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FINE NEW INDUSTRY ASSURED CHELSEA

Chelsea Steel Ball Co., Incorporated for \$75,000, Will Erect New Plant.

The Chelsea Steel Ball company is the name of a new manufacturing industry which is to be located in Chelsea. The incorporation papers were drawn yesterday, the capitalization of the new company being \$75,000. The incorporators are Timothy E. Callahan, Conrad Lehman, M. J. Dunkel, John Kalnabach and L. T. Freeman.

Mr. Callahan has been connected with the Hoover Ball Co. of Ann Arbor since its inception and held the position of production manager. He is an experienced machinist and previous to his connection with the Hoover company, held a position with the Flanders Mfg. Co. here. He will be general manager of the new company and brings to it the experience of a number of years in the steel ball business.

The new plant will be located at Congdon street and the D. J. & C. tracks and just west of the Chelsea Screw company's plant. The site is now occupied by a frame residence, which will be moved off.

Definite plans regarding the building have not been made, further than that its construction will be started within a few weeks. Part of the machinery equipment has already been ordered and it is expected that the new plant will be in operation before fall.

MRS. S. M. B. FOX

Prominent Rochester Woman Died at M. E. Home Monday Night.

Mrs. S. M. B. Fox, widow of the late T. B. Fox, founder of the Rochester Era, died Monday night at the Methodist Old People's home in this place, where she had been living three years. She was 80 years old and was born in Phelps, N. Y. She was a resident of Rochester for 41 years and was known as a temperance worker and church woman.

She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for 54 years and was the founder of the Rochester Woman's club 22 years ago. She leaves one son, W. A. Fox, of the Rochester Era; two sisters, Mrs. Ursula Platt, of Oakland, Cal., and Mrs. Clara Bears, of Williamston, and two brothers, Wellington L. Beaman of Williamston, and Fred Beaman, of Reed City.

The body was taken to Rochester, Wednesday morning, where the funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of her son, W. A. Fox.

CELEBRATED 77TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Peter Guinan Surprised by 30 Relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Guinan, who resides with her son, M. J. Guinan and family of Freedom, was pleasantly surprised Sunday, when about 30 of her relatives gathered to celebrate her 77th birthday.

The party included four generations, those present being Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Guinan and family, and Mrs. T. C. Hagen and family of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bycraft and family of Ann Arbor, L. E. Guinan and daughters of Sylvan, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nordman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Koch of Lima.

As a souvenir of the occasion, Mrs. Guinan was presented with a well filled purse by her great grandson, Lewis Bycraft. A sumptuous dinner was served, including a birthday cake lighted with 77 candles.

NORTH LAKE

Miss Clarice Wright and Gerald Hepburn, of Chelsea, were Sunday visitors at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson.

Miss Carmine Lealand of Albion college is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wales Lealand.

Warren Daniels and Miss Gertrude Storms, of Chelsea, were Sunday visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Miss Clara Fuller and friend, of Base Lake, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fuller.

Miss Mary Reilly, who has been sick for the past week, is some better at this writing.

Mrs. P. E. Noah spent part of last week in Ann Arbor with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Wood, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz. She returned home Saturday, leaving her mother much better.

Miss Mildred Daniels of Albion is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Mrs. Geo. Fuller is visiting relatives in Napoleon and Norvell this week.

Foster Wheeler visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glenn, Saturday.

Miss Johanna Harker visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hudson, Friday afternoon.

Leo Heatley has ordered a new Ford touring car.

John Pratt was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Mrs. Mary Gilbert is on the sick list.

VOTE ON FIVE AMENDMENTS

Each Voter Will Be Confronted With Seven Ballots Next Monday.

At the election next Monday, April 2, the voter will be handed ballots for five amendments to the constitution to the state of Michigan. How shall the voter know which should be voted on and which should be voted down? He will scarcely have time to read them over in the voting booth.

One amendment relates to the issuing of bonds by drain districts. If carried it does not make it mandatory to issue bonds but simply makes it possible to issue bonds if the district so desires. It is claimed that prompt payment will cut down the cost of the drain materially.

The effect of the franchise amendment will be to give any regularly enrolled member of any citizens' military or naval training camp held under the authority of the Government of the United States or the State of Michigan, or any qualified elector employed upon or in the operation of railroad trains in this State, or any sailor engaged and employed on the Great Lakes or in coastwise trade, the right to vote although absent from the township, ward or state in which he resides.

The effect of another proposed amendment if adopted, will be to extend to the state the right to lay out, construct, improve and maintain highways, bridges and culverts; it also provides for the submission in counties of the county road system and places the limit of the amount that may be raised in any one year at five dollars upon each one thousand dollars of assessed valuation for the preceding year.

The effect of the salary amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for increasing the annual salary of the secretary of state, state treasurer and auditor general from \$2,500 to \$4,000.

The effect of the proposed railroad amendment, if adopted, will be to authorize the state to acquire, purchase, take, hold and operate any railroad, or railroad property, belonging to any railroad or railway company in this state heretofore organized under a special charter still in force and effect.

In addition to the five amendment ballots the voter will receive a township ballot and a state ballot.

COUNTY AUDITOR

BILL IS DELAYED

Letter From Representative Newkirk Explains Reasons.

The Tribune has received the following letter from Hon. H. Wirt Newkirk, state representative from this district, regarding the proposed change in the manner of choosing the board of county auditors:

Owing to the many protests I have received against changing the election of County Auditors from the people to the Board of Supervisors, many of them requesting the referendum vote to be put over to April, 1918. Because of the short time now before election, I have deemed it best to do so and have changed the date in the bill to April 1918.

It is rather hard to please all in such matters and I have sought to give the voters at large the benefit of the doubt, for I do not wish to crowd any measure through without a complete understanding on the part of all concerned.

H. W. NEWKIRK.

CAVANAUGH LAKE GRANGE.

Cavanaugh Lake grange will meet Tuesday evening, April 3d, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller. The program follows:

Song.
Roll call—Each lady to name her favorite flower and tell how to grow it; each man to name the breed of cattle he most favors and why.
Recitation—Rev. G. C. Nodduff.
Question—What breed of chicken is most profitable for the farmer. Led by Mrs. Birdie Nottan.
Dialogue, "The Efficient Doctor"—Four lady members.
Closing song.

LAFAYETTE GRANGE.

The next regular meeting of Lafayette grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kilmer, Thursday, April 5th. The program will be as follows:

Song.
Roll call—Suggestions for getting new grange members.
Question—Planning the year's potato crop, led by G. T. English.
Reading—Ethel Whipple.
Music.
Question for the ladies—What to plant for beauty around the farm home.
Closing song.

UNADILLA

Jessie Aseltine of Ann Arbor visited her brother, Carl, for a few days the first of the week.

Gertrude Collins and children, of Stockbridge, visited friends in this place, Saturday and Sunday.

Wirt Barnum and family visited at Arthur Mungers, Sunday.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Seymour May at Madison, New Jersey. He was 90 years old.

Bessie Lane of Lansing is spending her vacation at her home here.

W. J. May, who has been spending the winter here, returned to his home in Bellaire, Tuesday. Mrs. Ed. Cranna returned with him for a visit.

CLAIMS \$11,000 DUE

Homer C. Millen Files Particulars in Latest Court Action.

A bill of particulars in the matter of Homer C. Millen of Ann Arbor, against the Michigan Portland Cement company of this place, was filed Saturday by Atty. A. F. Freeman in the circuit court in Ann Arbor, in which Mr. Millen claims \$11,000 is due him for salary which he claims has not been paid by the cement company.

Millen some time ago, through his attorney filed suit in circuit court for \$20,000.

His statement of details on Saturday listed \$15,000 as amount of salary which he was to have drawn from the company during a little more than four years, he alleges. A credit of some \$3,950 was allowed as having been paid, leaving an alleged unpaid balance of \$11,000.

The above action is the latest in a series of suits which Mr. Millen has instituted against the local industry.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES

Class of Eleven Young People Will Be Received at St. Paul's.

Confirmation services will be held at St. Paul's church at 9:30 o'clock next Sunday morning. The order of exercises is as follows:

Prelude.
Congregational singing.
Prayer.
Choir, "Hosanna."
Scripture.
Song, Confirmation class, "Trust in the Lord."
Sermon.
Solo, "The Publican," O. P. Steeger.
Confession of faith.
Confirmation.
Reception into the church.
Class song, "We seek thy Presence."
Announcements and offering.
Benediction.

The names of the members of the class follows: Albert Edward Winkelman, Norman Harold Schmidt, Emerson Henry Breitenwischer, Mildred Viola Parker, Margaret Caroline Schiller, Helen Agnes Bruninger, Cora Ruth Lesser, Esther Bernice Bahnmiller, Bertha Marie Messner, Clara Helen Fox, Freida Agnes Schmidt.

General John P. Kirk's name will be on the list next Monday for Circuit Judge of Washtenaw county. We need a man of experience for this important office, and Judge Kinne has stated that he is the one man in the county to take his place.—Adv.

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WANTED—People in this vicinity who have any legal printing required in the settlement of estates, etc., to have it sent to the Chelsea Tribune. The rates are universal in such matters, and to have your notices appear in this paper it is only necessary to ask the probate judge to send them to the Chelsea Tribune. 47f

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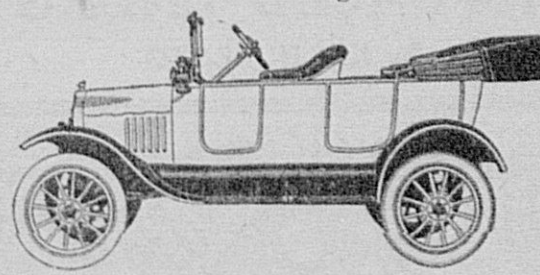
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If my name is not on your ticket, and you desire to vote for me, place an [x] in the square opposite my name.—Adv.

HON. EX-EDITOR CALE FLUHART ON "THE DUTIES OF AN EDITOR"

By KIN HUBBARD



"There's th' Ole Chap With th' Greasy Stiff Hat an' th' Stained White Whiskers That Wants t' Look Thro' th' Exchanges for th' Dunkirk Standard."

