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### Sunday School Convention.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Washtenaw county association was held in the Methodist church at this place on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Delegates were present from the various Sunday schools of the county and every number of the program as published in the Standard of last week was carried out. The papers and discussions were both interesting and instructive.

The following officers and superintendents of the various departments were chosen at the business session Wednesday forenoon:

President—Rev. F. I. Blanchard, of Chelsea.

Vice President—Howard Bartlett, Saline.

Secretary—William B. Hatch, Ypsilanti.

Treasurer—Warren H. Smith, Ann Arbor.

Primary—Miss Gertrude E. Storms, Chelsea.

Temperance—Mrs. Martha Warner, Ypsilanti.

Teachers' Training—Prof. G. F. Coler, Ann Arbor.

Missionary—Mrs. Marshall H. Pettit, Ypsilanti.

Home Work—C. E. Deake, Ypsilanti.

"Tee" Age—W. H. Tinker, Ann Arbor.

Adult Classes—Prof. W. M. Pearce, Ypsilanti.

Rural Work—Hon. John K. Campbell, Augusta.

Purity—G. A. Young, Ann Arbor.

The executive committee will appoint a vice president from each township in the county.

Rev. F. I. Blanchard and C. E. Deake were chosen as the delegates to the state Sunday school convention.

The committee on recommendations made several suggestions among which was one that the church and Sunday schools unite in fittingly observing the Fourth of July.

A large delegation was present from Saline Wednesday. The convention will be held in Saline next year.

### Shot His Wife.

After shooting and probably fatally wounding his wife, Horatio Underwood, a Britton farmer, drank a quantity of carbolic acid, killing himself, in his wife's boarding house at Ann Arbor Monday morning.

The couple had been separated since September, when Mrs. Underwood, with her 17-year-old daughter Helen, located in Ann Arbor and started to take roomers and boarders.

According to the story told by the almost distracted daughter she heard her father come into the house about 9:30 o'clock Monday morning. She was in bed and she heard him open the front door, walk in and call,

"Minnie, come here: I've something to show you."

The daughter says she opened her bedroom door and stepped out into the kitchen just in time to see her father pull a revolver from his pocket and fire at her mother. The mother ran to the door, screaming. The bullet went wild; then he fired again, this one hitting her in the neck, and the mother fell to the floor.

Helen Underwood then ran to the back porch, screaming for help. As she returned to the kitchen, where the tragedy occurred, she saw her father put a bottle to his lips. She sprang to him, knocking the vial away, and a quantity of carbolic acid fell over her. She was not quick enough, however, to save her father's life.

It is stated that Mrs. Underwood will probably recover.

### Found Dead in Bed.

Michel J. Schanz, sr., of Ann Arbor, was found dead in bed by his wife Monday morning. He had been ill for several months.

Mr. Schanz was born in Breidenstein, Wuertemberg, Germany, December 10, 1834. He came to this country in 1873. About 1875 he purchased a farm in Lima, about two miles south and east of Chelsea, where he resided until the spring of 1910, when he moved to Ann Arbor. He is survived by his wife, three daughters and seven sons.

The funeral was held at the family home this Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. The remains were brought to Chelsea for interment.

### Hallowe'en Party.

The class of young ladies taught by Mrs. J. W. Campbell, Professor Hendry's Sunday school class, and the members of the Epworth League are invited to spend the evening on Tuesday, October 31, at the home of Mrs. Fannie S. Ward of Lima. Take the six o'clock car. Scrub lunch will be served. The Hallowe'en witch will be there and a good time to all who attend.

### Chelsea Defeats Mason, Score 6 to 5.

The Chelsea high school football team was again victorious. This time the Mason team was the victim. The game was supposed to be played according to interscholastic rules but if looks are not deceptive Mason violated these rules in at least three particulars. Notwithstanding this however our boys were more than conquerors. Mason left the field badly used up and very much broken in spirit.

The game was fast and furious from the first sound of the referee's whistle until the close of the game. There was a good deal of feeling between the teams and as a consequence some rough playing on both sides. Mason was determined to win and on several occasions resorted to slugging and other forbidden tactics.

The first touch down was scored by Mason but they failed to kick goal thus leaving the score 5 to 0. Chelsea was sadly handicapped by the absence of Dunn from the line up during the early part of the game. John remained upon the side lines as long as he could stand it and then leaped into the game replacing Turner.

Bull who had played pluckily. His presence revived the courage of the Chelsea boys and they determined to even the score if possible. His return permitted the use of several of our best forward passes, many of which were used, netting long gains.

On one occasion a very complicated pass was executed only to be declared illegal because the umpire said there were but six men on the line of scrimmage while as a matter of fact there were nine.

When but three minutes remained the score still stood 5 to 0 in Mason's favor and Chelsea's chances for a score not very promising. The ball was in the possession of Chelsea on Mason's 35 yard line. P. Belser gave the signal for a delayed pass, Belser to Dunn to Belser. The Mason team was taken by surprise and before they had collected their senses P. Belser was over for a touch down.

The score now stood 5 to 5 with two minutes to play. Dunn punted out to Kuhl who heeled the ball thus giving Chelsea a chance for a goal kick. Notwithstanding the very difficult angle at which he was required to kick the ball Dunn landed the pigskin fairly between the bars making the score 6 to 5 in our favor. But two minutes of time remained.

Mason fought desperately to even the score but all their efforts were in vain.

It would be an injustice to single out any player for special praise as the whole team played brilliant games.

Not once was Chelsea forced to take a man out of her line up, but Mason was compelled to substitute as many as five or six men. The Mason boys averaged about fifteen pounds per man more than those of Chelsea, still our boys were able to hold them when it became necessary.

The next game will be played Saturday, October 28, at 3 p. m. against the Jackson boys. Come out and see a good game.

### Will Raise \$52,000 in County.

The supervisors before closing their fall session Friday afternoon decided to raise \$52,000 in the various county funds this year. This is in addition to the amounts which it is estimated will be received from the liquor tax, from fees and from the mortgage tax law. The county funds are distributed as follows:

County	\$12,000
Contingent	1,500
Poor	1,000
Soldiers' Relief	1,500
Salaries	23,000
Fuel and Light	2,000
Sparrows	500
Contagious disease	1,000
Juifors	6,000
Asylum	1,000
Building committee	2,500
Total	\$52,000

The liquor tax is expected to bring in \$16,000, fees \$5,000 and the mortgage tax \$5,000 more.

### The Special Election.

At the special election held on Tuesday two franchises were voted for and both of them were carried.

One of the propositions was a franchise to John B. Cole for gas for illuminating and fuel purposes. The vote was as follows:

Whole number of votes	163
For the franchise	134
Unmarked ballot	1
Against the franchise	18
Against the franchise	1

The vote on the telephone franchise granted to P. H. Belser was as follows:

Whole number of votes	168
For the franchise	131
Unmarked ballots	2
Against the franchise	35

### Pretty Home Wedding.

Battle Creek Enquirer of October 20: A pretty fall wedding occurred last evening at the home of Mrs. N. S. Phelps, 258 Maple street, when her daughter, Miss Enid, became the bride of Warren C. Boyd, of Chelsea, Mich. All of the appointments of the wedding were simple, but none the less charming. The rooms were attractively decorated with flowers, palms greenery, yellow chrysanthemums being used in one of the rooms while pink roses were the flowers chosen for the dining room. The Venetian orchestra, stationed in the library, rendered several selections before and after the ceremony and during the serving of the wedding repast. The ceremony was performed at eight o'clock, the Rev. William S. Potter officiating. The bride was becomingly gowned in a beautiful dress of white French voile with trimmings of baby Irish lace. She carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses. The young couple were unattended. After the hearty congratulations of the seventy guests present, a delectable wedding supper was served. Many handsome gifts were presented to the young couple, both of whom are very popular. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Mary Boyd, mother of the groom, Mrs. Edith Cavanaugh, a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Boyd and Howard Boyd, all of Chelsea, Albert Wiles, of Canton, Mich., and John Watkins, of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd will make their home in Chelsea.

### State Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

The fifth annual convention of the Michigan state association for the prevention and relief of tuberculosis will be held at Memorial hall, Ann Arbor, November 3. After the business meeting, which opens at nine o'clock, luncheon will be served at Michigan Union club house by the University of Michigan for visiting delegates.

In the afternoon at Memorial hall Dr. A. S. Warthin, president of the state association, will speak on "The Function of the State and Local Anti-Tuberculosis Association." Miss Ethel M. McCormick, secretary of the Grand Rapids society, will discuss the question, "What Can Be Done to Further the Fight Against Tuberculosis in Michigan?" Dr. Robert L. Dixon, secretary of the state board of health, will speak on "The State Board of Health Exhibit Car; Its Aims and Accomplishments."

### Telephone Changes.

A number of changes will take place November 1st in the Ann Arbor district of the Michigan State Telephone Co. C. J. Given, the present district manager, has been transferred to Lansing.

Lawrence Dunn, who has been manager of the Chelsea exchange for several years, will be given charge of the plant department of the Ann Arbor district and will have a gang of ten men under his direction. For the present Mr. Dunn will make his home in Chelsea.

M. Welch, at present manager of the Manchester exchange, will be transferred to the managership of the local exchange.

The company has issued a new directory which is ready for delivery.

### The Moulin Rouge Girls.

For months past the papers have been full of war in Mexico, so what would be more up-to-the-minute to burlesque than this very same war. So when this company of fun-makers appear at the Sylvan theatre on Monday, October 30, they will present two of the funniest farces ever presented on the boards. The stars of this company are those famous comedians, (late of the Monte Carlo Girls Co.) Lewis Golden and Joe Collins, and with the comedy in such apt hands, there is sure to be something doing at all times. The girls of the company (of which it is mostly composed) led by May Collins and May Burns, are beautifully costumed, and present a host of the latest song hits, and dainty, dashing, gingery dancing numbers. A number of high class vaudeville acts been secured, also a famous dancer from Paris called "The Girl in the Window." You can't live without a girl so come ahead.

Prices, 35c, 50c and 75c. Seaton sale at Vogel's now.

### Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch, of Bectown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that had developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. Its greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-sores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it 25c. at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co., L. T. Freeman Co.

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Sweet Early June Peas, fresh from the field, per can	15c
Large fat Mackerel, heads and tails off, per pound	20c
Norway Mackerel	3 for 10c
Sardines, Kipperd Herring, Shrimp and Herring	
Ripe, solid packed Tomatoes, per can	15c
Fancy Table Syrup, per 10-pound pail	35c
Fancy whole-head Rice	3 pounds for 25c
RED BAND BLEND COFFEE has made it own success, lb.	15c and 25c
Heinz Ketchup made from ripe tomatoes, per bottle	25c
Heinz Mustard Ketchup, something new, per bottle	25c
Fancy Virginia Sweet Potatoes, per peck	30c
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## BREEDS FOOLS BY SCORE

Sensational Murder Cases, Especially Where Woman is Involved, Produce Many Kinds of Idiots.

Every sensational murder case breeds a large crop of fools. Especially if a woman is involved, there is always plenty of idiotic people pressing themselves forward for notoriety or anonymous association with the tragedy. In the latest Richmond crime there has been the usual output of sensation seeking cranks and maudlin sympathizers, reaching a climax in the man who offered to sacrifice himself in the place of the accused husband for the sum of \$5,000. This man, however, is no worse than the writers of letters to the woman witness now held in custody offering themselves in marriage to her.

The abnormality that leads people to take a keen personal interest in persons accused of participation in the most revolting crimes passes understanding. There was, for instance, the case of Ethel Leneve, the companion and possible accomplice of Crippen, who slew his wife in London. No sooner had the pair been captured on their flight to Canada than the girl was besieged with matrimonial and theatrical offers, some of them in most alluring terms. People who had never seen her wrote to her letters of endearment that they should have been ashamed even to acknowledge.

Without doubt, the woman in this Richmond case could even without the slightest suggestion of talent, make a comfortable fortune "on the stage." She has already received what are described as attractive offers from vaudeville managers, her acceptance of which is necessarily somewhat handicapped by the uncertainty of her future. Why any one would want to see such a person in a public performance is beyond comprehension. Yet the fact remains that there is a tremendous, unwholesome curiosity to see such people.—Washington Star.

## The Irish Ambassador.

At an international wedding in Washington, order was preserved in the streets near the church by a squad of policemen under the command of Capt. Daniel Sullivan, who is famous for his politeness. A young man representing a metropolitan daily paper stationed himself near Sullivan and took down the names of the prominent people as they alighted from their carriage and entered the church.

Sullivan's dictation was partly as follows:

"The British Ambassador. The Senators from Maryland. The German Ambassador. The Irish Ambassador. The Bishop of Washington."

When the reporter returned to the office and looked over the list he was astonished to see the note, "The Irish Ambassador," as he realized that Ireland, being a part of Great Britain, has no diplomatic representative of its own. After much trouble, he got Sullivan on the telephone.

"What do you mean by 'The Irish Ambassador'?" he was asked in great haste. "Who is he?"

"Why, he's Capt. Daniel Sullivan," replied Sullivan. "Ain't I a policeman?"—Popular Magazine.

## Emergency Thought.

The fare—Now, cabinman, I wish you to be extremely careful. When you come to a crossing you must wait until the policeman tells you to go on, and if the streets are slippery you must drive very slowly.

Cabby—All right, mum; I'll be very careful, mum. And in case of a haccident, mum, which 'ospital would you like to be took to?—Bystander.

## Varieties of Oranges and Lemons.

Oranges and lemons of excellent quality have reached this country from Rhodesia. The introduction of both these fruits into Europe is more recent than many suppose. A native of India, the orange came to us by way of western Asia, the bitter orange being brought in by returning Crusaders and the sweet variety not coming until the fifteenth century, when Genoese traders introduced the tree into Italy. The lemon was brought into Spain by the Arabs in the twelfth century. According to the experts there are 47 varieties of lemons and 80 of oranges.—London Chronicle.

## According to Her Estimate.

"You and your husband celebrate your silver wedding next week, do you?"

"Yes; next Wednesday."

"Does it seem possible that you have lived together 25 years?"

