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Daylight Robbery.

Probably the boldest daylight robbery in the history of the place took place in Chelsea Tuesday afternoon, when the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bagge, on Railroad street, was broken into and considerable personal property stolen.

Entrance was gained by breaking a window which allowed the parties to reach in and pull the stop so that they could raise the sash. After gaining access to the residence the robbers then went to the kitchen door and unlocked it.

The following is a list of the articles which were carried away: Lady's gold watch; gold wedding and two opal rings; pair gold cuff buttons; gold locket and chain; gold cross and neck chain; a \$1.00 bill containing a picture of Martha Washington; two German coins which were brought from Germany by John Bagge; one dozen silver spoons; one dozen silver knives and forks; and for a lunch the bold chaps carried away with them a loaf of bread, a quantity of oranges and a head of cabbage.

The house was considerably looked over by the thieves but they overlooked some solid silver spoons that were left to Mrs. Bagge as keepsakes by her great-grandmother.

Mrs. Bagge went away from her home about three o'clock and returned about five, when she discovered that the house had been entered. Two men were seen about the premises by David Alber, Jr., who was at the Sears farm looking after some electrical work, and they took an easterly direction when they left the looted house. Mr. Alber did not see them enter the residence. Two men were overhauled at Dexter, but they did not prove to be the ones wanted.

Deputy Sheriff McKune and Marshal Hepburn were notified of the robbery and went to Dexter in an auto driven by John Wise, but as they have no description of the thieves they have but very little to work on, and the chances of escape for the guilty parties seem to be exceptionally good.

Large Attendance

About one hundred delegates as well as many other members of the Baptist churches throughout the county were in Chelsea yesterday and today attending the sessions of the seventy-seventh anniversary of the Washtenaw Baptist association, which was held in the first Baptist church of this place. Dinner and supper were served in the church parlors on Wednesday.

The principal speakers at the Wednesday sessions were Rev. J. E. Tice, Rev. Geo. Woolcock, Miss Florence Grant of Detroit, Rev. J. Roberts of Detroit, Rev. W. A. Lee and Rev. O. J. Price of Lansing.

The sessions for today will be addressed by Rev. M. H. Pettit, Rev. H. W. Mack, Rev. Geo. McTaggart, Magnus Burgess, Rev. W. A. Lee, Rev. Fred Merrifield and Miss Minnie Kilmer of this place. The program also contains a number of subjects for discussion at the different sessions.

Home Talent Minstrels.

What promises to be the best home talent affair of the season are the minstrels given by the Junior class of the Chelsea High School on May 19 and 20. It is full of life from start to finish. The jokes are the best and the songs are the catchiest that have ever been heard here. There will be ten beautiful choruses. The "black face" cake walk is worth the price of admission alone. The Minstrels will be under the direction of the Bock Entertainment Company who have already given two successful plays this season. The Minstrels are their latest and best and those who fail to attend miss a rare treat.

License Forces Win.

The supervisors of Jackson county met as a board of canvassers of election Monday afternoon to take action on the vote cast on the local option question. A motion to postpone action until after the supreme court passed on the Calhoun county case was voted down and later the board by a vote of 16 to 11 rescinded the local option resolution adopted two years ago. Jackson at the recent election voted anti-license by a majority of 39, but the prohibitionists claimed the election on technicalities.

Purchased Thoroughbred Stock.

N. W. Laird has recently purchased from H. H. Schuler of Grass Lake a Guernsey Bull whose dam's record is 350 pounds butter fat and test 6 per cent and whose sire is from a Wisconsin herd that has the most animals in the Advanced Registry. He also purchased from this same party a fine old bred cow imported from the Island of Guernsey and a high grade heifer.

Miss Margaret McKone.

The residents of this place were startled Saturday morning by the announcement of the sudden death of Miss Margaret McKone, of Lyndon.

She was in Chelsea Thursday and appeared to be in good health. She was seen about the premises Friday afternoon between one and two o'clock by a neighbor. When George Klink, who owns the farm and with whom she resided, returned to the house from his work about six o'clock he discovered her lying on the bed dead.

Her death is supposed to have been caused from a stroke of apoplexy and when discovered rigor mortis had set in, and it was the conclusion of those who viewed the body that she had been dead for several hours when she was found by Mr. Klink.

Miss McKone was born in Lyndon, and was about 58 years of age. She is survived by two sisters. The funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Monday morning, Rev. Father Considine officiating. Interment St. Mary's cemetery, Sylvan.

Killed by Friend Believed Insane.

Riley McManus is in the county jail at Monroe awaiting a hearing as to his sanity before a probate judge. It is charged he shot and instantly killed Hugh Hanlon, a farmer, near Milan, Saturday while mentally irresponsible.

Hanlon was in a field with McManus' brother Lewis. McManus had gone into the woods some time before with a gun to shoot at a target. Suddenly he appeared at the edge of the field and raising the weapon to his shoulder put a bullet through Hanlon's heart. Before he could fall he fired again, the second bullet striking the victim in the shoulder. Lewis McManus immediately took the gun away from his brother. The man submitted readily and made no attempt to avoid arrest. It is believed that he does not know, even now, that he has killed a man.

McManus, it is said, has been in a peculiar state of mind for years, although it was never thought that he was of homicidal tendency. He had always been good friends with the man he is charged with killing.

Primary School Money.

According to the receipts of taxes which go into the primary school fund Auditor General Fuller estimated Saturday that the apportionment of primary school money in May will be at the rate of \$7 per capita, the highest rate for the apportionment since 1906, when the state collected a big amount of interest on back taxes. This distribution will cover every school district, as the new law excluding some districts from participation will not go into effect this year. There are 771,493 school children in the state to receive the benefit of this disbursement, an increase of 11,000 over last year.

"Madame Sherry."

It was George W. Lederer during his New York Casino regime who gave musical farce or musical comedy most of the wrinkles that made the feminine choruses of the Lederer shows distinctive from the vocal feminine auxiliaries of the average Broadway musical production contemporaneous with his pieces. It was Lederer who first introduced a whistling number, piped by choristers, and also it was he who changed the fashions in popular chorus ditties from just plain "chorus" girls to "show" girls, and from these to girls in long skirts, and likewise it was Lederer who first gave the country a dancing octette of girls labeled, "ponies," this in his production in the New York Theatre, New York, of "The Man in the Moon." Employing only blonde girls at one time, and brunettes at another and swinging the style from girls of generous physical amplitude to tiny feminine charmers, which he termed "brollers" were other successful whimsies of the producer. In "Madame Sherry," the manager has found a new quirk in his treatment of the handsome feminine pulchritude that separately constitute the singing and dancing feminine ensembles of the production. The newest Lederer chorus girl innovation caught the fancy of New York, and will probably be a noted feature of the performance of "Madame Sherry" during its engagement. The novelty being what is described in some of the advertisements announcing the forthcoming engagement as "A Talking Chorus." At the Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor, Tuesday, May 3.

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Boys' and Girls' Corn Contest.

The purpose of this movement by the elementary schools so far as it has definite aim, is to awaken in boys and girls an interest in farming and domestic operations by bringing them to see and appreciate the beauty, independence, and general desirability of rural life.

By the proper study of these subjects mental culture can also be secured as effectively as by the exclusive use of the so-called disciplinary studies, while at the same time a broader view and better appreciation of life is imparted to the pupil.

In many states of the Union there is a very active interest in "Corn Contests." Statistics show that the yield per acre has increased in the states that have been making popular corn raising by the boys and girls of the rural schools.

Last year the Pomona Grange of Washtenaw county assisted by County School Commissioner Evan Essery and W. C. Houssell conducted a corn contest in this county.

In November 1910, thirty-three boys exhibited corn and Prof. Jeffrey of the M. A. C. judged the exhibit. Considerable interest was shown and the feeling prevailed that the effort made gave large returns.

This year the Grange and the Contest Committee desire the co-operation of every one interested in agriculture.

The announcement recently sent out provided for an enrollment fee of twenty-five cents. The contest committee now announce that there will be no enrollment fee.

The premiums amount to sixty-five dollars as now offered, but there will be other premiums provided for.

You can procure enrollment blanks from your teacher or by writing County School Commissioner Evan Essery.

The members of Washtenaw County Corn Club from this vicinity are Leslie Landwehr, Clarence Widmayer and Roy Mensing.

"The Sweetest Girl in Paris."

That the engagement of "The Sweetest Girl in Paris" at the Whitney theatre, on Friday, May 5th, will be one of the most successful of the season is assured. The production is one of the best of the season and with its all-star cast is meeting with triumph after triumph in the large cities. Of its engagement in Indianapolis last week the Indianapolis Star says: "If the 'tired business man' wants to experience some of his erstwhile thrills, let him saunter into English's before the week is out and see 'The Sweetest Girl in Paris,' which opened an engagement there last evening. There he will find one of those typical shows of the good old days, but he will be agreeably surprised to find that, instead of one or two people in the cast who can 'put it across' there are five or six or more. This latter fact will have an agreeable effect also upon the tired business man's friend with a brow elevated by the Viennese operettas, for it will show him what is possible in the way of entertainment when adequate entertainers are employed, and it will cause him many pleasant smiles and a few hearty laughs. 'The Sweetest Girl in Paris' like most of the Chicago musical productions, is a pretty show, but unlike most of them, it is adequately presented. Harry Askin has secured a cast of principals that might well raise the envy of the producer of the most ambitious of the Viennese light operas. Each of these principals have been provided with specialties rather than a role. Either Trixie Friganza, Cathryn Rowe Palmer, Alexander Carr or Frederick V. Bowers could carry the average light musical comedy to success as a star, and Zoe Barnett and Dorothy Brenner are strong enough to head casts as featured players, if given adequate support. All of them are in this remarkable company, and though none is taxed to the limit of his or her comic possibilities, all are given as many chances to distinguish themselves as the average vaudeville star."

Henrietta Crossman.

"Beauty may be only skin deep, but mighty few of us would ever make that trip up the church aisle, skinned; and it's up to us who have made the trip to keep the cuticle on."

Which means that husbands still admire in their wives just what they did in their sweethearts. This is the story of "The Peacock and the Goose," the comedy that Henrietta Crossman and her company will present next Saturday night at the new Whitney theatre. This play will please everybody. It has been called a great play and the equal of "The Music Master," "Way Down East," "The Old Homestead" and "The Lion and the Mouse."

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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

TAUGHT "SONNY" A LESSON

Student Method of Discipline That Doubtless Had an Excellent Effect.

At a military academy not far from New York, having been practically prohibited, but the boys have their own methods of disciplining one another on occasions, and sometimes, if the awful facts have become known to the authorities, those superior beings have been known to cover the transactions with the charity of a wink, depending on the nature of the activity. Last fall one of the new boys who arrived did not make himself extremely popular, but as he was more foppish than aggressive his career did not seem to call for any special disciplinary attentions from his schoolmates. He passed his first few months in the school in comparative peace. One day, however, his mother came to visit him, as parents are free to do at that institution. The railway station is a mile from the school, and as the walk is attractive visitors usually take it instead of driving to the academy. The new student and his mother were no exception. They walked, but alas for the youth! His mother had brought with her a suitcase, and he let her carry it from the station to the school. During her visit no attention was paid to this trifling violation of a gentleman's code, but as soon as she had departed justice began to be meted out to the young man. All the students who had been in the institution longer than he had were free to hand out some of this discipline to him, and it took a form of compelling him to carry their suitcases. Whenever a senior or junior, or even a pale and callow sophomore, went to the station, Sonny was ordered out to carry the suitcase. The alternative was a ducking in the lake, in full regiments, and as Sonny cared more about his clothes than most youths do he shrank from accepting it. There was no other escape, and there was no reprieve. Every "man" in the institution had Sonny carry a suitcase for him at one time or another.

For a time no man went from one building to another unless he was accompanied by Sonny patiently tugging a suitcase. At last accounts the discipline was nearing its close, and it is believed by even the authorities of the institution that when Sonny is returned to his mother for his next vacation that lady will note an improvement in the attentions which he will tender her.

Balzac.