"Next t' walkin' at th' head o' a minstrel parade with a big woolly overcoat an' cane ther haint nothin' that looks as fascinatin' as editin' a newspaper," said Hon. Ex-Editor Cale Fluhart, this mornin', as he mailed a stove pipe full o' carrots t' a niece in Virginia.

"Th' feller that stands up on th' nineteenth story o' a steel frame in January an' ketches red hot rivets in his apron is a loafer compared t' th' editor o' a newspaper," continued th' pioneer publisher.

"A Panhandle conductor has a tranquil existence when you figure up th' responsibilities o' a reg'lar editor. A editor must be a great diplomat. He must be both evasive an' direct; he must understand th' many art o' self defense an' talk entertainin'ly about th' European war; he must use rare discretion in th' distribution o' theater passes an' church supper tickets; he must be willin' t' carry a lot o' magazines under his arm when at large; he must be fond o' musical treats an' conversant on th' zine schedule; he must have a dress suit an' be able t' go an hour without smokin'; he should wear glasses on a cord an' have a pale forehead an' not be afraid o' paste; above all he should have an unyieldin' spine an' th' courage t' say 'Yes'."

"An editor has many callers an' he should be a reader o' human nature er th' circulation will dwindle. Ther's th' feller that's taken th' paper since th' first issue an' who wants his side-walk grade changed; ther's the ole chap with th' greasy stiff hat an' th' stained white whiskers that wants t' look thro' th' exchanges for th' Dunkirk Standard; th' statesman with th' frock coat an' black cravat that has been misquoted; th' girl who Sundayed at Seymour an' who wants her first name spelled 'Edythe'; th' mother o'

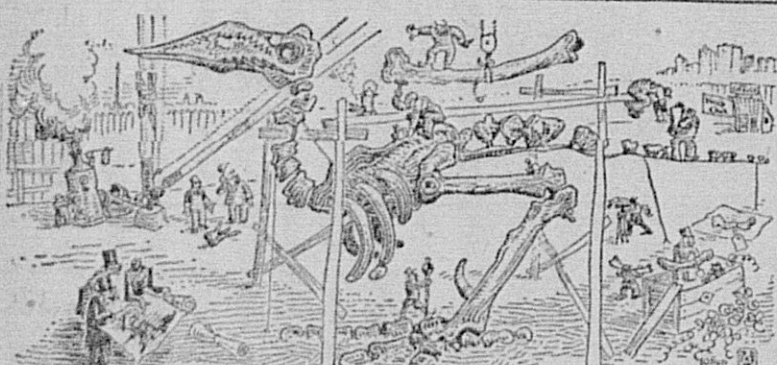
th' boy that got color-blind while workin' in a grocery; th' liberal advertiser that wants his divorce kept quiet; th' feller that thinks some o' gittin' his friends t' insist on him comin' out fer mayor; th' woman whose lilac bloomed twice in May; th' oldest inhabitant who wants t' set th' paper right on th' date o' Horace Greeley's visit; th' feller that helped build th' ole mill that burned down east o' town; th' woman whose little boy kin draw anything; th' feller that likes th' editor personally but don't agree with th' paper; th' farmer with eighteen peaches on one twig; th' hobo that's walkin' from Bangor, Maine, t' Portland, Oregon; th' circus agent with red striped cuffs an' dyed mustache; th' perfume-faded queen that's gittin' up a 'home talent' fer charity (?); th' farmer that found a Indian dart while plowin'; th' woman whose name has been omitted from th' list o' those present, an' last, but fer from belin' th' least, th' feller with th' three column communication written on both sides o' th' paper entitled, 'Th' Possibilities o' Concrete' er 'Th' Longevity o' Vitrified Brick'."

"Th' modern editor must have th' generalship t' handle this motley army in such a fashion that each an' all o' 'em emerge from his sanctum shakin' with laughter. Then, when th' shades o' evenin' gather an' th' streets are deserted th' editor'll call his wife up an' tell her not t' set up fer him an' fill his pipe an' write a column editorial on 'Th' Future o' Alaska.' Aside from an occasional umbrella left behind er a pole segar tossed on his desk th' editor o' a newspaper gits 'st about as much out o' life as a stationary engineer."

"Resum'n, th' grizzled journalist said, "But th' most trouble I had when I wuz a editor wuz keepin' my wife from beatin' th' paper out." (Copyright, Adams Newspaper Service.)

MISPLACED ENERGY

By KIN HUBBARD



When All th' Neck Bones o' th' Great Auk Are Collected an' Set in Place It Will Be Proven t' th' World That He stood at Least a Head Taller in His Bare Feet Than th' Famous Gigantosaurus Augustus Africanus, of Which So Little Is Known.

Somewhere in th' East th' slow, tedious process of restorin' a Great Auk (also spelled Aik, Awk, Alek and Alka) is in progress. This bird belonged t' an antediluvian race o' monsters even exceedin' in dimensions th' celebrated Diplodocus Carnegiel. If alive t'day an' able t' be up an' about th' Great Auk could easily pick flowers off th' roof o' th' Woolworth buildin'. While th' Great Auk wuz distinctively Arctic in its proclivities his huge bones are frequently unearthed in Florida, which shows that he wuz some little traveler an' often wandered fer from headquarters. Still, fer a bird o' his size it wuz only a step from Spitzbergen t' Jacksonville.

When all th' neck bones o' th' Great Auk are collected an' set in place it will be proven t' th' world that he stood at least a head taller in his bare feet than th' famous Gigantosaurus Augustus Africanus, of which so little is known. Accordin' t' a distinguished Berlin scientist th' Great Auk abounded in Labrador as late as th' Tilden campaign, while a Vienna authority o' repute writes that large flocks o' th' bird were seen on th' fanks o' th' south coast o' Newfoundland, an' that it wuz th' only North American bird without wings, defendin' its young by kickin'. A section o' th' Great Auk's spine measurin' thirty-nine feet wuz found in Florida in 1880 an' is included in th' present frame now under construction in th' East. At present a party o' scientists are spadin' fer th' wishbone east o' Seattle, while still other scientists are follerin' a clev in Sumatra with th' hope o' approachin' th' clavic an' a couple of much-needed ribs.

Who furnishes th' money t' run down these tips, an' how society is t' be benefited by a complete skeleton

o' th' Great Auk is not known, an' how those who are spendin' ther time an' means in th' project expect t' recoupe is also a mystery.

What a pity it is that so much money an' energy is anachronically wasted in diggin' up th' fossil remains o' feathered skyscrapers an' long-waisted dinosaurs when ther's so many things o' comparatively recent years that might be restored t' th' real benefit o' ever-buddy. Let our scientists git t'gether an' devise some way t' allay th' fears o' th' little handful o' men who have cornered th' wealth o' this country. Let them knock off work on th' Great Auk fer a while an' set about t' restore confidence.

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Land of Many Reptiles.

Australia is supplied with 100 species of snakes, three-fourths of them venomous. The big pythons and rock snakes are harmless, but as one travels from the tropics southward the dangerous varieties increase in number and in Tasmania all are venomous, though only five are really deadly, and fortunately these are rarely seen. The continent is also abundantly supplied with lizards. Three hundred and ninety species are recorded, and they may be seen not only in woods and prairies and deserts in the water among rocks and trees, but also in the less frequented city streets.

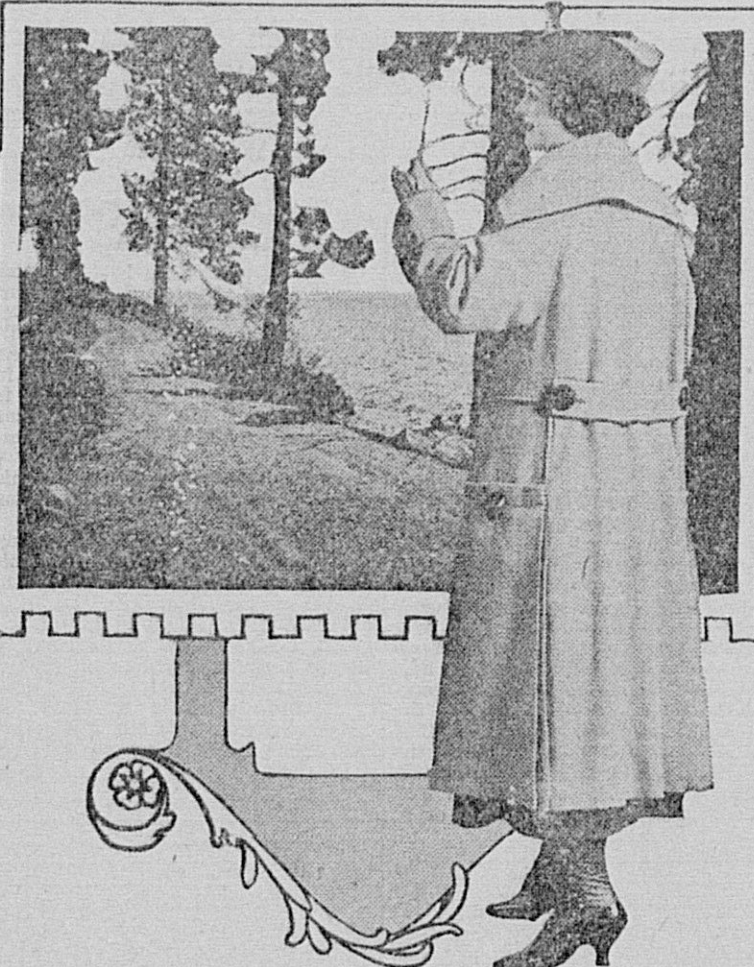
Out of the Mouths of Babies.

"Mamma," said a small miss of three years, "our Sunday-school teacher said God would punish us if we were bad."

"He certainly will," replied her mother.

"Does God wear slippers, mamma?" the little one asked anxiously.

Authentic Styles in Spring Coats



The fabrics used in new spring coats are soft in texture with rich surfaces that give the new models a luxurious look. This is accentuated by the more than ample collars that are a style feature of the season and by the way in which coats are adjusted to the figure. Like dresses they are divided as to the silhouette; some of them hanging in straight lines from shoulder to hem and others showing some definition of the waistline. The latter often have gathered skirts.

