippen replied by cable that he would appreciate some money, and reassured his friends that he had made no admission that would hurt his case.

It is said that a Quebec attorney, whose name the authorities declined to divulge, has sent word to Miss Crippen offering to represent her in any legal proceedings she might care to undertake. Although this attorney said he had been retained by the girl's family in England, she declined to accept his services. She sent back word that her case was Dr. Crippen's and that she would return to England to make her fight with him.

Persons who have talked with the girl here believe she had no part in the alleged killing of Belle Elmore.

Call Troops to Save Forests.

Request has been made for troops to protect national forests in Montana and Idaho from forest fires and to assist in extinguishing the flames. General Wood, chief of staff of the army, has applied to President Taft for an order authorizing the use of soldiers for this purpose.

The Japanese schooner Kamo Maru was captured by a Russian patrol cruiser off the Copper Islands late last month, according to news received at Victoria. When the schooner was apprehended boat crews were making a landing at the seal rookeries under cover of a fog. The cruiser towed the schooner to Vladivostok, where the crew was imprisoned.

The house in Delaware, O., in which the late President Rutherford B. Hayes was born in 1822, was destroyed by fire, due to a defective flue. The owner will erect a bust-ness block to take its place.

## MAYOR GAYNOR SHOT BY DOCK WATCHMAN

NEW YORK EXECUTIVE ATTACKED ON BOARD STEAMER ABOUT TO SAIL FOR EUROPE.

BULLET IN NECK CAUSES SERIOUS WOUND, BUT PHYSICIANS SEE NO IMMEDIATE DANGER.

Was About to Take a Well-Earned Vacation After Ten Months of Hard Work.

Mayor Gaynor of New York was shot and dangerously wounded Tuesday morning as he stood on the deck of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse at the steamship pier in Hoboken, N. J., about to start on a month's vacation in Europe. The shooting was done by a stranger, who later gave his name as Jules James Gallagher, living at 440 Third avenue, New York. He was later identified as a former city employee, who recently had been discharged.

Three shots were fired at the mayor. Two of them missed, and the third lodged in the fleshy portion of the left side of the neck. Blood gushed from the wound, and the first sharp examination led to the belief of serious and perhaps fatal consequences. The mayor retained consciousness and later examination by the physicians, when the mayor was taken to the hospital, gave a more hopeful outlook.

Mayor Gaynor was carried from the ship on a stretcher and placed in the ambulance of Undertaker Volk which had been summoned by the police. He was carried to St. Mary's hospital in Willow avenue, Hoboken. When he reached the hospital he was still conscious. He was immediately taken to the operating room. Three shots were fired, two of which missed. One struck him in the neck.

The mayor was at first reported fatally wounded, but the doctors report that they do not believe his wound to be serious. Their examination shows that the bullet entered the right side of the neck and did not cut any of the important blood vessels. The mayor suffered somewhat from the gathering of blood in his throat, but this was relieved and he felt considerably better.

SLUMP IN AUTO BUSINESS

Bottom Seems to Have Dropped Out Notwithstanding Boosting Efforts of Manufacturers.

New York.—Indications point to the bottom having fallen out of the automobile business. The manufacturers, it is reported in trade circles, are making strenuous efforts to keep up a show of continued prosperity, but it is also said that they are not selling their product, but are storing machines throughout the country at their various agencies to prevent the public realizing the true conditions of the market.

Several large concerns are laying off men and giving all sorts of reasons for so doing except the statement that they are overstocked. Two or three of the largest factories recently closed entirely, ostensibly for the purpose of taking inventory, but the workmen were not given any definite time at which to again report for work, and it is not expected that these factories will again be in operation this year.

A well known automobile agent of this city said yesterday that all cars would undoubtedly be selling at from 25 per cent to 50 per cent less than present list prices within the next two or three months. He added: "The trouble with the automobile business is that the farmers and people of the smaller cities and towns have not taken as kindly to the idea as was anticipated. The farmers find that the cost of keeping them in repair and operation is more than the cost of keeping horses to perform the same work, and while there was, for a time, a tendency among the farmers to invest in the machines, the demand for cars from this class of buyers has practically stopped, and I venture to say we will not again see the farmers to any extent until prices are materially reduced."

Crisis Near for Spain and Rome. Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary, is trying through official, semi-official and private channels to reach an understanding with the Spanish government.

It is believed that the next note from the Vatican will announce an agreement or a definite rupture between Rome and Madrid.

A good omen was found in the presence of the Marquis de Gonzalez, the Spanish charge d'affaires to the Vatican, and the staff of the Spanish embassy at the mass celebrated by Cardinal Merry del Val in honor of the anniversary of the coronation of Pope Pius X.

In view of the strained relations between the holy see and Spain, the decision of the Spanish representatives to be present at the morning function or to absent themselves was awaited with great interest.

Disobedience of orders, according to the railroad officials, by a conductor, was responsible for the wreck between a passenger and a work train on the Northwestern Pacific near Ignacio, Cal., which took a known toll of 11 lives and resulted in the injury of about 20.

Cy Warman, of Montreal, was elected president of the American Press Humorists' association at the annual convention in session in Montreal. Col. W. G. Lampton, of the New York Herald, is vice-president, and Newton Newkirk, of the Boston Post, secretary.

## Crisis For Cuban Republic.

This young republic faces its worst crisis in the elections coming on the first week in November. In the coming contest half the senate and half the house of representatives is to be elected.

When even the beggars in the street hawked national lottery tickets which have been subdivided so that 25 cents will buy a share, the government has been unable to gain the surplus it wishes. This failure of the lottery and consequent discontent has brought many new parties into the field. Among these is the "Young Cuba" party, a party headed by Gen. Enrique C. Collazo, the most active anti-American, and another headed by Gen. Manuel F. Alfonso, of the Army of Liberation.

The platform of the "Young Cuba" party, the most radical of all other things, declares for the revocation of the sale of church property to the nation, creation of a rural guard of double present strength; reduction of criminal penalties by one-half; prohibition of foreign corporations from acquiring real estate; and reform of the lottery providing that all money receipts from tickets except 5 per cent shall be distributed as prizes.

Nearly 7,000 Die in Plague.

Russia's scourge, the cholera, continues to



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SYNOPSIS.

Thomas Ardmore and Henry Maine Griswold stumble upon intrigue when the governors of North and South Carolina are reported to have quarreled. Griswold allies himself with Barbara Osborne, 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. Both states are in a turmoil over one Appleweight, an outlaw with great political influence. Unaware of each other's position, both Griswold and Ardmore set out to make the other prosecute. Both have forces scouting the border. Griswold captures Appleweight, but Jerry finds him and takes him to Ardmore, her own prisoner. Griswold and Barbara, while in the presence of Appleweight, the latter reveals the presence of Appleweight. Ardmore arrests a man on his property who says he is Gov. Osborne. Meanwhile another man is arrested as Appleweight by the South Carolina militia. The North Carolina militia is called into action. When Gillingwater, Jerry's fiancé, finds that real war is afoot, he flees.

## CHAPTER XVII.

## On the Road to Turner's.

"Who goes there?"

A jug.

"What kind of a jug?"

"A little brown jug from Kildare."

Thus Mr. Thomas Ardmore tested his pickets with a shibboleth of his own devising. The sturdy militiamen of North Carolina patrolled the northern bank of Raccoon creek at midnight, aware that riotous flood alone separated them from their foes. The terraces at Ardleys bristled with the guns of the First Light battery, while, upon a cot in the wine cellar beneath, Mr. Bill Appleweight, alias Potet, slept the sleep of the just.

He was rudely aroused, however, at one o'clock in the morning by Ardmore, Cooke and Collins, and taken out through the kitchen to one of the Ardley farm wagons. Big Paul held the reins, and four of Cooke's detectives were mounted as escort. Ardmore, Cooke and Collins were to accompany the party as a board of strategy in the movement upon Turner Court House, South Carolina.

Appleweight, the terror of the border, blinked at the lanterns that flashed about him in the courtyard. He had been numbed by his imprisonment, and even now he yielded himself docilely to the inevitable. His capture in the first instance at Mount Nebo had been clear enough, and he could have placed his hand on the men who did it if he had been free for a couple of hours. This he had pondered over his solitary sojourn as he sat on the case of Chateau Bixet in the Ardley wine cellar; but the subsequent events had been altogether too much for him. He had been taken from his original captors by a girl, and while the ignominy of this was not lost on the outlaw, his wits had been unequal to the further fact, which he had no ground for disbelieving, that this captivity within the walls of Ardley had been due to a daughter of that very governor of North Carolina whom he had counted his friend.

"The road between Kildare and Turner's is fairly good," announced Cooke. "Though we've got to travel four miles to strike it, Griswold evidently thinks that holding the creek is all there is of this business, and he won't find out till morning that we've crawled round his line and placed Appleweight in jail at Turner's, where he belongs."

"You must have a good story ready for the press, Collins," said Ardmore. "The North Carolina border counties don't want Appleweight injured, and Gov. Dangerfield don't want any harm to come to him—you may be sure of that, or Bill would have been doing things long ago."

"Gentlemen, it was very impolite of you not to tell me you were ready to start!" and Jerry came briskly from the side entrance, dressed for the saddle and nipping a dress.

"But you are not to go!" I thought that was understood!" cried Ardmore.

"It may have been understood by you, Mr. Ardmore, but not by me! I should never forgive myself if, after all the trouble I have taken to straighten out this little matter, I should not be in at the finish. Will you kindly get me a horse?"

Miss Dangerfield's resolution was to be shaken, and a few minutes the party moved out from the yard. Cooke rode several hundred yards ahead; then two detectives in the wagon, in which Appleweight sat on a cross-seat with two of Cooke's men on a seat just behind him.

He was tied and gagged, derby hat (supplied by an angel) clapped upon the side of his head, and he was silent, his eloquent of words.

derment, resignation and impotent rage. Beside the wagon rode Miss Jerry Dangerfield, alert and contented. Ardmore and Collins were immediately behind her, and she indulged the journalist in some mild chaff from time to time, to his infinite delight, though considerably to Ardmore's distress of heart; for, though no words at passed between him and Jerry as to the disgraceful flight of the adjutant general, yet the master of Ardleys was in a jealous mood. The moon had left the conspirators to the softer radiance of the stars, but there was sufficient light for Ardmore to mark the gentle lines of Jerry's face, as she lifted it now and then to scan the bright globes above.

Paul drove his team at a trot over the smooth road of the estate to a remote and little-used gate on the southern side, but still safely removed from the South Carolina pickets along the Raccoon.

"It's all right over there," remarked Collins, jerking his head toward the creek. "The fronting armies are waiting for morning and battle. I suppose that when we send word to Griswold that Appleweight is in a South Carolina jail it will change the scene of operations. It will then be Gov. Osborne's painful task to dance between law-and-order sentiment and the loud cursing of his border constituents. The possibilities of this rumpus grow on me, Ardmore."

"There is no rumpus, Mr. Collins," said Jerry over her shoulder. "The governor of North Carolina is merely giving expression to his civic pride and virtue."

Leaving Ardleys, they followed a dismal stretch of road until they reached the highway that connects Turner's and Kildare.

"It's going to be morning pretty soon. We must get the prisoner into Turner's by five o'clock. Trot 'em up, Paul," ordered Cooke.

They were all in capital spirits, with a fairly good road before them, leading straight to Turner's, and with no expectation of any trouble in landing their prisoner safely in jail.

They were well into South Carolina territory now, and were jogging on at a sharp trot, when suddenly Cooke turned back and halted the wagon.