Balzac dreamed of Eugene Grandet and Ursule Miouret in the mean house of mean aspect where Doctor Cabanes lectures. He used to shut the window shutters to exclude external sounds and objects, drink coffee from the tin pot and coarse delft cup yonder and give himself over to his imagination. From sundown to sunrise no sound could be heard save the scratching of pen on paper. He more frequently than not worked thus for eighteen out of the twenty-four hours. This painter of women knew very little about them, but his gift of divination and his deductive power served him in good stead. No other author ever scrutinized their hearts as did this hermit or brought to light with the same truthfulness the treasures of delicate wealth, of unselfish devotion and of delicate sentiment wrapped up in them.—Paris Letter to London Truth.

How Keenly Women Observe.

Sergt. Joseph Fagin of the detective bureau tells an amusing story about his dealings with women who have business with the police department. A short time ago a woman very excitedly reported to him that her home had been entered by a thief, whom she had the good fortune to see and, incidentally, battle with as he was about to leave. The man was known as the "key-man," and in the upper courts this week received fourteen years.

"Could you describe the man to me?" asked Sergeant Fagin. "Why, yes," he was about six feet tall and had dark hair, and, in fact, I could identify him very easily." Wilkinson, who had just been captured by the detective, was brought before her, and she exclaimed: "That's him!" Wilkinson had gray hair and was five feet two inches tall, Newark Star.

Dog's Heaven.

Wonderfully trained sympathetic and smart dogs are the dearest companions of almost every German student who has the money to afford one or more. These can be seen in the university towns fantastically outfitted with the student corps color, in ribbons or wearing the tiny monkey student cap on doggie's head. Often are dogs sent on all sorts of chores, carrying a basket of eggs, bread or butter, a bottle of brandy, dressed chicken, etc. Outside of too many labor stunts—often grievous drudgery—Germany is the dog's true heaven.

About the Size of It.

"Why is it," queried the youth, "that so many people fail to mind their own business?" "There may be one of two reasons for that," answered the home-grown philosopher. "They may have no mind or no business."

LEGISLATURE IS ADJOURNED

FORMAL ADJOURNMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE FOR THE 1911 SESSION OCCURRED TUESDAY NOON.

THE CAPITOL WAS CLEANED OF SALONS IN FIVE MINUTES.

Representatives Straight and Kalmbach Abandon Attempt to Induce the Senate to Take Up Impeachment of Russell.

Formal adjournment of the legislature for the session of 1911 occurred Tuesday at noon with no untoward incident.

Representatives Straight and Kalmbach abandoned any idea of attempting to induce the members of the senate present to take up the impeachment of Vardien Russell once they ascertained that less than a quorum was present.

Representative Straight said no thought of further action would have been considered except for the declaration of Senator Collins, of Bay City, that he would endeavor to force the senate to begin the trial. Collins was not present.

In the senate at noon Senator Rosenkrans moved that the senate adjourn. In the house Clerk King read the long list of veto messages and then Speaker pro tem. Perry declared the house adjourned.

In five minutes both halls were deserted.

A compilation made of the vetoed appropriation bills and the cuts which Gov. Osborn has made in others show a total reduction in budget of \$599,862, with other bills still to be considered.

1,500 Firms Face Fines of \$10,000 Each.

Michigan corporations failing to file corporation tax statements with the local commissioner of internal revenue face an aggregate fine of \$15,000,000. According to the statement made by Commissioner Malcolm J. McLeod more than 1,500 Michigan corporations failed to file their statements before March 1, the last day such petitions were received at the office.

Under the present law all corporations neglecting to comply with the notification to file corporation tax statements are liable for a fine of from \$1,000 to \$10,000. In the latest government report from the revenue department at Washington is contained the decision of the supreme court, sustaining the validity of the corporation tax. The case mentioned was that of Stella P. Flint, as general guardian of Samuel N. Stone, minor, appellant, vs. Stone Tracy Co., of Vermont. This case was cited along with 14 others.

General Strike Pending in Grand Rapids.

About 150 concerns of Grand Rapids employing labor, among them the furniture manufacturers, have issued a signed pledge declaring for the open shop and more employers are being added every day.

While the concerns engaged in various lines of manufacturing in Grand Rapids are lining up against union labor, organizers are busy adding to the rolls of the unions, and a general sympathetic strike throughout the city may be the result. This is now the fear of those who want peace.

The furniture manufacturers state they will be able to resume operations within a few days if not with men reemployed in the city, then with imported labor. The unions declare that this will be an impossibility as they have the situation in complete control.

Jackson County is Declared Wet.

Jackson county will be wet for the next two years, the board of supervisors deciding by a vote of 16 to 11 to reject the local option resolution of two years ago.

The dry supervisors fought to delay the matter, but were unsuccessful, a motion by Supervisor Keeler that the board make no decision in the matter until the supreme court had passed on the local option election in Calhoun county being lost by a vote of 14 to 13.

Anti-Fraternity Bill Now a Law.

Gov. Osborn signed the Rankin bill, which prohibits fraternities in high schools of the state. He did so in the face of stubborn opposition on the part of the fraternity members, hundreds of telegrams having been received by him urging him not to sign the measure.

The county's annual corn contest, which originated with Congressman James C. McLaughlin and has previously been limited to boys, has been extended to girls of Muskegon county. Those to be judged this year are Postmaster Schnorbach, Superintendent of Schools Frost, County School Commissioner Nellie B. Chisholm and Congressman McLaughlin.

Iron county starts expending \$150,000 for good roads, and Schoolcraft county \$90,000.

At the laymen's mission convention for northwestern Michigan held in Bay City, a plea was made for mission aid to help raise the moral standard in South America where, it was pointed out, white slavery exists and is becoming a big problem to handle.

Word received from Hiram Whitcomb, ex-street commissioner of Battle Creek, now engaged in mining at Chioix, Mexico, says the American colony at Chioix, which includes J. K. Lippen, former sanitarian/chemist and other "Battle Creekies" is surrounded by both Mexican federalists and insurgents. Nobody dares leave for fear of being shot.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

At Pentaga the postoffice burned, with \$12,000 damage.

Mrs. Arlie Kilber, 46, a widow, was struck and instantly killed by an interurban car while waiting on a crossing north of Niles.

The Detroit United Railway company has bought the old armory on Huron street in Ann Arbor, and will build an up-to-date interurban station on the site.

The trials of the dynamites in Los Angeles will be presided over by Judge Walter Bordwell, who formerly ran a grocery store in Marshall and left there 25 years ago.

The Polish people of Standish will erect a new Polish church this spring, with Rev. Fr. Kobowski of Bay City in charge. Four acres of land and over \$2,000 have been donated.

A Milwaukee Salvation Army leader threatens a slander suit because a Saginaw preacher told the local business men's association that officers of the Army drink and gamble.

President Jones, of Ypsilanti Normal, asked the governor not to veto a \$125,000 appropriation for a new auditorium there, but there was fun when it was discovered that the legislature had not voted any such appropriation.

Jacob Karpinen fell 240 feet down a mine shaft at Calumet and was killed. Matt Paskwan tried to board an ascending rock car and was crushed to death under the wheels, making five fatalities in the mines of this section in 48 hours.

The derailment of five coal cars on the D. G. & I. held up a shipment of 80,000 pounds of milk on its way from Adrian to a condenser at Waukegon, O., so long that it soured and the whey and curd was turned into the sewers when it arrived.

Ludington's council and Mayor Joseph Zeig are in a tangle over the latter's appointments, which may result in Ludington having either none at all or two sets of police officers, two city attorneys and a number of fire wardens and milk inspectors for a while.

The old water power system at Petriville, two miles below Eaton Rapids, on Grand river, may be active again. It is said that negotiations are under way for the purchase of the property by the Commonwealth Power company. The Petriville dam, which is now practically a ruin, was the first dam built on Grand River above Lansing, and is the commonwealth property. The property what remains of the old dam will be remodeled and a concrete structure built on modern plans.

The charter commission of Petoskey is puzzled over giving the mayor veto power. In the first chapters drafted by the commission this power was not given the chief executive, but most of the commissioners now favor it, believing the unanimous vote of the three other members of the council should be necessary to pass a measure over the veto. Commissioner McCabe declared the lack of veto power is the only weak point in Petoskey's proposed new charter. Chairman Burnham, however, offered strenuous objections, declaring a mayor should not be given so much power.

State Oil Inspector Frank S. Neal's quarterly report for the three months ending March 31, shows the inspection of 6,913,243 gallons of oil, of which 52 barrels (2,600 gallons) were rejected as dangerous to use for illuminating purposes. Total fees collected, \$13,911.07; total expenses, \$7,815.44; net cash turned into the state treasury, \$6,095.64. During April the department found a tank of kerosene oil in a grocery store at Sebewaing that was about half a gallon. One accident had already occurred from the use of it, but no one seemed to know where the oil came from until the department made the investigation.

A few days ago O. A. Arnett, a farmer living about 3 1/2 miles south of Woodland, plowed up the skeleton of a human being. It was intact except the hands and feet, which were missing. The location where it was found was a fence row, and the land had not been plowed for many years, having been cleared about the year 1863. Dr. McIntyre, of this village, and others inspected the skeleton and their opinion was that it belonged to an adult person, perhaps 40 or 50 years old, as the teeth were nearly all in the jaw and sound. No one was known to have been missing in this part of the country, and perhaps the bones were those of some Indian, although no relics or other means of identification were found.

The men selected to edit the Michigan Law Review at Ann Arbor, next year are: G. E. Rand, Houghton; P. H. Calk, Albany, Ore.; C. E. Cullen, Ann Arbor; H. R. Curtis, Warwick, R. I.; S. W. David, Chicago; A. R. Dilley, Council Grove, Ia.; N. K. Fox, Washington, D. C.; G. M. Humphrey, Saginaw; V. R. Jose, Indianapolis; A. J. Kolyn, Grand Rapids; L. H. Law, well, Adrian; A. C. Lewis, Harrisburg, Ill.; D. L. Lucking, Detroit; H. C. McLean, Chicago; L. F. Martin, Carthage, Ill.; W. W. Merritt, Duluth; W. R. Metz, Omaha; Morris Shafroth, Denver; A. Z. Scyp, Ann Arbor. Scyp is the only Chinaman to have been honored by election to the staff of the Law Review. Announcement was made that 24 pupils will graduate from the University School of Music this year.

The convention of Congregational ministers will be held in Port Huron May 17 and 18. About 250 ministers from all parts of Michigan are expected to be present.

When Mrs. Mary Tichner, of Fenton, separated from her husband, several years ago, she came into possession of a coffin, which was included in part of the stock in her husband's store, near Linden, in settlement. Not finding it easy to dispose of it she decided to keep it. Just before she died Monday she expressed a wish that she be buried in the coffin she had been keeping so long. Her wish has been respected.

GOVERNOR CUTS GENERAL BUDGET

Osborn Continues to Use His Veto Power.

JEROME'S BILL IS VETOED

Measure Appropriating \$10,000 a Year Among Dependent Families of Convicts Is Also Sent to the Dump Heap.

Lansing.—Against the indignant protests of the various state institutions Governor Osborn continues to use his veto power to lop off all special appropriations for new buildings or improvements, and his term of office promises to be memorable in that regard.

He cut \$213,953 out of the general budget as allowed by the legislature, making his total reductions to date about \$512,000. As near as can be figured the legislative budget totaled about \$12,400,000, and if his ax does not get dull before next week he has expectations of reducing the budget to \$11,500,000, which will be \$800,000 more than the amount allowed by the legislature two years ago.

However, it must be remembered that there is \$1,000,000 included in the present budget to take care of the deficiency in the state treasury and to provide a working balance of \$200,000, so that the state will not become bankrupt again.

To secure the reduction the governor is following an arbitrary rule of vetoing all special appropriations whether for the expansion or repairing of the present institutions. He conceded that this is a hardship but holds that under existing conditions economy must be the first consideration.

The biggest item cut was one of \$150,000 for a library and auditorium at the agricultural college. Every other appropriation bill presented to the governor also suffered. The maintenance fund for the Marquette Normal, which was fixed at \$60,000 a year by the legislature, was reduced to \$55,000 a year, but whether this will stand depend on whether the supreme court will uphold the governor's contention that he can reduce the amount of a specific item without vetoing it altogether.

The highway department wanted \$15,000 a year for office expenses and it was cut to \$10,000.

