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### Double Drowning at Cedar Lake.

Toney Gieze, aged 37 years, and Joseph Bannaack, aged 36 years, were drowned in Cedar Lake Sunday afternoon. The men went on a fishing trip in the morning and at noon they came ashore to eat their dinner which a friend had taken to the lake for them.

Just how the accident happened will probably never be known. The canoe which they used was overturned and anchored in about 20 feet of water near the Looney landing.

When the men did not return home, John Gieze, brother of Toney, notified the officers and searching parties went from here to the lake early Monday morning. Deputy Sheriff Brooks recovered the body of Mr. Gieze about 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and the body of Mr. Bannaack was located by Roy Evans and brought to the surface by Mr. Brooks about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Both bodies were taken to Staffan's undertaking rooms.

Toney Gieze resided with his brother on McKinley street and was employed by the Lewis Spring & Axle Co. He came here from Jackson where a number of his relatives reside. The funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Joseph Bannaack has a wife and two children residing in Hungary and a sister in Detroit. He had been in the employ of the Michigan Portland Cement Co., at Four Mile Lake most of the time for the past four years.

Mr. Bannaack's sister arrived here Wednesday afternoon. The funeral was held at 8 o'clock this morning from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

Justice of the Peace Witherell, acting coroner, will hold an inquest at 8 o'clock Saturday evening.

### Destroyed by Fire.

The residence on Harrison street, owned by Capt. E. L. Negus, and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hagadon, was badly damaged by fire Wednesday morning. The blaze was discovered about 8:15 by John Fay, who was at work on the opposite side of the street.

The occupants of the home were in the basement rooms and the first they knew of the fire was when Mr. Fay informed them. When the fire alarm was sounded a mistake was made in the fire district, the third being given instead of the first.

The household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Hagadon were all removed from the house by volunteers, but some of them were considerably water soaked. The roof of the house was so badly burned that it will have to be replaced, and the interior was damaged by smoke and water. The blaze probably started from a defective chimney.

Mr. Negus had an insurance of \$1,000 on the building.

### Washtenaw to Furnish 223.

Under the new army act, Michigan must raise between 20,000 and 30,000 men by September. Michigan is apportioned three per cent of the men to be raised. For an army of 1,000,000 men Michigan must enlist 30,000 recruits, and for an army of 1,200,000 36,000 are needed.

The Wolverine state, however, is credited with 1,648 regulars already enlisted, and the last federal inspection showed 3,650 national guardsmen, since raised to 5,000.

Washtenaw county, on the same basis, will be called on to furnish 223 men.

### "In India."

The High School Chorus of the public schools will present to the public an operetta "In India," on Friday evening, May 25, at the opera house, the musical hit of the season. The argument is as follows: Meerah the most beautiful girl in the village of Fishni on the Ganges river in India, is chosen to become the dancing girl in the temple. The chosen one must be an orphan and Meerah believes herself to be one. During the day, which is the festival day of Ahu, the flower-god, a beggar escapes from a passing procession of elephants bearing people from the hill country. The beggar proves to be Meerah's mother, and this renders Meerah ineligible.

There being no other orphan in the village except the village scold, How-now, she is carried off to become a slave in the temple and the reunited mother and daughter join the maidens in celebrating the festival day of Ahu.

The following is the cast of characters:

Meerah.....Bernice Prudden  
Simla.....Marion Schmidt  
How-now.....Esther Collins  
Veerah.....Clarice Wright  
Hear-no-Evil.....Esther Faust  
See-no-Evil.....Ellie Mohlock  
Speak-no-Evil.....Winifred Benton  
Chorus of maidens of the village of Fishni.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

Margaret DeYoung has entered the fourth grade.

John Taylor entered the kindergarten Monday.

Supt. Walling will start to take the school census this week.

The tri-county track meet will be held at Wayne, Saturday, May 26.

Miss Walz, Miss Depew and Mrs. Howlett have a visiting day Friday.

The Literary Club of the high school held its monthly meeting last Friday afternoon.

Entries have been made for the track meet at Kalamazoo next Saturday. The team will leave Friday night. Those who will compete are Rowe, Kalmbach, Palmer, Wagner, Fenn, Brooks, and Blackburn.

Jessie Clark, Eleanor Eisenbeiser, Hazel Eisenbeiser, Louise Ives, Gladys Richards, Lura Schoenhals, and Eleanor Naekel, of the senior review class, took the teachers' examination and passed successfully. To celebrate, the class had a picnic Wednesday after school. Four of the girls already have their schools for next year, and the others are sure to get them soon. In preparation for this work they have begun their work of practice-teacher in the grades.