Duvelyn, English velour, a light weight in Bolivia cloth, glove cloth, tricotine and wool jersey are especially appealing in the new models. They look cozy and soft without being too heavy for springtime wear. Belts, buttons and plaits are accented as decorative features and some models are handsomely braided. For younger women fancy pockets give a touch of youth and smart style.

A sensible and attractive coat for general service is shown in the picture. It is of wool velour with raglan sleeves and wide cape collar. It is belted across the back and front with a belt that does very little in the way of belting, but offers a good excuse for its negligence in this regard by making place for two very large buttons. There are big, inset pockets on the side panels, just where pockets are expected to be and two plaits at each side of the panel add their testimony to the good style of this model.

Collars to Complete Spring Costume



Collars and jabots must not be left out of the reckoning in completing the spring wardrobe, for costumes of any sort are not well finished without them. They are an essential part of the mode and sometimes the feature of greatest importance in the garment they finish. The best of the new models in lingerie blouses demonstrate the importance of collars for it is in this particular that they differ from blouses of past seasons.

Separate collars of organdie, swiss, batiste, georgette and crepe de chine are shown in a considerable variety of styles, with favor turning to those that are daintily finished rather than to much decoration. Tassels having attached themselves to everything else that women wear, find themselves particularly well placed on the new collars. A good example of this kind appears in the picture with a tassel depending from the point of a collar of batiste edged with narrow crocheted lace. This is a long cape collar extended into points on the shoulders and shaped in the manner of a sailor collar at the front.

Some of these collars have a square cape across the back and remarkably dainty models are trimmed by rows of narrow ruffles with picot edges, running across the back. In georgette crepe the collars are usually hemstitched at the head of a moderately wide hem, but without other decoration.

Just now there is a great demand

for high collars with jabots attached at the front made of net top laces. The jabots are long, falling nearly to the waistline, and they are full and frilly—just the prettiest things imaginable with new spring suits. But their prices are high, beginning at a dollar and a half for a fairly well made jabot of a net top lace and bravely advancing to five or seven dollars for fine embroidered net. There are cheaper grades but they are not well made. Among recent showings there are some jabots made of fine lace handkerchiefs, set on to a plain high collar of batiste or organdie.

Julia Bottomley

Hints for Housewives.

A little salt rubbed on earthenware pudding dishes will take away brown spots.

A new clothesline, if boiled for a short time, will become tougher, will last longer, and will not tangle.

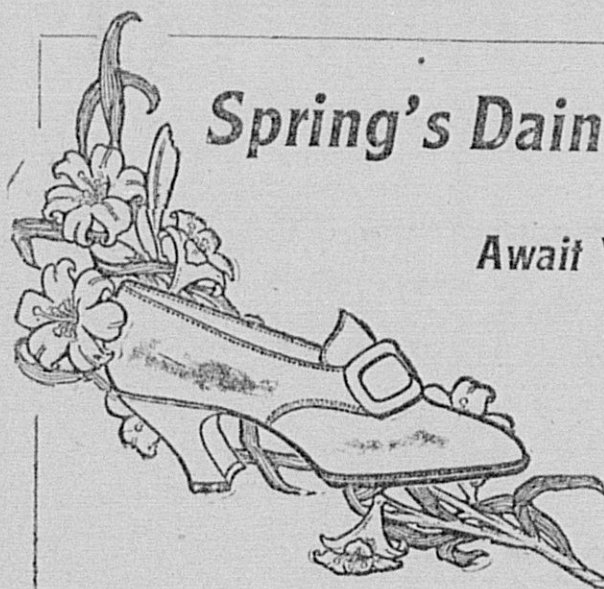
Renovate patent leather by rubbing with a linen cloth soaked in milk. To remove ink from white clothes, soak spot in sour milk, then wash as usual.

Remove fresh coffee stains by pouring boiling water through the fabric. Polish mirrors with a cloth soaked in alcohol, followed by a soft, dry cloth.

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Annual Report

Sylvan Township

To the Electors of the Township of Sylvan:
We herewith submit statement of receipts and disbursements of the Township of Sylvan for the fiscal year ending March 24, 1917:

CONTINGENT FUND
March 25, 1916, overdraft \$ 233.46
Receipts during year \$ 2903.72
Total expenditures during year 2809.14
March 24, 1917, overdraft 138.88
\$3042.60 \$3042.60

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT FUND
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 529.18
Receipts during year 4868.59
Total expenditures during year \$ 5396.15
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 454.68
\$5397.77 \$5397.77

ROAD REPAIR FUND
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 693.69
Receipts during year \$ 1208.17
Total expenditures during yr. \$ 1447.18
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 279.37
\$1901.86 \$1901.86

TOWN HALL FUND
March 25, 1916, overdraft \$ 114.64
Receipts during year \$ 32.00
Total expenditures during yr. 149.39
March 24, 1917, overdraft 232.03
\$ 264.03 \$ 264.03

DOG FUND
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 233.30
Receipts during year 71.09
Total expenditures during yr. \$ 24.93
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 279.37
\$ 304.30 \$ 304.30

POOR FUND
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 58.75
Receipts during year 441.00
Total expenditures during yr. \$ 442.45
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 57.30
\$ 499.75 \$ 499.75

SCHOOL DISTRICTS
No. 1 Fractional Lyndon and Waterloo—
Received during year \$ 21.50
Paid treasurer \$ 21.50
No. 2 Sylvan—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 459.43
Receipts during year 499.96
Paid treasurer \$ 808.07
March 24, 1917, balance 151.32
\$ 959.39 \$ 959.39

No. 3 Fractional Sylvan and Lima—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 7661.99
Receipts during year 14037.41
Paid treasurer \$18646.81
March 24, 1917, balance 3052.59
\$21699.40 \$21699.40

No. 4 Sylvan—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 329.67
Received during year 581.64
Paid treasurer \$ 557.31
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 354.00
\$ 911.31 \$ 911.31

No. 4 Fractional Sylvan and Lima—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 38
Received during year 48.52
Paid treasurer 48.90
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand \$ 48.90
\$ 48.90 \$ 48.90

No. 5 Fractional Sylvan and Sharon—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 108.30
Received during year 359.38
Paid treasurer \$ 334.06
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 133.62
\$ 467.68 \$ 467.68

No. 6 Sylvan and Waterloo—
Received during year \$ 5.81
Paid treasurer \$ 5.81
No. 6 Sylvan and Grass Lake—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 237.03
Received during year 540.01
Paid treasurer \$ 648.21
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 118.83
\$ 767.04 \$ 767.04

No. 7 Sylvan—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 296.45
Received during year 576.53
Paid treasurer \$ 516.53
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 296.45
\$ 812.98 \$ 812.98

No. 8 Fractional Sylvan and Lyndon—
Received during year \$ 121.42
Paid treasurer \$ 121.42
No. 10 Sylvan—
March 25, 1916, bal. on hand \$ 151.15
Received during year 587.14
Paid treasurer \$ 592.70
March 24, 1917, bal. on hand 145.59
\$ 738.29 \$ 738.29

No. 10 Fractional Sylvan and Lima—
Received during year \$ 217.48
Paid treasurer \$ 217.48

RECAPITULATION
Overdrawn Balance on hand
Contingent fund \$ 138.88
Highway Improvement fund \$ 1.62
Road Repair fund \$ 454.68
Town Hall fund \$ 232.03
Dog fund 279.37
Poor fund 57.30
School District No. 2 151.32
School District No. 3 Fr. 3052.59
School District No. 4 354.00
School District No. 5 133.62
School District No. 6 118.83
School District No. 7 296.45
School District No. 10 145.59
Total \$ 370.91 \$ 5045.37
Amount Overdrawn 370.91
Cash on hand March 24, 1917 \$ 4674.46
All of which is respectfully submitted.

FRED G. BROESAMLE,
Township Clerk.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

BALANCED MENU.

THURSDAY—BREAKFAST.
Malaga Grapes. Cooked Cereal.
Scrambled Eggs With Green Peppers on Toast.
Rye Muffins. Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Boatillon in Cups.
Quick Chicken Salad. Olives.
Baking Powder Biscuit.
Baked Apples.
DINNER.
Cream of Celery Soup.
Cold Sliced Lamb. Spiced Peaches.
Creamed Potatoes. String Beans.
Egg Salad.
Date Cottage Pudding. Hard Sauce.

Various Chowders.

PARSNIP CHOWDER.—Cut up three medium sized parsnips in quarter inch pieces, put on to boil in a quart of boiling water with a slice of bacon chopped fine after cooking twenty minutes. Pour into this a pint of scalded milk, salt and pepper to taste, also dash of celery salt. Make a thickening of two tablespoonsful of flour and one-half cupful of water. Let boil three minutes after putting in this. **Corn Chowder.**—Fry two slices of salt pork, in the fat of which fry until a light yellow two sliced onions; add boiling water and about three pints of sliced potatoes. Cook until potatoes are nearly done, then add one can of corn and one pint of milk; season with salt, pepper and small piece of butter; let boil up once or twice and set on back of stove to keep hot. Long cooking makes corn hard and tough. Serve oyster crackers with the chowder. You can make clam, oyster and fish chowder in the same way, using one pint of clams or oysters or two and one-half pounds of fresh cod or haddock. With the fish or clam chowder use common crackers, splitting and wetting them in cold water, before laying them over top of chowder, to soften.

Clam Chowder.—One can of clams and about six good sized potatoes; fry two or three slices of fat pork in a kettle, take out the pork and cut up a small onion; fry in the fat, but watch so it will not brown too much; chop the potatoes about like dice, also chop clams. After onions are fried put in a layer of potatoes, then one of clams, sprinkle pepper and salt, then cut up some of the pork into small pieces and put in, then another of potatoes and clams until all are used; then add the clam liquor and as much water as will more than cover them; cook twenty minutes or until potatoes are done. Just before serving add a pint of milk; let boil up and serve with crackers.

Vegetable Chowder.—Two cupfuls potatoes, two cupfuls carrots, two cupfuls onions, one cupful celery, two cupfuls milk, one cupful tomatoes, one teaspoonful butter, one teaspoonful flour, two teaspoonfuls finely cut parsley, one-eighth teaspoonful white pepper or paprika, one cupful bread croutons, one teaspoonful salt. Wash, pare and dice the carrots, put in saucepan and cover with boiling water, pare and cut onions and add at once. Boil thirty minutes and add potatoes, celery and tomatoes; boil until carrots are very tender (the water will have boiled down to three cupfuls), add the milk, butter and flour, which have been rubbed together; boil three minutes, add salt, pepper and parsley. Serve with bread croutons.