The Michigan College of Mines wanted \$8,500 for a heating and ventilating plant, which was cut out altogether, and the state public school at Coldwater will lose \$8,663, made up of numerous items for repairs, new furniture and a greenhouse. An item of \$5,000 was cut from the appropriation of the Industrial School for Boys for furnishing and heating the chapel, while Superintendent of Public Instruction Wright lost out on an \$1,800 job which the legislature had allowed him for an auditor of school districts.

Representative Jerome's bill appropriating \$10,000 a year to be apportioned among the dependent families of convicts was also sent to the dump heap. To console those who were frantic to get this allowed the governor will say in his veto message that the project is a worthy one, but the state's finances will not permit anything to be done along this line at the present time. He will also suggest that some method should be devised so that the money earned by convicts for overtime work can be sent directly to the convicts to their families.

For a final touch the governor vetoed an item of \$10,000 for a physical training school building at the Mt. Pleasant Normal school.

In response to the urgent request of men interested in the canning industry the governor also vetoed a bill to prevent fraud and deception in the sale of fruits and vegetables. It was the purpose of the bill to regulate the sale of fresh fruits and vegetables in closed packages, but in some way the word "fresh" was left out and the canners were afraid that they might be interfered with, so their wishes were acceded to in the matter.

The governor also approved a number of bills, including those relieving Shiawassee county from the expenses of the state troops during the Grand Trunk strike and to provide that hereafter the state shall pay the expenses of the militia when ordered out on riot duty. Other bills that met his approval were as follows:

Allowing the Kent circuit another judge; allowing cities of under 10,000 to vote on the proposition of establishing free public libraries, when petitioned for by 50 voters, the tax not to exceed one mill on the dollar; providing that the judge of probate, county clerk and county treasurer shall constitute the election commission in each county of the state except Kent and Wayne; appropriating \$62,500

each for Marquette and Jackson prisons for the establishment of state account contracts; authorizing good road commissioners to apply for the use of convicts, with the proviso that the boards of control may enter into contracts for the use of such convicts; providing for the enrollment of women who vote for school inspectors; providing that in cities of over 25,000 and under 100,000 the legislative bodies may appoint clerks for justice of the peace who are paid salaries.

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Both Sides Are Standing Pat. The state board of auditors decided that, etiquette or no etiquette, Governor Osborn would have to communicate with the board, either in person or in writing, with reference to the employment of experts to appraise the mines of the state or there will be nothing doing in regard to the matter.

Members of the board made some caustic remarks with reference to the dignity assumed by the governor and to show that the board was simply following a long established precedent in asking the governor to appear before it. Land Commissioner Russell went through the records and found that since 1898 the various governors have appeared before the board on 78 different occasions without seeming to feel that they had belittled themselves in so doing.

"If I have anything to communicate to the board of auditors I shall be glad to do so," said Governor Osborn, "but this matter had nothing to do with communicating anything to them. It was to be a consultation between the governor, auditors and the tax commissioners and this office is the place for such a conference. Whatever others may have done, I do not propose to be a messenger-boy. I want it understood that I have no favors to ask of them for anyone and therefore shall have no occasion to call on the board. All I will ask is that they do what is right."

It needs no great stretch of imagination to picture the chilly atmosphere that exists between the auditors and the chief executive and the strained relations promise to continue indefinitely.

Express Rates Well Regulated. The express companies will not lack for regulation after this, as two bills were passed by the legislature placing them under the control of the railroad commission and fixing a schedule of rates. The Currie bill has already been signed by the governor and it established a merchandise schedule, based on 100 pounds weight, according to the distance carried, as follows:

Fifty miles, 50 cents; 75 miles, 55 cents; 85 miles, 60 cents; 95 miles, 65 cents; 100 miles, 70 cents; 130 miles, 75 cents; 150 miles, 80 cents; 175 miles, 85 cents; 190 miles, 90 cents; 200 miles, 11; 230 miles, \$1.10; 250 miles, \$1.20; 275 miles, \$1.30; 300 miles, \$1.40.

The Moriarty-James bill, which the governor will sign as soon as it reaches him, makes a basic rate of 25 cents within the state for packages not exceeding five pounds in weight and \$10 in value. Of special interest to Detroit is the additional proviso that the rate provided shall be in full for collecting and delivering packages within the limits of any municipality; the express companies have been charging extra to make deliveries outside of a certain zone.

When it reaches him Governor Osborn will sign the bill prohibiting fraternities and sororities in high schools of the state, though personally he is opposed to it and had decided to interpose his veto. His decision to let the bill stand is largely due to the widespread interest shown in the measure.

"As a matter of fact," he said, "there is absolutely no need for a secret society of any kind in this country."

Grangers Against Reciprocity Pact. Within a week petitions containing the names of 30,000 Michigan Grangers will be sent to Senators William Alden Smith and Charles E. Townsend, at Washington, D. C., protesting against the passage of the Canadian reciprocity bill in the upper house of congress, according to a statement made here by N. P. Hull, master of the state organization. State Master Hull presided over a called meeting of the legislative committee of the Grange.

Women to Purify Politics. That purity in politics cannot be hoped for until women are given the right to vote and the initiative, referendum and recall bill is passed by the legislature, was the declaration of Mrs. Feha Comstock of Albion, at the thirteenth annual convention of the Calhoun county W. C. T. U. at Battle Creek. Mrs. Comstock insisted that the liquor men are fighting women's suffrage, realizing that if women voted, there would be state-wide prohibition.

Belisario Porras, minister of Panama to the United States, has been appointed by his government a member of the permanent court of arbitration.

Wealthy New York from its social functions during the past year sent 20,000 bouquets to the New York branch of the National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild, to be distributed among the sick and poor of the city. From the Gould-Dee's wedding alone, 1,000 bouquets were fashioned and 5,000 bouquets of most delicate orchids and roses were distributed.

10 KILLED, 50 HURT IN EXCURSION WRECK

ON TRAIN FULL OF SCHOOL TEACHERS ON WAY TO WASHINGTON AS IT LEAVES TRACK

FLAMES SWEEP WRECKED CARS AS THEY LAY IN DITCH.

Fire Starting at Both Ends of Train Is Fed by Oil From Tank Struck By Train as It Plunged Into Gully.

A Lackawanna excursion train, carrying 165 members of the Utica Teachers' association to Washington for the spring holidays, swerved from the track one-half mile south of Martin's Creek, N. J. Four of the five coaches rolled into a gully to the east of the track, caught fire from the gas tanks and were destroyed in half an hour.

Seven women teachers and one man are missing and undoubtedly were burned in the wreck. Two of the injured have died in the hospital. Fully 50 more are injured, several of whom may die.

The train was one furnished the teachers by the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, and the accident occurred while it was traveling at a high rate of speed over a stretch of track controlled by the Pennsylvania railroad. The locomotive jumped the track, the cars toppled over and were set on fire by exploding oil, the wrecked coaches having sideswiped an oil tank along the track when they left the rails. The entire train was quickly enveloped in flames and completely consumed by the fire.

Hardly had the train come to a stop before fire started and spread so rapidly that some of the imprisoned passengers were burned to death. The fire broke out at both ends of the train, hot coals from the firebox of the engine starting the fire at that end and flames from the stoves in the dining car starting the blaze at the rear.

Rebels Kill Viceroy Li.

Admiral Li, the viceroy of Canton, China, has been assassinated by the rebels. The gates of the city have been closed.

The loyalty of the troops is doubted and this fear has caused much excitement among the peaceful inhabitants of Canton.

The enlistment terms of many soldiers trained by foreign officers expires and the revolutionists expect them to join their ranks. With such aid they probably can control the city. Strong guards of loyal troops are protecting the official residences. Refugees arriving at Hong Kong confirm reports that the uprising was instigated by anti-Manchus who went to that city from Macao and Hong Kong and spread the revolutionary propaganda among the troops at a time when they were nursing several grievances.

Hundreds of rebels have been killed or wounded in the fighting, which began with the attack upon the viceroy's palace. Brigadier General Chung was mortally wounded while attempting to suppress the revolt and died yesterday.

Two British torpedo boat destroyers have been sent to Canton from Hong Kong.

Big Revolt Spreading in China.

All the western half of Kwangtzu province, China, is now ablaze with the revolt against the Manchu dynasty. This is a formidable uprising that centers in Canton, under the leadership of the progressive Wu Sun, has been taken up in the province by the brigand chief, Luk of Shantak, and his horde of desperate outlaws are slaying, pillaging and burning throughout the countryside.

Official advices and the refugees arriving from Canton confirm the sinister reports. Bodies of slain are in the streets of the city. Famine prices are asked for foodstuffs and the shops are generally closed. In the panic there have been few attempts to bury the dead and the stench from the decomposed bodies fills the air.

Dynamite Trial Will Cost \$20,000,000.

That the trial of the men charged with complicity in the destruction with dynamite of the Los Angeles Times will cost approximately \$20,000,000 is the estimate by attaches of the district attorney's office.

Each side, it was pointed out, stands ready to spend unlimited sums in the prosecution and defense of the two McNamara and McManigal. The court costs will run up in the thousands of dollars expended in bringing witnesses and evidence and in other necessary expenses.

Haywood Advocates General Strike.

Addressing a meeting of laboring men in union headquarters in St. Louis, Mo., William D. Haywood, once tried and acquitted for complicity in the death of former Governor Steunenburg, of Idaho, advocated a general strike throughout the United States on the day the McNamara brothers are brought to trial in Los Angeles for alleged complicity in the Times explosion.

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Postoffice inspectors are baffled by the disappearance of a package of money containing \$5,000, which was mailed from New London, Conn., reached it.

OSBORN CENSURES

Censure Comes With Veto of Allowing Judges to Live Anywhere

Suggesting that Justice Bird, of supreme court, resign his high office because he hasn't moved his family to Lansing from Adrian, and Justice Moriarty's bill to permit justices to reside where they please, Gov. Osborn sent a message to the legislature making an attack on the residence-at-Lansing bill and lobbying in the interests of the Moriarty bill to repeal that law.

Justice Bird, in reply, clearly states that he has no intention of resigning his office, and that he will remain in his children out of the Adrian school in mid-term, but that he himself has taken up his residence at the Dwyer house in Lansing long since and has fully intended moving his family to the capital as soon as school closed were the residence law not repealed.

One-Third of Bangor, Me., in Ruins.

One-third of the city of Bangor, in ruins, thousands of persons homeless and a property loss estimated at \$6,000,000 was sustained as the result of a conflagration which raged for hours. Starting in a hardware store on Broad street, the fire spread along Broad and Exchange streets through the heart of the city, leveling residences, churches, schools, business blocks and all the buildings with the exception of the hall, a mass of smoking ashes.

Gompers Plans Defense.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, conferred with 40 labor leaders of national and state organizations in Indianapolis. He said later that the McNamara case was discussed, and that the executive council of the Federation would take charge of defense fund raised by contributions from the various labor organizations of the country.

Socialists Offer Aid.

The full strength of the Socialist party of America was offered for the defense of John J. McNamara and J. B. McManama, who are charged with homicide in connection with the explosion at the Los Angeles Times building by the national executive committee of the party in session in Boston.

THE MARKETS

Detroit.—Cattle.—Market steady. Last week's close: common grade steers, \$5.75; choice steers, \$6.00; cows, \$5.50; calves, \$5.25; hogs, \$4.50; pigs, \$4.25; sheep, \$4.00; lambs, \$4.50; chickens, \$3.50; turkeys, \$4.00; ducks, \$3.00; geese, \$2.50; eggs, \$1.50; butter, \$1.00; cheese, \$1.25; corn, \$1.00; wheat, \$1.25; flour, \$2.00; sugar, \$0.50; coffee, \$0.75; tea, \$1.00; spices, \$1.50; fruits, \$2.00; vegetables, \$1.00; miscellaneous, \$1.00.

East Buffalo, N. Y.—Cattle, steady. Hogs, strong. Sheep, active. Wool, lamb, \$2.50; clip, \$1.50; wethers, \$1.00; ewes, \$0.75. Calves—\$4.00 to \$5.00.