"There's something coming—wait!"

"Maybe Bill's friends are out looking for him," suggested Collins.

Cooke impatiently bade them be quiet.

"If we're accosted, what shall we say?" he asked.

"We'll say," replied Jerry instantly, "that one of the laborers at Ardleys is dead, and that we are taking his remains to his wife's family at Turner's. I shall be his grief-stricken widow."

The guards already had Appleweight down on the floor of the

Sturdy Militiamen Patrolled the Northern Bank of Raccoon Creek.

wagon, where one of them sat on his feet to make sure he did not create a disturbance. At her own suggestion Jerry dismounted and climbed into the wagon, where she sat on the side board, with her head deeply bowed as though in grief.

"Pretty picture of a sorrowing widow," mumbled Collins. Ardmore punched him in the ribs to make him stop laughing. To the quick step of walking horses ahead of them was now added the whisper and creak of leather.

"Hello, there!" yelled Cooke, wishing to take the initiative.

"Hey-O!" answered a voice, and all was still.

"Give up the road; we're taking a body into Turner's to catch the morning train," called Cooke.

"Who's dead?"

"One of Ardmore's Dutchmen. Shipping the corpse back to Germany."

The party ahead of them paused as though debating the case.

The north-bound party was a blur in the road. Their horses snuffed and moved restlessly about as their riders conferred.

"Give us the road!" shouted Cooke.

"We haven't much time to catch our train."

"Who did you say was dead?"

"Karl Schmidt," returned Paul promptly.

Ardmore's heart sank, fearful lest an inspection of the corpse should be proposed. But at this moment a wall, proposed and heart-breaking, rose and fell as the party moved on.

"De poor widow—she be mit us," called out big Paul, forsaking his usual excellent English for guttural dialect.

"Who are you fellows?" demanded Cooke, spurring his horse forward.

The horsemen, to his surprise, seemed to draw back, and he heard a voice to speak out, sharply, followed by a resounding of the riders at the side of the road.

Who was silenced, his eloquent of words.

"We been to a dance at Turner's,

and air gold' back home to Kildare," came the reply.

"That seems all right," whispered Ardmore to Collins.

"Thus," muttered Collins, "in the midst of death we are in life," and this, reaching Jerry, caused her to bend over the corpse at her feet as though in a convulsive spasm of sorrow, whereupon, to add color to their story, Paul rumbled off a few consolatory sentences in German.

"Give us the road!" commanded Cooke, and without further parley they started ahead, closing about the wagon to diminish, as far as possible, the size of the caravan. Paul kept the horses at a walk, as became their errand, and Jerry continued to weep dolorously.

They passed the horsemen at a slight rise in the rolling road. The party bound for Turner's moved steadily forward, the horsemen huddled about the wagon, with Jerry's led horse between Ardmore and Collins at the rear. At the top of the knoll hung the returning dancers, well to the left of the road, permitting with due respect the passing of the funeral party. One of them, Ardmore could have sworn, lifted his hat until the wagon had passed. Then some one called good night, and, looking back, Ardmore saw them—a dozen men, he judged—regain the road and quietly resume their journey toward Kildare.

"Pretty peaceable for fellows who've been attending a dance," suggested Collins, craning his neck to look after them.

"One fellow lifted his hat as we passed, and I thought—"

"Well, what did you think, Mr. Ardmore?" demanded Cooke impatiently.

"Well, it may seem strange, but I thought there was something about that chap that suggested Grissy."

They paused to allow Jerry to resume her horse, and one of the detectives joined in the conference to venture his opinion that the men they had passed were in uniform. "They looked like militia to me," and as he was a careful man, Cooke took note of his remark, though he made no comment.

But as they moved on toward Turner's, Ardmore was still troubled over what had seemed to him the remarkable Parisian courtesy of the returning reveler who had lifted his hat as the corpse passed. Grissy, he kept saying over and over to himself, was no fool by any manner of means, and he was unable to conjecture why the associate professor of admiralty, known to be detached on special duty for the governor of South Carolina, should be riding to Kildare, unless he contemplated some coup of importance.

The stars paled under the growing light of the early summer dawn. Appleweight, with shoulders wearily drooping, contemplated the attending cortege with the gaze of one who sullenly accepts a condition he does not in the least understand.

A few early risers saw the strange company enter and proceed to the jail; but before half the community had breakfasted, Bill Appleweight, the outlaw, was securely locked in jail in Turner Court House, the seat of Mingo county, in the state of South Carolina, and the jailer, moreover, was sharing the distinguished captive's thrall.

## (TO BE CONTINUED.)

## Stewardship of Wealth.

There is no people in the world like the American in the number of men and women who look upon their title to wealth as involving stewardship and disposition of income and principal for public ends. During the last 17 years the amount of gifts, in sums of \$5,000 or more, to religious, educational, philanthropic and civic causes, has been many millions over a billion dollars, the record for the year just closing amounting to \$141,250,000, or \$40,000,000 more than during any previous year. Add to this the enormous sum that is given each year in sums smaller than \$5,000, given either as regular contributions to religious, educational and charitable causes, or left as bequests for the same "uplift" ends, and it begins to appear why the agitator against wealth, as in of itself a pernicious thing, finds this country less favorable to his revolutionary propaganda than he wishes it were.

## The Eggman in Philadelphia.

A young farmer from Clementon, N. J., was selling eggs at the corner of Fourth and South streets when a bartender, walked up to him and asked him the price of a dozen eggs. The farmer answered: "Forty cents a dozen," and as there was an extra egg in the dozen he wanted three cents extra, but the bartender wanted it "thrown in with the bargain."

"Well," said the one who sells the liquor, "I will take the egg and treat you to a drink."

"All right," said the farmer. When they came to the tavern he was asked what he would drink, to which he replied:

"Well, I allus drink sherry with an egg in it."

And they say farmers buy gold bricks.—Philadelphia Times.

## Rice Market Yields \$200,000,000.

The world's market for rice, measuring this market merely by the imports of the principal countries of the world, amounts to \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 per annum. The imports of rice into the principal countries of Europe in the latest available year amounted to about \$82,000,000 value; into Asia and Oceania, \$88,000,000; into North and South America, exclusive of the United States, \$12,000,000, and into Africa, \$6,000,000.

## Hunchbacks in Spanish Town.

One town in Spain has one hunchback to every 13 inhabitants.

The KITCHEN  
CABINET

With aching hands and bleeding feet  
We dig and heap—lay  
some on stone;  
We bear the burden and the heat  
Of the long day and wish 'twere done.  
Not till the hours of light return  
All we have built do we discern.

## THINGS TO KNOW.

When drying the hair after a shampoo, put on a straw shade hat with the top of the crown cut out. The hair may be drawn through the opening and sunned and dried while you read or work, without any discomfort.

Two uses for a bird cage bracket: Use it for a place to hang your jelly bag when draining jelly. If hot water is wanted and no fire handy, hang a pall or small kettle on the hook and place a lamp under it.

A good cleaner for coat collars, light linings and silk waistists is cornmeal wet with gasoline. Lay the garment to be cleaned on the ironing board and sprinkle the meal on a small spot at a time, rubbing with a clean piece of cheese cloth. Have no fire near while using this inflammable stuff.

A cotton or linen parasol may be nicely cleaned by scrubbing with a brush in a tub of soap suds. Rinse and hang to dry, opened.

Clean white straw hats with sulphur wet with cold water to make a paste. Cover the straw with the paste and dry in the sun, when it can be brushed off and the hat is white and clean.

## Normandy Cakes.

Take cup cakes a few days old, scoop out the inside, leaving the sides and bottom one-half inch thick. Crumble one-half the fragments in a dish with half a tumbler of raspberry jelly and a cupful of a rich egg custard. Fill cakes, and top with whipped cream.

## Cherry Parfait.

Boil together two cupfuls of sugar and one cup of water to a thread. Pour over the beaten whites of six eggs, beat until cool. Roll two and a half cupfuls of cherries in powdered sugar. Beat a quart of cream, fold into the egg mixture, add a few drops of almond flavoring; add the cherries and pack in ice and salt.

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Dry all dish and cleaning cloths in the sun, as sunshine is a great deodorizer.

Sponges in daily use should be scalded occasionally. There is not a better germ collector than a sponge.

A carpenter's brush is handy to brush crumbs from the kitchen table.

If one desires to overcome the rustle of a silk petticoat, a pressing with a hot iron will do the work.

A blood stain on woolen can be easily removed if dry starch is first rubbed in to absorb the blood. Then wash in cold water.

To sweeten a dish of any kind, especially slop jars, turn them bottom up on the ground. The earth absorbs the odors.

To set blue of any shade soak in eight quarts of water, to which has been added an ounce of sugar of lead. Dry well before washing and ironing.

Add a tablespoonful of left-over starch and a tablespoonful of turpentine to the stove blacking before applying it. It will not only polish more easily, but last much longer.

A long-handled pancake turner is an excellent thing to take out small dishes from the oven, as it saves many a burned wrist.

When dressing a chicken dip the hand in coarse salt when removing the internal organs. The salt keeps the hand from slipping.

To those who need to take olive oil as medicine, try taking it in grape juice, which is a blood builder, and the two combined are a great benefit to the health.

A persistent case of diarrhoea was cured by the use of browned flour. Stir the flour in a sauce pan on the range until it is of a golden brown color, not burned. It may be used in a sauce or gravy with a little ginger added, and sugar to make it palatable.

White spots caused by placing hot dishes on the table are difficult to remove. Apply a woolen cloth dipped in alcohol to such places. Rub with a dry cloth and the table will not only be spotless but take a good polish. To clean cut glass vases fill with butter-milk and let stand over night.

## Cherry Ice Cream.

Scald one pint of milk, thicken with a tablespoonful of flour blended with a little cold milk. Cook for three-quarters of an hour. Add one and a half cupfuls of sugar beaten with three eggs, slowly, to the hot mixture and cook until thick. When cool add a pint of whipped cream and a cupful of cherries put through a coarse sieve. Freeze at once.

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Cherry Parfait.

Boil together two cupfuls of sugar and one cup of water to a thread. Pour over the beaten whites of six eggs, beat until cool. Roll two and a half cupfuls of cherries in powdered sugar. Beat a quart of cream, fold into the egg mixture, add a few drops of almond flavoring; add the cherries and pack in ice and salt.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Dry all dish and cleaning cloths in the sun, as sunshine is a great deodorizer.

Sponges in daily use should be scalded occasionally. There is not a better germ collector than a sponge.

A carpenter's brush is handy to brush crumbs from the kitchen table.

If one desires to overcome the rustle of a silk petticoat, a pressing with a hot iron will do the work.

A blood stain on woolen can be easily removed if dry starch is first rubbed in to absorb the blood. Then wash in cold water.

To sweeten a dish of any kind, especially slop jars, turn them bottom up on the ground. The earth absorbs the odors.

To set blue of any shade soak in eight quarts of water, to which has been added an ounce of sugar of lead. Dry well before washing and ironing.

Add a tablespoonful of left-over starch and a tablespoonful of turpentine to the stove blacking before applying it. It will not only polish more easily, but last much longer.

A long-handled pancake turner is an excellent thing to take out small dishes from the oven, as it saves many a burned wrist.

When dressing a chicken dip the hand in coarse salt when removing the internal organs. The salt keeps the hand from slipping.

To those who need to take olive oil as medicine, try taking it in grape juice, which is a blood builder, and the two combined are a great benefit to the health.