Anna Thompson

Cream of Split Pea Soup.

One cupful split peas, two and one-half quarts water, two tablespoonfuls chopped onion, three tablespoonfuls butter, three tablespoonfuls flour, one and one-half teaspoonfuls salt, one pint milk. Soak the peas overnight. Drain, add two and one-half quarts cold water and the onion. Cook slowly until soft, rub through a colander. Make a white sauce of the remaining ingredients and add to the pea pulp. Cook together five minutes.

Vegetable Chowder.

One and a half cupfuls sliced potatoes, one and a half cupfuls water, medium onion, one cupful stewed tomatoes, one cupful corn, one cupful milk or cream, one teaspoonful salt. Slice the onion and cook with the potatoes in boiling salted water. When tender add tomatoes and corn and bring to the boiling point. Heat the cream and milk and add to the vegetables just before serving. Serve hot over crackers.

Eggless White Cake.

One cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of shortening. Stir together two or three times two cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Add to above, alternately, with portions of one cupful of milk until all are added, beating well as each portion is added. Flavor with lemon or vanilla and beat all three minutes. Bake in hot oven.

Cocoa Frosting.

One cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of cocoa, one-fourth cupful of hot water. Boil frosting till it hairs, beat till it cracks and then spread.

We can not go wrong if we elect General John P. Kirk. Ask any of the boys who lived with him for nine months during the Spanish-American war, or any of the boys who lived with him for seven months down on the border. They will tell you, "Yes, by all means Yes."—Adv.

TORTURE IN TRIALS.

This Barbarous System Was Used in Europe For Centuries.

The use of torture in order to elicit information from persons accused of crime, barbarous as it is, was little practiced before mediaeval times. Under Greek and Roman law torture was only allowed upon slaves, though in the latter days of the empire it was employed against free citizens if they had been accused of treason to the emperor.

It seems to have become part of the law in Europe about the thirteenth century. From the fourteenth century downward torture was a part of the legal system of most European countries. The Italian municipalities used it to a very large extent. In Germany elaborate apparatus existed for its infliction in the dungeons of the feudal castles and in the town halls of the cities.

It was used in the prisons of Germany when the philanthropist Howard visited them in 1770. In France it was part of the law until abolished by the revolution, and in Scotland it was used until the reign of Queen Anne. The use of torture seems never to have been wholly sanctioned by the law of England, although it was used frequently by order of the king in the Tudor period. The royal council claimed the power of directing torture warrants against state prisoners in the tower, and under James I. and Charles I. torture was resorted to in state trials.—Chicago Herald.

AN OVERWORKED WORD.

This Writer Suggests That "Very" Be Given a Long Rest.

There is a word that once possessed a vigor and a power that is altogether lost. "Verily, verily"—"In truth, in truth." Now it is "very," and, though it still means "in truth," it has become so weakened by usage that it conveys no force whatever.

You meet men on the street and say, "It is a very fine day." What do you mean? Probably you mean, "How do you do?" What you have said is simply a salutation. But if you should say to me, "It is a fine day," you probably mean it is a fine day. That little word "very" has been so weakened, so frayed at the edges, that it harms rather than helps its companions.

So, gentle reader, I would say to you if I had arbitrary power over your speech, "This week I will allow you only two 'veries,'" and, though for a time such restraint may make you self-conscious, yet it will force you to grope about for musty treasures in the storehouse of your memory and furnish up old adjectives and adverbs, even drive you now and again to a careful appraisal of your best slang, and when this temporary self-consciousness shall pass not only your vigor of speech, but your exactitude and clarity of thought will be the better for it. That is a gain that will be worth all the sacrifice.—Burges Johnson in Century.

Do You Like Horehound?

Your grandfather did in the bygone days, when he was a little boy and his father did not mind how much he had, for it was considered "good for his system."

In Egypt the plant was called "bull's blood" and "eye of a star" and was one of those many plants that in those days were eaten to protect the person from poison.

Horehound, horseradish, coriander, lettuce and nettle are the five bitter herbs ordered to be eaten by the Jews at the feast of the Passover, and the first has had long service, as you can guess, for it is the seed of Horus—horehound—which the Egyptian priests dedicated to the god of that name, though nobody knows how it came to get the ending "hound."—Exchange.

Faalty of Partners.

A member of the New York supreme court, reproving a New York firm of architects for canceling an agreement, says, "Authorities unanimously agree that there is scarcely any relation in life which calls for more absolute good faith than the relation of partners." Also, "A purer and more elevated morality is demanded of partners than the common morality of the trade." The meaning is that an individual who transacts business for himself may look out solely for himself, while a partner must never consider his own advantage apart from that of his associates.—Exchange.

Spoiled His Speech.

"When I rose to speak it was so still in the hall you could have heard a pin drop."

"Yes?"

"Well, I stood there for a moment looking out over the audience and framing my first sentence, and I am sure that I should have been able to get along all right, but just before I had got ready to utter my first word some fool in the back end of the hall yelled, 'Londer!'"

Versatile.

"Do you know," she simpered, "you are the first real actor I ever met. It must be extremely interesting to act the parts created by the master dramatists like Shakespeare and—"

"Now you're talkin' kid," he broke in. "I just eat that Shakespeare stuff alive. Why, I played in Shakespeare's 'East Lynne' for two whole seasons, and part of the time I played a horn in the orchestra."—New York World.

Doing nothing is a lesson in doing ill.—German Proverb.

Ask any of the lawyers of Washtenaw county about John P. Kirk's ability, and they will tell you that it is O. K., and that he is experienced in the law.—Adv.

TO THE CITIZENS OF WASHTENAW COUNTY

The election to be held on Monday, April 2nd, is one of immense importance to the people of this county, because the office of Circuit Judge is to be filled.

In a county like ours, where the courts are the chief guardians of law and order, no local office compares in power and influence with the office of Circuit Judge. There is not a man, woman or child in the county whose security and protection are not dependent on the integrity and fearlessness of the judge who sits in the Circuit Court. The selection of such an officer is a matter of such serious concern that political partisanship should have nothing to do with it.

The Circuit Judge should be a good lawyer, but he must be much more than that. He must be a man of high character, a man of broad public spirit, and a man who is fair-minded and free from prejudices. Many a good lawyer is a bad judge, for a strong partisan is not fitted for the delicate and difficult task of doing exact justice between parties.

George W. Sample is an attorney of excellent training and of ripe experience. He is a graduate of the Law Department of our own University, and has successfully practiced his profession in this county for fifteen years. He is respected and trusted by all who know him as a man of solid character and high ideals. He already has a notable record in the public service, for his work as a member and president of the Ann Arbor school board has shown his capacity and faithfulness as a trustee of the people. While he is a man of convictions, he has never been a narrow partisan, but has always maintained a fair and open-minded attitude toward those who did not agree with him. He has never been associated with persons or interests hostile to the welfare of the public, and as a judge he would be free from entangling alliances affecting his attitude toward public questions brought before his court. He would be a judge to whom anyone could freely go for help and council, and from whom everyone in the county, whether high or low, would obtain a sympathetic hearing and full and equal justice.

We, therefore, ask you to support Mr. Sample, not as a favor to him, but as an act of service to the community in which we live. We do this in the interest of no party, but because of our strong personal belief that he is the candidate best fitted for the office.

Very truly yours,

Henry Bates, Ann Arbor
Max A. Blaess, Saline
F. N. Barker, Whitmore Lake
T. B. Bailey, Manchester
Geo. Burkhardt, Saline
Geo. Cahill, Rushton
C. A. Curtiss, Saline
L. D. Carr, Ann Arbor
Chas. Cool, Saline
Geo. Close, Whitmore Lake
Geo. V. Cook, Saline
F. J. Davidson, Ann Arbor
Joseph H. Drake, Ann Arbor
A. F. Freeman, Ann Arbor
W. M. Fowler, Saline
Ira M. Fischer, Whitmore Lake
R. L. Finch, Saline
Thos. J. Farrell, Manchester
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Edwin C. Goddard, Ann Arbor
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W. S. Morden, Saline
W. L. Nissle, Saline
C. Julius Nimke, Ann Arbor
H. W. Rentchler, Saline
Frank Roper, Whitmore Lake
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W. L. Sledge, Ann Arbor
Perry Townsend, Ypsilanti
F. A. Tinker, Ann Arbor
Jos. Todd, Whitmore Lake
Gardner Williams, Ann Arbor
C. H. Wittbracht, Saline
F. W. Wilkinson, Ann Arbor
L. D. Wines, Ann Arbor
O. C. Wheeler, Saline
A. A. Wood, Saline
J. B. Wallace, Saline
J. J. Wolpert, Whitmore Lake
Geo. S. Vandawarker, Ann Arbor

Walter F. Kandlehner

CANDIDATE ON REPUBLICAN
TICKET FOR

Sylvan Township Treasurer

Your vote will be appreciated Monday, April 2nd, 1917

Frederick G. Broesamle

Republican Candidate
for

Township Clerk

(SECOND TERM)

Respectfully Solicits Your Vote at the Polls.

J. Edward McKune

Candidate on the Democratic
Ticket for

Township Treasurer

A vote on Monday, April 2d, will be appreciated

William Bacon

Candidate on the Republican
Ticket for

County Auditor

A [x] in front of my name will be appreciated.

HE WAS AN ARTIST.

And Made a Caricature of His Boss and Lost His Job.

A. T. Stewart was shown one day by one of his confidential employees an amusing caricature of himself done in pencil.

"Good, good!" he laughed. "That's excellent. Who did it?"
"A young salesman at the linen counter. He scratched it off as you passed the other morning. I managed to get it from him, and now he's scared stiff for fear you'll see it," was the laughing reply.

"Scared stiff, is he?" said Mr. Stewart, with a twinkle in his eye. "Just send him to me, will you?"

A little later a slim youth entered Mr. Stewart's private office and said he understood he had been sent for.

"Yes," said Mr. Stewart gravely and, holding up the sketch, asked, "Did you do this?"