Grain, Etc. Detroit.—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 89 1/2c; advanced to 90 1/2c; and No. 3, 88 1/2c; advanced to 89 1/2c; No. 4, 87 1/2c; advanced to 88 1/2c; No. 5, 86 1/2c; advanced to 87 1/2c; No. 6, 85 1/2c; advanced to 86 1/2c; No. 7, 84 1/2c; advanced to 85 1/2c; No. 8, 83 1/2c; advanced to 84 1/2c; No. 9, 82 1/2c; advanced to 83 1/2c; No. 10, 81 1/2c; advanced to 82 1/2c; No. 11, 80 1/2c; advanced to 81 1/2c; No. 12, 79 1/2c; advanced to 80 1/2c; No. 13, 78 1/2c; advanced to 79 1/2c; No. 14, 77 1/2c; advanced to 78 1/2c; No

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Watson Nye was a Pontiac visitor Tuesday.

Wm. Rheinfrank spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman are in Detroit today.

Miss Emma Hoffstetter was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Rev. W. P. Considine was in Detroit Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Kolb was a Jackson visitor Wednesday.

John Steele and son George were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Fletcher is visiting her daughter in Belleville.

N. Hillsburg, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Clyde Lee, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mrs. Conrad Haefner spent Wednesday with Jackson friends.

H. S. Holmes spent Sunday with his daughter in Grand Rapids.

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

Miss Celia Mullen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here.

Chas. Fisk, of Jackson, was the guest of his mother here Sunday.

Fred Emerick, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of relatives here this week.

Mrs. Mary Winans is spending some time with her daughter in Toledo.

Mrs. C. E. Kantlehner and daughter are spending this week in Detroit.

Wm. Clark, of River Rouge, spent Sunday with his parents in London.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Klein were the guests of Jackson relatives Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Murry, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendry were Detroit visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Eva Oesterle, of Jackson, was the guest of her mother here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fuller returned to their home in Battle Creek Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman were the guests of Waterloo friends Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Hawley, of Toledo, visited relatives in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Fonda left Wednesday for New York where she will spend a few weeks.

Conrad Heselschwerdt and son Clayton spent Friday with relatives in Leslie.

Mrs. Horace Leek and daughter, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reilly and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall were in Detroit Sunday.

George Wackenhut visited his daughter, Mrs. Adolph Eisen, in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Colby, of Petaluma, Cal., is the guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. Dorro Rogers.

Miss Clara Abraham, of Jackson, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Steinbach, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Nelson, of Lansing, were guests of Chelsea friends the first of the week.

Julius Klein of St. Louis spent several days of the past week at the home of his father, Chris Klein.

Mr. and Mrs. John Havens, of Grass Lake, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoover, Wednesday.

Miss Ella Slimmer and Mesdames James Geddes and John Cummings spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Anna Sears, who has been spending several months in California, returned to her Chelsea home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Foster and daughters, Lena and Josephine, of Ann Arbor, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wacker and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Lansing, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wood Monday.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Elmer Schweinfurth spent Sunday at home.

Ray Mensing was on the sick list a few days of last week.

Geo. Fauser and family spent Sunday in Michigan Center.

Mrs. Alonzo Dewey of Munith spent Friday with William Locher.

B. C. Whitaker and family were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Downer of Chelsea spent the past week with Mrs. Fred Notten.

Chris Weber, who has been ailing for several weeks, is some better.

Misses Mabel and Dorothy Notten of Chelsea spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. E. J. Musbach of Munith spent Friday with H. Harvey and family.

Mary Broesamle and Miss Barnes of Detroit attended services here Sunday morning.

The next meeting of the Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held at the home of B. C. Whitaker on Tuesday, May 9th.

The German M. E. Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. J. Rowe and daughter, Mrs. Nora Notten, Wednesday, May 10.

Almarie Whitaker will entertain a number of little friends Saturday afternoon, it being the occasion of her ninth birthday.

Rev. J. E. Beal is at Toledo this week, attending a ministerial meeting of the Michigan District of the German Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kruse and daughter Lena and Mrs. P. H. Riemenschneider and daughter Hilda, spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. B. McKenzie near Stockbridge.

Friday evening, April 28, Rev. J. E. Beal entertained those who participated in rendering the Easter cantata. During the evening a surprise was sprung on Rev. Beal by the choir presenting him a beautiful picture—"The Last Supper."

LYNDON CENTER.

John Young sold his fat lambs to Chelsea parties the present week.

T. McClear, of Gregory, is doing some repair work on Jas. Shanahan's house.

The young people had a social dance in the town hall on Friday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Wheeler and family in Dexter township.

Louis Heatley, who has been working in Detroit, has been home for some time laid up with rheumatism.

The township board met with the highway commissioner on Saturday last to adjust some highway matters.

Dr. T. I. Clark, of Jackson, and Herbert Clark, of Chicago, spent Sunday with their father John Clark and family. Herbert spent Saturday with his sister, Irene, at St. Mary's Academy, Monroe.

FREEDOM NEWS.

Supervisor Frank Koebe is taking assessments.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Paul visited relatives in Bridgewater Sunday.

Miss Luella Paul spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gieske in Sharon.

Miss Esther Paul spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boettner at Bridgewater station.

Miss Hilda Riedel, of Manchester, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Riedel and family in Bridgewater.

Relatives and neighbors of Frank Dettling very pleasantly surprised him Sunday, April 30th, it being his 45th birthday.

There will no services in Bethels church next Sunday, May 7, as Rev. Mayer will attend the Y. P. S. convention in Saline.

Messrs. Freddie and Herman, Miss Emma Haarer, of Manchester, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Albert Armbruster and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Buss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Klaeger and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Blum and family.

A Father's Vengeance.

Would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy, of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help him," he wrote, "so at last we gave him Electric Bitters and he improved wonderfully from taking six bottles. Its best kidney medicine I ever saw." Backache, tired feeling, loss of appetite, nervousness, warn of kidney trouble that may end in dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Beware take Electric Bitters and be safe. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Mrs. Martha Weinman spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Cattle Barels, of Detroit, was the guest of parents Sunday.

Miss Estella Guerin is the guest of relatives in Detroit this week.

Miss Eva Sharpe, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday and Monday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heiser have gone to keeping house in Chelsea.

Mrs. J. Hinderer and daughter Anna spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Milo Shaver, of Chelsea, was a guest at the home of Mason Whipple Sunday.

Mrs. Turk and son, of Chelsea, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Combs Sunday.

Mrs. Fiske, of Sylvan, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Stowell Wood.

Miss Ella Kaercher spent Saturday and Sunday at North Lake with Miss Mildred Daniels.

Mrs. Hattie Wedemeyer and daughter Freda, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mrs. Nellie Klein.

Henry Frain, of Ypsilanti, Emmet Shafer and R. Johnson, of Ann Arbor, and Arl Guerin spent Sunday at North Lake.

SHARON NEWS.

Earl Dorr, of Jackson, spent Sunday at home.

Virgil Burch is papering the Sharon Center church.

George Wahr went to Detroit Saturday where he expects to work in an automobile factory.

Miss Anna Beutler and Mahlonn Ellis went to Chelsea Thursday and Friday to take eighth grade examinations.

Otis Cooper and wife, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday at H. P. O'Neil, Charles O'Neil, of Adrian, also spent Saturday and Sunday there.

Miss Josephine O'Neil, of Adrian, and her cousin, Miss Edith Corwin, of Grindsy, Ontario, visited at the home of their uncle, H. P. O'Neil last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Klumpp visited their daughter, Mrs. Albert Waltz at Ann Arbor Monday and their little grandson accompanied them home to spend the summer.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Geo. Merkel lost a valuable work horse recently.

C. Wines, of Detroit, has been spending a few days with Arthur Chapman.

Mrs. John Waltrous was taken very ill Thursday evening but is better at this writing.

Oscar and Walter Bertke, of Sharon, spent Sunday with their cousins, Glen and Earl Bertke.

The regular meeting of the A. O. O. G., of Sylvan Center, will be held at their Arbor, Thursday, May 11th. A large attendance is desired.

The box social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodband for the benefit of the Gleaners was a decided success. The proceeds being \$35.30.

Princess Theatre.

The Princess theatre on Saturday night will offer as its big feature "A Brother's Redemption" with Miss Florence Lawrence in the leading female role. Miss Lawrence will be remembered as leading lady for the Imp Company for several years. "The Petticoat Sheriff" a fine comedy by the Lubin Company, and "Priscilla's Engagement Kiss" by the noted Biograph Company are also on the bill.

Miss Fowler will sing two late illustrated ballads and a spot light song.

FOR AGED PEOPLE

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Matt Alber has accepted a position with J. E. Weber.

Born, Wednesday, May 3, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. John Liebeck, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stephens have moved to the Keyes farm in Lima.

J. Nelson Dancer has purchased a new five passenger Ford automobile.

Geo. Spiegelburg is having a new porch built on his residence on South street.

John Koch is having extensive repairs made to his residence on Adams street.

Mr. and Mrs. Nigh are moving into the C. M. Stephens residence on East Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winters have moved into the Hunter residence on Washington street.

Tommy McNamara has purchased of H. L. Stanton the residence known as the Stimson property on East street.

A laugh in every turn and the turns are numerous at the big Minstrel Entertainment at the town hall May 19 and 20.

Mrs. H. S. Holmes is quite ill at the home of her daughter in Grand Rapids, where she went several days ago on a visit.

Eighth grade examinations for the district schools in this vicinity are being held in the Chelsea high school building today.

Frank Shaver has sold a one-half interest in his barber business to John Faber. The change took place Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bush have moved to their home on north Main street which they recently purchased of the Remnant estate.

Remember the good supper at the town hall on Saturday of this week, to be given by the Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's church.

Rev. Dr. Chas. O. Reilly will make his home in Chelsea and has moved into the residence of Mr. and Luke Reilly, on Grant street.

The children of J. A. Dancer gathered at his home in Sylvan Sunday to assist him celebrate his birthday. A most enjoyable day was spent by all.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Mary L. Boyd on Tuesday, May 9th, at 2:30 p. m. All ladies interested in the cause are invited to be present.

A number of the members of St. Paul's church will attend the convention of the Young People's Societies which will be held in Saline next Saturday and Sunday.

S. P. Foster is serving on the jury at the May term of the circuit court at Ann Arbor. Geo. M. Seitz is carrying the mail on rural route No. 5 during Mr. Foster's absence.

A change took place at the Chelsea House Monday. L. C. Kelly has rented the lower floor of the hotel and will serve meals. J. G. Wagner retains the second floor and will have charge of the sleeping room.

The Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Stephens Tuesday afternoon, a scrub lunch was served, and about 27 blocks pieced, besides carpet rags served. Fourteen were present and all report an enjoyable afternoon.

Wm. D. Fox of Detroit, died at St. Joseph's Retreat, Dearborn, Sunday evening. Mr. Fox married Miss Howe a sister of M. J. Howe and was a frequent Chelsea visitor. He was a lawyer by profession. The funeral was held Wednesday.

Edward Winters, of Wheaton, Ill., has purchased a farm at Gull Lake, Canada, in the southwestern part of Sastatichewan, and moved his family there last week. Mr. Winters is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winters and was born in Chelsea.

The local postoffice force is busy this month following out the order of the postmaster-general that all the mail received in the postoffice during the month of May must be counted, each class by itself, and the employees must also make a record of the time required in handling it, and the number of times that each piece has to be handled.

About sixty members of the Eastern Star from Grass Lake were entertained by Olive Chapter at Masonic Hall Wednesday evening. Lunch was served after which the visitors performed the initiatory work of the order on three candidates. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clayton and Mrs. Ellen Lake, in a manner that elicited the highest praise from those who witnessed the work.

Born, April 23, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Samp, a daughter.

Everyone should attend the Home Talent Minstrels May 19 and 20.

W. McLaren of Lima has purchased a new five-passenger Detroit-Abbott motor.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McNamara have moved to their new home on East street.

Mrs. Ford Axtell entertained the Cytmore club at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Grand Rapids, have rented the Spencer house on Orchard street.

The next meeting of Lafayette Grange will be held at the home of Mrs. Olive Winslow.

There will be a regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., on Wednesday evening, May 10.

Mack & Co. Tuesday shipped about 30,000 pounds of wool from this place to Jamestown, New York.

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw County Pioneer association will be held at Manchester, June 14.

Mrs. G. P. Staffan is entertaining the Five Hundred Club at her home on Park street this afternoon.