A persistent case of diarrhoea was cured by the use of browned flour. Stir the flour in a sauce pan on the range until it is of a golden brown color, not burned. It may be used in a sauce or gravy with a little ginger added, and sugar to make it palatable.

White spots caused by placing hot dishes on the table are difficult to remove. Apply a woolen cloth dipped in alcohol to such places. Rub with a dry cloth and the table will not only be spotless but take a good polish. To clean cut glass vases fill with butter-milk and let stand over night.

## Cherry Ice Cream.

Scald one pint of milk, thicken with a tablespoonful of flour blended with a little cold milk. Cook for three-quarters of an hour. Add one and a half cupfuls of sugar beaten with three eggs, slowly, to the hot mixture and cook until thick. When cool add a pint of whipped cream and a cupful of cherries put through a coarse sieve. Freeze at once.

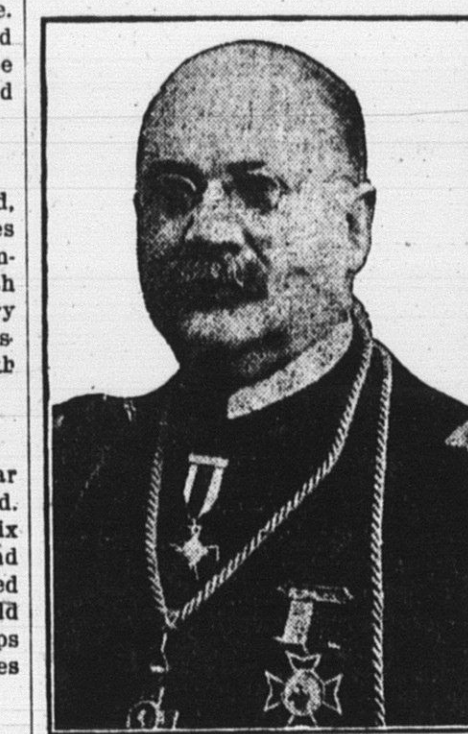
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HOLD  
TRIENNIAL IN CHICAGO

Great Conclave Presided Over by Acting Grand Master Melish—Wonderful Parade Through Elaborately Decorated Streets Is the Most Spectacular Feature.

Chicago.—Marching to the music of forty-two bands and the almost equally melodious cheers of hundreds of thousands of their relatives, friends and admirers, some 50,000 Knights Templar took part August 9 in the greatest parade ever held by the order. Their waving plumes and fine uniforms were fittingly set off by the beautiful decorations of the streets and buildings, and the scene was one that will not soon be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to witness it.

This magnificent parade was the climax, in a spectacular way, of the thirty-first triennial conclave of Knights Templar, which opened here on Sunday, Aug. 7. In accordance with the time honored custom of the grand encampment, the doings of the week began with divine service.

Begin With Divine Service. The sir knights selected Orchestra hall for this purpose and entirely filled



Acting Grand Master Melish.

the body of that hall to listen to a sermon on "Templarism" delivered by Rev. Dr. George H. MacAdam of Madison, Wis. In the absence of Sir Knight George C. Rafter of Cheyenne, Wyo., very eminent grand prelate of the grand encampment. The music was in charge of the grand organist of the grand commandery of Illinois, the choir consisting of several male quartets belonging to the order in this state. The Grand Encampment of the United States marched to the hall escorted by sir knights of the various commanderies of Cook county, commanded by Benjamin S. Wilson, chairman of the escort committee. In many of the leading churches of the city special services were held which were attended by visiting knights and their families.

Monday was devoted mainly to the receiving of the grand and subordinate commanderies and escorting them to their hotels. It is estimated that fully 100,000 visitors came with the knights and that about 300,000 other excursionists have flocked to the city this week in consequence of the conclave. Of course every hotel was thronged and thousands of the visitors found quarters in private residences.

On Monday evening all the local and visiting commanderies kept open house at their respective headquarters, and many of the visitors found their way to the various amusement parks and the theaters.

Parade of The Knights. The "grand parade" of Tuesday was the largest parade of Knights Templar ever held. The preparations were elaborate and Michigan boulevard was most elaborately decorated. The sir knights formed in line of march on the boulevard south of Thirty-first street, and signal to move was given by the guns of Battery B, I. N. G., the detachment for the purpose being composed of Knights Templar all of whom are members of the battery.

The same detachment fired the salute to the grand master.

Marching northward in Michigan boulevard, the parade passed, near Hubbard court, beneath an entrance arch built in the form of an ancient battlement with its towers and turrets. This was intended to represent the entrance to the city, and as the column passed under it, buglers stationed on its heights heralded the approach of each grand division.

Next the knights came abreast of the first grand stand, one-half mile in length, and this needed no decorations, for it was filled to its capacity mainly with ladies whose beautiful summer costumes made it like a vast garden. About 50,000 persons were in this immense stand, as at its center was a gorgeous throne on which sat the acting grand master, William Bromwell Melish of Cincinnati, who became head of the order on the recent death of Grand Master Henry W. Rugg of Providence, R. I. Mr. Melish will be regularly elected grand master before the close of the conclave.

Just north of the Art Institute the

parade passed before another reviewing stand in which were Mayor Bussé, the city council and the park commissioners.

Beautiful "Templar Way." At Washington street the marchers turned west to State, where they entered on the "Templar Way." This stretch extended from Randolph to Van Buren street and was made beautiful by a handsome arch and massive Corinthian columns of pure white erected thirty-three feet apart on both sides of the street. Festoons of natural laurel connected the columns, and the bright red cross and the shield and coat of arms of the order were prominent in the scheme of decoration.

Moving south to Jackson boulevard, the knights again turned west, and near the federal building passed before yet another reviewing stand which accommodated Governor Deneen and his staff. Marching north on La Salle street, the parade passed beneath the grand commandery arch of pure white which spanned the street at the La Salle hotel, the headquarters of the grand commandery of Illinois. This was a beautiful structure designed by one of Chicago's most famous sculptors. Upon its top stood the figures of mounted knights fourteen feet high. At the new city hall on Washington street the parade was dismissed, after marching forty-three blocks.

Care For the Marchers. Everything that could be thought of for the comfort of the paraders and the spectators was done by the local committees. In nearly every block along the line of march were stationed physicians who were also knights templar, with trained nurses and equipment for emergency cases. In addition, emergency hospitals to be kept open day and night during the conclave were established at many points in the center of the city, and at the West Side ball park which was selected as the place for the competitive drills.

Wednesday and Thursday were the days set apart for the drills for which handsome trophies are awarded, and band concerts, sight seeing and many receptions were on the program.

Entrancing Scenes at Night. The scene in the streets at night was especially beautiful, for all the arches, festoons and columns of the decorative scheme were brilliantly illuminated, and on State street, in addition to the "Templar Way," the merchants had put up decorations that transformed the great shopping district into a veritable fairy land.

Undoubtedly the most spectacular feature of the night display was the wonderful electric set piece erected in Grant park on the lake front, reproducing in colossal size the official emblem or badge of the conclave. It was 150 feet high and its 5,000 power-

ful electric lights of varied colors brilliantly illuminated all that part of the city.

Much of the success of the conclave must be attributed to the efforts of John D. Cleveland, grand commander of Illinois and president of the triennial executive committee. Arthur MacArthur of Troy, N. Y., is the very eminent grand generalissimo of the grand encampment and W. Frank Pierce of San Francisco the grand captain general.

Among the most noted of the visiting masons from other lands are: The Right Hon. the Earl of Euston, pro grand master of the great priory of England and Wales; the Lord Athlumney, past great constable; Thomas Fraser, great marshal; R. Newton Crane, past great herald; F. C. Van Duzer, past great standard bearer; H. J. Homer, acting grand master banner bearer; John Ferguson, past preceptor of England and Wales, and the Right Hon. Luther B. Archibald, most eminent grand master of the priory of Canada, and official staff.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

B. H. Glenn spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. J. S. Cummings was in Detroit Monday.

G. Ahnemiller spent Tuesday in Chicago.

Miss Anna Miller spent Monday in Jackson.

John Beasley, of Detroit, was in town Monday.

Howard Holmes was in Battle Creek Tuesday.

Chas. Smith, of Detroit, was in town Wednesday.

John McKernan and family spent Sunday in Pinckney.

Mrs. L. T. Freeman is visiting in Detroit and Cleveland.

L. Miller, of Union City, spent Wednesday in Chelsea.

Russell Jewett spent the first of the week at Bay View.

M. J. Lehman, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Miss Martha French is the guest of her sister at Base Lake.

Lee Chandler, of Charlotte, is the guest of his parents here.

George Grant spent Sunday with his parents in Bunkerhill.

Miss Eva Foster, of Chicago, is a guest of Mrs. C. Hummel.

Mrs. Jas. Richards, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Mrs. A. Kneel.

Hiram Barus, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Miss Mayme Kelley, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor last week.

Wm. Wolf and son, of Stockbridge, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Lee Foster, of Detroit, spent Wednesday with his parents here.

Mrs. J. J. Tuomey, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Martin.

R. D. Walker and daughter Jennie were Plymouth visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Chase, of Detroit, spent Wednesday with relatives here.

Mrs. Geo. H. Kempf, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Wilber Deming, of Jackson, spent Tuesday with Miss Erma Hunter.

Mrs. J. Jede, of Dexter, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Lapeer, are guests at the home of W. B. on.

D. C. Marion, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor the first of the week.

Ernest Warner and Richard Kanowski were Jackson visitors Sunday.

W. E. Flanders and R. M. Brownson, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Austin and Edward Easterle, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

Miss Kate Winters, of Detroit, is spending her vacation with her sisters here.

Misses Mary Lambrecht and Lilla Paul are spending a week at Wolf Lake.

Misses Amanda and Norma Paul are spending some time at Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Foster spent several days of the past week in Leslie.

Mrs. Oscar Miller, of Jackson, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Runckman.

W. B. Warner spent Wednesday at the home of his parents near Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fay, of Jackson, spent Wednesday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Margaret Hollister, of Syracuse, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. F. L. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morton, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of A. N. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lawrence, of Colliwood, O., spent the first of the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Walker, of Oxford, are guests at the home of R. D. Walker.

P. C. McGraw, of Stockbridge, spent several days of this week with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stanard and daughter, of Dexter, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger returned Monday from a week's vacation at North Lake.

Fred Tomlinson, of Bannister, was the guest of Chelsea friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tichenor, of Jackson, were guests of Chelsea relatives Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rohrer and children, of Grass Lake, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton, of Detroit, spent the first of the week with their parents here.

George and Emma Boos, of Whitmore Lake, are guests at the home of Mrs. Joseph Schatz.

M. Maier, of Pinckney, is spending a few days at the home of his son, John Maier.

LaMonte BeGole, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Klager and Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Bucyrus, O., were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woods, of Lansing, were guests at the home of Mrs. Geo. Barthel Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ulich, former residents of this place, spent Wednesday with Chelsea friends.

Misses Marion Andrews and Bessie Potts, of Detroit, are the guests of Miss Dorothy McDowd.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Stiles, of Chicago, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laird.

Mrs. E. W. Cowlishaw and daughter, of Grand Rapids, spent the past week with Miss Tressa Winters.

Misses Ethel and Laura McClain, of Melbourne, Ontario, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. T. Woods.

Miss Erma Hunter and guest Miss Atta Rowe, of Norville, are spending a few days at Vandercook Lake.

Earl Hayes, of Grass Lake, is spending this week at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Schatz.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. BeGole in Ann Arbor Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Andrews and son Arnold, of Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. McDowd last week.