"I should say it didn't! Harry's a traveling man for a wholesale queensware house and we've lived together just three years, eleven months and nineteen days."

## A Diagnosis.

"I know why barbers succeed in preventing other men from getting in a word edgewise."

"Why is it?"

"Because they are always cutting the other men short."

## Too Suspicious.

"Say, what does a tailor mean when he's measuring you for a suit of clothes and sings out 'B-E-E'?"

"That means 'round backed'."

"What about the man who says 'I'm a doctor' and I slugged him for it?"

## COMMISSIONER OF FARMING NEEDED

ARTHUR P. PATRIARCHE SUGGESTS THAT A STATE COMMISSIONER BE APPOINTED.

THINKS FARMING INTERESTS SUFFER UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS.

Maintains That This is a Matter of Deep Interest to the Consumer as Well as to the Producer.

"Michigan should have a commissioner of agriculture," declared Arthur P. Patriarche, vice-president of the Pere Marquette railway, whose peculiar work in the railway field has to do mainly with the traffic department. "What is more the commissioner of agriculture should be an appointive office, for in this way only the best qualified man in the state could then be chosen for the berth."

"The trouble with the present system, as far as it relates to agriculture, is that now there is no official head to this important branch of our citizenship, no continuity of policy or no co-ordinating force to gather up the scattered threads. His work now devolves upon the secretary of state, who is usually a professional man, generally unqualified by education or out of touch with the conditions that are so vital to agricultural life."

"For instance, just at present, there are four societies acting independently, but doing great and important work for Michigan. I refer to the Western Michigan Development Bureau, the Northern Michigan Development Bureau and North Eastern Michigan Development Bureau and the Pennville Fruit association. Now all of these societies are doing splendid work. In some cases, they are duplicating one another's work. They are, however, restricted to their own peculiar fields necessarily. They cannot be expected to do the pioneer work in experimental agriculture which the modern state now performs."

## Railroad Deal Made.

By the consummation of a deal which has been in progress since last May, the Saginaw Bay Southwestern railway has been reorganized, and the controlling interest passes into the hands of Albert I. Jacob.

The Saginaw Bay, Southwestern railway was organized in 1905, with the intention of running from Bay City, via Owosso, to Chicago. However, no construction work was done on the road.

It is the present intention of the company to operate the latest type of gasoline car on the road when construction is finished. These cars cost \$30,000 each, seat 117 passengers and can make 70 miles per hour. This type of car was successfully tried out and operated by E. H. Harman out of Omaha and is also now in use on several interurban lines.

"Little Jake" Seligman Ends Life.

Jacob Seligman, 20 years ago a familiar figure in Detroit and Bay City, as "Little Jake," ended his life in Salado, Col., by sending a bullet in his brain. His health is assigned, as the cause.

"Little Jake"—so called, from his diminutive stature—formerly lived in Saginaw, where he had numerous friends and some financial interest. Since he went to Colorado, Little had been heard from him. His tragic end will be a surprise to the many who still remember him.

## Train Dispatcher Stricken Blind.

While sending train orders from Tower north of Cadillac, W. C. Norton, G. R. & I. operator, was stricken blind. He was alone in the office but managed to cut off other circuits and called the dispatcher's office at Grand Rapids asking to be relieved. His level headedness averted possible trouble on the rails. A call boy happened to stroll into the office soon afterward, and secured another operator.

## Shoots Wife and Takes Poison.

Horatio Underwood, 40, of Ann Arbor, attempted to kill his wife while she was at work in the kitchen. Underwood fired two shots at her, but only one took effect. It struck her in the neck, taking a downward course and lodged in her left lung. She is in a serious condition.

Underwood immediately took carbolic acid and died before a physician could be called. Helen, his 15-year-old daughter, tried to save her father from taking his own life and was badly burned as a result of grabbing the bottle from her father's hand.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Yale Young Men's Christian association will be observed in New Haven, Conn., November 14.

Five Hungarians were shot in a family quarrel two miles from the village of Clifford. None of them was seriously hurt. The sheriff arrested Joseph Bower, charging him with starting the quarrel. The fight started over the shooting of a pet dog.

Three companies have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. They are the Pleasant View Farms Co., at Paw Paw, \$10,000; Kalamazoo Sample Furniture Co., Kalamazoo, \$50,000; Shultz Co-operative Partnership Creamery Association, Ltd., Shultz, \$4,000; Mather Realty Co., Hastings, \$10,000.

Warren Shultz, aged 12, killed a full-grown bob-tailed wildcat near Berrien Springs. The boy was out hunting with a .22-caliber rifle and saw the animal hiding in a small patch of woods near his father's farm. The cat weighs 18-20 pounds, is 16 inches high and three feet long.

## MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Bounty was paid on seven wolves killed near Marquette last week.

Canada's premier, R. L. Borden, is on a holiday trip to the United States. He will spend a week at Hot Springs, Va.

Genesee county residents will be given a chance to vote on a proposition to bond the county for \$50,000 for good roads.

The G. R. & I. Railroad Co. paid a fine of \$500 in Grand Rapids for violation of the statute limiting the hour of work for trainmen.

The Genesee county supervisors visited the Saginaw county officials in Saginaw. They were entertained at the Hotel Fordney.

The Michigan State Humane association will hold its convention in Saginaw this week, according to the call issued by Secretary Jefferson Butler of Detroit.

The Advance Thrasher Co. of Battle Creek, has absorbed the Garr, Scott & Co. Thrasher Co. of Richmond, Ind. The combined companies will employ 3,300 men.

Gov. Osborn and Lieut. Gov. Ross will speak at the memorial services of the Muskegon lodge, B. P. O. E., No. 274. The services will be held in late December.

Deputy State Factory Inspector Luella Burton has made complaints against several Bay City merchants charging them with violating the 10-hour work law for women.

According to a resolution passed by the board of supervisors of Washtenaw county, deputy sheriffs will be allowed but 25 cents per meal, and 50 cents per day for lodging.

The Ingham County Farmers' club is opposed to an extra session of the legislature. It claims that it would be a useless expense for the "purpose of talking over needless reforms."

About 60 pastors from the upper peninsula and northern Wisconsin attended the annual conference of the Swedish mission, which closed Sunday in Escanaba, after a five days' session.

The supervisors of Washtenaw county reconsidered their vote to cut the salary of Judge Kinne from \$6,000 to \$5,000, and by further vote of 17 to 11 decided to raise it to the old figure, \$6,000.

Aviator McGee was dashed to the ground Sunday at Calumet, while attempting to make a flight, because his engine failed to work. The machine was badly damaged, but McGee escaped uninjured.

The farmers in the vicinity of Marcellus are carrying their stock to town in automobiles nowadays. The other day a farmer came to town with two calves tied on the back seat of his machine.

The supervisors of Jackson county adopted a resolution which permits the employment of inmates of the county jail on the roads of the county. The vote on the proposition stood 24 yeas and one nay.

Rev. J. T. Husted, of Grand Rapids, complains to the health board that the barring of children from unsanitary surroundings and putting a premium on sterility.

A letter has been received from Charles E. Rose, Linton, Ind., offering to send money to Emory Knox, charged with attempting to blackmail R. E. Olds. He also states he will come to Lansing if necessary to help him.

The Corunna council has instructed the city attorney not to allow the M. U. R. cars to enter the city, declaring the franchise void, because the company refused to repair the road between Owosso and Corunna. The Owosso council is holding off, hoping that the company will repair the road.

"Women have played the most important part in the building of the Panama canal," was the statement made by Mrs. Philip North Moore, of St. Louis, Mo., president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, at a banquet given in her honor in Kalamazoo. President Taft induced Mrs. Moore to organize a woman's club in "the isthmus" and rescue it from social chaos.

The elimination of chicken from the army menu, the limitation of turkey to Thanksgiving and Christmas, the substitution of so-called "field bread" for hard tack and abolishment of the field ration, sum up the important changes in the army ration for the past year, according to the report of Commissary General Henry G. Sharpe. The elimination of chicken has saved in a year's saving to the government of \$52,000.

"I have in my department statistics of diseases in Michigan for the last 11 years, but cannot go over any table I have and point to a victory in the matter of lessening disease in Michigan. I believe that what good results come immediately will result from the physicians getting together and complying with the laws of the state."—State Health Officer Dixon, in an address before southwestern Michigan doctors at Kalamazoo.

Judge Swayze has suggested to the board of supervisors of Genesee county that a farm be established in connection with the county infirmary. He believes that a farm with some arrangements for technical training and a school for education would bring splendid results, and he would not be compelled to send so many boys to the industrial school.

The attorney-general may be asked to investigate the arrest of Henry Foglesang, former cashier of the Springport bank, by the Guaranty & Surety Co. In an effort to save his bank, the cashier a few years ago manipulated the books. He was guilty of poor banking ability rather than of any criminal intent. He was short \$10,000, and the bonding company, settled with the creditors for \$5,000. The charge against him was dismissed when he gave the bonding company his note for \$5,000. Now it is alleged that the company is trying to use the state as a means to collect the money.

## TREASURY WILL BE EMPTY NOV. 1

ABOUT THAT DATE THERE WILL NOT BE A DOLLAR ON HAND TO RUN STATE GOVERNMENT.

SHORTAGE OF \$1,200,000 BY TIME TAXES COME IN.

The Amount Which Can Be Borrowed in Such Cases Is Limited to \$250,000—Costs \$500,000 a Month to Run State.

Those in charge of the state's finances are somewhat concerned over the approach of the bankrupt season, when the treasury will be short of funds. In previous years it has been just the general fund which was short of cash, but this year along about November the treasury will be bare in reality. The only money left in the treasury will be about \$65,000 in funds deposited by receivers for defunct banks, while in other years since the deficit appeared to rule in the treasury, there has been plenty of money on hand, although it was not available for the general expenses of state government. This time there will not be a dollar of state money left when the wolf takes possession.

It costs about \$500,000 a month to run the state, which means that there will be a shortage of about \$1,250,000 by the middle of January, when the taxes begin to come in again. In view of this situation, it is not probable that state officials will attempt to borrow any money to tide over the scanty period, as the limit is fixed at \$250,000, and that amount will not go very far towards meeting the demands.

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Formal Opening and Dedication at Alma Next Month.

The new Michigan Masonic home, formerly known as the Alma Springs sanitarium and donated to the Masons by Amos W. Wright, multi-millionaire lumberman and philanthropist, will be ready for occupancy October 22.

The Grand Rapids home will send the first residents, a body of 60, who are expected to arrive at an early date. Many more will come in later from other places.

The formal opening will be given the middle of November, though as yet the management has not set a definite date. The home will be dedicated at this time. It is expected that the grand master will be present at the dedication and a large number of delegates from the respective chapters will be on hand. Lodges other than those in Michigan will also be represented.

Fifty-one Deaths in Copper Mines.

According to the report of the late Peter Dawe, mine inspector in Lough county the past year, there were 51 deaths due to accidents in the copper mines of the county during the year. The report covers the year from September 30, 1910, till October 1, 1911, and shows a smaller number of deaths than during the previous year.

More deaths occurred in the Calumet & Hecla than in any other mine, probably not due to lack of precaution in the Calumet & Hecla, or by more dangerous chances taken by men, but because more men are employed by this company than by any other.

Grand Rapids Doubles Licenses.

After January 1, 1912, all licenses issued by the city clerk of Grand Rapids will be doubled. Every license from huckstering to orating on the street will be hit. The saloon licenses will be hardest hit, the city fee being raised from \$50.50 to \$250, exclusive of the government tax. House canvassers will be hit twice, it being hoped to abolish the nuisance. Insurance agents will be compelled to pay a yearly license of \$50.

To Work for New Building at U. of M.

An active campaign for funds for the Michigan Union building at Ann Arbor will be started almost at once and the dream long dreamed by Michigan students and alumni the world over will become a reality before long. When it comes true Michigan university, Michigan alumni and Michigan students may well congratulate themselves, because this union will mean the bringing about of a more unified university body.

Evaporated cream left unsealed in a can for a week seriously poisoned Sheriff T. J. Currin and family, of Escanaba.

The Owosso Beet Sugar company are unable to obtain beets to keep the factory running at its full capacity. The managers deny that the rains hurt the crop, and claim that the growers will get the largest returns in the history of the industry.

Prof. Gardner Williams, connected with the Eastern Michigan Editor company, announced at Ann Arbor that the company will build a power plant and dam on the Huron river. The dam and plant will cost \$250,000. It is planned to furnish Dearborn, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Saline and Wayne with power.

## FIGHT TO TAKE BENGHAZI.

Italians Land 4,000 Men; Hard Fight to Capture Town.

An official statement issued says the fighting that resulted in the capture of Benghazi, on the coast of Tripoli, lasted 12 hours. The Italians captured 21 guns. It is officially admitted that the losses were heavy, but no figures are given.

The Italian fleet, under Rear Admiral Aubrey, bombarded the city and landed 4,000 men who, after a brisk battle, occupied a portion of the town. The greater part of the troops, however, camped on the beach. The Turks refused to surrender and made a stubborn resistance.

Italian Losses Placed at 1,200

News of a tremendous reverse of the Italian army in the engagement at Benghazi has created a sensation in Malta, estimates on the losses to the Italians being between 800 and 1,200. The official figures, which were given out by the government at Rome, were less than 100, but advices here from a source believed to be trustworthy place the losses at 1,200. Other information puts the figure at 800.

It is generally believed that 1,200 is not an exaggeration, as advices on the result of the engagement have been strangely brief. The bombardment and attempted landing were first announced as an explosion of a powder magazine and later as a trivial engagement between a landing party of Italians and Turks.

Hamburger Heads Michigan I. O. O. F.

Frank R. Hamburger, of Detroit, was elected grand master of the grand lodge of Michigan, I. O. O. F., at the sixty-seventh annual convention, which came to a close in Saginaw with the installation of officers. The other officers elected are: Deputy grand master, Harry L. McNeil, Paw Paw; grand secretary, Henry L. Wilder, Lansing; grand treasurer, Fred Cutler, Ionia; grand wardens, Herbert A. Thompson, Williamstown; grand marshal, Louis C. Cramton, Lapeer; grand conductor, R. E. Neville, Boyne City; grand guardian, Thomas S. Schupholme, Port Huron; grand herald, E. E. Trautman, Cadillac; chaplain, Rev. L. G. Branch, Bangor; C. F. Granachow, of Saginaw; and A. F. Colborn, of Detroit, were elected grand representatives.