Philip Keusch is having his residence on west Summit street connected up with the Municipal waterworks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stanton have shipped their household goods to Pontiac where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wagner have moved to their home on West Middle street, known as the Van Husen premises.

John Eschelbach of Freedom is at the sanitarium in Battle Creek where he is taking treatment for rheumatism.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week. A full attendance is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. H. Witherell and son spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Witherell's parents in Manchester township.

Martin Wackenhut made the first shipment of wool for this season from the Chelsea market the last of the past week.

Mrs. Ford Axtell entertained the Dorcas Circle at her home on Summit street Tuesday afternoon. Lunch was served.

County School Examiner, Miss Josephine Hoppe, is in Ann Arbor today assisting in the eighth grade examinations.

While playing on the lawn Friday evening the young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark fell and dislocated his left elbow.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Renner, who have been residents of Chelsea for the last two years, moved to Detroit the first of this week.

A regular meeting of R. P. Carpenter Post, No. 41, G. A. R., will be held in their post room May 20th at 2:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

Born, Sunday, April 23, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams, of Sacramento, California, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were former residents of this place.

The common council has started a cement sidewalk on the south side of Washington street, from Madison street past the addition of the Chelsea Land Co. to Book avenue.

Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman entertained the Orient Circle and a number of her friends at her home on Harrison street, Tuesday afternoon. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Mrs. C. R. Webster and two sons, of Hartford, Conn., arrived in Chelsea the first of the week, where they will make their home. Mr. Webster is superintendent of the Flanders Mfg. Co.

The Southern Circle met with Mrs. Fred Brosample Friday and finished piecing enough blocks for a quilt. The circle will hold a special meeting with Mrs. John Hieber, May 16, for the purpose of completing the quilt.

Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., has made arrangements to reside at the Aged Christian Minister's Home Association, of Newark, New York. Rev. Holmes has been a resident of Chelsea since 1877. He left for his future home the first of this week.

The Chelsea friends of Mrs. Dorothea Sargent-BeGole of Detroit, received invitations to the commencement exercises of the Detroit Training School of Education and English Literature, conducted by Mrs. Edna Chaffee Noble, which was held Wednesday evening of this week. Mrs. BeGole was one of the graduates.



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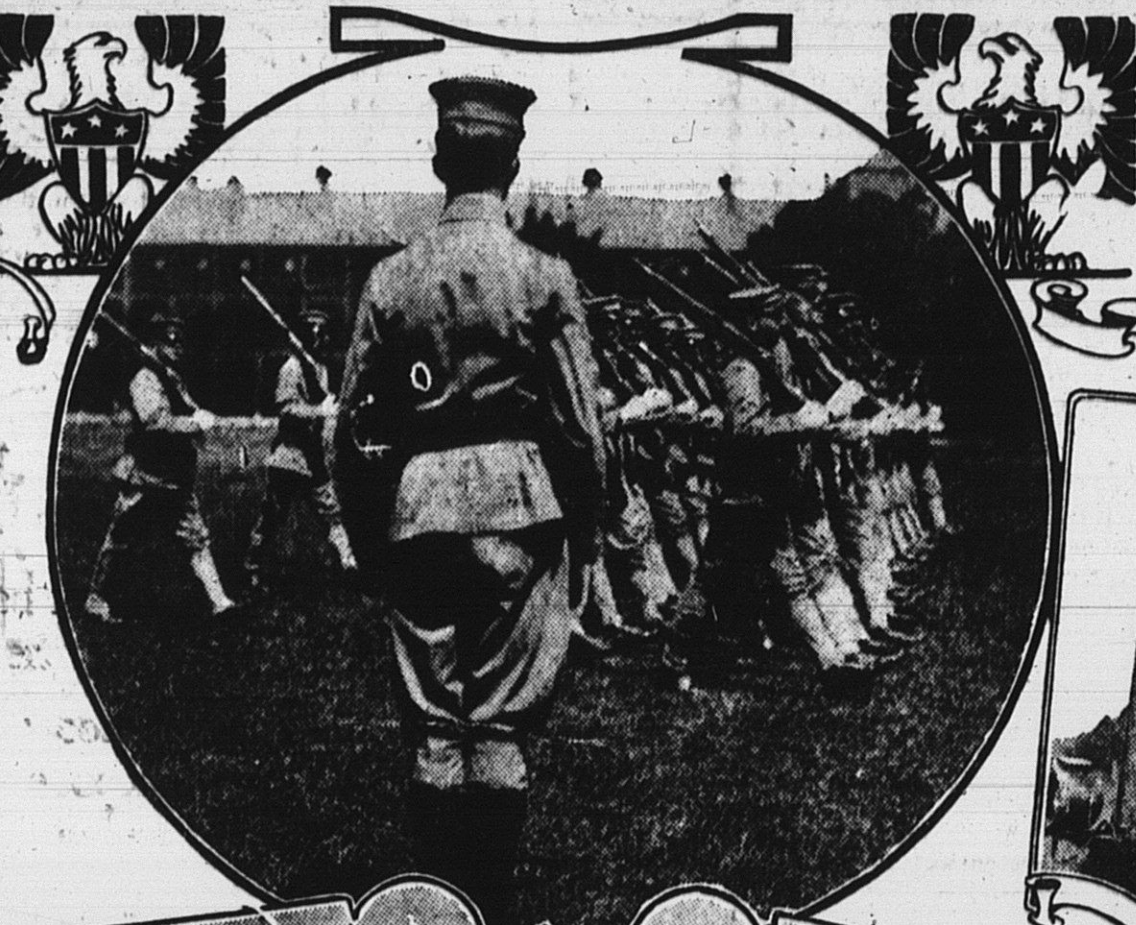
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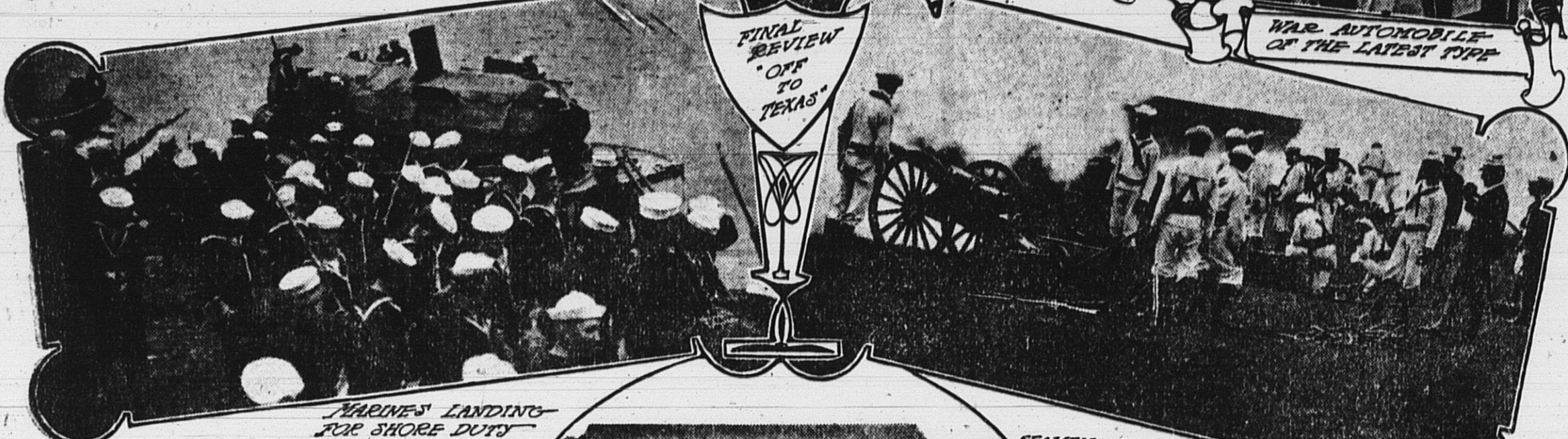
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in the plan vault and the map rooms of the
War College.

might prove as invaluable in the mountains of Mexico as they have under somewhat similar conditions in the Philippines.

Similarly the conditions existing at the scene of the present campaign are such as to emphasize the fact that there is yet a very important sphere for the cavalry in the army.

It is as though the crisis in this unexpected quarter were a providential answer to the arguments of those persons in and out of official life who have been urging in recent years that the foot-soldier should be practically the whole thing in our military complement. It must be apparent to everybody who is even casually conversant with geographical conditions that if Uncle Sam is to keep peace "From the Canal to Canada" he will have need of a considerable cavalry force and a force provided with the best possible class of mounts. There are mountainous localities in the region to the south of us where only cavalry could operate successfully. Neither automobiles nor yet aeroplanes would serve as a substitute. And incidentally it may be noted that conditions on the Mexican border have afforded an opportunity much earlier than was anticipated to test the practical military value of the airship. The serviceability of the sky craft for scouting operations ought to be pretty well attested ere the troops return to their home stations.

No better theater of war, real or mimic, than the southwest could be chosen for demon-

Of all the preparations for war which have gone forward under a clear sky perhaps the most wonderful have had to do with the transportation arrangements. Our military experts have awakened to the fact that the United States is the greatest railroad country in the world and that even in the event of the most serious conflict it is unlikely that many of these communicative lines would be seriously interfered with. Why not then, make these annihilators of time and space a military asset. Indeed it is imperative to do so if the army is to be rendered a mobile force, for no other utility can serve as the twentieth century substitute for the forced marches of other days. Consequently, whereas European nations, with their circumscribed areas and perfect highways have been experimenting with military automobiles and other innovations our war department officials have been wrestling with the problems of the make-up and handling of troop trains, and designing special kitchen cars and hospital cars and the like. The first try-out of the plans that have been in the making these past dozen years has come in the case of the recent hurried advance to Texas.

If a chance visitor could have been in Washington in the early days of the Spanish war, and then again when the recent hurry call to the Gulf coast was given he could not fail to be impressed with the contrast,—the turmoil and confusion of 1908 with the well-oiled precision of the present execution of prearranged plans. That 20,000 men could be moved a distance of thousands of miles along a score of different arteries of traffic without apparently

It was shown by the rapidity with which orders were formulated and issued for this sudden movement of the largest body of troops that has been handled at any one time since the Spanish war that the War College has dependable information as to just what can be expected of the railroads in an emergency. It showed, too, the wisdom of Uncle Sam's policy of keeping his war plans up to the minute by revising them every time there is a change of railroad schedules for, in this instance, most of the troops traveled by regular trains instead of by special trains and the latter would presumably be resorted to only in the case of extreme emergency.

Another feature of the plans for the army in action for which the big trek to Texas has proven a most beneficial dress rehearsal is that which contemplates reliance upon the telegraph system of the country in the movement of troops. The use of the network of wires covering the continent, in the event of war, has been the subject of study on the part of the military experts that has gone hand in hand with the investigation as to how the railroad arrangements could be made to promote the mobility of the military force. This worked out just as anticipated the day orders were issued for the advance to Texas and there poured into the department a continual stream of telegrams that kept the officials advised in detail as to the movement of every body of troops headed for the rendezvous in the Lone Star State.

It may be a trifle early to talk about the lessons to be drawn from this taste of war, but one is already apparent. It emphasizes that the field artillery has a very important place in the military paraphernalia. There has been a disposition on the part of some people, in past years, to regard any considerable amount of field artillery as not the most useful equipment for the American army. Such advocates took the view that Uncle Sam ought to put his money into heavy coast defense guns just as he is concentrating his naval expenditure upon battleships of the heaviest class. However, the unexpected call to Texas, emphasizing as it did, vistas of trouble that had been completely overlooked in contemplation of the "yellow peril," called attention to the possible use now for ample field artillery under cer-

tain conditions. And incidentally it conveyed the hint that the mountain batteries, in which guns and ammunition are "packed" on mule back

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troops return to their home stations. No better theater of war, real or mimic, than the southwest could be chosen for demonstrating the progress, made during the past few years, both in the methods and equipment of the U. S. Signal corps. The general public, with its craving for the spectacular, has heard most regarding the introduction of the aeroplane as a utensil of warfare but as a matter of fact the Signal Corps has recently introduced innovations far more important from a military standpoint than the aerial scouts, and these communicative utilities and novelties for day and night signaling would obviously prove especially valuable in rough country where there are no existing telephone or telegraph wires and where the erection of such lines would be difficult and expensive. The Signal Corps is fully abreast of the times (and of the military establishment of any other arm) in its experiments with wireless telegraphy and wireless telephony and it has developed some very ingenious expedients for the use of rapidly moving forces in the field,—as for instance, the auto-telephone car or telephone and telegraph station on wheels and the apparatus which enables a mounted trooper to lay or reel in a telephone wire automatically while his horse is in full gallop, the rider meanwhile continuing telephone conversation over this elastic wire.