Misses Lilla and Cora Schmidt returned home Thursday after spending three weeks with relatives in Cleveland.

Mrs. Paul Peck, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Edward Blach, of Lorain, Ohio, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mensing returned Tuesday from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolff, of Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lehman, Mrs. K. G. G. Bach, Mrs. M. Wackenhut and Miss Pauline G. Bach, spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

J. L. Ryan, who has been spending the past week at the home of John McKernan, returned to his home in Chicago Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Boyden and children, returned to their Chicago home Friday, after spending three weeks with relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. L. Conk and grandson, Kenneth Millsap, who have been spending the last three weeks at Gregory, returned to their Chelsea home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren and daughter, left Sunday on an auto trip for Saginaw where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bertke and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sloat, of Manchester, and Mrs. C. E. Clark, of Ypsilanti, visited Mrs. Milo Hunter Wednesday.

Mrs. T. L. Thomson and daughters, who have been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morton, returned to her home in Torrington, Conn., today.

Geo. E. MacLain is spending this week in Chelsea, renewing old acquaintances. Mr. MacLain resided here several years while his father was pastor of the Methodist church, about twenty-five years ago, and finds many changes in the old town since that time.

## Church Circles.

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Dunning, Jr., Pastor.

There will be no services next Sunday.

## ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.

There will be no services next Sunday owing to the absence of the pastor, who is attending a convention in Columbus, Ohio.

## CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

Combined service at 10 a. m. Sermon subject, "Free from the Law." As the church will be closed August 21 and 28 a large attendance is desirable.

Union evening service at the Baptist church.

## SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

NEAR FRANKFORD.

Rev. J. E. Beal, Pastor.

The regular services will take place on Sunday.

The Epworth League meeting will be conducted by Chas. Riemen-schneider. Topic, "The Gospel Signs of the Day."

The annual Sunday school picnic will be held in P. H. Riemen-schneider's grove along the shore of Cavanaugh Lake, Tuesday, August 16.

## BAPTIST.

Rev. P. L. Blanchard, Pastor.

Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Three men whom Jesus called."

Sunday school at 11 a. m.

Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Christianity in Japan."

Union service at 7 p. m. Address will be given by Rev. Geo. MacLain.

Subject, "What the past thirty years have done for religion."

Prayer meeting at 7:45 p. m. Thursday. Subject, "Our brother's keeper."

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Lingane is on the sick list.

Mrs. R. B. Waltrous and daughter spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Ed. Dresselhouse, of Manchester, was a recent guest of Henry Bertke.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman and son spent Saturday and Sunday in Jackson.

Earl and Glen Bertke attended a birthday party for Harold Baldwin north of Chelsea Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Schwickherath, of Chelsea, is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bertke for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gentner and two young ladies who were visiting them spent Friday at Belle Isle, Detroit.

August Uphouse and Misses Alma and Ruth Wildmayer spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Sharon.

## FRANCISCO NOTES.

F. W. Notten and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Battle Creek.

H. Plowe and wife returned from their visit the latter part of the past week.

H. J. Lehmann and family were the guests of A. J. Snyder in Lyndon Sunday.

E. J. Notten and wife entertained Wesley Smith and wife of Chelsea Sunday.

Ida and Daniel Emmons, of Waterloo, spent last week with H. J. Lehmann and family.

Rev. Beal, Ricka Kalmbach and Augusta Benter returned from camp meeting at Lakeside, O., Monday.

Lehmann Bros. went with the Waterloo band to Bunkerhill Tuesday to furnish music at the Catholic picnic.

Fred Mensing and wife entertained the latter's uncle and aunt of near Lansing. They returned with them Sunday making the trip in their auto. They will spend a few days with them.

## SHARON NEWS.

Ed. Cliff, of Jackson, spent Sunday at J. R. Lemm's.

A number from here attended the show at Grass Lake Tuesday night.

J. R. Lemm visited his daughter, Mrs. Gordon Cliff, of Jackson, last week.

Miss Warrick, of Battle Creek, spent the first of the week at J. R. Lemm's.

Mrs. H. P. O'Neil spent Tuesday at Grass Lake with her daughter, Mrs. Otis Cooper.

Misses Mayme and Florence Reno were guests of Miss Agatha Schaible, of south Manchester, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reno visited their daughter, Mrs. S. Breiten-wischer, of Bridgewater, Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Currier and Hugh Faulkner visited Mrs. Wortley and Mrs. K. Otto Steinbach in Flint last week.

The Fishville Sunday School held a social at the home of Chas. Pardee last Thursday evening. Though the weather man sent rather a cool evening there was a good crowd who seemed to enjoy themselves.

Pick Townsend to Carry Primaries.

All told 262 republican, 29 democratic, two prohibitionist, one socialist and one labor editor accepted an invitation from this paper to state in a private and unsigned letter their preferences for United States senator, and the probable preferences of their legislative districts. Eight editors wrote themselves as independent but voted as republicans, and have been included in the list of 262. The result of the ballot is as follows:

For United States Senator—

Townsend.....137

Burrows.....75

That Townsend would carry the legislative district in which the editor lives in the opinion of 91 voters. Burrows looks like a winner to 77.

Detroit Saturday Night, Aug. 6, 1910.

## State Taxes.

Auditor General Fuller has made comparison this year, of the taxes collected with those of last year, which show that the counties of the state pay about the same proportion of the tax assessed each year. In forty-two counties the ratio of payment for the two years was exactly the same. This goes to show, he says, that some people always pay their taxes.

The state tax apportionment which will soon be spread, will total this year in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000. A very large proportion of that amount will be for the running of state institutions. The work of spreading this tax will be completed by the state officers the last of September.

## Rembert Jones

candidate for the Republican nomination for Drain Commissioner of Washtenaw County. A resident of Ann Arbor for 35 years. Your support at the Primaries, September 6, is respectfully solicited, and will be sincerely appreciated.

## Notice.

Dr. Byron Defendorf is now permanently located in Chelsea and ready to attend to calls. He will give especial attention to chronic diseases, the diseases of children, and the diseases of the eye and fitting of glasses.

Office at residence in Hindelang property corner of east Middle street and East street. Phone 61-3r.

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The Congregational Sunday school will give an excursion on the D. J. & C. to Detroit and Belle Isle, Tuesday, August 16th. The fare has been placed at 75 cents to Woodward avenue and return. The special cars will leave the Chelsea station at 7:30 a. m. Returning, leave Detroit at 5:00 p. m.

## WANT COLUMN

## RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR RENT—Upright piano. Inquire of Mrs. Comstock. Phone 44-3r. 1

FOR SALE—A few more of those Poland China Sows (gilts). Due to farrow in September. As good as the best. M. C. Updike. Phone 1s2-3s. 1tf

FOUND—Auto. No. 11656, Mich. 1910. Owner can have same by calling at this office. 2

\$25.00 REWARD will be paid for evidence leading to the identity of party who wrote letter, postmarked Grand Rapids, and addressed to Allison Kneel care of Foster Cigar Factory, Alma, and forwarded to me at Chelsea. Letter was signed "Madge." Allison Kneel, Chelsea. 1

FOUND—Bunch of keys on road north of Chelsea. Inquire at the Standard office. 1

FOR SALE—As I am going to move from Chelsea will sell at once household goods, horses and many other things. My house will be for rent. C. E. Stimson. 2

FOR SALE—Rubber tired Runabout, in good condition. Inquire of Kant-lehner Bros. 2

FOR SALE—Windmill 75-foot derrick and 65 barrel tank. All in good repair. Apply at Standard office. 1tf

WANTED—Man to work farm of 120 acres on shares. Jacob Houk, Chelsea, Box 38. 1

FOR SALE—A good work horse. Inquire of Jasper Graham. 1

HOUSE TO RENT—On McKinley street. H. S. Holmes. 52tf

HOUSES and Vacant Lots for Sale. H. S. Holmes. 52tf

FOR SALE—New house and lot on Chandler street. Inquire of Miss C. Feldkamp on the premises. 52tf

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

FOR SALE—A new milch Durham cow. Inquire of Mrs. Ed. Dancer. 1

FOR SALE—Improved Singer sewing machine; in good condition. F. Shaver. 1

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PRICES—25c, 35c and 50c. Tickets on sale at H. H. Fenn Co.'s store

## Grand Final to a Successful Clearing Sale

July and August are usually two of the duller months of the year, but we have made them good busy months by conducting weekly Clearing Sales. Now, to fittingly close the season and to dispose of the last of the summer goods we intend to inaugurate a final closing sale. It's your last opportunity, and we hope you will take advantage of it. Fall goods are beginning to arrive and must soon command our entire attention.

## Final Clean-Up of Men's and Boys' Clothing

Light weight clothing is in great demand at this season, and we still have 79 Hart Schaffner & Marx Men's Suits OF THIS SEASON'S MAKE in stock. These are all to be sold now at cost, and less than cost. Every suit sold will make a friend for us.

\$22.00 Suits, now \$16.50

\$25.00 Suits, now \$18.50

Other good makes of Suits now \$5.00 to \$10.00 and \$12.50.

STRAW HATS—All Fine Straw Hats at just HALF-PRICE.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS—Men's 50c Work Shirts now 39c.

GLOVES—Canvas Gloves 5c.

KNEE PANT SUITS—All knee pant Suits reduced.

## Final Clean-Up of An Immense Stock of Shoes

We find upon a careful examination many more odds and ends of broken sizes than we had any idea were here, and it is compulsory that these be sold at once. While we haven't a full line of sizes in every lot there are so many different lots that you'll have no difficulty finding your size. We advise you to bring the whole family in and buy a year's supply of shoes. The following prices are as tempting as we make them.

Men's \$4.00 Packard Oxfords in all leathers and all the newest shapes, now \$3.00.

Men's \$3.50 Oxfords, now \$2.75.

Women's odd pairs, newest Oxford and Pumps

\$3.50 kind, now \$2.50

\$3.00 kind, now \$2.00 and \$2.25

\$2.50 kind, now \$1.75

Big lot of odd pairs of Men's and Women's Lace and Button Shoes at ONE-FOURTH to ONE-THIRD off regular prices.

Why not buy Children's Shoes now at cut prices for odd pairs of new shoes, rather than wait until school opens.

## Final Clean-Up of Ladies' Waists, Skirts, Suits and Coats

After this sale there'll be so few summer shirt waists and skirts left that we cannot advertise them again. Therefore, it will be more profitable for you to buy now, if you can possibly use anything in this line. The stocks are more condensed than they were a few weeks ago.

Big lot of Women's Waists were \$1.50 and \$1.25, now 75c.

Another lot of \$2.00 Waists, now to clear out quickly \$1.00.

All Women's Odd Dress Skirts, now reduced for quick sale.

\$5.00 Newest Skirts, now \$3.75

\$10.00 Newest Skirts, now \$8.00

Big lot of new odd Skirts no two alike but nearly all sizes of some style in the lot at \$2.50 and \$3.50.



## Fall Clothing FOR YOUNG MEN.



Every little bit helps to make our new Fall Suits for Young Men a little better than any you've ever seen—in every detail. You won't find flaws in weave and make—you won't get excuses for lack of style. We don't beat about the bush—they're here, right, true—ready for you, in your size, fit and price, from \$12.00 to \$30.00.

### SHOE DEPARTMENT.

In this department we have several lines of the best makes on the market, both in Oxford and High Cut that are right in leathers, styles and prices.