Great Campaign to Reclaim Men to Churches to Last Eight Days.

With every pastor in Detroit exchanging pulpits for the purpose of speaking on some especial phase of the Men and Religion Forward Movement, the eight days' campaign of the movement formally was launched in Detroit Sunday morning. The campaign closes Sunday, October 29, with evangelistic meetings in the afternoon and special church services in all the participating churches in the morning and evening.

Exclusive of all other meetings and conferences scheduled throughout the eight days there also will be noon meetings in shops, various hotels, city hall and postoffice. It is at these meetings that the campaign workers hope to reclaim men and boys to the church, the object of the movement.

FLASHES FROM WIRE.

Lopez Domínguez, a former prime minister of Spain, is dead.

It is stated that the Nobel Prize for physics probably will be awarded this year to Thomas A. Edison.

Twenty-six men have been killed by an explosion in the Bardot coal mine in France, while fighting a fire which has been raging in the workings.

William W. Brown, one of the largest timberland owners and pulp manufacturers in the country, is dead at his home in Portland, Me. He was 90 years old.

Because his wife presented him with twins for the second time in less than two years, Lee Hay, of Mayesville, Ky., committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. Hay had been out of work for some time and was despondent.

Clarence Stanley, a member of the Boy Scouts of Boston, will start from the steps of the city hall at 10 o'clock Thursday morning for a "hike" across the continent to San Francisco. He will carry a letter from Mayor Fitzgerald to Mayor Rolph of San Francisco.

The Episcopal house of bishops will meet in New York this week to elect four new prelates, three for foreign fields and one for the Indians of South Dakota. An Indian clergyman as bishop is considered probable. Another of the bishops will be located in Panama.

Reformation of auditing methods so that for the first time since the post-office department's establishment a century ago the service will know its exact financial status at the end of the fiscal year, is the achievement claimed in the forthcoming report of Charles A. Kram, auditor of the department at Washington.

Christ church Boston, from the steeple of which were hung the lights which sent Paul Revere on his ride through Middlesex, is to be closed to the people for a year while the edifice is being rebuilt and made fireproof. The danger of the old church being destroyed by fire has been a menace for years.

A life-size bronze statue of Andrew Carnegie is to be erected in the foyer of the music hall in the Carnegie institute in Pittsburgh, Pa., as a tribute from his former junior partners in the steel business.

Prospectors returning from Port Wells, Alaska, report that four new volcanoes are belching masses of black smoke on the Kenai peninsula. From the mountain towns the eruptions are plainly visible. Two of the volcanoes are close together, joined by a high ridge. The other two are seven miles distant. They are apparently nearer to Port Wells than to Seward.

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This Time for a Friend.

"'Tis a wise man," said Robert Edson, "who knows when to ask questions. The other night I was standing inside the railroad station when an Irish cab driver came up to me and asked me how soon the next train came in. I told him and he said thank you and went away. In about five minutes he came back with the same question. 'I told you not more than five minutes ago,' I said. 'I know it,' he answered cheerfully, 'but it's not me th't wants to know this time. It's a friend of mine told me th't has to watch his horses and can't come in an' ask yez himself!'"—Young's Magazine.

GIVEN UP TO DIE.

Cured By Dean's Kidney Pills After Doctors Gave Up Hope.

J. L. Richardson, Red Key, Ind., says: "For five months I was confined to my bed, a helpless invalid. I almost went crazy. Twenty-five hours passed without a passage of the urine. The doctors began to take the water from me with a catheter. They did this once a day for fifty days. Finally my doctor told me my time was up. The next day a friend advised me to take Dean's Kidney Pills. When I had used five boxes, I got out of bed and improved until entirely well. For five years I have not had the slightest trouble."

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The Disturbing Rudder.

The Turkish navy appears to be in the main an obsolete fighting machine. Probably, however, it is better off than half a century ago. When Lord Carlisle visited Constantinople in 1854 he met a Turkish admiral whose ignorance of naval matters was equalled only by his horror of the sea. If he went for a cruise he was invariably seasick. On one occasion, when prostrated in his cabin, hearing a noise which grated on his ears, he inquired whence it proceeded. "From the rudder of the ship," was the reply. "Then have the rudder removed immediately," ordered the afflicted admiral.

Taught Sunday School Class 53 Years.

At the annual rally day exercises at the First Baptist church recently it developed that one member of the school has been in charge of a single department for 53 years. That member is Mrs. A. P. Wheeler, superintendent of the primary department. When the announcement was made the superintendent of the school asked everybody in the audience who had at one time been a member of Mrs. Wheeler's class to rise, and practically the entire audience was on its feet in a moment, and they ranged all the way from gray haired men and women to little tots barely able to walk.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Cross-Reference.

Misses—Have you a reference? Bridget—Folne; o held the poker over her till I got it.—Harper's Bazar

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## TOWN IS BEING REBUILT

Flood of Waters Has Not Taken Black River Falls, Wis., From the Map.

More than a million dollars absolutely disappearing in the short time of two hours was the toll collected by the waters at Black River Falls, Wisconsin. Even the residents of the town could not realize what it meant until the lake formed by the Hatfield dam was dry, and the rush of waters had



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## The Spinning Wheel

Month after month passed away, and in autumn the ships of the merchants came with kindred and friends, with cattle and corn for the pilgrims. All in the village was peace; the men were intent on their labors, busy with hewing and building, with garden-plot and with merestead, busy with breaking the glebe, and mowing the grass in the meadows. Searching the sea for its fish, and hunting the deer in the forest. All in the village was peace; but at times the rumor of warfare filled the air with alarm, and the apprehension of danger. Bravely the stalwart Miles Standish was scouring the land with his forces, waxing valiant in fight and defeating the alien armies. Till his name had become a sound of fear to the nations. Anger was still in his heart, but at times the remorse and contrition which in all noble natures succeed the passionate outbreak, came like a rising tide, that encountered the rush of a river, staying its current a while, but making it bitter and brackish.

Meanwhile Alden at home had built him a new habitation, solid, substantial, of timber rough-hewn from the firs of the forest. Wooden-barred was the door, and the roof was covered with rushes. Latticed the windows were, and the window-panes were of paper, oiled to admit the light, while wind and rain were excluded. There, too, he dug a well, and around it planted an orchard. Still may be seen to this day some trace of the well and the orchard. Close to the house was the stall, where, safe and secure from annoyance, Raghorn, the snow-white steer, that had fallen to Alden's allotment in the division of cattle, might ruminate in the night-time.

Over the pastures he cropped, made fragrant by sweet pennyroyal.

Of when his labor was finished, with eager feet would the dreamer follow the pathway that ran through the woods to the house of Priscilla. Led by illusions romantic and subtle deceptions of fancy, pleasure disguised as duty, and love in the semblance of friendship. Ever of her he thought, when he fashioned the walls of his dwelling; Ever of her he thought, when he delved in the soil of his garden; Ever of her he thought, when he read in his Bible on Sunday. Praise of the virtuous woman, as she is described in the Proverbs,—How the heart of her husband doth safely trust in her always, How all the days of her life she will do him good, and not evil, How she seeketh the wool and the

flax and worketh with gladness, How she layeth her hand to the spindle and holdeth the distaff. How she is not afraid of the snow for herself or her household, Knowing her household are clothed with the scarlet cloth of her weaving!

So, as she sat at her wheel one afternoon in the autumn, Alden, who opposite sat, and was watching her dexterous fingers, As if the thread she was spinning were that of his life and his fortune, After a pause in their talk, thus spake to the sound of the spindle. "Truly, Priscilla," he said, "when I see you spinning and spinning, Never idle a moment, but thrifty and thoughtful of others, Suddenly you are transformed, are visibly changed in a moment; You are no longer Priscilla, but Bertha, the Beautiful Spinner." Here the light foot on the treadle grew swifter and swifter; the spindle

uttered an angry snarl, and the thread snapped short in her fingers; While the impetuous speaker, not heeding the mischief, continued: "You are the beautiful Bertha, the spinner, the queen of Helvetia; She whose story I read at a stall in the streets of Southampton, Who, as she rode on her palfrey, o'er

a pattern for housewives, Show yourself equally worthy of being the model of husbands. Hold this skein on your hands, while I wind it, ready for knitting; Then who knows but hereafter, when fashions have changed and the manners, Fathers may talk to their sons of the good old times of John Alden! Thus, with a jest and a laugh, the skein on his hands she adjusted, He sitting awkwardly there, with his arms extended before him, She standing graceful, erect, and winding the thread from his fingers. Sometimes chiding a little his clumsy manner of holding, Sometimes touching his hands, as she disentangled expertly. Twist or knot in the yarn, unawares—for how could she help it?—Sending electrical thrills through every nerve in his body.

Lo! in the midst of this scene, a breathless messenger entered, Bringing in hurry and heat the terrible news from the village. Yes; Miles Standish was dead!—an Indian had brought them the tidings.— Slain by a poisoned arrow, shot down in the front of the battle, Into an ambush beguiled, cut off with the whole of his forces; All the town would be burned, and all the people be murdered!



Pressing Her Close to His Heart.

valley and meadow and mountain. Ever was spinning her thread from a distaff fixed to her saddle. She was so thrifty and good, that her name passed into a proverb. So shall it be with your own, when the spinning-wheel shall no longer hum in the house of the farmer, and fill its chambers with music. Then shall the mothers, reproving, relate how it was in their childhood. Praising the good old times, and the days of Priscilla, the spinner! Straight uprose from her wheel the beautiful Puritan maiden, Pleased with the praise of her thrift from him whose praise was the sweetest. Drew from the reel on the table a snowy skein of her spinning, Thus making answer, meanwhile, to the flattering phrases of Alden: "Come, you must not be idle; if I am

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Such were the tidings of evil that burst on the hearts of the hearers. Silent and statue-like stood Priscilla, her face looking backward. Still at the face of the speaker, her arms uplifted in horror; But John Alden, upstarting, as if the barb of the arrow had pierced the heart of his friend had struck his own, and had sundered. Once and forever the bonds that held him bound as a captive, Wild with excess of sensation, the awful delight of his freedom, Mingled with pain and regret, unconscious of what he was doing, Clashed, almost with a groan, the motionless form of Priscilla, Pressing her close to his heart, as for ever his own, and exclaiming: "Those whom the Lord hath united, let no man put them asunder!"

Even as rivulets twain, from distant and separate sources, Seeing each other afar, as they leap from the rocks, and pursuing Each one its devious path, but drawing nearer and nearer, Rush together at last, at their trusty-place in the forest; So these lives that had run thus far in separate channels, Coming in sight of each other, then swerving and flowing asunder, Parted by barriers strong, but drawing nearer and nearer, Rushed together at last, and one was lost in the other. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Deacon—"I fear it's the Sunday paper we must blame for our small morning congregations, pastor." Pastor—"Yes, many of our people are like Zaccheus, prevented from getting near our Lord by the press."—Boston Transcript.

## The Meekest Man.

Our notion of the meekest man is one who is afraid to attempt borrowing a part of his salary from his wife.—Athenian Globe.

## What We Live For.

What do we live for if not to make the world less difficult for each other?—George Eliot.

## STATE TEACHERS' ANNUAL MEETING

CONVENTION OF MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION TO BE HELD NEXT MONTH.

## SCHOOLS WILL BE CLOSED

Attendance Is Expected to Reach 8,500—7,000 Visitors Coming to the City, While the Detroit Enrollment Is 1,500.

Lansing.—The Michigan State Teachers' association's institute will hold their fifty-ninth annual convention in Detroit November 2 and 3. Approximately 7,000 visitors to the city and, including the Detroit members, will mean an attendance of about 8,500. The Detroit enrollment is now about 1,500.

Reports from out in the state received by the local committee indicate that practically the full enrollment of the association will be in attendance, and that it will be the largest meeting in the history of the association.

The convention will be so large that it will be necessary to divide up into two sessions, one to be held at the Light Guard armory and the other at the Wayne pavilion. The same programs will be given in each place, the order of the numbers on the program merely being interchanged.

The Detroit Teachers' association will hold open house at the Cadillac hotel and the Schoolmen's club at the Normandie hotel for the entertainment of the visitors. The headquarters of the association will be at the Cadillac hotel and teachers who wish to enroll, secure rooms or information will be taken care of by the reception committee at the hotel.

It is planned to have the Detroit schools open on Thursday, November 2, so that the delegates may visit them. They will be closed on Friday, November 3, so that local teachers may participate in the convention program.

Principal J. F. Thomas of the Washington Normal school, who is chairman on local arrangements, says that Mason Shafer, former superintendent of state instruction in Pennsylvania, has been prevailed upon to come to Detroit and deliver an address on Friday evening, November 3. Mr. Shafer has an international reputation among teachers and, although his topic has not yet been announced, an interesting talk is assured.

The large attendance assured is due largely to the fact that the date of the convention was changed from the Christmas vacation season to earlier in the year, and also to the permission of the state board of teachers to attend without loss of pay.

## Federation Closes Sessions.

The convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs came to a close at Detroit. Next year's meeting will be held in Saginaw, in response to an invitation extended by the board of trade, the mayor and the women's clubs of that city.

Officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows:

President, Mrs. Lucy White Williams, Lapeer; first vice-president, Mrs. Elinor Chamberlain, Hartford; second vice-president, Mrs. Nina De Long Sands, Pentwater; recording secretary, Mrs. R. H. Ashbaugh, Detroit; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Clara M. Baldwin, Muskegon; treasurer, Mrs. James A. Muir, Port Huron.

Directors: Miss Florence Frensdorff, Hudson; Mrs. J. W. Brooks, Saginaw; Mrs. Adeline Blakeslee, Gallen, and Mrs. Myra B. Jordan, woman's dean of the University of Michigan.

It was decided to increase the dues from \$3 to \$4 for every club of the federation having 100 or less members and to \$1.50 for every extra 60 members.