It is expected that when the joint operations of the army and navy in the south have passed into history the record of operations will afford argument one way or another as to what shall be done with the U. S. Marine Corps. Our readers will recall that this force, the "soldiers of the navy" has been for some time past a bone of contention in service and official circles. Many persons have contended for years

past that this body of sea soldiers who are presumably no longer needed on our warships as they were in the days when most of the sailors were foreigners, should be transferred to the army. Some time ago all the marines were taken off the warships, but later by order of congress they had to be restored. Now that hundreds of the marines are scheduled to participate in extensive land operations,—either independently or in connection with the soldiery of the regular army—it is hoped that evidence will be forthcoming as to whether or not they would render better service if actually enrolled on the army roster.

The "team work" of the army and navy which is a consistent policy with Uncle Sam is being followed along with other up-to-date ideas in the operations on the Gulf coast. Co-operation between military and naval forces is, of course, an axiom with all the great powers of the world, but many of the European nations which have no very extensive sea coasts have not given the attention to this that has been bestowed in the United States. It will be remembered that in the most recent war games on the Atlantic coast there was joint responsibility between the two arms of the service. However many persons have little expectation that such concerted action would be advisable when planning operations on a reference to a foe from overseas, but relative to possible disturbance in a neighborly republic on our own continent. In this respect the present activity has proven something of a revelation. But it has been realized that not only can the warships render a service by a patrol on the Gulf coast but are also a factor in that they can land for shore service thousands of seamen trained by regular small arms practice for service as infantrymen and light artillerymen.

One of the marvels of the recent quick work in the southwest is found in the very creditable manner in which the commissary department has met the responsibilities suddenly thrust upon it. Here again there has been most gratifying contrast to the conditions of the Spanish war period, but it must be remembered the Uncle Sam has made very tangible progress these past few years in the very vital problem of subsisting troops in the field. The army has made most advantageous use of wireless cooking by means of wireless cookers on wheels, designed to cook the food while the military force to which the equipment is attached is on the march and to have the meal, piping hot and ready to serve the minute the force halts for the noon day respite or to pitch camp at night.

There has been plenty of work to do for the engineer corps of the army in this "Texas campaign" for there have been big camps to lay out and to lay out such sites in various places to a divisional camp covering 800 acres made an immense amount of work for the surveying corps and the map makers in the field. The engineers are also likely to find some opportunity for their searchlight work, including the use of their new portable searchlights connected by automobile trucks and ere the "war game" is completed they are likely to have more or less practice in bridge building. And finally the operations of 20,000 soldiers in the field cannot fail to afford its share of work for the hospital corps—the more so by reason of the effect upon the health of many of the officers and men of a sudden change from a cold to a warm climate. And the best part of all this practical training of our military preparedness is that not only will the rank and file get experience but the higher officers of the service from Gen. Leonard Wood, down, will personally direct or observe the important movements, thereby learning first hand the tactical and strategic lessons involved.



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"When my boy was about three months old his head broke out with a rash which was very itchy and ran a watery fluid. We tried everything we could but he got worse all the time, till it spread to his arms, legs and then to his entire body. He got so bad that he came near dying. The rash would itch so that he would scratch till the blood ran, and a thin yellowish stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put mittens on his hands to prevent him tearing his skin. He was so weak and run-down that he took fainting spells as if he were dying. He was almost a skeleton and his little hands were thin like claws.

"He

When he was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long while. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and put on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was so soothed that he could sleep. You don't know how glad I was he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment and pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap to cure him. I think our boy would have died but for the Cuticura Remedies and I shall always remain a firm friend of them. There has been no return of the trouble. I shall be glad to have you publish this true statement of his cure." (Signed) Mrs. M. C. Maitland, Jasper, Ontario, May 27, 1910.

Not Just What He Meant.
She (at the masquerade)—Do you think my costume becoming?
He (with enthusiasm)—Yes, indeed; but you would be lovely in any disguise.

On Occasion.
"Pop, is it X that is an unknown quantity?"
"I have always found it so, my son whenever I tried to borrow one."

Self-possession implies the capacity for self-restraint, self-compulsion, and self-direction.—W. H. Thomson.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels and cure constipation.

It's easier for a shiftless man to make friends than to make good.

SWETT—I am a ruined man.

SWETT—Does your wife know it?

SWETT—No, she doesn't yet realize she has done.

SUFFERED TERRIBLY.
by Trouble and Rheumatic Pains
Made Life Miserable.

Mr. Wilson, Humboldt, Nebr., says:
"My kidney disease in a very aggravated
form. Kidney secretions con-
tained a dark sediment and passages
were very painful.
I was so stiff I could
hardly move. My back
ached terribly. I had
nervous and dizzy
spells, my limbs were
swollen and morning
on arising I felt weak
and depressed. I doc-
tor and tried numerous remedies
but steadily grew worse until almost
incapable. I began to improve under
the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and in
only a short time before I was
completely well."

member the name—Doan's.
r sale by all dealers. 50 cents
Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Happy Family.
s. Scrappington (in the midst of
reading)—Here is an account of a
man turning on the gas while he
and was asleep and asphyxiating

Scrappington—Very considerate
er, I'm sure! Some wives wake
husbands up, and then talk them
ath.—Puck.

Taking a Chance.
 Employer—So, then, Miss Willing
 e leaving us for good?
 as Willing—No, sir! For better
 r worse!

4 Bu. to the Acre

acre yield, but that's what John Kennedy of Alton, Alberta, wrote Wheat in 1916. Reports of acres of Kermanshah in 1916. Reports from other districts in the province showed other excellent results—such as 4,000 bushels of wheat from 120 acres, or 531 bushels per acre, 25, 30 and 40 bushels yields were numerous. As high as 152 bushels of oats to the acre were threshed from Alberta fields in 1916.

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our Liver Clogged up

It's Why You're Tired—Out of
—Have No Appetite.

**ARTER'S LITTLE
ER PILLS**
put you right



few days.
they do
duty.
me

**CARTER'S
LITTLE
LIVER
PILLS.**

ness, Indigestion, and Sick Headache.
SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE

Genuine must bear Signature

ARE YOU FREE FROM—

Headaches, Colds, Indigestion, Pains, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Dizziness? If you are not, the most effective, prompt and pleasant method of getting rid of them is to take, now and then, a desertspoonful of the ever refreshing and truly beneficial laxative remedy—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. It is well known throughout the world as the best of family laxative remedies, because it acts so gently and strengthens naturally without irritating the system in any way. To get its beneficial effects it is always necessary to buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., bearing the name of the Company, plainly printed on the front of every package.

Well Known.
Bloss—Is Hardup pretty well known in your town?
Slobbs—I should say he is. He's so well known he can't even borrow an umbrella.—Philadelphia Record.

USE ALLEN'S FOOT-POWDER
The Allens foot powder is the shoe for tired, aching feet. It takes the sting out of corns and bunions and makes walking a delight. Sold everywhere. See. *Refuse substitutes.* For FREE trial package, address A. B. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y.

A Delicate Compliment.
"My new gown received a very sincere compliment the other day?"
"As to how?"

"The proprietor of a restaurant I went into asked me to sit near the window. Said it would lend tone to his place."

It Was Muffling.
"Bugs" Raymond, the handsome and brilliant pitcher of the New York Giants, is a great wit on the field," said a sporting editor at the Pen and Pencil club in Philadelphia.

"Raymond was disgusted one day at his team's wretched outfielding. Battered after batter sent up high flies, and these easy balls were muffed alternately by left and center.
"Bugs at the sixth muffed threw down his glove and stamped on it.
"There's an epidemic in the outfield," he said, "but, by jingo! it isn't catching."

HURT HIM.



Customer—That razor you're using must be rather old.
Barber—How can you tell, sir?
Customer—It has so many teeth.

A WIDOW'S LUCK
Quit the Thing That Was Slowly Injuring Her.

A woman tells how coffee kept her from insuring her life:
"I suffered for many years chiefly from trouble with my heart, with severe nervous headaches and neuralgia; but although incapacitated at times for my housework, I did not realize the gravity of my condition until I was rejected for life insurance, because, the examining physician said, my heart was so bad he could not pass me."
"This distressed me very much, as I was a widow and had a child dependent upon me. It was to protect her future that I wanted to insure my life."
"Fortunately for me, I happened to read an advertisement containing a testimonial from a man who had been affected in the same way that I was with heart trouble, and who was benefited by leaving off coffee and using Postum. I grasped at the hope this held out, and made the change at once."
"My health began to improve immediately. The headaches and neuralgia disappeared. I gained in flesh, and my appetite came back to me. Greatest of all, my heart was strengthened from the beginning, and soon all the distressing symptoms passed away. No more waking up in the night with my heart trying to fly out of my mouth!"
"Then I again made application for life insurance, and had no trouble in passing the medical examination."
"It was seven years ago that I began to use Postum and I am using it still, and shall continue to do so, as I find it a guarantee of good health." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason." Read the big little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pligs.
Here read the above letter? A new one appears from "time-to-time." They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

For the Hostess

A Garden Contest.

In response to many requests for contests I reprint this one, which was published many years ago, and may be new to the majority of our readers. The list may be written in booklet form and the outside cover made in the shape of a flower, if the hostess is at all gifted in the use of water colors. One page may be devoted to "vegetables" and one to "flowers." The key is given below:

VEGETABLES.
A wise swan. Antics. Wines. Predicaments. In history. Relation to pump. A kind of shot. Part of a river. Couples. Marshes. A laboratory. Planted mollusks.

FLOWERS.

Wounded deer. Worn by a clever animal. Time for afternoon tea. Easy way to get rich. Worn by women. Herds. Property of a single man. A parent. What you did this morning. A rooster's article of toilet. Black-eyed Susan. Sweetened letters. Scalloped edges of cloth. Part of the eye.

KEY TO VEGETABLES.

Sage. Capers. Beets. Pickles. Dates. Pumpkin. Onions. Currant. Grapes. Peas. Squash. Maize. Vegetable oysters. Peas.

KEY TO FLOWERS.

Bleeding heart. Poppy. Fox glove. Rose. Four o'clock. Cockscomb. Marigold. Daisy. Lady's slipper. Sweet Peas. Phlox. Pinks. Bachelor's button. Iris.

A Carnation Luncheon.

Now that Queen Mary has designated the carnation as the coronation flower it is enjoying increased popularity. A very smart luncheon was given for a girl who is soon to be a bride. The table was set for twelve, the centerpiece was a low glass bowl filled with dozens of pink carnations; in a cello just above the place plates were bunches of the same carnations twined with loops of pale green maline. Afterward, when dessert was served, each girl pulled a bit of the maline nearest her and brought out the bouquet intended for her. To it the bride tied notes sealed with gilt hearts telling the happy news. The candles were shaded with exquisite creations of pink silk with gold braid; the holders were crystal twined with smilax. The place cards were pink carnations cut out and tinted with water colors, the names were lettered in gold and green. A charming conceit was the dessert plates, heart shaped decorated with carnations and the bride's monogram in gold. These were ordered especially as a gift and made by a clever woman famous for her original work in ceramics.

A Novel Birthday Party.

I give the following letter entire, just as it came to me, for there is an indescribable charm in the way this devoted mother tells of her happy experiment in planning an unusual party for her little daughter. Such contributions are very welcome in the department. We are here for mutual aid, and original methods of presenting even old schemes are hailed with joy by all of the department readers.
"My daughter is in her thirteenth year. It had been a question for some weeks just how to entertain her girl friends in a jolly way, as we objected to the boy and girl parties, where the children insisted on playing 'Wink,' 'Postoffice,' etc. At last we thought of a 'Grandmother' party. The invitations, which portrayed a dear old lady

In a pen and ink sketch, read as follows:
If you're quite fond of your cup of tea, Do come and have one or two with me. Please dress yourself as your grandmother dressed.
In her every day clothes, or in her best. Grandma Brown at home will be. On January 24, precisely at three.