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Middlings, per hundred.	1.50
Corn and Oats, ground, per hundred.	1.50
Oats, per bushel.	.45
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### LOCAL ITEMS.

G. Koch has accepted a position with A. G. Faist.

The front of the Campbell & Wood block has been repainted.

Ed. Weber has had his residence on Congdon street reshingled.

D. H. Fuller is having a furnace put in his residence on Jefferson street.

Miss Mildred Daniels, will teach the Lima Center school the coming year.

William Wheeler, Jr., has had an addition built to his residence on south Main street.

Floyd Lake purchased the merchants delivery business of H. R. Schoenhals, Monday.

The Cardinals defeated the North Lake ball team at North Lake last Thursday by a score of 6 to 1.

N. F. Prudden is installing a bathroom outfit in the residence of Mrs. Fred Roedel on Harrison street.

O. A. Burgess is making arrangements to erect a large tool and corn house on his premises in Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ives were called to Stockbridge Sunday by the serious illness of Mrs. F. E. Ives.

The Chelsea Cardinals and Pinckney ball teams will play a game at North Lake on Wednesday, August 17th.

The class of 1895 of the Chelsea high school will hold a reunion at the home of Mrs. Ellsworth Fletcher Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strieter have moved from the Chandler house on south Main street into the Haner residence on Buchanan street.

The North Lake band is making arrangements to hold a picnic at North Lake on Wednesday, August 17. The Waterloo band will furnish music.

Daniel Shell, who has been ill for the past two months, returned to his position as day watchman on the Main street crossing of the Michigan Central Monday.

Rev. M. L. Grant, pastor of the Congregational church, announced last Sunday that he had decided to remain in Chelsea, and not accept the call to St. Johns.

Born, Saturday, July 30, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sullivan, of Union City, a son. Mrs. Sullivan is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKernan, of Lyndon, and she is well known to many of the residents in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, of Jackson have moved their household goods into the residence of Henry Gorton, corner of Summit and East streets. Mr. Hutchinson has accepted an important position with the Grant & Wood Mfg. Co.

Part of the crew who have been at work raising the Michigan Central tracks, on the grade west of here, have been moved to Four Mile Lake, where they are working getting the tracks ready for the water tanks that the company will have built.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Feldkamp, of Sharon, have issued announcements of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Esther Grace, and Mr. C. William Lamming, on Tuesday, August 9, 1910. The young couple will be at home in Manchester after September 1st.

The Lady Maccabees will hold a lawn party at the home of Lady Ada Wood, Thursday, August 18th. Each lady can invite as many as she cares to furnish and pay 5 cents each for. Scrub lunch, bring plates, cups, spoons, and forks.

Mrs. Frank E. Ives, aged 65 years, died at her home in Stockbridge, Wednesday forenoon, August 10, 1910. She was born in Unadilla and was well known to many residents of this place. The funeral will be held from her late home at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Rev. Johnson officiating.

Geo. Heschelwerdt, who recently purchased what is known as the Merchant property on North street, has made quite a change in the appearance of the house. He has raised the building up from the ground and built a new wall under it, and is having an addition built on the west end of the house.

Next Monday, August 15, will be the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin. It is a holy day of obligation in the Catholic church. Special services will be held in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart on that day. Low mass at 6 a. m.; high mass at 9:30 a. m.; rosary and benediction at 7:30 p. m.

LaRue Shaver was taken ill last Friday with a return attack of peritonitis and appendicitis. His first illness was June 16th, and for the last month he has been spending his time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shaver. He had made arrangements to return to his work in Detroit today. The last reports indicate that he is improving.

Robert McGuiness, of Dexter town, ship, was assaulted by a stranger on the streets near the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank Wednesday evening. As a result of the encounter McGuiness had his left jaw fractured and cheek badly bruised. The assault seems to have been unprovoked, and the man who struck the blow is said to have worn a pair of brass knuckles. No arrests have been made so far.

Michael Wackenbut was in Ann Arbor Monday on business.

Mrs. Isaac Glenn, of Orchard street, has had her residence repainted.

Born, Tuesday, August 9, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Heissel, a son.

Mrs. Catherine Sullivan has had her residence on Congdon street repainted.

Born, Friday, August 5, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kantlehner, a daughter.

James Kerns, of the Chelsea Car-buretor Co., was in Detroit Monday on business.

Miss Hazel Hummel has been engaged to teach the sixth grade of the Chelsea school.

Considerable cool has been delivered in the Chelsea market during the last two weeks.

An extensive addition is being built on the barn at the Methodist Old People's Home.

August 22 is the last date for handing in of petitions for the primaries to be held September 6.

Mat D. Blosser, editor of the Manchester Enterprise was a caller at the Standard office Wednesday.

Mrs. Chris. Fiegel, of Freedom, has let the contract for a new residence on her farm to W. J. Beurele.

J. B. Beissel is having a shed built on his Main street property which he will use for a barrel storehouse.

The interior of St. Mary's hall is being redecorated. The work is being done by out-of-town parties.

Mrs. Edwin Doody, of Lyndon, left last week for an extended visit with relatives in Detroit and Mt. Pleasant.

Misses Ethel Burkhardt and Nina Hunter will leave about the 20th of this month for a two weeks trip by boat to the Soo.

James Beasley and a forced of line-men are at work changing the tele-graph lines of the Michigan Central on the grade west of Chelsea.

Seymour Tyndall, for more than 50 years a well known and respected resident of Sylvan, died at his home in that township at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Word has been received that Mrs. Oscar Noble, who was a resident of Chelsea twenty years ago, died at her home in Winthrop, Mass., Tuesday, August 24.

The Standard's building on Middle street, which was damaged by fire is nearly ready for occupancy, and The Standard hopes soon to be settled permanently.

The Michigan Central started a crew of bridge builders at work on the culverts that they are having built on the grade west of here, Wednesday morning.

The motor at the municipal water pumping station which was put out of commission by lightning last week, has been repaired and everything is in working order again.

The next regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., will be held on Wednesday evening, August 17. This will be the last meeting. At the close of the business session scrub lunch will be served.

John Kalmbach, who recently purchased the property on the corner of East and Jefferson streets, has rented the residence to Claire Congdon, who is employed in the office of the Grant & Wood Mfg. Co.

Railroad traffic men estimate that the Michigan fruit crop this year will be 700 to 800 carloads less than last year's crop. Higher prices will, however, somewhat reduce the loss to the farmers of the fruit belt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stimson are making arrangements to move to Detroit about September 1st. Their many friends will regret this action on their part, but will wish them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laird, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Luick, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boyd, and Ed. Beach attended the annual meeting of the Black Top Sheep-breeders' Association of Michigan, held at Oak Grove Wednesday.

Four special trains loaded with Knights Templar, passed through Chelsea Monday, for Chicago to attend the triennial convocation of the order in the United States. It is estimated that 500 Knights Templar from Michigan attended the sessions of the convocation this week.

Several weeks ago a deaf and dumb man called on the business men of this place and solicited subscriptions for magazines. In a number of instances he received orders and the cash, but up to the time of going to press none of them have received any of their magazines.

Thirteen years ago a bushel of Dakota corn bought seven pounds of sugar now it buys sixteen pounds. Then it bought five gallons of kerosene now it buys eleven gallons. The purchasing value of all sorts of farm produce and live stock has increased at the same rate.—Mblion Leader.

A. J. Winches, aged 70 years, of Jackson, met with an accident Friday afternoon that gave him considerable of a shaking up. He and his son had taken the contract to paint the roof on the residence of James Taylor on Railroad street. While about his work Mr. Winches fell from the peak of the roof to the ground, badly bruising his right hip and shoulder, but no bones were broken. He returned to his home Friday night.



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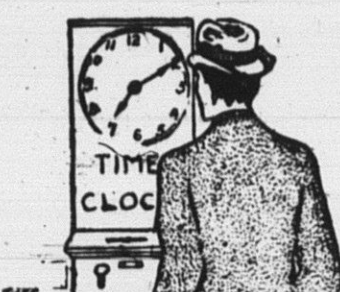
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# The TALLEST TREE THAT GROWS

By EDGERTON R. YOUNG

**I**N THESE days, when the reforestation of the waste lands of our country is becoming a question of such national importance, the study of the relative value of different species of trees is naturally very essential.

Scientific parties are scouring the earth in search for new plants, fruits and vegetables to add to our enjoyment and happiness. A good degree of success has already attended their efforts, and doubtless much more will yet be accomplished by them.

Owing to the rapidly increased price of timber and lumber, the matter of forest-growing is of vital interest to the great corporations like the railroads, manufacturing and building companies, that must have, for their very existence, vast quantities of timber and lumber. The timber required by the railroads for the one item of railroad ties, not taking into consideration the quantity used in the construction of cars and buildings, consumes the output of many hundreds of thousands of acres of timber lands every year.

While undoubtedly the valuable trees indigenous to America will be most largely replanted and utilized, many others that are not natives of this continent, when found by experiment to be easily grown and of value, will also be imported and largely cultivated.

In the case of the eucalyptus this has already been done, and so extensively is the tree now grown in California, and so many and valued are its uses, that it will be news to multitudes to hear that there still live many who remember when it was first brought into that state



EUCALYPTUS VIMINALIS: CALIFORNIA

by the late Bishop Taylor from distant Australia, its original home.

It was a surprise, as well as a revelation, to find on our recent visit to Australia that in that far-away land, under the Southern Cross, were growing trees that towered in the air 150 feet higher than the great Sequoia, the famous red wood of our American west; and yet such is the fact, as some specimens of the Eucalyptus amygdalina reach to the great height of 450 feet. Specimens about that are from 120 to 200 feet in circumference. They are practically of no use for commercial purposes, as the expense of cutting down such enormous trees and then getting their logs split up into pieces that can be handled is so great that these monsters are passed by the thrifty lumbermen for the smaller ones that are more easily handled.

The Eucalyptus amygdalina is the tallest, if not perhaps the largest, tree that grows. Specimens over 400 feet high are frequently found, while some have been measured towering up to 470 and 480 feet. The timber of these great specimens is easily worked, and, as it does not warp readily, is much used in carpentry.

The eucalyptus tree is a genus of trees and shrubs of the natural order of Myrtaceae, embracing about 150 species. All but four of them are natives of Australia and Tasmania only. The eucalyptus trees are so abundant in many parts of Australia that over vast areas they are practically the only trees visible. The fact that the fully developed trees are destitute of symmetry and beauty robs the great Australian wooded regions of that attractiveness and charm which gives such pleasure and delight to the primeval forests of America.

One striking characteristic of several varieties of the eucalyptus is that, while they never seem to shed their leaves, they cast or slough off their bark in long strips every year. The leaves, which have a leathery appearance, contain a considerable quantity of volatile oil. The tincture or oil extracted from them has a bitter aromatic taste and is extensively used as a remedy for various diseases.

On the young shoots of many species the leaves in pairs are opposite to each other, as they appear on ordinary plants, while on the older branches the leaves are arranged alternately and grow in such a way that they present their edges to the sun. This seems to be a provision to protect them from the

intense heat of the tropical sun of those lands where they most flourish.

The Eucalyptus globulus, generally called the blue gum, from its bluish-green leaves, is the variety most successfully grown in California. It has also been introduced and flourishes in India, Natal, Egypt, Algeria, and in various parts of southern Europe and in some other warm countries. It cannot stand the frost, and so must be classed among tropical trees. Perhaps only in the state of Florida and California can we expect to see it in perfection in this country; yet although its introduction into California has been of but recent date, already its value to that state has been very considerable.