The lad grew pale and stammered: "I beg your pardon, sir. It was only a bit of fun. I meant no offense."

"That's all very well, but you'll have to give up your job here."
The youth humbly protested, when Mr. Stewart burst out laughing and said: "Don't say any more, my boy. I'm only joking. Your sketch was excellent, and as it would be a sin to keep a man of your artistic talent behind a linen counter I propose to supply you with the means to study art."

Mr. Stewart's proposition was gratefully accepted, and it was thus that John R. Rogers, the sculptor, began his artistic career.

HE WHO CONQUERS FATE.

I like the man who faces what he must
With step triumphant and a heart of cheer,
Who fights the daily battle without fear;
Who sees his hopes fall, yet keeps unfaltering trust
That God is God, that somehow, true and just,
His plans work out for mortals.
Not a fear
Is shed when fortune, which the world holds dear,
Falls from his grasp. Better, with love, a crust
Than living in dishonor; envies not
Nor loses faith in men, but does his best
Nor ever murmurs at his humbler lot.
But, with a smile and words of hope, gives zest
To every toiler. He alone is great
Who by a life heroic conquers fate.
—Sarah Knowles Bolton.

Don't forget John P. Kirk next Monday, he is running for Circuit Judge.—Adv.

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Paints King by Proxy.
King Alfonso of Spain, absorbed by his occupation, has been unable to give the necessary number of sittings to Carlo Vasquez, who is engaged in painting the monarch's portrait. Senor Vasquez, however, has solved the difficulty. No matter what time one visits his studio the king can be seen there sitting in a familiar pose in the uniform of a colonel of infantry.

If one examines the sovereign attentively it can be seen that he retains his immovability—it is a wax figure which represents him. The figure and attitude of Alfonso have been exactly copied and he will have to pose only for the face and hands.

In Boston.
"Now," said a Boston school teacher to her class in English, "can anyone give me a word ending in 'ous', meaning full of, 'dangerous', full of danger and 'hazardous', full of hazard?" For a moment there was a dead silence. Then a small boy raised his hand.

"Well," queried the teacher, "what is your word?"
Then came the reply: "Pious, full of pie!"—Tit-Bits.

Supply Depot.
"Wombat seems to be getting rich fast. What's he up to?"
"I believe he's running a service station for fountain pens."

One squeeze finishes a lemon, but it only gets a girl interested.

Have You Ever Suspected
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ALL WERE BUILT AND OWNED AND MANNED LARGELY BY AMERICAN CITIZENS.

TWENTY-TWO MEN MISSING

Unofficially Admitted That Acts Virtually Place U. S. in a State of War.

Washington—Three American steamships have been sunk by German submarines. Twenty-two of their men, most of them American citizens, were missing.

The vessels sunk were the City of Memphis, Illinois and Vigilance. The members of the crew of the Illinois have been landed without loss of life.

Of the three ships destroyed, two of them were unloaded and homeward bound, and all were American built, American owned and officered and manned largely by American citizens. Meager dispatches indicate that all were sunk with complete disregard for the safety of those on board, and that some of the members of the crew may have been lost.

With the announcement of the ruthless destruction of three unarmed American merchant ships by submarines, it was unofficially admitted that virtually a state of war exists between the United States and Germany.

Technically, the United States remains in a position of armed neutrality. Whether it shall be changed April 16, the date fixed for a special session of congress, the war-making branch of the government, President Wilson has not decided.

International lawyers and constitutional experts showed no hesitancy in saying that President Wilson has full authority to interpret this as an act of war, and announce that this country considers that an actual state of war exists by reason of Germany's flagrant assault on American shipping.

All of the conditions outlined by the president in his message announcing the diplomatic break with Germany as leading to a state of armed neutrality have now been fulfilled. The "overt act," described by him before, has actually come.

FRENCH PREMIER OUSTED



ARTISTIDE BRIAND.

Paris—The French cabinet, headed by Premier Briand, has resigned.

The Briand ministry had been attacked in the French parliament repeatedly during the last few weeks on account of its economic policy.

It succeeded the Viviani cabinet in October, 1915, and was reorganized last December 12, when the number of ministerial portfolios was decreased and a war council appointed.

The war council included Premier Briand, M. Ribot, minister of Finance; General Lyauty, minister of war; Rear Admiral Lacaze, minister of marine, and M. Thomas, minister of national manufactures. Aristide Briand was premier during most of 1909, 1910 and again for two months in 1913.

Kalamazoo—The States Motor company, of this city, will be reorganized with an authorized capital of \$5,000,000.

Eaton Rapids—Mrs. Silas N. Carter, 78 years old, died at her home, southwest of this city. She was the second child born in Brookfield township.

Reed City—Lightning played a queer prank at the home of Mrs. John Melster. A bolt of lightning entered the roof of the house without leaving an opening from the outside and circled a picture on one of the walls, melting the frame and wires on the picture. No other trace of the bolt was left except a small hole in the ceiling.

STATE NEWS

Flint—Mrs. Bessie Swartz, of Whitville, a few miles south of here, was fatally burned by the explosion of a coal stove. The explosion set fire to her clothing, which was entirely burned from her body. She ran out of the house with her clothing ablaze, and neighbors came to her assistance, and after extinguishing the fire, took her to a local hospital.

Charlevoix—The Michigan hotel sustained heavy damage from the third fire in this hotel in two years.

Cadillac—John Bush, 14 years old, was sent to the Industrial School for Boys at Lansing for refusing to get up in time for school.

Saginaw—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the Saginaw branch plant of Wilson & Co., meat packers, with a loss estimated at \$125,000.

Tecumseh—John Shoup, who conducts a jewelry store here, has a clock more than 100 years old which is ticking the minutes today as lustily and accurately as it did a century ago.

Chelsea—While looking through a diary of his father's, C. W. Davids ran across the following entry: "Took 112 bushels of wheat to town today for which I received \$315." The entry was made April 15, 1868.

Grand Rapids—When two gunmen entered the saloon of Tom Devileger and poked revolvers into Devileger's face and demanded his money, Devileger dropped behind the bar, crept to the front door and yelled. The gunmen escaped.

Hillsdale—Three days after celebrating his sixty-second wedding anniversary, Mrs. Sarah Green, 80 years old, died.

Howell—Citizens will vote on the question of bonding the city for a \$100,000 school building at the April election.

Marshall—Farmers decided to organize a Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co., to be capitalized at \$40,000, at a meeting of Calhoun county Gleaners.

Adrian—Dr. F. A. Perry, who was criticized for appearing in his pulpit in khaki, answered his critics by saying religion and patriotism go hand in hand.

Albion—William Squires, of this city, and four Chicago men made a business of stealing automobiles in Michigan cities and selling them in Chicago, he told the police.

Kalamazoo—Mrs. Mary Schultz located here husband, James B. Schultz, who disappeared 14 years ago, in the Kalamazoo State hospital, where he was near death.

Bay City—Roy O. Woodruff, former congressman from the Tenth district, has received a letter from Col. Theodore Roosevelt that his offer to raise a Michigan regiment in case of war has been accepted.

Capac—George Ostrander, 48 years old, a farmer, was killed when the wagon he was riding in tipped over and pinned him underneath the box. He was found dead on a road about four miles from Capac by two boys.

Romeo—The village of Romeo was voted dry by five majority. The vote was 233 for the dries and 228 for the wets.

Saginaw—More than 50 persons were turned away at the "follow-up" tuberculosis clinic here, as the physicians were scheduled to go to another city.

Zeeland—John Summer Dorr paid a fine of \$8.55 for hitting Richard Scholten, of Jamestown, who in turn paid a \$6.15 fine for using indecent language to Dorr.

Cadillac—Streams in northern Michigan are being stocked with brook trout fry by sportsmen. In Clare county alone 100,000 fry were planted. Sportsmen's associations in Wexford, Oseola, and Missaukee counties will do likewise. The practice is to be continued each year.

Jackson—George Miller, Negro, serving a life sentence at Jackson prison, took French leave from the prison. Miller was a trusty and was employed as gate-keeper in the front office. He was sentenced from Detroit, May 29, 1914, for robbery while armed.

Ludington—A canoe every 20 minutes will be the capacity of a new boat manufacturing company which has been organized at Ludington. The canoes will be of standard size and shape, 15 feet long and weighing 50 pounds. They will be manufactured according to a secret process invented by Henry Haskell, and will be of three-ply veneer, the outer skins of California redwood. They are to be pressed together by a veneer press weighing 60,000 pounds and capable of putting on a squeeze of 500 tons.

Ann Arbor—University students have taken action to organize a co-operative store here.

Monroe—George Newhouse, Frank Orens and Hans Strober, while taking a walk, reached the shore of Lake Erie at the end of La Plaisance street. Here a north wind blew off Newhouse's hat, it is said, upon the ice and the party started to pursue it. It was a long chase and when the hat was recaptured the party found itself opposite Toledo beach, five miles from Monroe, and had to walk back, making altogether a distance of 10 miles.

MICHIGAN OWNERS OF AUTOMOBILES

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The farmer of the state as well as the lawyer and banker feels the need of keeping his automobile insured against the damage claims and suits together with fire and theft.

When the farmers began to buy automobiles they found that with the increased number, accidents would often occur in which some person would be injured, a horse would become frightened, running away and injuring the driver, etc. Damage claims were brought entailing the expense of defending a lawsuit or paying a large judgment, possibly \$5,000. This condition has created a demand. Michigan is the only state that has a large mutual insurance company protecting against fire, theft, and liability and its rapid growth and success is being watched by other states.

The cost in stock companies for this insurance has been about \$50 per year, but on the mutual plan with a large membership it is estimated that the cost is about 2 cents per day.

A man who is able to own an automobile is willing to lay aside a few dollars each year to protect this car against fire and theft and the accumulations of years from damage suits.

The past week an automobile was stolen from Arthur Sine, a farmer near Springport; another one was stolen from the barn from David Lalliane, Romulus; a car burned on a farm near Jonesville, and another one near Frankenthum. In every paper you read of damages done by automobile owners to person and property.

As only about 4% die leaving an estate of over \$1,000 but few are able to stand heavy losses without protection; that is reason that 17,000 policies have been issued by the Citizens' Mutual Automobile Insurance Company of Howell.