And the quaint grandmothers who responded!
And quainter still were the dear little mannerisms of each delightful old lady. The costuming would have afforded amusement enough, but we had provided little slips of paper on which were written questions about each grandma present; the tea she used or didn't use. The first question was: Of what tea is Grand Graham fond? Answer: Honesty.

Another question was: Of what tea did Grandma Holmes drink too freely in her youth? Answer: Naughty.
Other questions were: What brand of tea do Grandma Hall's guests drink often? Answer: Hospitality.
What tea does Grandma Gray dislike? Answer: Partiality.
What tea does Grandma Biddle drink too often? Answer: Frivolity.

And so on through as many brands of tea as there were grandmas present. The answers were given as charades, which added to the fun. The refreshments were old-fashioned, and tea was indulged in by those charming little grandmothers in a manner which proved the art was by no means a lost one.

MADAME MERRI.

Bias Folds.

Take your cloth, if double width, open it and turn the corner a true bias. Keep on folding this bias about four inches across until you have folded about all your cloth you require, planning occasionally to keep even. Then mark across the bias the desired width you want your folds and cut across with sharp shears. In this way you will cut as many folds in ten minutes as it would take three or four hours to do in the ordinary way.

Leather Iron Holder.

Don't throw away an old shoe just because the sole is broken and unfit for wear. The instep of a buttoned shoe makes a handy iron holder. It fits the iron perfectly. Old stockings folded into several thicknesses make a cover for the leather holder and are soft and comfortable for the hands.

IN VOGUE.

German valenciennes is better liked for underwear than for frocks this summer.

Coarse blue linen frocks embroidered with blue and coral silk are fetching for young girls.

Among dainty little fancy effects for neckwear are clusters of small silk roses with plain silk for stems.

An odd fancy is to show little frills of maline on the inner hems of silk coats and deper buffles of it edge lingerie hats.

Cameo sets are chic and wonderfully pretty with summer gowns. They include belt buckle, cuff buttons and pins for shirt waist.

Maline lace holds first place in popularity. Tiny edges of this lace are used on turn-down collars of embroidered lawn and to edge plaited and gathered frills for blouses.

Silver sets for running ribbons of various widths through lingerie, make dainty summer souvenirs for feminine friends. There are usually four of these bodkins in each set.

Pretty Blouses



The first illustration shows a simple little bodice that would make up well in a thin material to match the skirt, and has pieces of embroidery or insertion taken across back and front, also on shoulders; fine ucks are made where the material of one trimming, also at wrist. The yoke is of tuck silk to match. Materials required: One and one-half yards forty-four inches wide, one yard trimming, one-half yard tuck silk. At the right two good style for morning wear are shown; both are suited to deaine, Viyella or cottons.

SATISFACTORY METHOD OF PROPAGATING WOODY PLANTS

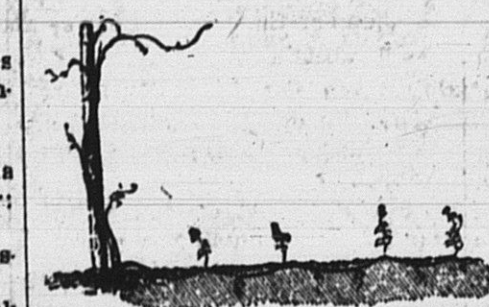
Layering May Be Considered Connecting Link Between Natural and Artificial Generation—Many Varieties Increase Naturally.

(By D. J. CROSBY.)

Layering may be considered the connecting link between natural and artificial propagation. Many plants, such as black raspberries, grapes and others, increase naturally in this way but man has lent his aid in so many ways to this process of propagation that it may be considered to a certain extent artificial.

A layer is a branch so placed in contact with the earth as to induce it to throw out roots and shoots, thus producing one or more independent plants, the branch meanwhile remaining attached to the parent plant. Layering frequently proves a satisfactory method of multiplying woody plants which do not readily take root from cuttings. There are several methods of layering.

Tip Layering.—The tip of a branch or cane is bent down to the ground



Vine Layering.

and slightly covered with soil when it will throw out roots and develop a new plant. Many plants may be propagated in this way.

Vine Layering.—A vine is stretched along the ground and buried through-out its entire length in a shallow trench, or it may be covered in certain places, leaving the remaining portions exposed. Roots will be put forth at intervals and branches thrown up. Later the vine may be cut between these, leaving a number of independent plants. The grape can be easily propagated in this way.

Mound Layering.—Plants which stool sending up a large number of stems or shoots from a single root, are often layered by mounding up the earth so as to cover the bases of those stems



Mound Layering. Tip Layering.

and cause them to throw out roots. Each may then be removed from the original root and treated as an independent plant. A plant is often cut back to the ground to make it send up a large number of shoots to be layered in this way.

ROOTS SERVE TWO PURPOSES

They Not Only Drink Up Dissolved Foods, but Also Serve to Hold Plant in Fixed Position—Strong in a Way.

(By H. H. SHEPARD.)

Roots serve two purposes for the plant. They not only drink up dissolved foods, but also serve to hold the plant in a fixed position.

The older and larger the plant grows the more roots it needs to securely hold it in place and to fully satisfy its drinking needs.

All of the roots of a plant help to hold it in place, but the youngest and finest roots do the drinking. These young, fine roots are called feeding roots. They grow out in all directions in the moist soil in search of food for the plant.

At the end of each tiny feeding root is a little cap resembling the finger of a glove. The function of this little root cap is to protect the tender root-let as it pushes its way through hard bits of soil.

Although young and apparently tender, these feeding roots are very strong in a way.

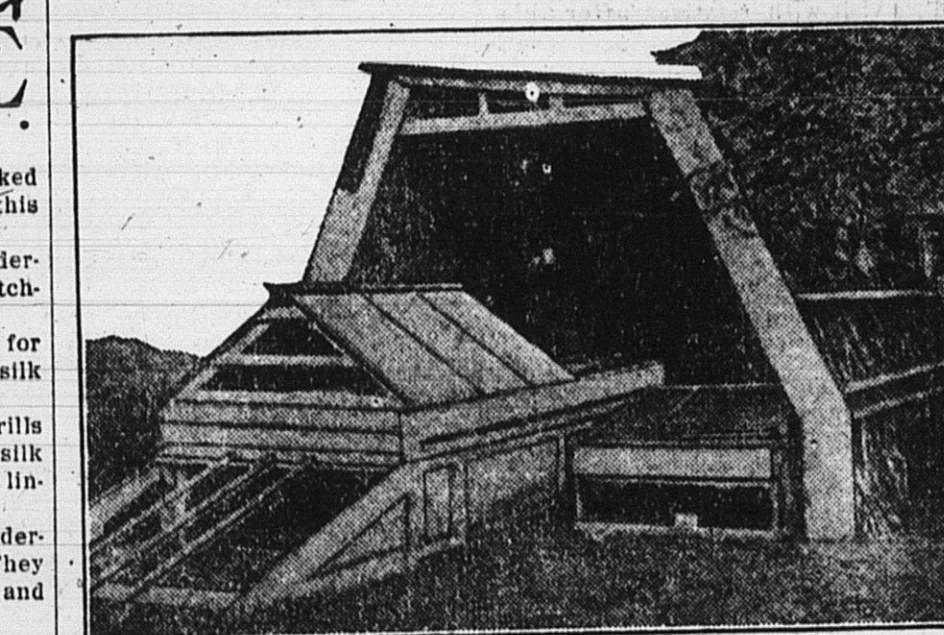
Through the power of expansive growth, they are able to push slowly through the very hard soil, and even penetrate some rocks, bursting them into pieces.

With large plants, such as trees they penetrate very deep down into the ground where the soil is always moist, but always as hard as rock.

What to Plant.

As to what to plant, that depends upon climate and soil and whether the garden is for all the year round or merely for summer and autumn, says Frances Duncan in the Century. If the place be lived in during the winter, then a hedge-like thorn, with its gay scarlet berries, a few evergreens marking important points, and edgings of dwarf evergreens or box will give no small amount of cheer and emphasize the fact that the garden is not dead, but sleeping.

CORNSTALK BROODER SHELTER



Any simple framework with cross-pieces will serve on which to lay corn-stalks to make such a shelter as shown in the illustration, says the

FIT POULTRY FOR MARKETING

Comparative Rate of Decomposition in Drawn and Undrawn Fowls Is Shown by Circular of Government.

The results of the investigations into the comparative rate of decomposition of drawn and undrawn market poultry made by the United States department of agriculture during the season 1909-1910 have just been published in Chemistry Circular 70. The conditions of the experiment were strictly commercial, as the fowls were killed and dressed by the regular employees of a poultry packing house, were shipped in the usual one-dozen-to-the-box package in a car-load of dressed poultry, were received by a wholesaler and handled with his stock, and went to the retailer when he purchased fowls from the same car-load, remaining in his shop for the period which the market happened to require for their sale.

The shipments extended over a period of six months, from January to June, inclusive, and the haul was about 1,700 miles requiring on the average of 7½ days. The birds were mature hens, large and fairly fat, and the method of killing was by bleeding through the mouth and puncturing the brain through the skull just below the eye. The carcasses were dressed according to methods known respectively as "full drawn," "wire drawn," "Boston drawn," and some are un-

drawn, all being dry picked, and the evisceration was conducted with sufficient care to render washing unnecessary.

The routine of dressing, packing and shipping, and general handling in these experiments is far above the average. In fact if all market poultry should be handled so well, the problem of decay would become insignificant.

The investigations which are described in detail in the pamphlet demonstrate (1) undrawn poultry decomposes more slowly than does poultry which has been either wholly or partially eviscerated; (2) "full drawn" poultry, completely eviscerated with head and feet removed decomposes the most rapidly; (3) "Boston drawn" and "wire drawn" stand midway between the undrawn and "full drawn" in speed of decomposition—the "wire drawn," which is most like the undrawn being usually the better; and (4) that these deductions apply to dry picked, dry chilled, dry packed, unwashed fowls, which have been marketed with what would be called promptness.

The effect of different methods of dressing in case of delayed marketing is now under investigation.

Arabian Horses.

The Arabian horse is a horse of the highest courage, in stature about 14 hands 2 inches, a horse of length, power and substance combined with the elastic and the sinuous movement of the serpent. He is a perfect animal, he is not exaggerated in some large parts, meager and diminished in others.

That Tired Feeling

That comes to you every spring is a sign that your blood is wanting in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that it is impure. Do not delay treatment; begin at once to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla, which effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of twenty different ingredients, raised to their highest efficiency for the cure of all spring troubles, that tired feeling and loss of appetite. There is no real substitute; insist on having

Hood's Sarsaparilla

"I felt tired all the time and could not sleep nights. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a little while I could sleep well and the tired feeling had gone. This great medicine has also cured me of scrofula, which had troubled me from childhood." Mrs. C. M. Root, Box 25, Gilead, Conn.

DIDN'T CARE TO BE DONE.

Not Exactly Patriotic.

He was, let us say, Irish, was among several men of other nationalities, and had imbibed several beverages. He was extremely anxious, moreover, to uphold the glories of Erin, but was not quite so sure of what was going on about him. A foreigner near him remarked:

"An honest man is the noblest work of God!"

The Hibernian didn't quite catch what was said:

"Get out!—an Irishman is!" he roared.

It Might Help.

"My wife used to meet me at the door every night when I got home from work."

"Doesn't she do it any more?"

"No, never."

"Why not try taking home a little check to her two or three times a week?"

CURE THAT CATARRH

Our climate with its sudden changes is conducive to catarrh—which is a chronic inflammation of the mucous membrane surface of head—nose or throat.

One month's local treatment with Paxtine Toilet Antiseptic will convince the most skeptical that Paxtine is not a palliative but a specific for all catarrhal conditions.

Paxtine is a perfectly harmless antiseptic and germicide in powder form which contains all of the antiseptic qualities of liquid antiseptics, but with other valuable cleansing, germicidal, and healing ingredients added.

Just a little in a glass of water as needed—used as a spray and gargle, will not only remove the accumulated secretions, but heals the inflammation, destroys the germs of disease, and dispels the disagreeable odor caused by chronic catarrh.