Some of the species of eucalyptus are much more valuable than others. There is also a great diversity both in their appearance and worth. One of the most valuable is the Eucalyptus marginata, popularly called the Jarrah wood. It grows to a great size and its timber is so hard that it is found to be especially valuable in the construction of wharves, as it resists the attack of the ship worms and borers that are so destructive to ordinary wood. Because of this quality it also enters largely into the construction of ships and is utilized in other marine uses.

Some varieties of the eucalyptus yield a kind of astringent gum or resin called Viny, while from others a species of manna—a hard little, sweet substance—is obtained in considerable quantities. As an antidote against malaria and as being valuable in warding off or dissipating malaria in regions where malaria abounds, the eucalyptus has obtained a considerable reputation. Expert opinions seem to be divided as to the way in which its beneficent results come about. Some think it is the result of the volatile oils which these trees give off through their leaves, acting as a neutralizing and even destructive power against the malarial matter in the atmosphere; others maintain that its beneficent results are caused by the fact of the trees being such rapid growers, and the great quantity of water they thus absorb and then give off purifies the atmosphere. Whatever may be the cause, the fact is evident that their presence in goodly numbers, planted in malarial regions, has produced most beneficent results.

The Roman Campagna especially has been greatly benefited, so much so that large portions once considered almost fatal to human

life, and shunned and feared, are now the abodes of numbers of people who find, since the introduction of the eucalyptus trees, but little traces of the dreaded malaria that for ages once caused those regions to be so shunned and deserted.

In the low malarial regions around the Cape of Good Hope and in some similar unhealthy regions around Algiers and elsewhere, the same beneficent results have followed the introduction of the eucalyptus trees.

As yet no variety has been discovered that is able to withstand even a moderate frost, but the fact that millions of these trees can be raised so easily and quickly in California and Florida and perhaps in the warm places on the Gulf of Mexico, and that its timber can be so widely utilized, is a matter for congratulation to all who are interested in the conservation of our forests and also in the introduction of new varieties of trees that will add to the timber wealth of the country.

In general, eucalyptus may be successfully planted in the sections of the United States suitable for the culture of citrus fruits. They are grown in nearly all the agricultural sections of California, along the coast of southern Oregon, and to a limited extent in Arizona, New Mexico and western Texas. Several species have also been planted in Florida and along the Gulf coast. Here, however, occasional frosts have killed or severely damaged the trees, and for this reason planting has been discouraged.

The blue gum (Eucalyptus globulus) has a phenomenally rapid rate of growth. Seedlings stand will average a height of 50 feet in 6 years and 100 feet in 10 years. Under very favorable conditions individual trees have reached a height of 125 feet and a diameter of 36 inches in 9 years. In sprout stands growth is even more rapid; trees frequently reach 3 inches in diameter and 35 feet in height in 8 months, while in 3 years a diameter of 7 inches and a height of 70 feet are often attained. In California, under favorable conditions, trees have attained a height of 175 feet and a diameter of 5 feet in 25 years. Although sometimes irregular in form, the tree tends to develop a straight, gradually tapering, unforked stem. In plantations the trunks become rapidly cleared of branches to a considerable height, but in the open, trees branch more widely and gradually develop a short crown of massive, spreading branches.

Blue gum is practically immune from disease. Where trees are reproduced by sprouts, the old stumps frequently decay slowly at the heart, while the sprouts remained unaffected. Growing trees are not attacked by insect enemies, but felled timber lying unbarbed upon the ground is subject to injury by a wood-mining insect.

Blue gum rarely suffers any breakage of the limbs by winds, and the spreading root system renders the trees very wind-firm.

Fire is the greatest source of injury to eucalyptus plantations. Both the natural characteristics of the trees and the conditions within planted groves render them peculiarly susceptible to fire injury. The large quantity of litter—dry leaves, branches and shredded bark—which accumulates beneath a stand is extremely inflammable. The bark of eucalyptus is so thin that the trees are injured even by light surface fires.

The wood of blue gum is very heavy, hard, strong and tough, but is not durable in contact with the soil. It is close-grained, and is split with difficulty after it has dried. It is less elastic than hickory, but it has been demonstrated by mechanical tests that seasoned blue gum timber is a little inferior in strength and stiffness to the best second-growth hickory. In appearance it closely resembles the wood of hickory and ash.

Blue-gum timber is utilized for a great variety of purposes in California. The wood is excellent for fuel, and in the treeless valleys has been the chief fuel supply for many years. In southern California the steady demand renders commercial planting for fuel very profitable. Eucalyptus timber has been extensively used in California for wharf piling. Blue-gum piles are in use in nearly every port on the California coast, and extended trial has shown that they resist the attacks of marine borers which destroy timber in sea water longer than other species commonly used for piling. Blue-gum timber has also been used to some extent for fence posts and telephone poles. The wood is not suitable for this purpose, however, on account of its short life in the ground. Seasoned posts last a little longer than green posts, and timber cut from the heart is more durable than sapwood.

Blue-gum timber has been used to a limited extent to determine its value for railroad ties. The results thus far obtained indicate that it compares favorably with second-grade pine-tie timber.

The lumber has been extensively used for vehicle stock and for wooden parts of agricultural implements. It is also made into insulator pins for electric wiring, and is used for furniture and cabinet work, hardwood flooring, trip-hammer beams, the levers of windlasses, and the blocking for oil and wine presses, wood paving, pulley blocks and belt wheels.

The extensive utilization of gum lumber has hitherto been prevented by the scanty supply of timber of merchantable size and by the difficulty experienced in seasoning the lumber without warping and checking. It is believed, however, that in the seasoning of gum no greater difficulties will be encountered than in seasoning of any other hardwood of similar density and strength.

A product of considerable importance derived from blue gum is the oil distilled from the leaves. Eucalyptus oil is recognized as a valuable drug and is extensively used by pharmacists and physicians.

In many valleys of California eucalyptus windbreaks are considered absolutely necessary to insure the successful production of crops. They have been most extensively used to safeguard citrus orchards from strong and destructive winds in southern California, but they are now being established also for the protection of vineyards and orchards of deciduous fruits, olives and walnuts. The blue gum excels other species for windbreak purposes on account of its height and the rapidity of its growth. The tall shafts of the trees bend before the wind and act as a cushion to deflect it upward over the orchard, whereas ordinary wind-break trees form a more solid wall, and the wind draws downward, forming eddies near the leeward side.

Eucalyptus reproduce readily by both seeds and sprouts. The trees bear seed in abundance annually, and under favorable conditions natural reproduction is freely established. Trees also sprout vigorously from both the stump and the roots, either after cutting or in response to injury. In California commercial groves are almost invariably reproduced by sprouts.

Plantations should be started with young trees and not by direct sowing. The opinion is generally held that eucalyptus seedlings are so difficult to raise that their propagation is impracticable except for expert nurserymen. In point of fact, blue gum is one of the most easily propagated species.

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"My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. Mrs. M. E. Fallin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 19, 1909."

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Yet there are hundreds of bright girls living in the many smaller towns of Michigan just as eager to make use of their intelligence, capacity, and ability for steady work as there are in the largest city of our State. It seems odd, at first glance, why attention has not already been drawn to this fact, and it may be that the distance between two apparently remote towns was supposed to be an insuperable obstacle against such girls taking advantage of their own willingness and ability. But this need no longer be considered in the same light as heretofore.

The Michigan State Telephone Company, a corporation which is part of the immense body supplying telephone service all over the United States, is in a position not only to provide congenial employment to the right kind of girl but also to protect her as an individual from the annoyances and inconveniences experienced by so many others earning their own living in Detroit, and this, too, no matter how far her home may be from that city.

The story of how this is done is an interesting one, but will be told as briefly as possible.

We will consider, for the sake of example, the case of a girl living in a town one hundred miles from Detroit. We will suppose her to be a refined girl, of good parentage, but with a dash of that fine American independence which leads her to want to help support herself. She feels that she has the power of doing good work when the kind of work given appeals to her sense of refinement; she is clever; she has common sense and she can be depended upon. These qualities have come to her naturally and she says to herself that she has the right to make proper use of them.

To some of these young women the idea of work at a telephone switchboard must undoubtedly have come some time or other. They know little or nothing about it, perhaps, but they do know that the work is dignified. They realize that the telephone girl, as she makes desired connections, one after the other, with deft fingers and alert brain, is an all-important unit in the throbbing business life of today.

The girl of whom we write thinks of this among other things, and perhaps she laments the fact that she lives so far away from the scene of such attractions. Yet she is the very girl that the telephone company is willing to take, teach and protect as she does

her allotted part of the great work.

Any fear that she may be lost in a big strange city may be dismissed at once. The Michigan State Telephone Company has established a series of boarding houses near its various exchanges. Each is in charge of a trusted matron, who sees that bed and board are provided for her at reasonable living rates, and that she shall never come into contact with undesirable persons. As for the exchanges themselves, they possess most of the comforts of home and many which our heroine could not obtain at home at all.

Take, for example, the Main exchange; the other eight exchanges have the same facilities, but we will consider this one because it is the largest. We will follow our out-of-town girl as she enters the building. Arrangements have been made ahead of her arrival, and the various steps are already smoothed out for her.

She goes first to the Operators' School. There she fills out her application blank, if she has not already done so, and is introduced to the instructor. The girl will probably start right away as a pupil in the school.

So much time lost, she may think, before beginning to earn money? Not at all. The Company pays her a salary right away! That salary begins from the moment she enters the school, and continues, whether she takes two weeks or four weeks, or even six weeks, to learn her work. It may be mentioned, incidentally, that some of those who have turned out the best and most reliable operators have been longest in the school.

Our out-of-town girl will then come to learn that there is a beautiful rest-room provided for the operators,

where, for intervals of fifteen minutes, her morning and afternoon shifts are broken for that length of time so that she may return refreshed to the board. In this rest-room there is a player-piano, to which she may dance when in the mood. There is a branch of the Detroit Public Library, put there so that she may draw freely what book she wants simply by filling out a card and it will be sent to her. There are beautiful, refreshing bath tubs, and above all, there is a popular matron in charge of everything.

Lunch? Dinner? Why, yes. The girl does not have to go out of the building for that. A cafe and kitchen, maintained by the telephone company at great expense, await her dainty appetite. Food is sold there at quite nominal prices—ridiculous prices, some people might say. Think of a piece of home-made pie for three cents, a glass of pure milk for the same queer price, and as for such a meal as may be obtained for fifteen cents, well, we doubt if the St. Regis Hotel in New York could do better for fifteen dollars!

But to get back to the work. Our heroine, after she has been in the school and been thoroughly grounded in her work—the Company never puts inexperienced girls at the board—is now ready to be a real telephone girl. She may be a little nervous at first, but she finds that the two experienced girls on both sides of her will take care of that. They help her out with her calls, to say nothing of the Supervisor, or "Captain of Nine" who walks up and down behind nine girls and sees that none of them gets into difficulties.

Now, the particular quality of telephone work, and that which appeals to many girls, is that they never come into contact with the public. They do not have to meet undesirable people. Even over the telephone wires, when an unreasonable or impatient sub-

scriber "abuses" her, she is not compelled to listen to any tirades. She could not make the other connections wanted by the public if she did. But whether she's busy or not, the company protects the telephone girl from the abusive subscriber by directing her to "switch" him to the Chief Operator's desk, where he (or she) can be handled at more leisure by employees who will smooth out the difficulties of which the subscriber may complain.