The cost is \$1.00 for policy plus 25 cents per H. P. to join.

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Write William E. Robb, Secretary, Howell, Mich.—Advertisement.

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CZAR OF RUSSIA IS OUSTED BY REBELS

DUMA ORDERED DISSOLVED BY EMPEROR JOINS HANDS WITH REVOLUTION.

CZARS BROTHER IS REGENT

Trouble Which Has Been Brewing for Long Time Said to Have Been Caused by Pro-Germans.

Petrograd—Czar Nicholas II, emperor of Russia, has been abdicated. Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, his younger brother, has been named as regent. The emperor has been placed under guard.

The Russian ministry, charged with corruption and incompetence, has been swept out of office. One minister, Alexander Protopopoff, head of the interior department, is reported to have been killed. Other ministers, as well as the president of the imperial council, are under arrest.

A new national cabinet is announced, with Prince Lvoff as president of the council and premier. Other offices are held by men close to the Russian people.

Thus does the duma win its historic-making struggle against the empire's autocracy, accused of pro-German leanings. Victory, however, came not without bloodshed, but only after three days of battles between armed forces of the reactionaries and the new regime. Casualties numbered about 500. Shops and houses of suspected pro-Germans were burned.

Moscow joined the revolution without bloodshed. That city was followed quickly by the garrisons at Kharkov and the seaport fortress of Kronstadt.

Too late, the emperor hastened back from the front, only to find that the revolution had been successful and that a new government was in control.

Russia's new regent—Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch—is a younger brother of the retiring emperor. Born December 4, 1878, he is 29 years of age. The regency is pending the majority of Alexis, the Czarovitch, 13 years of age, born August 12, 1904.

One of the first acts of the revolutionaries, after obtaining control of the government, was to order the arrest of former Premier M. Sturmer and Premier Golitzine, who are in custody, together with the head of the secret police. The revolutionaries are governing the country by issuing decrees. These mandates are enforced by the army.

The duma joined hands with the revolution, on being dissolved by the emperor, and declared the existing government had been overthrown. Then the duma resumed its sittings, after it had sent to the emperor notification of developments, warning him that the fate of the dynasty depends on his acceptance of the new order of affairs.

All the ministers resigned with the exception of M. Protopopoff. The jails were thrown open. The headquarters of the secret police and several government buildings were burned.

Strict military rule prevails. The army has the situation so well in hand it is not expected adherents of the late government will be able to offer any serious resistance, even in remote provinces.

The government of Petrograd is in the hands of a committee consisting of representatives of the duma the zemstvos and municipalities, presided over by President Rodzianko of the duma.

The British and French ambassadors established official business relations with the executive committee of the duma.

Events leading up to the revolution began with street demonstrations of workmen, who quit work as a protest against the shortage of bread. The first two days mounted patrols kept the crowds moving without resorting to violence.

When ordered to fire on the people, they refused. Police were substituted and a battle occurred between them and the troops. Regiment after regiment joined the rebels, seizing arsenals and other strategic points.

The duma was dissolved by imperial order, effective March 11, the imperial ukase reading as follows:

"Sittings of the duma are adjourned owing to extraordinary circumstances until further notice. They will be resumed not later than April."

The order dissolving the duma was issued by the emperor just before he left for the front recently. That trouble would result was evidently anticipated and the residents of Tsarok-Selow were warned to make all arrangements to remain in the suburb for an indefinite period and the roads leading to the town were guarded.

Jackson—The prison pardon board at the March meeting received 41 applications for pardon and parole. There are 1,979 prisoners, the most confined here at one time.

Charlotte—Dr. A. W. Hutchins, pastor of the Congregational church here, resigned to go on the Chautauqua platform. Dr. Hutchins gave a motion picture show in his church every Sunday night and established a state record in the increase of membership.

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"I am a railroad engineer; about 20 years ago my leg was seriously injured in an accident out West. Upon my refusing to allow the doctor to amputate it I was told it would be impossible to heal the wound. I have tried all kinds of salves and had many doctors in the past 20 years, but to no avail. Finally I resolved to use PETERSON'S OINTMENT on my leg. You cannot imagine my astonishment when I found it was doing what over 100 things had failed to do. My leg is now completely cured."—Gus Hauff, 70 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Pneumatic boxing gloves have been invented by a Philadelphia sporting man.

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Died of Premature Old Age!
(BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.)

How many times we hear of comparatively young persons passing away when they should have lived to be 70 or 80 years of age. This fatal work is usually attributed to the kidneys, as when the kidneys degenerate, it causes auto-intoxication. The more injurious poisons passing through the kidneys, the quicker will those noble organs be degenerated, and the sooner they decay.

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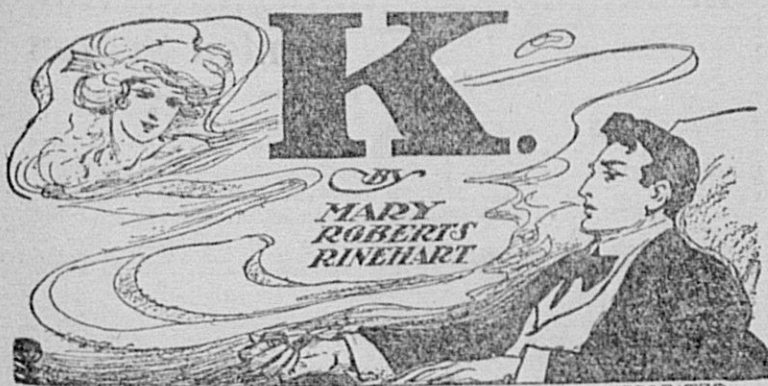
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CHAPTER XXII—Continued.

"Did you ever hear of Edwardes, the surgeon?—the Edwardes operation, you know. Well, he's here. It sounds like a miracle. They found him sitting on a bench in the hall downstairs."

Sidney raised her head, but she could not see the miraculously found Edwardes. She could see the familiar faces of the staff, and that other face on the pillow, and—she gave a little cry. There was K! How like him to be there, to be wherever anyone was in trouble! Tears came to her eyes—the first tears she had shed.

As if her eyes had called him, he looked up and saw her. He came toward her at once. The staff stood back to let him pass, and gazed after him. The wonder of what had happened was growing on them.

K stood beside Sidney, and looked down at her. Just at first it seemed as if he found nothing to say. Then: "There's just a chance, Sidney, dear. Don't count too much on it. If you will wait somewhere near, I'll see that you have immediate word."

"I am going to the operating room."

"Not to the operating room. Somewhere near."

His steady voice controlled her hysteria. But she resented it. She was not herself, of course, what with strain and weariness.

"I shall ask Doctor Edwardes."

He was puzzled for a moment. Then he understood. After all, it was as well. The thing that really mattered was that he must try to save Wilson for her. If he failed, she might hate him the rest of her life—not for himself but for his failure. Whichever way things went, he must lose.

"Doctor Edwardes says you are to stay away from the operation, but to remain near. He—he promises to call you if—things go wrong."

She had to be content with that. Nothing about that night was real to Sidney. She sat in the anesthetizing room, and after a time she knew that she was not alone. There was somebody else. She realized dully that Carlotta was there, too, pacing up and down the little room. She was never sure, for instance, whether she imagined it, or whether Carlotta really stopped before her and surveyed her with burning eyes.

"So you thought he was going to marry you?" said Carlotta—or the dream. "Well, you see he isn't."

Sidney tried to answer, and failed—or that was the way the dream went.

"If you had enough character, I'd think you did it. How do I know you didn't follow us, and shoot him as he left the room?"

It must have been reality after all; for Sidney's numbed mind grasped the essential fact here, and held on to it. He had been out with Carlotta. He had promised—sworn that this should not happen. It had happened. It surprised her. It seemed as if nothing more could hurt her.

In the movement to and from the operating room, the door stood open for a moment. A tall figure—how much it looked like K!—straightened and held out something in his hand.

"The bullet!" said Carlotta in a whisper.

Then more waiting, a stir of movement in the room beyond the closed door. Carlotta was standing, her face buried in her hands, against the door. Sidney suddenly felt sorry for her. She cared a great deal. It must be tragic to care like that! She herself was not caring much; she was too numb.

The city still slept, but the torturing night was over. And in the gray dawn the staff, looking gray, too, and elderly and weary, came out through the closed door and took their hushed way toward the elevator. They were talking among themselves. Sidney, straining her ears, gathered that they had seen a miracle, and that the wonder was still on them.

Carlotta followed them out.

Almost on their heels came K. He was in the white coat, and more and more he looked like the man who had raised up from his work and held out something in his hand. Sidney's head was aching and confused. The tall man—or was it K?—looked at her, and then reached up and turned off the electric light. When the light was out everything was gray. She could not see. She slid very quietly out of her chair, and lay at his feet in a dead faint.

K carried her to the elevator. He held her as he had held her that day at the park when she fell in the river, very carefully, tenderly, as one holds something infinitely precious. Not until he had placed her on her bed did she open her eyes. But she was conscious before that. She was so tired, and to be carried like that, in strong arms, not knowing where one was going, or caring—

The nurse he had summoned hustled out for aromatic ammonia. Sidney, lying among her pillows, looked up at K.

"How is he?"

"A little better. There's a chance, dear."

"I have been so mixed up. All the

time I was sitting waiting, I kept thinking it was you who were operating! Will he really get well?"

"It looks promising."

"I should like to thank Doctor Edwardes."

The nurse was a long time getting the ammonia. But something had happened to K, that savored of the marvelous. His faith in himself was coming back—not strongly, with a rush, but with all humility. He had been loath to take up the burden; but now that he had it, he breathed a sort of inarticulate prayer to be able to carry it.

Sidney held out her hand to him. "What should I do without you, K?" she asked wistfully.

"All you have to do is to want me."

His voice was not too steady, and he took her pulse in a most business-like way to distract her attention from it. But, as he rose from the chair beside her low bed, she put out her hand to him.

"K."

"Yes, dear."

"He was out with Carlotta. He promised, and he broke his promise."

"There may have been reasons. Suppose we wait until he can explain."

"How can he explain?" And, when he hesitated: "I bring all my troubles to you, as if you had none. Somehow, I can't go to Aunt Harriet, and of course mother—Carlotta cares a great deal for him. She said that I shot him. Does anyone really think that?"