"You heap work upon us and don't provide money to carry it out with," said Mrs. English of Saginaw. "We aren't asking \$10 a day for expenses, but we do need a 25-cent lunch when we have to go up to Lansing to storm the legislative citadel."

One of the principal addresses of the closing day was given by Miss Clara Wood Miggins, the well-known educator, who installed the kindergarten system in Detroit.

"I sometimes wonder," she said, "if the great public school system of this country which we boast so much about is not productive of more evil than good; certainly I do not believe we are better than we were; on the contrary our sense of moral obligation and duty is diminishing, and we are in sore need of studying the Ten Commandments anew."

## Prison Farm Is Profitable.

When Warden Fuller of the state reformatory appeared before the ways and means committee at Lansing last spring and asked for an appropriation to buy 40 acres of land adjoining the reformatory premises, upon which he had an option at \$20 per acre, he was told by a member of the committee that it didn't pay to buy land for state institutions, as the superintendents did not know how to run farms. The legislature bought the land, however, and the reformatory got possession in May.

## Six Prisoners Given Freedom.

Governor Osborn has exercised his authority to pardon convicts by releasing from the prisons of the state six men whose careers, the circumstances attending their being granted clemency and the record which the executive makes in one case, form when taken together one of the most unusual stories in the state's prison annals, filled as they are with exceptional human interest stories. One man granted freedom is exiled from this country; another is known as the man serving a life sentence of greater length than any other in a Michigan prison, while another enjoys the distinction of being a pioneer convict in Marquette prison, having been sent there among the first after it was completed.

So far as is known the conditional pardon granted James Burke is unique in the history of this country. Burke revealed the plot to dynamite Jackson prison and Governor Osborn wrote on the order for his release: "Within 72 hours after his release Burke must proceed to Canada, where he is to remain until his maximum sentence has expired, less good time. Burke's presence anywhere in the United States between October 21, 1911, and May 12, 1912, will be considered a violation of his pardon."

Burke is a native of Canada sent to prison for bank robbery. His tip to the prison officials undoubtedly saved the prison from wreck by dynamite as the explosive was found on his information and the warden of all three prisons joined in recommending his release in recompense for the information.

Franklin C. Upright has been confined in Jackson prison so long the original record of his commitment is lost. He entered the penitentiary about 1881, for the murder of his wife at Stanton. Upright shot her down while intoxicated after accusing her of unfaithfulness. She died shortly afterwards, but it was claimed that no one was sure but what an attack of measles had as much to do with the wife's demise as the gunshot. He was then thirty-seven years of age and his release as a model prisoner was recommended by the board of pardons and paroles.

## Wolf on Way to State Treasury.

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## Keep Fertilizer on the Farms.

The state dairy and food department has joined the ranks of the conservationists and will make a strenuous effort to retain the elements of soil fertility on Michigan farms.

The deputy commissioner, who has charge of the dairy end of the department, says that statistics show that there are 844,758 milch cows in Michigan. From his personal observation he estimates that one-half, or to be exact, 422,379 cows, will be confined in dirty stables during the coming winter, so that each side of each cow will be plastered with fertilizer. If, during the coming six months, two-thirds of an ounce of fertilizer falls from the plastered sides of each cow per month into the milk pail (a very low estimate) 105,594 pounds of fertilizer will be transferred from the farms where it rightly belongs—and is badly needed—to the stomachs of the city consumers of milk and butter, wasted.

In an effort to stop this loss of fertilizer from the farm, the department has just issued a bulletin on "Clean Cows and Clean Stables." In this bulletin are given pictures, plans and specifications for building a model cow stall that will keep a cow absolutely clean. She cannot get dirty if she tries. The stall is not patented. Any farmer can build it. It is the cheapest stall made.

Any farmer who writes to the state dairy and food department at Lansing can get a copy of this bulletin giving full particulars for building this stall.

## REVOLT IN NORTH CHINA SEEMS NEAR

REVOLUTION IS SPREADING IN CHINA AND RISINGS ARE PLANNED IN VICINITY OF CAPITAL.

## FOUR PROVINCES ARE NOW CONTROLLED BY REBELS.

Fears Are Expressed That Foreigners May Be Attacked in Efforts by Officials to Force Intervention.

The revolutionary spirit is now manifesting itself in the north as well as in the south. Those who heretofore have believed the northern provinces might rally around the government are now of the opinion that secessions will follow in rapid succession.

The precautionary measures taken in Manchuria, where the government does not permit mention of the revolution, show the anti-government spirit in the far north. There are persistent reports that risings have been planned in the immediate vicinity of the capital. It may be that these will not be fulfilled, but they indicate a widespread sympathy with the revolt.

Four of China's 18 provinces are now regarded under revolutionary influence—Sze-Chuen, where the movement started; Hu-Peh, of which Wu-Chang is the capital; Hunan and Kiangsi. The fall of Nanking, where the garrison is regarded as siding with the revolutionaries, would deliver to them the viceregal government of two more provinces, Kiang-Su and Ngan-Hwei.

## Aviator Ely Dashed to Death.

In spite of a premonition which prompted him to give the address of his wife to his mechanic, so she could be notified in the event of a mishap, Eugene Ely, who gained world-wide fame as the first aviator to fly from and to the decks of United States warships, ascended in his aeroplane to make a sensational dip at the state fair grounds at Macon, Ga., and a few moments later plunged 150 feet to his death.

Misjudging the distance too soon while running at a mile a minute, and was unable to rise. When the machine crashed to earth the aviator was hurled clear of it by nearly 100 feet. He was unconscious when reached by his mechanic, Frank Callin, and died 10 minutes later, before he could be removed to a hospital.

## John R. Walsh Dies Suddenly.

John R. Walsh, former banker, publisher and railroad owner, released recently from Leavenworth federal penitentiary, died suddenly in Chicago of heart disease.

Mr. Walsh had been in bed most of the time since his arrival home from Leavenworth, Oct. 15. He had been attended constantly by physicians. Intermittent reports of Mr. Walsh's failing health during his incarceration had been denied at the penitentiary. On his release, it was plain that he had aged and he gave up plans for resumption of his position as a financial leader and took to his bed.

## Build Clean Stables for Cows.

The state dairy and food department has joined the ranks of the conservationists and will make a strenuous effort to retain the elements of soil fertility on Michigan farms.

The deputy commissioner, who has charge of the dairy end of the department, says that statistics show that there are 844,758 milch cows in Michigan. From his personal observation he estimates that one-half, or to be exact, 422,379 cows, will be confined in dirty stables during the coming winter, so that each side of each cow will be plastered with fertilizer. If, during the coming six months, two-thirds of an ounce of fertilizer falls from the plastered sides of each cow per month into the milk pail (a very low estimate) 105,594 pounds of fertilizer will be transferred from the farms where it rightly belongs—and is badly needed—to the stomachs of the city consumers of milk and butter, wasted.

In an effort to stop this loss of fertilizer from the farm, the department has just issued a bulletin on "Clean Cows and Clean Stables." In this bulletin are given pictures, plans and specifications for building a model cow stall that will keep a cow absolutely clean. She cannot get dirty if she tries. The stall is not patented. Any farmer can build it. It is the cheapest stall made.

Any farmer who writes to the state dairy and food department at Lansing can get a copy of this bulletin giving full particulars for building this stall.

## Woman Draws \$10,000 Land Prize.

Mary J. Kendall, of Rapid City, S. D., drew No. 1 at the opening of the drawing in the Rosebud land allotment. No. 1 is estimated to be worth \$10,000.

Maxim Gorky, the Russian novelist, is seriously ill in Capri.

## A DRUGGIST'S FAVORITE KIDNEY REMEDY—CURED HIMSELF.

Fifteen years ago I had an attack of acute kidney trouble. I consulted a physician who gave me medicine which only relieved me for a time. After discontinuing his medicine my trouble returned as severe as before. Having heard of Swamp-Root I gave it a trial and can honestly state that three dollar bottles cured me, never having any sickness in fifteen years. I have sold Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root as a druggist for many years and can give the very best of recommendations at all times.

You are at liberty to use this statement any time you wish. Respectfully,  
W. C. SUMMERS,  
1219 Central Ave., Kansas City, Kansas  
With Grand View Drug Co.  
State of Kansas  
County of Wyandotte ss.

On this 11th day of August, 1909, personally appeared before me, W. C. Summers, who subscribed to the within statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.  
CHARLES WILSON,  
Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You. Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

## AN EXPLANATION.



Sambo—Say, granmammy, what makes de moon shine so bright sometimes, while some nights is so dark? Granmammy—Well, chile, I reckon dat de good Lawd made dem dark nights so dat poor colored folks kin have chicken 'bout de formality ob payin' foh it.

Monoplane Promises Well. Russian papers report that at the factory known as Russian Aerial Navigation there has just been completed a very interesting type of monoplane, the invention of a peasant named Chochota, funds for the work having been furnished by the millionaire Ukoff of Samara. The new monoplane, which has been worked out in detail by an engineer, P. V. Rebkoff, is said to possess automatic stability both lengthwise and crosswise and is equipped with an Astor motor of 50 horsepower.

The spoke of the wheel which creaketh most, doth not bear the greatest burden in the cart.—Thomas Fuller.

All suppression of selfishness makes the moment great.—Lydia Maria Child.

SPOHN'S DISTEMPER CURE will cure any possible case of DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, and the like among horses of all ages, and prevents all others in the same stable from having the disease. Also cures chicken cholera, and dog distemper. Any good druggist can supply you, or send to Mrs. 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle. Agents wanted. Free book. Spohn Medical Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

It is quite possible for a man to be hot-headed and still get cold feet.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, &c. a bottle.

A dollar saved is often a dollar loaned.

## When the Liver is Out of Tune

the whole system is off the key—stomach upset, bowels sluggish, head heavy, skin sallow and the eyes dull. You cannot be right again until the cause of the trouble is removed. Correct the flow of bile, and gently stimulate the liver to healthful action by taking

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the bile remedy that is safe to use and convenient to take. A dose or two will relieve the nausea and dizziness, operate the bowels, carry new life to the blood, clear the head and improve the digestion.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Bert Nichols spent Sunday in Jackson.

Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank spent Sunday in Jackson.

Mrs. Edith Cavanaugh was in Jackson Sunday.

C. T. Conklin left this morning for Seattle, Wash.

Algernon Palmer, of Lansing, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Jewett were Jackson visitors Sunday.

James Foster left Monday for his home in Minneapolis.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Palmer spent Sunday in Grass Lake.

Miss Blanche Stephens visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Miss Isabelle Barthel returned from Cleveland, Ohio, Monday.

Mrs. Ella Tuomey, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Nen and Archie Wilkinson are Lansing visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Chandler spent Sunday with Dexter friends.

Fred Everett, of Seattle, Wash., is the guest of his father here.

Mrs. Mary Brenner, of Ann Arbor, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Wood left Wednesday for a visit with friends in Indiana.

Mrs. E. Rankin and children, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Clara Abraham, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Steinbach.

Dr. Jas. Ackerson, of Manchester, spent Saturday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Atkinson were guests of their daughter in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Shaw, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of Mrs. L. Babcock Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut visited her daughter in Detroit several days of last week.

The Misses Millie Kannooski and Phyllis Monroe spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Stimson, of Detroit, was the guest of Chelsea friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Young.

Miss Ida Price, of East Jordan, was a guest of Chelsea friends several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Watkins and daughter, of Grass Lake, were guests of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Parsons and Miss Lou Bartlett, of Ypsilanti, were guests of Mrs. Winslow Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Greenfield, Miss Edna Law, Miss Mayme Webster, of Detroit, and Miss Mary Webster, of Ypsilanti, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Webster Sunday.

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Constipation is commonly caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen those organs and restore them to healthier activity.

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## CHURCH CIRCLES

## ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.

Reformation Sunday commemorating the beginning of the Reformation in Germany. The offering taken will be for the colleges of the Evangelical Synod.

Sunday school at 11 a. m.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH, NEAR FRANKISCO. G. C. Nethurth, Pastor.

Sunday School Rally day services (English) beginning at 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. English worship 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited. An interesting program in the morning.

## CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

Morning service at 10 o'clock. Subject, "Service." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Men and Christianity."

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.

Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m. Bible study at 11 a. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m. Evening preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer service on Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Remember the 1st quarterly conference this Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

## BAPTIST.

Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor.

Preaching service at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11 a. m. Junior meeting 2:30 p. m. Subject, "Where the Water Ships Unload." (Conquest missionary meeting.) Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "New China in the World of Commerce." (Conquest meeting.) Leader, Miss Jessie Everett. Preaching service at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m. Subject for November 2nd "The Preaching and Teaching of the Growing Church."

## The Buying Power of \$1.75.

A little money sometimes buys a good deal. For instance, take the subscription price of The Youth's Companion for a year—\$1.75. If all the good reading in the 52 weekly issues of the paper were published in book form, according to its kind, it would make about thirty volumes of fiction, science, essays by famous writers, household management and economics, sports and pastimes for boys, natural history, anecdotes, humor, etc. The serial stories alone would fill several volumes. Among these is Ralph Paine's great story of the Boxer Rebellion in China, "The Cross and the Dragon." Another is by J. W. Schultz, who was adopted by the Blackfeet when a boy. It is called "The Quest for the Fish-Dog Skin." Another is a glorious girls' story by C. A. Stephens, called "Julia Sylvester." It is the story of a "Mercer" girl in the pioneer days of Oregon and Washington—and that is only part of the serials.

It will cost you nothing to send for the beautiful announcement of The Companion for 1912, and we will send with it sample copies of the paper. Do not forget that the new subscribers for 1912 receive a gift of The Companion's Calendar for 1912, lithographed in ten colors and gold, and all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1911 free from the time the subscription is received.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

## NORTH LAKE NEWS.

Warren Daniels, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Ruth Lewick spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Chelsea.

Mrs. Heatley has gone to Detroit where she expects to spend the winter.

Miss Pearl Glenn attended the Choral Union concert at Ann Arbor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Burkhardt, of Chelsea, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkhardt.