The telephone girl does not have to handle any soiled or dangerous equipment, or to get in the way of any machinery. She takes hold only of cords, keys and plugs, which are necessarily kept free from dust, or they would deteriorate. And the same equipment which protects the subscriber and the switchboard tender from lightning protects also the telephone girl.

The young woman of whom we are writing will find that while, in the telephone business as in other kinds, there is no royal road to learning, yet she has nevertheless but few difficulties to encounter, and that the company has made her way as smooth as possible. This is not philanthropy on the part of the Michigan State Telephone Company. It makes no such claim. Of course there's the natural respect which the men at the head of the organization feel for the girl who earns her living—all decent men possess that feeling—but this making of things to be as attractive as possible for the girls is one dictated by business motives. The better the girl, and the better she may be made by the company itself, the better she will do its work. The prosperity and success of a telephone company depend upon the class of service which it furnishes, and this depends upon its standard of employee.

And the first-class operator need not always remain an operator. There are innumerable opportunities for advancement not only with the telephone company, but also with hotels and great corporations which have private branch exchanges.

The girl who lives at a distance from Detroit may reflect upon these things. She may address a letter to the Operators' School, Michigan State Telephone Co., Detroit, and the reply sent will give her abundant information on what to do if she wishes to apply for a position. It will be worth while.

## Stage Rocks.

I recollect being annoyed by a scene in grand opera representing the sea-shore. The rocks were most artistically placed at regular intervals, like the hoops on a croquet lawn. It was a Balfe opera, in which the heroine dies of thirst, and I was informed that as a certain prima donna who sang this dry part could not get through the great effort without refreshment, she rolled over stage rocks, behind which were placed pots of porter at frequent intervals, at each of which she had a pull as she turned over in supposed anguish.—Strand.

## Highly Indecorous.

"Were you at the wedding of that rich tobaccoist's daughter last night?"  
"Yes, and it was a swell affair."  
"Everything pass off pleasantly?"  
"Yes, except that when the guests left the house a parcel of unmannerly boys near the front door stopped every one of them and said, 'Won't you please give me your keweenaw!'"

## Recognition.

"At last," said the literary young man, "I have succeeded in having my poetry taken seriously."  
"How did you manage it?"  
"Put it into the love letters on which a breach of promise suit is now being based."

## When Women Vote.

"My dear madam, don't you know that repeating is a serious thing?"  
"Judge, I had to do it. Both candidates are in my set. I couldn't possibly discriminate, you know."

## Gambling in Insurance.

The Britisher's favorite gambling is insurance gambling. He will take out a policy against anything from the death of the king to the loss of a horse race by a thoroughbred. Marine insurance gambling by those who have no direct interest in the safety of a ship or its cargo grew into such abuses that parliament has been compelled to pass a drastic act to prevent such gambling on marine accidents and losses by those not otherwise concerned.—New York Press

## Early St. Louis Preacher.

St. Louis lays claim to the distinction of having the oldest beginner in the ministry. He is Col. F. J. Hart, age sixty-five years and a veteran of the Civil war, who was ordained and installed pastor of a Congregational church recently. Having made a good deal of money in mining and having been interested in Y. M. C. A. and church work for many years, Colonel Hart says he wants to end his days with the title of reverend.

## Willie Knew.

"Willie," said the teacher, "can you tell me what happens when a man's temperature goes down as far as it can go?"  
"Please, mum," replied Willie, "he would have cold feet."—Scraps.

## Unaccountable.

"Those people who lately moved in next door have every appearance of having moved in good society."  
"Yes; that's why the language their parrot uses seems so peculiarly shocking."

## Artistic Temperament.

"I hear that your husband has gone to New York," said Mrs. Oldcastle.  
"Yes," replied her hostess. "We found out one of them old masters we had in the gallery wasn't the real thing, and he's gone to see if he can't find something else about the right size to fit the place where it hung. Joshua is so artistic that he can't bear to see the gallery thrown out of proportion by having more pictures on one side than the other."—Ideas.

## Look the Medicine Chest.

The nursery medicine chest may be a source of danger if left unlocked, for even such things as mustard kept there for plasters, cloudy ammonia, cough mixtures, or selditz powders may become sources of danger in the hands of a small child.

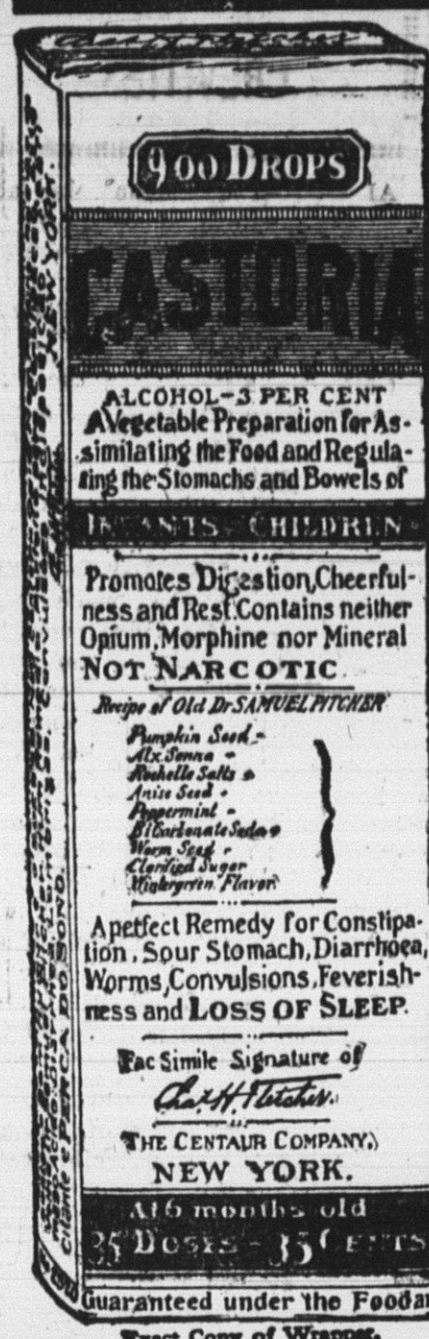
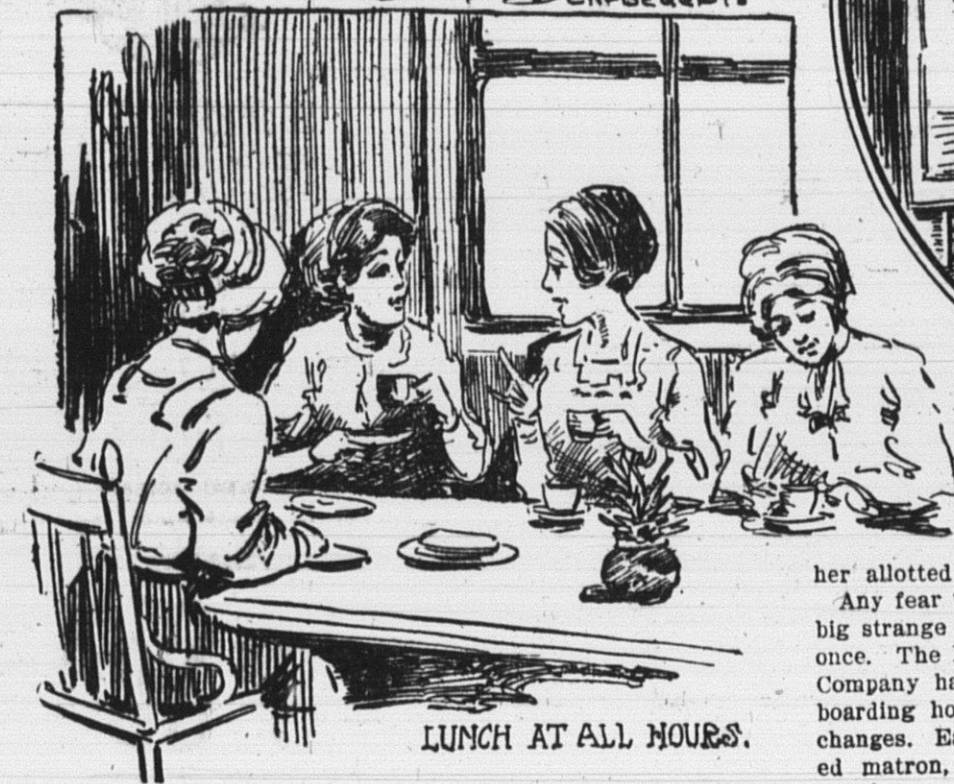
The cupboard may be ever so high, but an inquisitive and exploring child, if it has a mind to, will find a way of reaching it. Keep it locked and you will have the "key of the situation."

## Can You Beat It?

"Can you against the railroad power?" interrupted the man in the audience.  
"I am!" shouted the Socialist orator.  
"Huh! You're traveling on a passenger now!"  
"Sure I am! I hate 'em so that I refuse to pay 'em money!"

## In Fashion.

"What monogram would you like on your stationery, madam?"  
"Why, I don't know; but the one that is most in fashion, of course."



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"How many acres of farming land have you?" he inquired warily.  
"Bout 20, I guess," said Reuben.  
"Twenty? Why, it looks to me like nearer 120. Come, now, can't you increase that a little? There are surely more than 20 acres in that tract. Suppose you stretch that a little."  
"Say, feller," said the farmer, "this ain't no rubber plantation."—Jarper's Monthly.

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

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Jackson.....	35c
Battle Creek.....	\$1.05
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Train leaves at 8:40 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 twelve-cent center.

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**BREVITIES**

**ALBION**—The Albion Malleable Iron Company will almost double the number of their employees between now and next November and the town is facing a house famine. Fully 50 more houses will be needed.

**GRASS LAKE**—It is said the grave of old Mrs. Mozette in the west cemetery has been identified, and an effort will be made to raise a small amount of money with which to buy a stone to place at its head bearing her name and age, which was 104 years.—News.

**MANCHESTER**—So much road work has been done throughout the country and liberal supplies of gravel placed in the center of the road that automobiles have difficulty in making 25 miles an hour over them. Well, the roads will be all right next year.—Enterprise.

**ANN ARBOR**—Daniel Herman has started suit for \$10,000 damages against Milton and James Hack, who he alleges, assaulted him July 22 and beat him so badly that for a time his life was despaired of. He claims ignorance of any knowledge of the cause of the assault.

**DENTER**—Wednesday evening the little 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Elsasser, while creeping along the floor, found the door open that led to the back stairway and fell the full length of the stairs. When picked up was found to be only slightly bruised.

**SALINE**—The long talked of Saline river drain is soon to commence operations. It is to be nearly seven and one half miles in length, commencing near the center of section fifteen in Bridgewater, two miles south-west of Joslyn lake and will end on the Hood farm in Saline township.—Observer.

**GRASS LAKE**—Owing to the general drying up of the pastures in the vicinity of Grass Lake, which the recent rains have bettered but little, there has been an unprecedented scarcity of dairy butter in that market. Of course, the creamery always insures people a sufficiency of the article at an advanced price.

**YPSILANTI**—The Bazarett store was entered by burglars and about \$33 was taken. The clerk found the door open and unlocked from the inside Saturday morning, but cannot discover how the thief got in. It is suspected that the thief slipped in and hid before the store was closed and went out in the early morning.

**BROOKLYN**—Last Thursday's meeting in Brooklyn accomplished the organization of The Oliver Concrete Machinery Co. which is the name of the new firm soon to be located in Brooklyn for the manufacture of cement block building machines made under the Oliver patent. The company is capitalized for \$35,000.