"Of course not. Please stop thinking."

She stirred restlessly.

"What time is it?"

"Half-past six."

"I must get up and go on duty."

He was glad to be stern with her. He forbade her rising. When the nurse came in with the belated ammonia, she found K, making an arbitrary ruling, and Sidney looking up at him mutinously.

"Miss Page is not to go on duty today. She is to stay in bed until further orders."

"Very well, Doctor Edwardes."

The confusion in Sidney's mind cleared away suddenly. K was Doctor Edwardes! It was K, who had performed the miracle operation—K, who had dared and perhaps won! Dear K, with his steady eyes and his long surgeon's fingers! Then, because she seemed to see ahead as well as back into the past in that flash that comes to the drowning and to those recovering from shock, and because she knew that now the little house would no longer be home to K, she turned her face into her pillow and cried. Her world had fallen, indeed. Her lover was not true, and might be dying; her friend would go away to his own world, which was not the Street.

K left her at last and went back to his room. Inaction was telling on him. If Max would only open his eyes, so he could tell him what had been in his mind all these years—his pride in him, and all that.

With a sort of belated desire to make up for where he had failed, he

put the bag that had been Max's bete noire on the bedside table, and began to clear it of rubbish—odd bits of dirty cotton, the tubing from a long-defunct stethoscope, glass from a broken bottle, a scrap of paper on which was a memorandum, in his illegible writing, to send Max a check for his graduating suit. When K came in, he had the old dog collar in his hand. "Belonged to an old collie of ours," he said heavily. "Milkman ran over him and killed him. Max chased the wagon and licked the driver with his own whip."

His face worked.

"Very Well, Doctor Edwardes."

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"Poor old Bobby Burns!" he said. "We'd raised him from a pup. Got him in a grape basket."

The sick man opened his eyes.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Max had rallied well, and things looked bright for him. His patient did not need him, but K. was anxious to find Joe; so he telephoned the gas office and got a day off.

For the present, at least, K's revealed identity was safe. Hospitals keep their secrets well. And it is doubtful if the Street would have been greatly concerned even had it known. It had never heard of Edwardes, of the Edwardes clinic, or the Edwardes operation. Its medical knowledge comprised the two Wilsons and the osteopath around the corner.

When, as would happen soon, it learned of Max Wilson's injury, it would be more concerned with his chances of recovery than with the manner of it. That was as it should be.

But Joe's affair with Sidney had been the talk of the neighborhood. If the boy disappeared, a scandal would be inevitable. Twenty people had seen him at Schwitt's and would know him again.

To save Joe, then, was K's first care.

At first it seemed as if the boy had frustrated him. He had not been home all night. Christine, waylaying K. in the little hall, told him that.

"Mrs. Drummond was here," she said. "She is almost frantic. She says Joe has not been home all night. She says he looks up to you, and she thought if you could find him and would talk to him—"

"Joe was with me last night. We had supper at the White Springs hotel. Tell Mrs. Drummond he was in good spirits, and that she's not to worry. I feel sure she will hear from him today. Something went wrong with his car, perhaps, after he left me."

He bathed and shaved hurriedly. Katie brought his coffee to his room, and he drank it standing. As he went down the Street, he saw Mrs. McKee in her doorway, with a little knot of people around her. The Street was getting the night's news.

He rented a car at a local garage, and drove himself out into the country. He was not minded to have any eyes on him that day. He went to Schwitt's first. Schwitt himself was not in sight. Bill, the bartender, was scrubbing the porch, and a farmhand was gathering bottles from the grass into a box. The dead lanterns swung in the morning air, and from back on the hill came the staccato sounds of a reaping machine.

"Where's Schwitt?"

"At the barn," Bill grinned. He recognized K., and mopping dry a part of the porch, showed a chair on it.

"Sit down. Well, how's the man who got his last night? Dead?"

"No."

"County detectives were here bright and early. After the lady's husband. I guess we lose our license over this."

"Bill, did you see the man who fired that shot last night?"

A sort of haze came over Bill's face, as if he had dropped a curtain before his eyes. But his reply came promptly: "Surest thing in the world. Close to him as you are to me. Dark man, about thirty, small mustache—"

"Bill, you're lying, and I know it. Where is he?"

The barkeeper kept his head, but his color changed.

"I don't know anything about him."

He thrust his mop into the pail. K. rose. The farmhand had filled his box and disappeared around the corner of the house. K. put his hand on Bill's shirt-sleeved arm.

"We've got to get him away from here, Bill. The county men may come back to search the premises."

"How do I know you aren't one of them?"

"I guess you know I'm not. He's a friend of mine. As a matter of fact, I followed him here; but I was too late. Did he take the revolver away with him?"

"I took it from him. It's under the bar."

"Get it for me."

From inside the bar Bill took a careful survey of Le Moyne. He noted his tall figure and shabby suit, the slight stoop, the hair graying over his ears. Barkeepers know men: that's part of the job. After his survey he went behind the bar and got the revolver from under an overturned pail.

K. thrust it into his pocket.

"Now," he said quietly, "where is he?"

"In my room—top of the house."

K. followed Bill up the stairs down which he had carried Wilson's unconscious figure. The room under the eaves was stifling. An unmade bed stood in a corner. Joe was sitting in the corner farthest from the window. When the door swung open, he looked up. He showed no interest in seeing K., who had to stoop to enter the low room.

"Hello, Joe."

"I thought you were the police. Is he dead?"

"No, indeed."

"I wish I'd killed him!"

"Oh, no, you don't. You're glad you didn't, and so am I."

"Huh!"

K. sat down on the bed. Loud calls from below took Bill out of the room. As he closed the door behind him, K.'s voice took on a new tone:

"Joe, why did you do it?"

"You know. Don't go into that, I did it, and I'll stand by it."

"ing out of it. I'd do it again if I had a chance, and do it better."

"It was not Sidney."

"Aw, chuck it!"

"It's a fact. I got here not two minutes after you left. The girl was still there. It was someone else. Sidney was not out of the hospital last night. She attended a lecture, and then an operation."

Joe listened. It was undoubtedly a relief to him to know that it had not been Sidney; but if K. expected any remorse, he did not get it.

"If he is that sort, he deserves what he got," said the boy grimly.

And K. had no reply. But Joe was glad to talk. K. got it by degrees—his mad flight into the darkness, until his gasoline gave out; his resolve to walk back and surrender himself at Schwitt's, so that there could be no mistake as to who had committed the crime.

"I intended to write a confession and then shoot myself," he told K. "But



the barkeeper got my gun out of my pocket. And—"

After a pause: "Does she know who did it?"

"Sidney? No."

"Then, if he gets better, she'll marry him anyhow."

"Possibly. That's not up to us, Joe. The thing we've got to do is to hush this thing up, and get you away."

"I'd go to Cuba, but I haven't the money."

K. rose. "I think I can get it."

He turned in the doorway.

"Sidney need never know who did it."

"I'm not ashamed of it." But his face showed relief.

There are times when some cataclysm tears down the walls of reserve between men. That time had come for Joe, and to a lesser extent for K. The boy rose and followed him to the door.

"Why don't you tell her the whole thing?—the whole filthy story?" he asked. "She'd never look at him again. You're crazy about her. I haven't got a chance. It would give you one."

"I want her, God knows!" said K. "But not that way, boy."

The five thousand dollar check from Mr. Lorenz had saved Palmer Howe's credit. On the strength of the deposit he borrowed money at the bank with which he meant to pay his bills, arrears at the University and Country clubs, a hundred dollars lost throwing

aces with poker dice, and various small obligations of Christine's.

The immediate result of the money was good. He drank nothing for a week, went into the details of the new venture with Christine's father, sat at home with Christine on her balcony in the evenings. With the knowledge that he could pay his debts, he postponed the day. He liked the feeling of a bank account in four figures.

Christine had been making a fight, although her heart was only half in it. She was resolutely good-humored, ignored the past, dressed for Palmer in the things he liked. They still took their dinners at the Lorenz house up the street. When she saw that the haphazard table service there irritated him, she coaxed her mother into getting a butler.

The Street sniffed at the butler behind his satey back. Secretly and in its heart, it was proud of him. With a half-dozen automobiles, and Christine Howe putting on low neck in the evenings, and now a butler, not to mention Harriet Kennedy's Mimi, it ceased to pride itself on its commonplace, ignorant of the fact that in its very lack of affectation had lain its charm.

On the night that Joe shot Max Wilson, Palmer was noticeably restless. He had seen Grace Irving that day for the first time, but once, since the motor accident. The girl had a strange fascination for him. The sight of her walking sedately along in her shop-girl's black dress had been enough to set his pulses racing. When he saw that she meant to pass him, he fell into step beside her.

"I believe you were going to cut me! Still in the store?"

"Yes." And, after a second's hesitation: "I'm keeping straight, too."

"(TO BE CONTINUED.)"

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Notice of Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Benjamin H. Glenn and Minnie L. Glenn of the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, to Harmon S. Holmes, of the same place, dated the eighteenth day of September, 1912, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan in Liber 125 of Mortgages on page 418 and on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of one hundred thirty dollars and twenty eight cents (\$130.28) and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars as provided in said mortgage and by law, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statutes in such case made and provided, on Wednesday, the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the undersigned will, at the south front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Washtenaw is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the south line of the Michigan Central Railroad company's right of way, thirteen chains and forty nine and two thirds links east of the center of the Kelly Road and running thence southwardly at right angles with the south line of said right of way one chain and seventy two links; thence eastwardly parallel with Middle street one chain and ten links to said railroad company's lands; thence north one degree west to intersect said company's south line; thence westwardly along said company's south line to the place of beginning. Excepting and reserving a strip of land four rods wide east and west off from the entire west side of the above described parcel of land. Also excepting and reserving a strip off from the south end thereof twenty feet wide north and south, being a part of lots 62 and 63 in block five original plat of the Village of Chelsea and a part of lot one, block one, J. M. Congdon's first addition to the said Village of Chelsea, all in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan.

Dated February 14th, 1917.

HARMON S. HOLMES,
Mortgagee.

H. D. Witherell,
Attorney for Mortgagee. 46F13

GREGORY

Mrs. L. M. Harris is spending a week with relatives in Detroit.