Frank Nisbut, of Ann Arbor, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Glenn Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Sharp, who has been spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. E. W. Daniels, has returned to her home in Perry.

## SHARON NEWS.

C. C. Dorr sold fifty-one thoroughbred Merino ewes.

Clara and Walter Romelhart are visiting in Battle Creek this week.

Mrs. Merriman had the misfortune to fracture one bone of her wrist Monday.

Miss Belle Merriman, of Jackson, has come here to assist in caring for her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dorr, of Grass Lake, visited at the home of C. C. Dorr Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Cliff and daughters Agnes and Marion visited at the home of J. R. Lemm over Sunday.

Mrs. Klump went to Ann Arbor Wednesday to see her sister, who is very ill. Her little grandson Herbert Walz who has spent the summer here returned to his home in Ann Arbor.

Rev. Beatty received five into the church Sunday. They were Jennie Feldkamp, Lena Ordway, Anna Beutler and Robert and George Lawrence. Carroll and Lois Ordway were baptised.

## FRANCISCO NOTES.

Mrs. C. Gage, of Sharon, spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. H. Main.

Mrs. H. Gleske entertained her sister of Chelsea a few days this week.

V. Moeckel and wife, of Waterloo, spent Sunday with the latter's parents.

Lillian Phelps, of Jackson, was a guest of her parents several days of this week.

Carl Kalmbach and wife, of Detroit, spent Sunday with F. Kalmbach and family of Sylvan.

There will be a rally day program in the German M. E. church Sunday morning beginning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. H. Harvey and children spent Wednesday with the former's sister Mrs. Moore and family in Lyndon.

The young people of this vicinity gave Linda and Oscar Kalmbach a surprise Friday night. Their birthdays were during the week.

Mrs. E. J. Notten and Mrs. F. Mensing were guests of Jackson friends Saturday and Floyd Schweinfurth and wife Sunday at Eaton Rapids.

H. J. Mushack and wife entertained the Cavanaugh Lake Grange Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be held November 21 at the home of Chas. Riemenschneider.

## HAPPY WOMEN.

Plenty of Them in Chelsea, and Good Reason for It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy, After years of backache suffering, Days of misery, nights of unrest, The distress of urinary troubles, She finds relief and cure? No reason why any Chelsea reader Should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. S. J. Trouten, McKinley St., Chelsea, Mich., says: "I suffered a great deal from backache and had acute pains through my kidneys. Headaches and dizzy spells annoyed me and the kidney secretions caused me considerable annoyance by their frequency in passage. I tried a number of remedies but found no relief until I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills. The contents of one box removed the backache and also strengthened my kidneys. I am pleased to give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement."

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## HOW TO READ SHAKESPEARE

Suggested Trains of Thought Ought to Rise Above Reader's Version of Author.

You talk about reading Shakespeare, using him as an expression for the highest intellect, and you wonder that any common person should be so presumptuous as to suppose his thought can rise above the text which lies before him. But think a moment. A child's reading of Shakespeare is one thing and Coleridge's or Schlegel's reading of him is another. The saturation point of each mind differs from that of every other. But I think it is as true for the small mind, which can only take up a little, as for the great one, which takes up much, that the suggested trains of thought and feeling ought always to rise above—not the author, but the reader's mental version of the author, whoever he may be.

I think most readers of Shakespeare sometimes find themselves thrown into exalted mental conditions like those produced by music. Then they may drop the book, to pass at once into the region of thought without words. We may happen to be very dull folks, you and I, and probably are; unless there is some particular reason to suppose the contrary. But we get glimpses now and then of a sphere of spiritual possibilities where we, dull as we are now, may sail in vast circles round the largest compass of earthly intelligence.

## NEW KIND OF SPEED FIEND

Explains to Guileless Friend How He Happened to Be Arrested Six Times.

A few weeks ago a man who "was tired of motoring" sold his machine to a guileless friend.

Yesterday the purchaser approached the man from whom he had bought the car with a troubled expression on his face, and in the tone of one who has determined to do a disagreeable duty, and do it at once.

"Look here, Jack," he began, "you're a friend of mine, and I—I don't want to make any attacks on your veracity. But you told me that you had been arrested six times in that automobile you sold me."

"Now, I've tried my best, and I can't get her up to five miles an hour. Would you mind telling me how you happened to be arrested?"

The purchaser had no small amount of sarcasm in his voice by this time, but his friend's answer came readily:

"Certainly," said the man who had got rid of the motor car, "that's all right. I was arrested six times. It was for obstructing the highway."

## From the Blue Bird.

In Masterlinck's "Blue Bird" little Tityl goes to some far-off heavenly place to learn that love abides with him at home. There he meets Mother Love. He says he wishes to stay with her always, where she looks so beautiful to him. She answers, But it's just the same thing; I am down below, we are all down below. . . . You have come up here only to realize and to learn, once and for all, how to see me when you see me down below. . . . Do you understand, Tityl, dear? . . . You believe yourself in heaven; but heaven is wherever you and I kiss each other. . . . There are not two mothers, and you have no other. . . . Every child has only one; and it is always the same one and always the most beautiful; but you have to know her and to know how to look.

## The Highest Kite Flights.

The art of flying kites is carried to its greatest perfection at the large aerological observatories, and the best records of altitudes up to date have been made at Mount Weather, Va., and Lindenberg, Germany. The former station is 525 meters above sea level, the latter only 120, a circumstance that should be remembered in comparing the records made in the two places. The following list of the highest flights, recently published by Dr. Assmann, gives the altitude above the ground, not above sea level: 1, Mount Weather, 6,740 meters; 2, Lindenberg, 6,660 meters; 3, Mount Weather, 6,519 meters; 4, Mount Weather, 6,484 meters; 5, Lindenberg, 6,380 meters; 6, Mount Weather, 6,379 meters.

## Never Out of Work.

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Special values in Blacks, Blues and Novelty Mixtures at \$5.00

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### LOCAL ITEMS.

Regular meeting O. E. S. Wednesday evening, November 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer are moving into their new home on Park street.

The school house of St. Paul's church has been redecorated both inside and out. The school will be opened next Monday.

T. E. Wood left this morning for Parma, where he was called to assist the receiver of the bank that failed about two years ago.

The Lyndon Good Roads Association will hold a meeting at the Lyndon town hall, Thursday evening, November 2. Everybody invited.

All next week Rev. A. A. Schoen, pastor of St. Paul's church, will receive gifts of field products, canned fruit, etc., for the German Protestant Orphans' Home, of Detroit.

The C. E. society will hold a hallow'en social in the Congregational church Monday evening, October 30. Refreshments will be served and the admission will be 15 cents.

The affairs of the defunct Munith bank are still in a shadowy condition, but a meeting of the depositors will be held Thursday, November 2d, when an attempt to reach a settlement will be made.

Married, Monday, October 23, 1911, in Omaha, Nebraska, Miss Evelyn Thomas of that city and Mr. C. R. Miner of Chelsea. The groom is an employee of the Michigan Portland Cement Co.

Present indications are that the primary school apportionment to be made November 10 will not amount to over 80 cent per capita. This will be the smallest apportionment that has been made in years.

The Rally Day service last Sunday at the M. E. church was well attended notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The actors on the program won laurels in the recitations and singing. A generous offering was given.

Geo. Adair, who has been in the employ of the Michigan Central for the past three years has resigned, and accepted a position with the Flanders Mfg. Co. Thos. McKone has been engaged to take the place of Mr. Adair at the freight house.

Married, Monday, October 23, 1911 at the parsonage of Bethlehem church, Ann Arbor, Miss Ella A. Kooner, of Laingsburg, and Mr. John Wise, of this place, Rev. S. A. John officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Martha Kooner, sister of the bride and Mr. Florenz Elsie.

The Men and Religion Forward Movement is one of the live questions just now in Detroit and other cities. Some of the reasons why men should be interested in Christianity, will be given Sunday evening at the Congregational church when the pastor will preach on the subject "Men and Christianity. Not only the men but all interested in men are invited.

The members of the O. E. S., F. & A. M. and R. A. M. held a reception at Masonic hall, Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hathaway, who will leave Chelsea about November 1st for California where they expect to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway were presented with a beautiful loving cup, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Mary L. Boyd.

Willis S. Pomeroy, who had been taking treatment since September 30, at the Psychopathic hospital in Ann Arbor, committed suicide Wednesday morning. While the attendant was down stairs he entered the bathroom and hung himself, with a towel, to the waste pipe. He had been watched rather closely of late, but it was not thought that he would attempt his life. The body was cut down as soon as it was discovered, but Mr. Pomeroy was dead when the attendant returned. He was 59 years old and came the hospital from Houghton.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kalmback at seven o'clock Wednesday evening, October 25, 1911, when their daughter Miss Fern C. was united in marriage with Mr. Irven H. Weiss, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Weiss of Lima. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Campbell and was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of the young couple. The bride is a graduate of the Chelsea high school and the groom is a popular young man of Lima. Mr. and Mrs. Weiss left for Traverse City and other northern cities and will be away for several weeks. The Standard extends congratulations.

County School Commissioner Evan Essary visited the rural schools in this vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clayton moved their household goods to Jackson the last of the past week.

O. C. Burkhardt last Saturday delivered to Haight & Turner, of Lansing, a span of draft horses.

Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole entertained the Ladies' Research Club at her home on Monday evening of this week.

Glenn & Schanz announce that they will close their cider mill for this season Friday, November 3d.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon and daughter, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of R. D. Walker Sunday.

The members of St. Paul's Sunday school are having a contest for the purpose of increasing their membership and attendance.

Some person in Chelsea put out a dose of poison the last of the past week, which resulted in the death of several dogs Saturday.

Miss May Stiegelmaier, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in the hospital at Ann Arbor returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertha Schantz has rented her residence on west Middle street, and will make her home with her uncle, Russell Wheelock, of Lima.

Henry Meyer while engaged in sawing crate slabs at the Jerusalem mills last Friday afternoon lost his right thumb at the first joint.

The L. O. T. M. M. will give a masquerade ball on Friday evening, November 3d. All Lady Maccabees, their husbands and escorts and Sir Knights and ladies are invited.

Ralph Freeman, one day last week while cutting bananas in the store of L. T. Freeman Co., discovered a large tarantula which he captured and has on exhibition at the store.

Tuesday night someone entered the office of the Flanders Mfg. Co. and robbed the cash drawer of over \$56. Admission was gained by prying open a window. There is no clue to the guilty party.

The board of supervisors last Friday morning voted to submit the question of adopting the good roads system to a vote of the people next April 1st. The matter carried 18 to 11, completely reversing the decision of the board last year.

The Ladies' Guild of the Congregational church will hold a thimble party at the home of Mrs. C. W. Maroney Friday, October 27, at 2:30 p. m. All the ladies are invited to come. Work will be done for the Christmas fair.

There will be a meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week. A Great Camp officer will be present to explain the different propositions of the re-adjustment and give such information as may be desired. A full attendance is requested.

David Raymond suffered a slight stroke of paralysis, last Saturday, which for a time, affected his entire body. He quickly rallied, however, and is now at the home of his son, Bion, but little the worse from the attack.—Grass Lake News. Mr. Raymond was a former resident of Chelsea and is well-known to many of our residents.

The largest judgment ever awarded in the Washtenaw circuit court was given Frank Garlinghouse Wednesday afternoon in his suit against the Michigan Central railroad for an accident which cost him his right arm. The judgment was for \$10,316.89. Garlinghouse, according to his testimony, was sent into the Michigan Central yards at Jackson by the foreman against Garlinghouse's will, as he was unfamiliar with yard work. While he was working on one of the cars and engine backed into it; cutting off his right arm.

A number of the friends of James W. Speer met at his home on Railroad street, Wednesday evening to assist in celebrating the 58th anniversary of his birth. Mr. Speer has been connected with the telegraph department of the Michigan Central 34 years, having entered the service in 1874. The following Michigan Central employees were present: J. J. Ross, superintendent of telegraph; J. H. Remick, chief train dispatcher; J. Cavanaugh, dispatcher; C. E. DeRousie, operator, all of Detroit; Geo. Thompson, operator; A. M. Harris, operator; F. H. Miller, operator; all of Jackson; S. R. Peters, operator, of Wayne; T. B. Moon, operator, of Dearborn; O. C. Bostwick, operator, of Dexter; and W. C. Smith, operator, in the Chelsea office. Hand painted souvenir cards, pumpkin shaped, were presented to each guest. A chicken pie supper was served.

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# WHAT I WENT THROUGH

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Natick, Mass.—"I cannot express what I went through during the change of life before I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was in such a nervous condition I could not keep still. My limbs were cold, I had creepy sensations, and could not sleep nights. I was finally told by two physicians that I also had a tumor. I read one day of the wonderful cures made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it, and it has made me a well woman. My neighbors and friends declare it had worked a miracle for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold for women during this period of life. If it will help others you may publish my letter."—Mrs. NATHAN B. GREATER, 81 N. Main Street, Natick, Mass.

The Change of Life is the most critical period of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

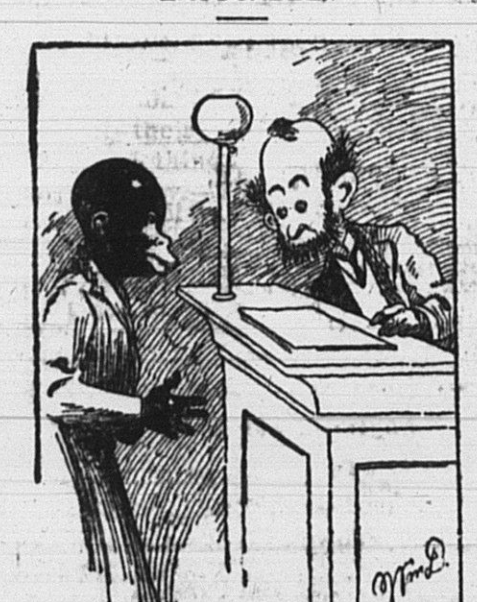
If you would like special advice about your case, write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

Association of Ideas.  
"You have a great many flies and mosquitoes," said the rather supercilious girl.  
"Yes," replied Farmer Cornstossel.  
"I didn't like to mention it, but I've noticed every year that flies, mosquitoes and summer boarders all appear to be on hand at the same time."