For sale at all druggists, 25c and 50c a box, or postpaid upon receipt of price. The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass. Send for a free sample.

Her Way.

Mrs. Woggs—So you keep your husband home evenings? I suppose you put his slippers where he can find 'em?

Mrs. Boggs—No. I put his overshoes where he can't.—Puck.

Let us never be discouraged by any difficulty which may attend what we know to be our duty.—Bowler.

Love never clogs a man's memory. He is scarcely off with the old until he is on with the new.

From many a woman's point of view a bird on her hat is worth a back yard full of poultry.

DR. J. D. KELLOGG'S ASTHMA

Remedy for the prompt relief of Asthma and Hay Fever. Ask your druggist for it. Write for FREE SAMPLE. NORTHROP & LYMAN CO. LTD., BUFFALO, N.Y.

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Stomach Blood and Liver Troubles

Much sickness starts with weak stomach, and consequent poor, impoverished blood. Nervous and pale-people lack good, rich, red blood. Their stomachs need invigorating for, after all, a man can be no stronger than his stomach.

A remedy that makes the stomach strong and the liver active, makes rich red blood and overcomes and drives out disease-producing bacteria and cures a whole multitude of diseases.

Get rid of your Stomach Weakness and Liver Laziness by taking a course of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

—the Great Stomach Restorative, Liver Invigorator and Blood Cleanser.

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, same being attested as correct under oath.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

COLT DISTEMPER

Can be handled very easily. The stick is curved, and all colors are made in one shade, so no matter how "spongy" the wall, it can be painted in one coat. Acts on the blood and cures all forms of distemper. Best remedy ever known for distemper. One bottle guaranteed to cure one case. For sale in a bottle, or by the dozen. Cut above how to position through. For more information, write to J. D. Kellogg, Fitzgerald & Co., Box K, Washington, D.C.

W. L. DOUGLAS

ESTABLISHED 1876. \$2.50 \$3 \$3.50 \$4 SHOES FOR MEN. W. L. Douglas Spring Styles include more Snappy and Up-to-Date Shapes in Oxfords and High Cuts than ever before produced.

W. L. Douglas warrants every pair of his shoes to hold their shape, look and fit better and wear longer than any other make, giving you better value for the money than you can obtain elsewhere.

BEWARE OF SUBSTITUTES.

The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and the retail price stamped on the bottom, which guarantees full value and protects the wearer against high prices and inferior shoes. If your dealer cannot supply you with the genuine W. L. Douglas shoes, write to the Mail Order Catalogue. Shoes sent direct from factory to wearers, all charges prepaid. W. L. Douglas, 145 Spring St., Brockton, Mass. \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00.

A Country School for Girls in New York City

Best Features of Country and City Life. Out-of-door Sports on School Park of 35 acres near the Hudson River. Full Academic Course from Primary Class to Graduation. Upper Class for Advanced Special Students, Music and Art. Certificate admits to College. School Coach Blends Day Pupils. Miss Bangs and Miss Whiton, Riverdale Ave., near 252d St., West.

ROYAL Baking Powder Economy

The manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder have always declined to produce a cheap baking powder at the sacrifice of quality.

Royal Baking Powder is made from pure grape cream of tartar, and is the embodiment of all the excellence possible to be attained in the highest class baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder costs only a fair price, and is more economical at its price than any other leavening agent, because of the superlative quality and absolute wholesomeness of the food it makes.

Mixtures made in imitation of baking powders, but containing alum, are frequently distributed from door to door, or given away in grocery stores. Such mixtures are dangerous to use in food. In England, France, Germany and some sections of the United States their sale is prohibited by law. Alum is a dangerous mineral acid, and all physicians condemn baking powders containing it.

The label of alum baking powders must show the ingredients.

READ THE LABEL

CHURCH CIRCLES

BAPTIST.

Rev. F. L. Blanchard, Pastor.
Preaching service, 10 a. m.
Sunday school, 11 a. m.
Young People's meeting, 6 p. m.
Prayer service, 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday at 7 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
No services next Sunday owing to the absence of the pastor who will attend the Young People's convention at Saline.
The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held at the church Friday afternoon of this week. All members are requested to be present.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.
Morning worship at 10 o'clock.
Class at 9:30 a. m.
Bible study at 11 a. m.
Junior League at 3 p. m.
Epworth League devotional service at 6 p. m.
Evening service of song and short sermon at 7 o'clock.
Midweek prayer meeting at 7 p. m. on Thursday.
All are welcome at these services.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.
Morning service at 10 a. m. Sermon subject, "Eating Together." The communion service will be observed.
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
C. E. meeting at 6 p. m.
Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Webster and Calhoun the Statesmen Who Set the Lines in Battle Array." This is the second in the series "The Heroic Age in American History."

Spelling Contest.

The spelling contest of Lima township was held at the McLaren school Friday, April 28. The standings were as follows: District No. 1, Miss Walsh, teacher, Bertha Gray, 100, Bertha Gross, 98. District No. 7, Miss Licht, teacher, Ruth McLaren, 96. District No. 8, Miss Barton, teacher, Clarence Koenig, 90, Louise Haarer, 90. Cora Bollinger, 98.

Balked at Cold Steel.

"I wouldn't let a doctor cut my foot off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam, Ohio, "although a horrible ulcer had been the plague of my life for four years. Instead I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my foot was soon completely cured." Heals burns, boils, sores, bruises, eczema, pimples, corns. Surest cure. 25c. at L. P. Vogel, H. E. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

BREVITIES

MILAN—Charles Gauntlett has been reappointed as postmaster of Milan.

BRIDGEWATER—Wm. C. Sproull of Bridgewater was granted a divorce from his wife Lillian for cruelty Tuesday morning.

MANCHESTER—Like his predecessors, Mr. Johnson finds it necessary to close the Manchester house. It is understood that Mr. Johnson will open a restaurant in this village.

ANN ARBOR—Effort to depose Principal Smalley of the high school were made at a secret meeting of the board of education Thursday night. The resolution to depose him failed by a vote of five to two.

YPSILANTI—Mrs. Cassie Pearson, the first white child born in Livingston county, died at her home in Superior township at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. Mrs. Pearson was 74 years of age. She was married at the age of 18 years to Edwin Pettibone, who died in 1878, and later she married Ezekiel Pearson, who died 15 years ago.

ANN ARBOR—The case of Margaret Larkin of this city against the Modern Woodmen of America for \$2,000 on a policy issued to her son, Edward, who was killed by a fall from a moving traction car on a curve near Adrian a year or so ago was settled Monday afternoon by the payment of \$1,000. The company claimed that Larkin was under the influence of liquor when the car swung around the curve.

JACKSON—The first man to escape from Jackson prison since Warden Simpson took charge of the institution is Harry Bosier, a trusty who walked away Sunday. He was working outside the walls. Bosier was serving a sentence of five years for burglary. He was sent up from Calhoun county July 18, 1907. He is 22 years old, about 5 feet 14 inches in height, and weighs 167 pounds. A reward of \$50 has been offered for his apprehension.

ANN ARBOR—Hank Griffin, a former well known Negro heavyweight fighter, of late years proprietor of Griffin's hotel in this city, died Tuesday morning of typhoid pneumonia after an illness of two months at the age of 41 years. Griffin retired from the ring about five years ago after a more or less successful career during which time he met some of the really good men. His best fights probably were with the present champion, Jack Johnson, with whom he fought a 20 and a 15-round draw in 1902. Griffin was bested by Jeffries in four rounds September 17, 1901.

MANCHESTER—Charles Walker of Manchester accused of having threatened to shoot William Trolz, was convicted Friday afternoon before a jury in Justice Watkins court. Sentence was deferred Saturday.

STOCKBRIDGE—Wm. Asquith, an old resident of Stockbridge, over 80 years old, wandered away from his home Saturday afternoon. Neighbors joined in a search for him but he was not found until Sunday noon about four miles from home.

ANN ARBOR—Howard Hartman, the lit medic student who was accidentally shot on March 18 at Portage Lake where he went on a duck hunting expedition, was taken to his home in Toledo, O., Friday. Hartman is recovering quite rapidly from his terrible wounds, and was able to walk from the carriage to the depot.

DEXTER—Fire broke out at 1:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon from some unknown cause in the blacksmith shop belonging to Thomas Shay destroying the shop and Mr. Shay's new barn burning both to the ground. While fighting the fire sparks flew over to Mrs. W. S. Drew's residence across the track. Prompt action of the men saved the house.

JACKSON—Hiram Lantis, Penrose Lantis and M. L. Harmon of Waterloo were arranged in justice court Monday morning on the charge of spearing black bass and blue gills in Little Portage lake April 29. They pleaded guilty. Mr. Lantis and Mr. Lantis paid fines of \$10 each. Harmon being a boy, Justice Russell released him on suspended sentence.—Patriot.

ANN ARBOR—Judge Kinne Tuesday afternoon denied the defendant's motion for a new trial in the case of Samuel Hoopingarner and John Zeigler against William Stipe for \$1,400 real estate commission. The case was decided by a jury in the plaintiff's favor a week or so ago and Stipe's attorney promptly filed a warm motion for a new trial complaining of the opposing counsel.

DEXTER—Miss Carrie Parsons, 19 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Parsons, died Monday morning after an illness of ten days. Miss Parsons was born in Webster, February 2, 1892, and has spent the past twelve years in Dexter attending the Dexter school, and was a member of the senior class of 1911. She was a bright student and well beloved. She is survived by her father and mother and one sister, Miss Nellie Parsons of California.

DEXTER—Mrs. Lillian C. Rettick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Neeb of this place, was married Saturday at Detroit to H. F. Frost of Ann Arbor, by Rev. T. W. Young of Detroit, a former pastor of the First Baptist church of Ann Arbor. Mr. and Mrs. Frost left immediately after the ceremony for Cleveland for a few days visit with relatives, after which they will be at home to their friends at their residence, 1340 Wilcox street in Ann Arbor.

ANN ARBOR—Basil Hutchinson, of Ypsilanti, accused of picking pockets both in Ypsilanti and on a traction car in this city allowed to go on suspended sentence, by Judge Kinne Tuesday afternoon, on the stipulation that Hutchinson is to behave, and he must appear in court to answer for any wrongdoing by taking sentence on the present charges. Victor E. VanAmeringen acted as prosecutor, Prosecutor Burke having represented Hutchinson at the preliminary hearing.

DEXTER—A very pretty kitchen shower one evening the past week was given at the home of Mrs. Clifford Parker of Lima in honor of her sister, Miss Lillie Schmid, 17 young ladies being present. The honored guest was led to a chair surrounded with beautiful house plants and crowned with a wreath of roses by her niece, Mildred Parker. After examining her many useful articles mostly enough for a kitchen, a dainty lunch was served, the party reluctantly breaking up at 1 o'clock to take the last car to Ann Arbor.

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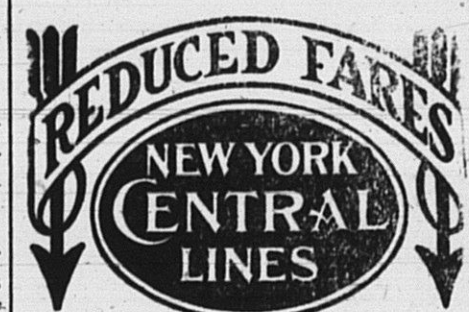
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lida S. Sumner, late of 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 the office of John Kalmach in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 24th day of June, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated April 28th, 1911.

GEORGE BECKWITH,
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Commissioners.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. As a session of the Probate Court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 28th day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Boyd, deceased.

On reading and filing of said estate, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 22nd day of May 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. DOWNS, Register.

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 Roxa M. Wilkinson, 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 the office of John Kalmach in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 21st day of June, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, April 21st, 1911.

J. E. McKUNE,
ORRIS T. HOOPER,
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 22nd day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lettie S. Holmes, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Thomas Holmes, husband, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas Holmes or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 22nd day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.

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DORCAS C. DOWNS, Register.

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 13th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Niehaus, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Catherine Niehaus, widow, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Catherine Niehaus, or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 12th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
DORCAS C. DOWNS, Register.

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 Frederick M. Vogel, 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 the office of John Kalmach in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 15th day of June, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, April 14th, 1911.

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