**HOWELL**—Sheep dogs are abroad in Hamburg townships. One day recently when Curtis S. Olsvater went to salt his sheep he found fifteen dead or so badly wounded they died, and was unable to find some of them at all. Mrs. Kate Fitzgerald also lost twenty-two. People should be compelled to muzzle their dogs or shut them up at night.—Tidings.

**ANN ARBOR**—Frank Tower of Saline was brought to the university hospital Saturday morning in a serious condition from a wound in the head which he cannot explain. He was plowing in the field and staggered into the house, bleeding and muttering incoherently. Physicians say he must have been struck by the horses he was driving or in some way injured by the plow.

**MILAN**—It is now definitely settled that the Catholics in this vicinity will soon have a church in Milan. Father Soest came from Whitaker Sunday and met the building committee and a large number of Catholics at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Keller on west Main street. The plans for the structure were accepted and it was decided to at once call for one half of the money recently subscribed.—Leader.

**DENTER TOWNSHIP**—Bertrand Taylor and Anna Taylor of Dexter township, have decided to try it together a while longer. The other day Mrs. Taylor filed bill for divorce alleging cruelty, drunkenness and other things and declared she could not live with Mr. Taylor a minute longer. Since then, however, the couple have had a number of meetings and the result is the withdrawal of the bill for divorce.

**TECUMSEH**—The fine building on the farm of Eugene Case near Sand Lake and occupied by his son Everett was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday afternoon. Everything was burned to the ground, a new barn was being built that shared the general fate. It is thought that it was a case of spontaneous combustion as the barns were full of new hay. The buildings were covered by insurance but the loss at this season of the year cannot be computed.—Herald.

**WEBSTER**—Chicken thieves have been making raids on the farmers coops in this township during the past week.

**DENTER**—Friends of Miss Edna Stanton were surprised to hear that she was married in June in Detroit, to Rubin Seybold of Ann Arbor. They will settle in a new home in Ann Arbor.

**GRASS LAKE**—The Jackson county Sunday school and rally picnic will be held in Keeley Park, Jackson, September 1st. A number of races, ball game and other sports have been arranged for the day.

**County Auditors' Report.**

Board of County Auditors—July session, 1910.

The Board of County Auditors met in regular session in the Auditors' Room in the court house in the City of Ann Arbor, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 5, 6 and 7, 1910.

Present—Auditors Fischer, Bacon and Stowell.

The following bills were audited and warrants ordered drawn for the same:

**COUNTY**

Josephine Hoppe, school examinations.....	\$36 00
M. J. Cavanaugh, school examinations.....	36 00
Geo. W. McCormick, patient to Lapeer.....	6 98
Chelsea Standard, printing.....	3 85
Smith Dust Collector, dusters.....	3 00
St. Joseph Retreat, patient.....	65 00
Chelsea Standard, printing for School Com.....	3 50
Rowe City Laundry, washing blankets.....	9 75
Chas. J. Meyers, printing.....	8 00
Chas. J. Krabel, repairing trees Postal Telegraph, telegrams.....	37 50
L. C. Smith & Bro., repairing typewriter.....	1 50
W. H. L. Rohde, cement for trees.....	1 50
Christian Schlenker, supplies.....	13 20
Rachel Cook, juvenile Court.....	3 00
Ida McCormick, patient to Lapeer.....	6 98
John W. Breining, patient to Lapeer.....	18 21
Doubleday Bros., supplies.....	29 50
Athens Press, supplies.....	7 50
Sid W. Millard, printing.....	9 50
Geo. Wahr, supplies.....	21 05
Seybolt & Esslinger, work on trees.....	18 50
Michigan State Telephone Co., phones.....	48 75
Dr. T. J. Ritter, examination insane.....	10 00
Dr. Wm. Blair, examination insane.....	10 00
Marvin Davenport, cleaning boilers.....	20 00
Michigan State Telephone Co., tolls.....	6 30
Chas. M. King, work on safe.....	2 50
The Times News Co., printing Ann Arbor Water Co., water.....	13 60
Miller & Pray, matches.....	4 75
Mayers, Schottel & Schairer, supplies.....	11 00
Michigan State Telephone Co., toll.....	70
Dr. Jeanne Solis, examination.....	5 00
Detroit Safe Co., opening County Treasurer's safe.....	28 57
Drake Law Book Co., book for Prosecuting Attorney.....	7 50
Clyde C. Kerr, printing.....	4 00
Sid W. Millard, printing.....	3 25
Peter Hines, constable.....	2 50
M. S. Cook, justice.....	6 90
S. W. Birchfield, coroner.....	23 85
Geo. Dietle, deputy sheriff.....	4 68
Geo. Dietle, deputy sheriff.....	4 35
E. L. Watkins, justice.....	12 25
Geo. H. Fischer, auditor.....	15 28
Frank Stowell, auditor.....	16 80
Wm. Bacon, auditor.....	17 52
Leo Kennedy, constable.....	2 10
Wm. Walsh, expense bill deputy sheriff.....	5 00
W. A. Seery, transient officer.....	96 80
William C. Gerstner, deputy sheriff.....	7 05
Daniel B. Sutton, board of prisoners.....	67 85
L. Watkins, justice.....	3 00
Chas. Younhas, marshal.....	4 50
Geo. Dietle, deputy sheriff.....	1 20
L. L. Watkins, justice.....	5 65
W. G. Doty, justice.....	20 00
F. A. Ritchie, justice.....	55 25
Chas. Hipp, deputy sheriff.....	59 63
Floriant Muehligh, burial indigent soldier.....	55 00
W. L. Henderson, livery for officers.....	10 00
Freeman B. Stark, deputy sheriff expense bill.....	9 12
Martin B. Stadtmiller, justice.....	33 00
STAGHER & CO., supplies.....	10 74
Eberbach & Son, supplies.....	21 00
Conrad Georgem, M. D., services.....	98 50
Ellen B. Murray, services.....	57 00
Duane Spalsbury, supplies.....	35 25

FUEL AND LIGHT	
William H. L. Rohde, coal.....	79 05
Ann Arbor Gas Co., light.....	23 44
Washtenaw Light & Power Co., light.....	43 46
William H. L. Rohde, coal for jail.....	162 37
Moved by Auditor Stowell and supported by Auditor Bacon, that the proceedings of the Board of Auditors for the month of July be printed in the Milan Leader and the Chelsea Standard. Carried.	
GEORGE H. FISCHER, Chairman.	
CHAS. L. MILLER, Clerk.	

**President Helps Orphans.**

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach, kidney and liver troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates all vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up pale, thin, weak children or rundown people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at L. T. Freeman Co., H. H. Fenn Co., and L. P. Vogel.

**Democratic State Convention.**

Official notice has been received from the state Democratic chairman, Edward Shields, relative to the county and state conventions of the party.

All the democratic county conventions in the state will be held September 16, and the delegates to them will be nominated by the primary method.

Each ward and township will be entitled to the following number of delegates: Ann Arbor city, first ward, 8; second ward, 11; third ward, 10; fourth ward, 9; fifth ward, 4; sixth ward, 7; seventh ward, 9; Ann Arbor township, 5; Augusta, 7; Bridgewater, 4; Dexter township, 3; Freedom, 5; Lima, 6; Lodi, 5; Lyndon, 3; Manchester, 11; Northfield, 7; Pittsfield, 4; Salem, 5; Saline, 6; Scio, 9; Sharon, 4; Superior, 5; Sylvan, 14; Webster, 4; York, 9; Ypsilanti town, 5; Ypsilanti city, first ward, 8; second ward, 5; third ward, 7; fourth ward, 4; fifth ward, 7. Total, 212. The chairman of the county committee will be elected at this meeting and such other business transacted as may properly come before the convention.

Washtenaw county will be entitled to 24 delegates to the state convention to be held in Kalamazoo, October 7, at which all state officers under lieutenant governor will be nominated.

**WORK WEAKENS THE KIDNEYS.****Doan's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service for People Who Work in Chelsea.**

Most Chelsea people work every day in some strained, unnatural position—bending constantly over a desk—riding on jolting wagons or cars—doing laborious housework; lifting, reaching or pulling, or trying the back in a hundred and one other ways. All these strains tend to wear, weaken and injure the kidneys until they fall behind in their work of filtering the poisons from the blood.

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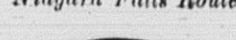
I want to send free to 100 readers of the Chelsea Standard 10 beautiful colored post cards, all different, without any advertising on them whatever. There is no fake about this offer. I do it because I want people to know that when they want handsome cards, no matter what kind, they can get them from me at a manufacturer's prices. I send you this assortment just to show you the high grade cards I carry. All I ask is that you send me 4 cents in stamps to cover postage. Address C. T. Johnson, Pres., Dept. G. Rochester, N. Y.

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Michigan Central

**Lecture On Spain.**

Geo. E. MacIlwain, a former Chelsea boy, will deliver an address on Spain, at the Methodist church here tonight. Mr. MacIlwain delivered this address at Jackson Tuesday evening, and the Jackson Patriot spoke of it as follows:

George E. MacIlwain lectured most interestingly on "Spain" before a fair attendance at the First M. E. church last evening. To the lover of travel or history the lecture was a delightful treat, and Mr. MacIlwain showed himself thoroughly conversant with much that pertains to the Spanish peninsula. He discoursed most entertainingly on life and conditions in Granada, Seville, Madrid and Valencia, and, turning to the art of Murillo and Valesquez, it was evident that he was no mean student of the subject. While in Seville Mr. MacIlwain was the guest of Hon. Charles S. Winans, United States consul of that city, and from him Mr. MacIlwain was enabled to glean much of affairs political and sociological in that interesting nation.

The lecture was illustrated with 125 stereopticon slides, taken mostly from original negatives, and was a profitable event to all who attended.

**"The Girl From Home."**

Kentucky, the home of brave men, beautiful women and blooded horses, furnished the locale for that gripping heart play, "The Girl from Home," which will be seen at the Sylvan on Wednesday, August 17.

It is an unusually well constructed play, embracing as it does, a number of very powerful and at times, startling situations. The company which is bright and clever, creates hearty laughter, while the characters are all picturesque as well as interesting.

The play is handsomely mounted with special scenic and mechanical effects. Miss Mary Carew, than whom there is no better artist in her peculiar line of work, will be seen in the title role.

**Notice to Taxpayers.**

Your village taxes for 1910 are now due, and can be paid at my office in John Farrell & Co.'s store.

GEO. W. MILLSPAUGH,

Treasurer.

**11550****Commissioners' Notice.**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Charles Whitaker, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 16th day of September, and on the 16th day of November next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated July 10th, 1910.

EDWARD BRACH,

EDWARD VOGEL,

Commissioners.

**11548****Commissioners' Notice.**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lydia K. Hollis, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 16th day of September, and on the 16th day of November next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated July 16th, 1910.

WM. J. KNAPP,

RALPH FREEMAN,

Commissioners.

**Probate Order**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 16th day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Godfrey Beutler, deceased.

Elia A. Beutler, executrix of the will of said estate, having filed in this court her final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 12th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said account.

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

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

DORCAS C. DONOHAN, Register.

**William Bacon**

Candidate on the Republican Ticket for Nomination for Sheriff is the right man for the office. His own town has honored him a great many times. He has held the office of Assessor two terms; Member of the Common Council three terms; President of the Village four terms; Member of the School Board two terms; Supervisor of the Township four times; and has held the office of County Auditor seven years, and in every instance has given public satisfaction.

**Why Not Try Him For Sheriff?**