Consolation.  
She—Do you really think I am so very fat, Mr. Smith?  
He—Why, no, I saw a lady in a circus the other day who must have weighed at least fifty pounds more than you.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Charity.  
"The woman whose husband was killed in master's factory is below, with her three children."  
"Tell her to go away. I am practicing for the charity concert and cannot be disturbed."—Der Wahre Jacob.

EXCUSABLE.  
Judge—You should have known better than drive fast while crossing that bridge; didn't you see the sign "Walk your horses?"  
Prisoner—Dat's right, Judge; but dem was mules what I were driving.



SHIFT  
If Your Food Fails to Sustain You, Change.

One sort of diet may make a person despondent, depressed and blue and a change to the kind of food the body demands will change the whole thing. A young woman from Phila. says:  
"For several years I kept in a run-down, miserable sort of condition, was depressed and apprehensive of trouble. I lost flesh in a distressing way and seemed in a perpetual sort of dreary nightmare. No one serious disease showed, but the 'all-over' sickness was enough."  
"Finally, between the doctor and father, I was put on Grape-Nuts and cream, as it was decided I must have a nourishing food that the body could make use of."  
"The wonderful change that came over me was not, like Jonah's gourd, the growth of a single night, yet it came with a rapidity that astonished me."  
"During the first week I gained in weight, my spirits improved, and the world began to look brighter and more worth while."  
"And this has continued steadily, till now, after the use of Grape-Nuts for only a few weeks, I am perfectly well, feel splendidly, take a lively interest in everything, and am a changed person in every way." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in plain "There's a reason." After reading the above letter, a new idea appears to come to mind. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## For the Hostess

### Hallowe'en Suggestions.

Hallowe'en is almost here and with its approach come voluminous letters from excited youngsters all bubbling over with curiosity as to what is to be done and how to do it. To many it is a first experience; there are others who want "something new," and there are others who want to give "surprise" parties. To each one Madame Merri hopes to give just the necessary suggestions, but she must say that about the only way to plan a Hallowe'en party is to do the old time-honored stunts, perhaps with new settings. Where it is possible, make a tour of the shops, visit the favor counters; they are full of clever things. Where this is impossible, we feel sure that to-day's department will contain enough for every one who is going to celebrate on the last day of this glorious red and yellow October.

Traditions and legends do not change. It is only the novelty of our carrying them out; it is a blessed provision made by a wise and loving Father that all things are new to the individual, though the things themselves are as old as time itself.

If one has only a wee bit of talent with pencil and brush with the pastepot's aid most charming invitations and favors may be made at home. Half the fun of a party is the preparation and happy anticipation. Cut Hallowe'en designs from paper napkins, paste on cards or thin pieces of wood, then, write the name or invitation. A new favor consists of tiny wire corn poppers filled with real popcorn which will pop when held over candles. Imagine a table set with these poppers at each place, the name tied on the handle, a candle in a carrot candlestick in front of each plate. What fun for the guests.

Pumpkin and "Jack O'Lantern" seals are for sale, also all sorts and conditions of witches; some astride the proverbial broomstick, some with cats and some without. There is yet ample time to plan just the very loveliest kind of a party.

### Hallowe'en Fun.

How many have ever tried an "owl hunt"? To each guest give a wooden gun such as may be purchased at a toy shop for a few cents, and tell him to hunt owls. First, of course, these funny little gray paper owls decorated with water colors must be hidden throughout the rooms. Ordinary gray owls count five, white owls count ten and horned owls count fifteen. Each bird has a looped bit of red string tied through a punched hole, so it may be hung on the gun. This makes great sport, the one bagging the most owls and the one who has the fewest being award a prize.

I have not tried this next stunt, but I am told that fortunes may be written on white paper with milk held over the heat from a lamp or gas jet. The milk letters will turn brown so the writing is perfectly plain. The fortune slips can be distributed by a little fairy, then each guest takes one at a time into a room where a wizard is hidden who, with a magic lamp, interprets the writing. All such things add to the mystery of a party.

Provide each guest with a neat bundle of faggots and tell him he must tell a mystery story while they burn. This is only practical where there is a large open fireplace around which the guests may gather. Have plenty of cushions and no light save perhaps a candle or "Jack" here and there. It some of the guests have been asked to prepare for this part of the program, so much the better, but many people do better on the spur of the moment.

Making tissue paper pumpkin caps

is a favorite stunt. The hostess provides stiff cardboard for the rims and plenty of orange crepe paper with some green paper and tubes of library paste, some coarse needles and thread. This is especially good for young girls of twelve to fifteen, as they are just at the age when they love to make things. The caps are worn the rest of the evening.

### A Witch and Goblin Party.

Children dearly love to dress up and the party described will delight them. Ask the girls to come as witches in scarlet frocks or capes, with tall black hats, and the boys as goblins. The beloved "brownies" will serve as models for the boys' costumes. Just for this one occasion set the hours from "9 to 12," for it really would not be a true hallow eve party if they could not stay until the "clock in the steeples strikes twelve," that witching hour when ghosts walk, when cold chills run down one's back and that delicious creepy sensation comes when trying the charms that must be done precisely at the mysterious midnight hour. It may be a little hard on mothers and chaperones, but they must all smile and look happy on hallow e'en night and do their part to placate the evil spirits. A cotillion with appropriate favors is the best wind-up for this party and the guests are supposed to be from twelve to sixteen years of age.

### A Hallowe'en Party Prize.

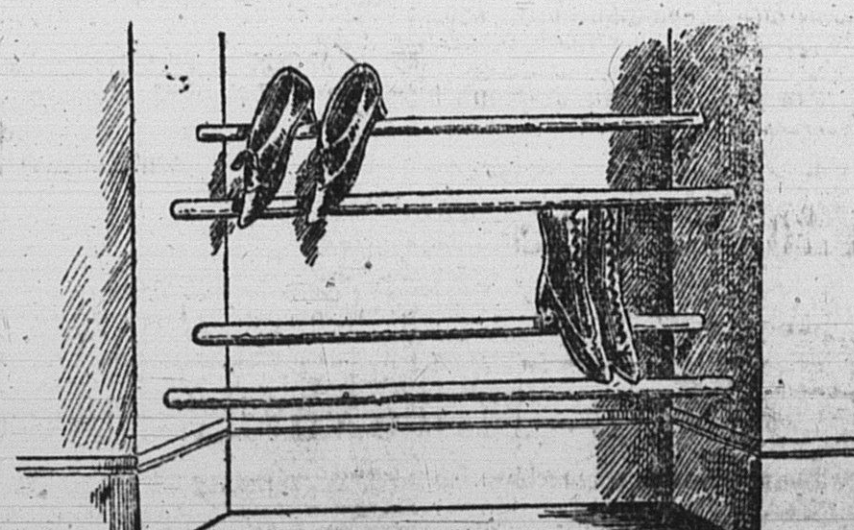
This idea may be utilized not only for a card party prize, but for any stunt for which the hostess chooses to offer a reward. Get a nicely formed golden yellow pumpkin, hollow out carefully and line with waxed paper. Then if the really clever imitation vegetable candies are obtainable, fill with these delicious concoctions. They come in the shape of carrots, corn kernels, potatoes and many kinds of fruits such as cherries, currants, and even many kinds of nuts are imitated. If these sweets are not to be had, fill the pumpkin with home-made goodies, which will prove just as acceptable. Replace the top of the pumpkin and tie down with green ribbon. A cabbage may be arranged in the same way, filling with chestnuts, if desired, for a booby or consolation prize.

MADAME MERRI.

## IN VOGUE

The bows at the throat multiply. Shetland veils are fashionable. The newest fashions are charmingly simple. Sashes and military effects will be strong this fall. White lace veils continue to be extremely popular. Indoor wear favors mohair, tussah, voile, crepe, etc. New black patent leather shoes have snow white tops of calfskin. Both cream white and dead white are fashionable for evening hats. As far as Paris is concerned, the large hat is the one in fashion now. For coat sleeves the set-in-to-the-armholes style is generally accepted. Soutache braiding as well as wide braids will be seen on gowns and suits. Bows trim everything from cap on pretty heads to the slippers on slender toes. Metal fringe is much employed on evening dresses and bead fringes are also seen.

## Boot and Shoe Rack



A very useful rack for boots and shoes is the subject of the accompanying sketch, and it is a simple contrivance that may be arranged low down in the recess of a wall, or in the lower part of a cupboard, or across the corner of a room.

It is very necessary to assign a place for boots and shoes, when they are removed, where they may be more or less out of sight; but the particular advantage of the rack illustrated is that the boots are held in such a position that the soles are exposed to the air, and therefore, should they be damp when taken off, will dry much more quickly on a rack of this kind than if placed on the floor.

## MINISTER HELD FOR CRIME.

Charged With Having Murdered Girl to Whom He Was Engaged.

Rev. Clarence Virgil Thompson Richeson, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church of Cambridge, Mass., a handsome Virginian, was arrested on the charge of killing Miss Avis Linnell, a pretty Hyannis girl, to whom he was formerly engaged. It is charged that he threw over Miss Linnell and wanted to get her out of the way so that he might marry Miss Violet Edmonds, a rich Brookline, Mass., girl. Cards of invitation were out for his marriage to Miss Edmonds.

Richeson at police headquarters emphatically protested that a terrible error had been made in his arrest.

### Fiancee's Father Will Defend Richeson.

"Mr. Richeson will have as good a defense as money can buy," declared Moses Grant Edmonds, millionaire father of Violet Edmonds, whom Clarence V. T. Richeson, charged with the murder of Avis Linnell, was to have married October 31. Edmonds and his daughter firmly believe in the innocence of Richeson, while the police as firmly believe in his guilt.

A cyclonic wind, believed to have reached a velocity of 140 miles an hour, destroyed the aerials at the navy wireless station at Anulaska, Cal. Five men are stationed there, but as far as known none was injured. The station recently broke the world's record for daylight wireless transmission by communicating with Mare Island, a distance of 2,000 miles.

## THE MARKETS.

**LIVE STOCK.**  
DETROIT—Cattle—Best steers and heifers, \$5.00@5.25; choice butcher steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, \$4.50@5.25; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 pounds, \$4.40@4.85; mixed butchers' fat cows, \$4.25@4.50; canners, \$1.50@2.75; good shipper's lambs, \$4.10@4.30; common feeders, \$3.50@4.00; good well-bred feeders, \$4.25@4.50; light stockers, \$3.00@4.00.  
Veal calves—Market dull and 25¢ lower; best grades, \$7.75@8.25; others, \$5.00@7.50; milk cows and springers, \$5.00@6.00.  
Wool—Lambs—Market active. Best lambs, \$2.25@2.50; fair to good lambs, \$1.50@2.00; light to common lambs, \$1.00@1.50; fair to good butcher sheep, \$2.00@2.25; culls and common, \$1.50@2.00.  
Hogs—Market packers are bidding following range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$6.40@6.60; pigs, \$5.50@5.75; light Yorkers, \$6.40@6.60; roughs subject to dock; stags, one-third off.

**EAST BUFFALO—Cattle**—Market demand fair and steady; prime steers, \$7.50@8.00; butcher grades, \$7.25@7.50; calves—Receipts, 100 head. Market active and 25¢ higher; cull to choice, \$5.00@5.75.  
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,800 head. Market active; lambs 10@15¢ higher; sheep steady; choice lambs, \$5.75@6.00; cull to fair, \$4.50@5.50; yearlings, \$4.00@4.25; sheep, \$3.00@3.50.  
Hogs—Receipts, 2,550. Market active and firm; Yorkers \$6.80@7.00; pigs, \$6.00@6.25; mixed, \$5.75@6.00; roughs, \$5.50@5.75; stags, \$5.00@5.50.

**GRAIN, ETC.**  
WHEAT—Cash No. 2, red, 99¢ bid; December opened without change at \$1.01 3/4, declined to \$1.01 1/2, advanced to \$1.02 1/4 and closed at \$1.01 3/4. May opened at \$1.08 1/2, touched \$1.06 1/4, advanced to \$1.09 and closed at \$1.06 1/2. No. 3 white, 99¢ bid.  
CORN—Cash No. 3, 75¢; No. 2 yellow, 76¢; No. 2 yellow, 3 cars at 75 1/2¢.  
OATS—Standard 1 car elevator "B," at 50 1/2¢, closing at 50¢ asked; No. 3 white, 49 1/2¢.  
RICE—Cash No. 2, \$1.  
BEANS—Immediate and October shipment, \$2.35; November, \$2.30; December, \$2.25.  
CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$12.25; March, \$12.40; sample, 17 bags at \$11.75, 8 at \$11; prime alkali, \$10.50; sample alkali, 9 bags at \$9.25.  
TIMOTHY SEED—Prime spot, 10 bags at \$7.20.  
BARLEY—Best sample, \$2.40@2.50 per bu.  
FLOUR—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 100 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$4.75; second patent, \$4.40; straight, \$4.10; spring patent, \$5.60; rye, \$4.80.  
FEED—Jobbing prices in 100-lb. bags: Bran, \$3.75; coarse middlings, \$2.95; fine middlings, \$3.25; coarse cornmeal and cracked corn, \$2.00; corn and oat chop, \$2.80 per ton.