Miss Margaret Kuhn left for her school at Monroe, last Thursday. Messrs. Howlett and Collins were in Chelsea on business Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Chapman is making an extended visit with relatives in Jackson.

Mrs. E. W. Caldwell of Ann Arbor spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Denton.

Mrs. E. V. Howlett and sons of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives in Gregory.

Miss Dorothy Budd visited Miss Nina Whitney of Stockbridge two days last week.

Miss Daisy Howlett returned Monday to Cleveland, Ohio, where she is attending school.

Miss Mae Bullis visited Mrs. Nettie Whitaker of Stockbridge, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitehead moved onto the Henry Howlett farm, east of town, last week.

Miss Florence Collins of Pontiac is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins.

Mrs. Anna Moore left last Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Ball of Manitow Beach.

Miss Ruth Watson visited the Misses Marion and Florence Topping of Stockbridge, last week, and attended the play, "Deacon Dubbs."

Arthur Mitchell, who was taken to the sanitarium at Pinckney about ten days ago for an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be slowly improving.

The spelling contest which has been going on among the pupils of Glen Marlatt's room, for several months, was won by the Gold side, and last Wednesday afternoon the pupils of the losing side gave a banquet for the winners.

James Stackable went to Jackson last Friday night, and on Saturday came home with his wife, who has been at the Mercy hospital for several weeks. She was much improved, and with care she will be able to be around again in a few weeks, which is good news to all.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP

Several farmers started plowing Monday.

Thomas Guinan is spending a couple of weeks on his farm, fixing fences and trimming trees.

The township board has appointed Robert Gardner, the democratic nominee for township clerk, to fill the vacancy caused by Otto Paul, the former clerk, moving to Dexter village.

Ralph McNeil spent the week-end at his farm.

Fred Winkelman is moving from the Lyman farm into Jackson county onto what is known as the Snyder farm.

Thomas Leonard has moved back to his old farm near Dover and William Dixon of Pinckney has taken possession of the Thomas Wall farm, vacated by him.

The Wetzel brothers have purchased a tractor with a two-bottom plow. Sheep shearing has begun in this section.

EVERY-CARPENTER.

Miss Lucile Avery and Mr. Leo Carpenter, both of Jonesville, were married Saturday afternoon, March 24th, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Carpenter, Garfield and Summit streets, Rev. Dierberger officiating. They will make their home on a farm near Jonesville.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors and especially "the boys," also the members of the Moose lodge and of the C. M. I. U. for kindness and sympathy following our sad bereavement.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment.

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WOMEN ELECTORS.

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The polls of said election will be open at 9 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour.

Dated, March 9, 1917.
FRED G. BROOKMAN, Township Clerk.

General Election and Annual Township Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Washtenaw County, Michigan, that the next ensuing General Election and Annual Township Meeting will be held at the Sylvan Town Hall, Chelsea, within said township, on Monday, March 31, A. D. 1917, for the purpose of voting for the electing the following officers, viz:

SEVEN—Two Justices of the Supreme Court; two Justices of the University of Michigan; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one member of the State Board of Education; two members of the State Board of Agriculture; one State Highway Commissioner.

JUDICIAL—One Circuit Judge for the Judicial Circuit of Michigan of which said Township forms a part.

COUNTY—Two County Auditors.

TOWNSHIP—One Supervisor; one Township Clerk; one Township Treasurer; one Highway Commissioner; one Justice of the Peace, full term; one Member Board of Review; full term; one Overseer of Highways; four Constables.

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of Michigan.

To Amend—Article eight by adding a new section thereto to stand as Section Fifteen of said article, authorizing drainage districts to issue bonds for drainage purposes.

ABSENT VOTERS.—To amend section one of article three relative to absent voters, providing in effect that "no qualified elector in the actual service of the United States or of this State, or any student while in attendance at any institution of learning, or any regularly enrolled member of any citizens' military or naval training camp held under the authority of the Government of the United States or the State of Michigan, or any member of the Legislature while in attendance at any session of the Legislature, or any commercial traveler, or any qualified elector employed upon or in the operation of railroad trains in this State, or any sailor engaged or employed on the Great Lakes, or in coast-wise trade shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from the township in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote and for the canvass and return of their votes." Provided further, That the Legislature shall have power to pass laws covering qualified electors who may be necessarily absent from other causes than above specified.

Amendment to Article X of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 20, relative to authorizing the State to acquire, purchase, take hold and operate any railroad, or railroad property, belonging to any railroad or railway company in this State heretofore organized under a special charter still in force and effect.

Vote on amendment to section twenty-six of article eight of the constitution with reference to the construction, improvement and maintenance of highways.

Amendment to Section 21 of Article VI of constitution relative to salaries of State officers.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

Our Phone No. 190-W

Max Schoenhals visited relatives in Howell this week.

Miss Olive Taylor is visiting at her home in Sparta this week.

Miss Grace Marquand spent this week with Detroit friends.

Miss Alberta Dole of Cleveland is visiting Miss Gertrude Mapes.

George Bacon was home from Ft. Wayne, Indiana, over Sunday.

Miss Rhea Shane is visiting at her home in Grand Ledge this week.

Howard Holmes is taking treatment in the Battle Creek sanitarium.

Miss Ethel Davidson has been home from Grand Rapids this week.

Miss Marie Halze of Detroit visited Chelsea relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. Eugene Gallup of Gregory is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harold Conk.

Mrs. William Campbell has been spending several days in Battle Creek.

Mrs. Wm. Kress and Mrs. Edward Chandler spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

Lewis Cobley of Fowlerville is spending a few days with Chelsea friends.

If anyone asks to borrow your umbrella you may now truthfully say: "It's Lent!"

Miss Anna Walworth has been the guest of relatives in Eaton Rapids this week.

A. Prudden of Vicksburg has been visiting his son, Harry Prudden, for a few days.

Miss Lura Schoenhals spent the week in Detroit with her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Stanton.

Messrs. A. L. Steger, H. G. Spiegelberg and Ford Axtell were in Jackson, Tuesday.

Doris and Clifford Corwin of Toledo are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Winans.

Miss Margaret Vogel is home from Vassar college, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for the spring recess.

Mrs. D. C. McLaren returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks in Braidentown, Florida.

Miss Anna Rogers visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren of Jackson the last of the week.

Mrs. Josephine Potts of Decatur has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George A. BeGole, this week.

Mrs. R. A. Baner spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Ann Arbor at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. BeGole.

Mrs. Bert Thomas of North Lake was in town yesterday. She reports the lake entirely open and free from ice.

The Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon, April 4th, with Miss Jessie Everett.

Miss Dora Chandler submitted to an operation for the removal of her tonsils at a hospital in Ann Arbor, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. S. McLaren and daughter, Virginia, of Jackson, spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren.

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Miss Agatha Kelly is home from Durand this week.

Miss Leone Gieske is home from Ypsilanti this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seitz are the parents of a son, born Friday, March 30, 1917.

George H. Mitchell of Chicago was in Chelsea, Wednesday, renewing old acquaintances.

The annual financial report of Sylvan township is published on the third page of this issue.

Mrs. J. F. McMillen of Lima was the guest of Mrs. A. E. Peters of Detroit a part of last week.

Arthur and Helen Hockrein of Ann Arbor visited Mr. and Mrs. William Hockrein over the week-end.

John Miller returned to Chicago, Tuesday, after an extended vacation spent in Chelsea and in Florida.

Mrs. B. F. Filkins of Northville and Miss Ethel Snitherman of Ann Arbor are visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Fulford.

The interior of the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart is being redecorated by a Detroit firm in preparation for Easter services.

Lyle Runciman and Chauncey Freeman have purchased the drug and grocery stock of the L. T. Freeman company and take possession April 1st. The new firm name will be Freeman & Runciman.

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday, the beginning of Holy Week. The blessing and distribution of the sacred palm will take place next Sunday before high mass in the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

MRS. MARTHA HYZER.
Mrs. Martha Hyzer, widow of the late Joseph Hyzer of Milan, died early yesterday morning at the home of her son, Charles Hyzer. She was 83 years of age.

The deceased was born in Aurora, New York. Two sons, Charles of this place and W. J. Hyzer of Milan, survive her. Mr. Hyzer died about three years ago.

The funeral was held this morning at nine o'clock from the home of her son, Charles, Rev. Whitney officiating. The body was taken to Milan for burial.

C. J. McGuinness, a former Jackson businessman, died Monday, March 26th, at the home of his brother, John and Thomas McGuinness of Dexter township.

He was a brother of Mrs. Thomas Young and Mrs. Peter Gorman of Lyndon township.

The funeral was held Thursday morning from St. Joseph's church, Dexter.

MASON—The Ingham County News and The Ingham County Democrat have been consolidated and taken over by the Ingham County News Publishing company. C. S. Clark and S. L. Marshall of St. Johns are the owners of the consolidated plants.

IN THE CHURCHES

CONGREGATIONAL
P. W. Dierberger, Pastor.
10:00 Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The Sacrifice of the Cross."

Communion service.
11:15 Sunday school. Big men's class.

6:15 Christian endeavor.
Popular Sunday evening service at 7:00 o'clock. Subject of pastor's address "Pilate, the Coward."

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A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Confirmation service Sunday at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday evening at 7:30 reunion, Evangelical League day and communion service. Rev. F. O. Jones will be the speaker.

Services on Good Friday at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

BAPTIST
J. G. Staley, Pastor.
Church service at 10:00 o'clock. Sunday school at 11:00.

Thursday evening, 6:45 cottage prayer meeting every week. Phone Mrs. R. P. Chase for the place of meeting.

The annual meeting will be held in the church Saturday, March 31.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH
Geo. C. Nothdurft, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
German worship 10:30 a. m.
English service at 8:00 p. m.
Epworth league at 7:30 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S, FRANCISCO
A. Beutenmuller, Pastor.
Preaching service, Sunday after-METHODIST EPISCOPAL
G. H. Whitney, Pastor.
Preaching service Sunday, 10:00 noon at 1:45.

Sunday school 2:45 p. m.
6 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor.
Junior league at 3:00 p. m.

Bible school at 11:15 a. m.
Epworth league at 6:00 p. m.
Evening service at 7:00 p. m.
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