**FAIR PRODUCE.**  
DETROIT—Butter—Market firm; extra creamery, 29¢; firsts, 28¢; dairy, 26¢; packing, 19¢ per lb. Eggs: Receipts, 339 cases; market firm; current receipts, cases included, 24¢ per doz. CRANBERRIES—\$7.00@7.25 per bbl, \$2.50 per bu.  
EGGS—Common, 75¢; Dutchess, 75¢ @81¢; Kieffer, 40¢@50¢ per bu.  
GRAPES—Niagara, 8-lb. baskets, 14 @15¢; Concord, 8-lb. baskets, 14 @15¢. APPLES—New York, 10-lb. baskets, 75¢ per bu.; Snow, \$2.50@3 per bbl. CABBAGE—\$1.50@1.75 per bbl. CHESTNUTS—10@12¢ per lb. TOMATOES—Home-grown, 75¢@80¢ per bu.  
HICKORY NUTS—Shellbark, 2 1/2@2 3/4¢ per lb.  
POTATOES—Car lots, track, 60¢@65¢ per bu.  
HONEY—Choice to fancy comb, 15¢ @18¢ per lb.  
ONIONS—\$0.90¢ per bu.; Spanish, \$1.40@1.50 per crate.  
SWEET POTATOES—Virginia, \$2.60 @2.65 per bbl.; Jersey, \$4 per bbl, \$1.40 per hamper.  
LIVE POULTRY—Broilers, 11¢; hens, 10¢; turkeys, 14¢@15¢ per doz. ducks, 12¢@13¢; young ducks, 14¢ per lb.  
CHEESE—Michigan, old 17¢, new 15 1/2¢@16¢; York—state, new, 16¢ @16 1/2¢; Limburger, 13¢@13¢; fancy domestic Swiss, 19¢@21¢; common domestic Swiss, 16¢@18¢; Imported Swiss, 29 @31¢; brick cream, 15¢@16¢ per lb.

**VEGETABLES.**  
Beets, 50¢ per bu.; carrots, 50¢ per bu.; cauliflower, 75¢ per doz.; cucumbers, hothouse, \$3.00@3.50 per doz; green celery, 20¢@25¢ per doz; eggplant, 15¢ per doz.; green onions, 12 1/2¢ per doz.; green peppers, 75¢ per bu.; head lettuce, \$1.25 per bbl; mint, 25¢ per doz.; parsley, 20¢@25¢ per doz.; radishes, 10¢@12¢ per doz.; turnips, 50¢ per bu.; watercress, 25¢ @30¢ per doz.; rutabagas, 50¢ per bu.  
One hundred horses and \$40,000 worth of hay, harness and wagon were burned in Milton, Mass., in a fire which destroyed the Winslow Contracting Co.'s barns on the banks of the Neponset river.  
Mrs. Ida von Clausen, who won much notoriety a few years ago by controversy with the U. S. minister to Sweden over the latter's refusal to present her in court and later accused President Roosevelt of preventing her from marrying the son of Sweden's king, has been sent to Bloomingdale insane asylum, following an investigation into her sanity.



A. M. SLAY, Great Record Keeper K. O. T. M. M.

The latest report from the office of the Great Record Keeper of the Knights of the Modern Maccabees indicates that members are rapidly transferring from Class 1 to the new rates. The office force is working day and night to keep up with the rush.

He Did.  
"Your husband says he leads a dog's life," said one woman.  
"Yes," it's very similar," answered the other. "He comes in with muddy feet, makes himself comfortable by the fire and waits to be fed."—Everybody's.

Monologue for Two.  
"Well, have you heard the news?" asked a friend brightly. "My wife and I are going on the variety stage. A clever fellow has written an act for us, and we are going to put it on next week."

"Good, old man!" he exclaimed enthusiastically. "What is it—a song and dance act or a society sketch?"  
"Neither—it is a monologue."  
"A monologue? I thought you and your wife were both in the act?"  
"We are. But—do you know my wife?"

### CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE.



Poet—In winter I write poems to keep the wolf from the door.  
Admiring Friend—Yes.  
Poet—And in summer I have to keep on writing poems so the iceman will stop at the door.

### ALMOST CRAZY WITH ECZEMA

"I, the undersigned, cannot give enough praise to the Cuticura Remedies. I had been doctoring for at least a year for eczema on my foot. I had tried doctor after doctor all to no avail. When a young girl I sprained my ankle three different times, paying little or no attention to it, when five years ago a small spot showed upon my left ankle. I was worried and sent for a doctor. He said it was eczema. He drew a small bone from the ankle about the size of a match and about an inch long. The small hole grew to about the size of an apple, and the eczema spread to the knee. The doctors never could heal the hole in the ankle. The whole foot ran water all the time.

"My husband and my sons were up night and day wheeling me from one room to another in the hope of giving me some relief. I would sit for hours at a time in front of the fireplace hoping for daybreak. The pain was so intense I was almost crazy, in fact, I would lose my reason for hours at a time. One day a friend of mine dropped in to see me. No more had she glanced at my foot than she exclaimed: 'Mrs. Finnegan, why in the world don't you try the Cuticura Remedies?' Being disgusted with the doctors and their medicines, and not being able to sleep at all, I decided to give the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment a trial. After using them three days that night I slept as sound as a silver dollar for eight long hours. I awoke in the morning with but very little pain, in fact, I thought I was in heaven. After using the Cuticura Remedies for three months I was perfectly restored to health, thanks to the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I will be sixty-four years of age my next birthday, hale and hearty at present." (Signed) Mrs. Julia Finnegan, 2234 Hebert St., St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 7, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 12, K. Boston.

Charity.  
"I hear your rich uncle left all his money to charity?"  
"No. He left it all to me."  
"Well, isn't that the same thing?"

When Friendship Counts.  
The doors of the deformed man are always locked, and the key is on the outside. He may have treasures of charm inside, but they will never be revealed unless the person outside cooperates with him in unlocking the door. A friend becomes, to a much greater degree than with the ordinary man, the indispensable means of discovering one's own personality. One only exists, so to speak, with friends. It is easy to see how hopelessly such a sensitiveness incapacitates a man for business, professional or social life, where the hasty and superficial impression is everything, and disaster is the fate of the man who has not all the treasures of his personality in the front window where they can be readily inspected and appraised.—From the September Atlantic.

A Broken Bone.  
Your first duty, after notifying a surgeon, is to provide support for the injured member in the form of an improvised splint. Flat pieces of board, as broad, if possible, as the limb and slightly longer than the broken bone, canes, umbrellas, in fact anything that will accomplish your end may be used. In adjusting these, pad with any soft material that is at hand; straw, leaves or cushions made of grass may be used. Avoid any pressure on the injured part, cover it with a cloth, and keep wet with clean, cold water.—Woman's Home Companion.

A woman is apt to regard a bachelor as a man who is too much of a coward to get married.

All the world's a stage, and all the men and women are merely kickers.

The shortest words sometimes carry the most weight.



"Scribb told me that he once wrote a \$20,000 prize story."  
"And did he get the \$20,000?"  
"No. The girl wrote and told him she had accepted his rival."

Some of us are apt to take advice that doesn't belong to us.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

So combines the great curative principles of Roots, Barks and Herbs as to raise them to their highest efficiency; hence its unequalled cures. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

## Rheumatic Pains quickly relieved

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All were silent, and he began with the first boy, and thrashed every one in the class until finally he reached the last one. Then he said: "Now, if you will tell me who did this I won't thrash you."

"All right, sir, I did it," was the reply.—Ideas.

**Rivalry.**  
"Does your automobile go faster than your neighbor's?"  
"No," replied Mr. Chuggins. "But my danger signal makes a much more disagreeable noise than his."

**Overlooked.**  
Knicker—We can't carry revolvers any longer.  
Bocker—But they didn't take away the girls' hampers.

**Australia Likes American Magazines.**  
American magazines are constantly increasing their popularity in both Australia and New Zealand.

You may have noticed how different men are from dogs. The latter never want to do things that are not good to them.

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## Discussion of Practical Forestry

By J. FRED BAKER, Professor of Forestry  
Michigan Agricultural College.

(NOTE—In the following series of articles, discussion of seasonal operations which every woodlot owner should be interested in, will be discussed.)

### Seed Collection.

Every farmer is much interested in the harvest which is just coming to a close and we hear on every hand discussions of the crops and yields in comparison with other years. However, few realize or have taken notice of the fact that this past season has been one of the best for the production of forest tree seeds for some time past. In Europe, the forest seed crop is of immense value annually. We Americans have not realized its value in this country as yet. However, in the next decade, the crop produced each year along the fence lines and in woodlots will be looked upon as a substantial source of revenue to its owner. Many woodlot owners and farmers have recently become interested in how they can better their forest conditions in the woodlot or establish new woodlots. One of the best ways to do is by collecting seeds near at hand, such as, for instance, acorns and nuts. The black walnut, butternut, hickory, red and black oak and basswood have all produced very abundantly this season. The best time to collect is after the first severe frost. The seeds that fall before the first severe frost as a rule are defective and should not be gathered. After the first severe frost they should be gathered and if squirrels and rodents are not prevalent, plant directly in the area desired. This can be done by filling a knapsack with nuts and going into the woodlot with a spud, pacing along the fence lines, spading a hole and dropping a nut into it and then covering with the heel. It is wonderful how quickly trees planted in this way will develop into good-sized saplings. These should be planted in open places in the woodlot where the grass and briars have come in. A good knapsack is made by taking an ordinary grain sack, cutting down parallel with the sides, leaving two bands about two inches wide and cutting out a panel about one-third the length. Tie the ends of the sack ribbons made in this way and fling over the shoulder.

If rodents and squirrels are a source of danger, the nuts should be stored over winter. In the storage of all forest tree seeds, effort should be made to mimic nature. If nature produces seeds and plants at once, the forester does the same. If nature allows the seeds to fall and covers them over winter with a moist coating of leaves and litter, the forester does the same and the same with those seeds which are borne high on the tips of branches and left to the climatic action over winter such as in the case of our sycamore, ash, honey locust and box elder.

All nuts and acorns nature covers over winter. The woodlot owner can collect these seeds, place them in a box sufficient to contain the amount that he desires to collect. Sink the box in the soil in a well-drained locality, putting in about two inches of sand in the bottom, then a layer of nuts or acorns, then another layer of sand, then nuts and so on until the nuts are taken care of and the box is full. See to it that five or six inches of good sand is left on the surface. Then place covering of light boards over the top. If there is danger of squirrels and chipmunks, a piece of closely woven wire netting should be stretched over the box large enough to cover an area four or five feet larger than the box itself and this netting should be partially covered with earth. This will protect the nuts from danger of squirrels and chipmunks, as they will not burrow through the wire. In this way, the nuts are kept at an even temperature and even moisture condition and can be planted out in the woodlot when desired in the spring. Do not try to state over winter, as they will not germinate in the spring to any degree of satisfaction. However, such seeds of sycamore, ash, box elder, black locust, honey locust, etc., should be collected in the fall and hung in a bag on rafters in barns or houses and kept in a dry condition. These can be planted the same as other tree seeds in the spring.

**Hen That Pays Her Board.**  
The sprightly hen that is always off the roost early in the morning and on hand with a fresh egg as soon as she eats her breakfast and then goes directly to work scratching about and does not hover about the nest or hunt for sunny spots to nap in, is usually the hen which pays her board bill with interest at the end of the year.

**Value of Charcoal.**  
The value of charcoal for poultry is best ascertained by allowing them constant access to it. Wet, filthy or old charcoal is not desirable. Do not expect fowls to eat charcoal, grit and expect the way they eat corn. Do not force it on them, but rather have it in convenient reach of the poultry and they will eat as much as they need or is good for them.

**Sell Surplus Stock.**  
Surplus stock should be converted into cash at the earliest profitable opportunity. Money talks, but it doesn't eat its head off or die of cholera or roup or some other ailment prevalent among fowls.

**When Work Is Slack.**  
When work gets slack take an old hoe, saw off the handle to about a foot in length, and with it scrape off the old, scaly bark on your apple and pear trees.

## Commercial Fertilizers vs. Humus

By A. J. PATTEN, Experiment Station Chemist,  
Michigan Agricultural College.

Commercial fertilizers should be used to supplement the manures made on the farm and the green manure such as clover, vetch, rye, etc. The manures made or grown upon the farm usually contain small amounts of the plant food elements but are rich in organic matter or humus forming material. These humus manures serve to keep the soil in good physical condition, and are absolutely essential to successful farming.

Commercial fertilizers are more universally successful when used on land that is kept well supplied with organic matter. This may easily be demonstrated by running the fertilizer drill across a field that has been fertilized with barnyard manure. The path of the drill will usually be conspicuous owing to the increased growth of grain. Very often fertilizers used on land devoid of, or low in organic matter fail to give satisfactory returns and they are consequently condemned as being worthless. In many cases of this kind the fault does not lie in the fertilizer but in the condition of the land. Commercial fertilizers require moisture in the soil to bring them into solution. Soils deficient in organic matter are not retentive of moisture, consequently the plant food contained in the fertilizer is either not brought into solution at all or may be leached out of the soil and be carried away in the drainage water.

The idea which many farmers hold in regard to the use of commercial fertilizers that once the practice is commenced they must always be used because their action upon the land is such that after once used nothing can be grown without them is entirely erroneous. This idea undoubtedly was originated by those who used commercial fertilizers to the exclusion of all humus forming materials such as barnyard manure and green manure.

Commercial fertilizers alone will not restore the fertility of a run-down soil. This can only be done by using materials having a large amount of organic matter. This fact cannot be too strongly emphasized, and it should be repeated over and over.

The supply of humus in the soil must be maintained and this can only be done by using materials rich in organic matter, such as barnyard manure or green manures (clover, vetch, cowpeas, rye, etc.).

Commercial fertilizers are used to furnish plant food in a more readily available form than it exists in the soil, while the humus-forming fertilizers are used to improve the physical condition of the soil in which the plants must live.

There are, of course, other conditions governing the productive capacity of a soil, such as cultivation, drainage, climatic condition, seed selection, etc., but these cannot be discussed at this time.

**CARE OF THE SEED CORN**  
By C. P. HALLIGAN, Assistant Horticulturist,  
Michigan Agricultural College.

The quality of seed corn in the spring depends largely on its having been properly dried and stored. The selected ears should be placed, where they will dry in the shortest reasonable time and various methods have been employed for this purpose. There is no better method from the standpoint of efficiency than the old one of braiding the ears together by the husks or tying them in lots by strings and hanging in the summer kitchen or in the attic above, near the stovepipe. This, however, requires considerable room and is not altogether satisfactory to the workers in the kitchen. A furnace room is a good place, providing it is well ventilated and an occasional fire is built. Frequently the corn is left in crates and while this is usually a successful method, there is more or less danger from molding; corn so stored should be watched carefully until it is known to be thoroughly dry.

**Storing.**—Many contrivances have been used to hold the ears. Racks on which the ears can be placed in single layers are good if mice and rats can be kept out of the room. Ears suspended in links of binder twine will keep well and be safe from mice. The soft siph in the butt of the ears makes it possible for them to be hung on nails which have had the heads cut off after being driven into upright posts. An inverted pan will need to be nailed about the bottom of the post to prevent mice from reaching the corn.

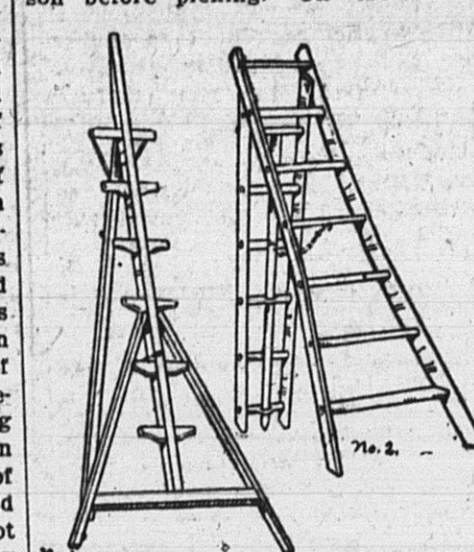
**Drying.**—The temperature of the room in which corn is stored should be maintained at 75 or 80 degrees, with abundant circulation of air. Rapid drying removes the possibility of molding and consequent loss of vitality. After the drying is complete, the temperature of the room may be allowed to drop even below freezing, but successful corn growers never allow the temperature of the room in which seed corn is stored, to fall below freezing. The room should be kept thoroughly dry.

**When Work Is Slack.**  
When work gets slack take an old hoe, saw off the handle to about a foot in length, and with it scrape off the old, scaly bark on your apple and pear trees.

## FEW VERY EXCELLENT HINTS ON HOW TO PICK APPLES

No Set Rule Can be Given as to Time, as That Will Vary According to Variety, Season, and Distance to be Shipped—Every Precaution Must be Used Not to Bruise or Cut the Skin.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)  
No set rule can be given for the time to pick apples, as that will vary according to variety, season and distance to be shipped. As a rule we gauge the time to pick red apples by their color and yellow apples by the darkening of their seeds. Some varieties, for instance, Northern Spy, are generally left quite late in the season before picking. On the other



No. 1, Light Ladder. No. 2, Extension Ladder.

hand, great care must be taken with Jonathan to pick them before they are overripe, or there is danger from core-rot. Red Astrachans, if left on the tree, tend to crack, and so on.

Early apples, as a rule, especially those to be sent any distance, are harvested before they are thoroughly ripe. Spitzenburg, and apples like them, should be picked as soon as they have the proper color. This means, in ordinary cases, several pickings to a tree, but only in this way can you get the best results.

Every day the fruit is left on the tree, after it has assumed its color it approaches just so much nearer its final maturity and deteriorates to a marked degree in its shipping and keeping qualities, then again, when the tree is relieved of part of its load, it gives the remaining fruit a better chance to become large and well colored.

The apple does not go into abrupt stages of its life history from the green apple to the natural broken-down specimens. The change is a gradual one. The most vital point in the whole life history, is the picking time.

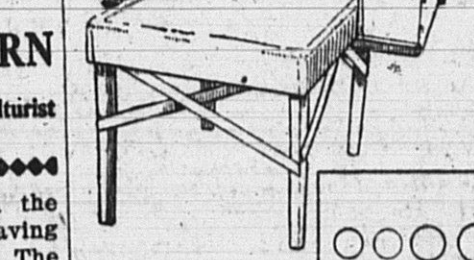
To get the best returns in the manner of keeping, we must handle the apples as though they were eggs, and use every precaution not to bruise, and more especially, not to cut the skin of the apple so as to expose it to

made so shallow that the first apples can be conveniently laid in it without dropping, and yet hold all the picker can carry.

Give the picker the suggestion as a hypnotist would do, that he is not handling apples, but eggs, and this bag will help him live up to the suggestion.

For hauling to the packing-house, the fruit should be emptied into field boxes, each having a slot for the hand cut in each end, with the ends higher than the sides to permit packing without bruising the fruit. These boxes should be hauled to the packing-house on a low spring orchard wagon.

The packing table is a most important item. The best table is made to accommodate two packers. To make such a table take four standards about three feet high. The top made of strong burlap about three or four feet is allowed to hang rather loosely, therefore, saw off the tops of the legs on a level so as not to have the sharp corners push into the burlap making points that will bruise or cut the fruit.



Fruit Packing Table and Grading Board.

the germs of the decays that will surely enter through any abrasion in the skin.

The apple should be picked by a twist of the wrist, giving either a slight upward or downward motion each time. If picked in this way, no stems will be pulled out. In fact if the apple does not come readily when it is tried, it is a pretty good indication that the fruit is not ready to be picked.

The best days for gathering fruit are the cool, dry days. Picking during excessive heat, or exposing the fruit to heavy rains, are not conducive to good handling. Where the fruit is picked on a cool, dry day it is better to get it under cover at once; but when occasion demands that we pick the fruit in warm weather, it will be better to leave it out-of-doors overnight, allowing it to become cool before

fore taking it under cover, using every precaution to prevent heavy sweating of the fruit.

The days of piling the fruit in the orchard in great heaps, or even leaving it in boxes or barrels for several days are gone forever and cannot be resorted to by those who care to handle choice fruit. It pays to wipe the fruit before packing, if the market demands it and is willing to pay for it. It costs money to step on a ladder, as the orchard-owner soon finds, and all that can be reasonably done by pruning to start the head of a tree low, and keep it low, is a paying investment.

Any ladder which must be set against a tree is a constant menace. Perhaps the best type of tall step-ladder is the extension ladder. It is strong, light and easily handled by one man. The lightest of all the tall ladders is the single rail ladder, but it is also the least safe and comfortable for the user.

In the matter of picking receptacles, buckets and bags each have their advocates and some people even provide their pickers with coal scuttles. These should never be used, because the fruit is almost certain to be bruised by them.

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## BREVITIES

**BRIDGEWATER**—James Hogan arrived home from a two weeks' trip in the west. He bought eleven carloads of sheep and one of cattle.

**ALBION**—Mrs. V. D. Hindlang, who recently purchased five acres of land from Frank Jennings, of West Erie St. is planning for the erection of several dwellings on the property.—Leader.

**YPSILANTI**—Ried Darling cut off two of the fingers on his left hand Friday morning while sawing wood with a buzz saw. His glove caught in the saw in some way and pulled his fingers under the teeth.

**WEBSTER**—Dr. E. Walker of Ann Arbor purchased 40 acres of timber of the Moore brothers some time ago and last week with the help of Ray Spiegelberg of Whitmore Lake began the work of clearing it and in a few days he will have other help.

**JACKSON**—Struck by a street car, David Taber, who gives his residence as Chicago, was hurled to the pavement and seriously injured. He was removed to the city hospital, and unless internal injuries develop he will recover. He has a brother, Elmer Taber, in Albion.

**HOWELL**—When Frank, John and Fred Bell were driving home from Pinckney the other evening, they were run into by a gentleman driving in the opposite direction. The thrill from the man's buggy pierced the heart of their horse killing it instantly. Nothing is known as to the man's identity.—Tidings.

**TECUMSEH**—Martin Zimmerman met with an accident at Wampler's Lake Wednesday evening of last week, which will disable him for some time. He was sitting on the railing of the porch of W. W. Whiting's cottage when it broke under his weight and he fell backwards to the ground six feet below alighting on his left arm, which was broken in two places at the elbow joint and just above the wrist.—News.

**JACKSON**—Among those who have gone into the northern part of Michigan for the hunting season is United States Senator Townsend, who, together with Congressman Wilson of Chicago, Judge Blair of Lansing and Senator Newton of Ypsilanti will spend two weeks in camp near Seney, Schoolcraft county, one of the favorite spots for deer hunting. Senator Newton did not accompany the party, but will join them later.—Patriot.

**TECUMSEH**—William King and Earl Moon were arrested Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Fred Teachout and Constable John Smith, charged with violating the local option law by selling and giving away whiskey. They were arraigned before Justice Hosmer that evening and the date of their examination was set for Wednesday, October 25. King gave bail for his appearance in the sum of \$200, but Moon being unable to furnish bail was taken to the county jail at Adrian.

**YPSILANTI**—James Mulder, colored, of Ypsilanti was bound over to the circuit court by Justice Stadtmiller Monday morning, for stealing chickens from Herbert Harper, also of Ypsilanti. Mulder dropped some of his correspondence in the chicken coop and the officers found it. He claimed that someone had planted the letters there to queer him, but in view of the fact that some chicken feathers from the missing fowls were found trampled into the letters Prosecutor Burke succeeded in convincing the justice that it would have taken some extraordinarily clever work on the part of Mr. Mulder's enemies to achieve that result without Mr. Mulder's having been in on it.

## COBB WENT OUT OF HIS LINE

Fake Stories Are Accepted, But When Writer Sends in a True One He Is Dismissed.

Years ago Irvin S. Cobb, the humorous writer, was a correspondent for various out-of-town papers while working in Paducah, Ky. Not a great deal of genuine news for out-of-town consumption is manufactured at Paducah. As Mr. Cobb needed the money, there was a period during which it appeared that Paducah had become the news center of the middle west. Not a day passed that some astounding story was not printed under a Paducah date. "We stood for them," said the former telegraph editor of a St. Louis paper, "because they were so good, even though we knew they were fakes. But one day the boss called me in. 'Who is this man Cobb at Paducah?' he asked.

"When I had satisfied his thirst for knowledge, he told me to fire Cobb. 'I know all the stories he has written are fakes,' said he, 'but I can't stand for that one he sent you yesterday. I like some sanity even in a fake story. It must sound as though it might, possibly, under certain conditions, be partly true.'

"So," said the ex-telegraph editor, "I fired Cobb. He made no protest about getting fired in a letter he wrote me. 'It served me right for getting out of my line,' said he. 'That was the only story I ever sent you that was wholly true.' — Cleveland Leader.

## WORLD'S BIGGEST BABY FARM

Wonderful Foundling Asylum in Moscow Started Originally by Empress Catherine II.

The biggest baby farm in the world, known locally as the "home of the playing card babies," is situated in Moscow. This wonderful foundling asylum was started originally by the Empress Catherine II, and is maintained, oddly, by a tax on playing cards. In all some 14,000 babies pass through the institution every year. The asylum, which is under the patronage of the royalty, consists of an institution standing in a hollow square round a garden, with lovely trees and lawns, where the children play. A great feature of this asylum is that all the servants there wear the red livery of the royal family, and its accounts are audited and kept by the Russian treasury department. Children of all sizes from wee babies are tended here, and they have the best attention and good, wholesome food. About fifty babies are received here every day, and after a sojourn of a month nurses take them to their own homes.

## The Blue Rose.

A nurseryman at Painesville, Ohio, has developed a blue rose. This has been a quest of floriculturists, so the new rambler is a triumph of science. The green rose and the black rose are interesting freaks, but they are not beautiful. The blue rose, however, should be lustrous. It should have about it that velvet glow which makes the spell of roses. In the minds of poets and mystics the blue rose has long shed a fragrance over the garden of dreams. It was said that whoever had been aroused by the wild sweetness of the perfume of the blue rose would never rest again until he had found the far clear heights on which this rose is blown. It was said that the blue rose cast a spell over all who touched it, and that life was never again the same. Well, the blue rose will at last be common among men, but the dreamer will still lift his face to the stars.—Los Angeles Times.

## His Probable Fate.

"Waal, some ways I'd like to an' some ways I guess I wouldn't," said honest Farmer Bentover, when the suave dispenser of encyclopedias had paused in his siren song. "Ye see, if I was to sign for that 'ere cyclopedee in forty-seven parts, includin' the index an' appendicils, I'm sorter afraid I'd hev to work so hard to pay for it that I'd be too tired to enjoy readin' it; while if I read it at my leisure, as I'd ort to, in order to git the good of it, I wouldn't hev time to earn the price. So, all things considered, I guess I'll hev to deny myself the privilege, as it were. Looks sorter like rain off to the northwest, don't it?"

## Many Dogs in France.

There are more dogs in France than most countries. Thus it appears that to one thousand inhabitants there are 75 dogs in France and only 38 in England, 31 in Germany and 11 in Sweden. Still, hydrophobia is extremely rare in the department of the Seine, the last case observed dating back to the year 1905. Doctor Martel says this good state of things has been brought about by the law for killing not only every mad dog, but also for killing every dog any mad dog may have bitten or played with. But since this law cannot work out to perfection the French also exterminate all stray dogs.

## Fewer Fogs in London.

"Twenty years ago there were 55 foggy days in London during the winter months, whereas in 1908-10 there were only 11 during the same period. The fog fiend has been scotched, if not killed," said Sir James Crichton-Browne at the annual dinner of the Sanitary Inspectors' association. The reduction in the number of fogs he attributed chiefly to improved sanitation.

## "Baby Mine" Coming.

"Baby Mine," the comedy success of two continents, which had New York in a delirium of laughter for one solid year at Daly's Theatre, and is still tickling the ribs of Londoners at the Vaudeville Theatre, its second year there, is announced to be given at the Whitney Theatre, Ann Arbor, Saturday, October 28th. Ashton Stevens, the able critic of the Chicago Examiner, openly declared that "Baby Mine" was the funniest play ever written, and Alan Dale in the New York American said: "Not a 'baby mine' but an adult mine of fun." Other well known writers have vied with one another in an effort to do full justice to the exceeding cleverness of Margaret Mayo's merry play. Indeed, seldom has it occurred that newspaper men have raved over the humor of any comedy as they have over "Baby Mine". Paris, Berlin, Vienna, St. Petersburg and other continental cities are soon to see "Baby Mine," and productions are also announced for South America, South Africa, Australia and Japan.

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## 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 18th day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Charles Elsie, deceased.

James Wade, executor of the will of said deceased, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 28th day of November 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.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ida E. and Mattie A. Betts, minors.

Fred C. Hain, guardian 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 17th day of November 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.

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