### Church Circles.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.  
Rev. G. H. Whitney, Pastor.

Morning service at 10 o'clock.

Bible school at 11:15 a. m.

Junior League at 3 p. m.

Epworth League at 6 p. m.

Evening service at 7 o'clock.

Thursday prayer meeting 7 p. m.

A cordial invitation to all.

CONGREGATIONAL.  
Rev. P. W. Dierberger, Pastor.

Morning worship at 10 o'clock with the sermon by the pastor, subject "The Keynote of the Gospel."

Sunday school at 11:15 o'clock a. m.

Class for men led by the pastor.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 p. m. Young people invited.

Popular Sunday evening services at 7 o'clock. Have you ever had the "blues"? Most people have them occasionally. Do you know what to do when you are "blue"? Let us talk it over Sunday night. Subject of pastor's address, "A Cure for the Blues."

BAPTIST.  
Rev. C. R. Osborn, Pastor.

The Baptist church, of Grass Lake, having united with the Chelsea Baptist church it will be necessary that our regular preaching service begin at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday school at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Thursday evening at 6:45, cottage prayer meeting every week. Phone Mrs. R. P. Chase for the place of meeting.

Everybody welcome.

ST. PAUL'S.  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.

German service Sunday at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

Young People's meeting at 7 p. m.

This will be an "Echo Meeting." The delegates to the convention at Mt. Clemens will give interesting reports.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,  
NEAR FRANCISCO.

Rev. G. C. Nothdurft, Pastor.

Sunday school Sunday 9:30 a. m.

English worship 10:30 a. m.

Epworth League 7:30 p. m.

English service 7:30 p. m.

Everybody most cordially invited.

ST. JOHN'S, FRANCISCO  
Rev. A. Beutenmiller, Pastor.

Preaching service, Sunday afternoon at 1:45.

Sunday school at 2:45 p. m.

Card of Thanks.

It is with deep feelings of gratitude that we wish to express our sincere thanks through the medium of this paper to all friends, relatives, the Ladies' Aid Society for their many acts of kindness and sympathy extended to us during the long illness and death of our beloved mother, Martha E. Seckinger. Especially do we wish to thank our physician, Dr. Wm. Lyon, also the nurse, Anna Bredermiz for their untiring efforts, the singers, those who contributed flowers and furnished conveyances, also Rev. A. A. Schoen for his comforting words. W. A. Seckinger and family, Geo. W. Scherer and family, Edward F. Seckinger.

I wish to thank the Pythian Sisters and Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club for the beautiful flowers sent to me during my illness. Mrs. John Frymuth.

Try the Standard "Want" Ads.

### Farmers' Club Meeting.

The Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Widmayer Friday, May 25. The following will be the program:

Patriotic song service.  
Roll Call—Patriotic quotations.  
Select Reading—Mrs. S. P. Foster.  
Piano and Violin Duet—Mrs. Metzger and Miss Ruth Widmayer.  
Address—Rev. C. R. Osborn.  
Song—Club.

### Decoration Day Preparations.

The following officers and committees have been appointed for preparing for the Decoration Day exercises: Officer of the Day—W. K. Guerlin. Assistant—D. H. Wurster.

To procure flags for graves—R. B. Waitrous, J. N. Dancer, Fred Gentner.  
Distribution of flags to children—Geo. K. Chapman, F. E. Storms, E. B. Hammond, Wm. M. Campbell.  
To procure automobiles—Archie B. Clark, J. S. Cummings, Frank Leach. Flags displayed and arrangements at the hall—S. P. Foster, Edward Gentner, A. E. Johnson.

Rev. P. W. Dierberger will deliver the Decoration Day address.

Memorial Day services will be held in the M. E. church Sunday morning, May 27, Rev. G. H. Whitney preaching the sermon. This will be a union service of all the churches.

### Princess Theatre.

Open every night. Matinee Sunday at 3 o'clock.

### THURSDAY, MAY 17.

"Britton of the Seventh," a military and Indian picture of the Custer massacre. The 14th U. S. Cavalry and hundreds of Indians take part.

### FRIDAY, MAY 18.

Marie Doro in her greatest stage triumph, "The Morals of Marcus."

### SATURDAY, MAY 19.

Hobart Bosworth in "The Country Mouse," a story of country and city life.

### SUNDAY, MAY 20.

Charles Richman in "Heights of Hazard," from the story by Cyrus Townsend Brady.

### MONDAY, MAY 21.

Clara Kimball Young in "The Rise of Susan." A story of everyday people and plenty of action.

### TUESDAY, MAY 22.

"Prudence the Pirate," featuring Gladys Hulette. A tale of romance and adventure.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 23.

Billie Burke in the twentieth and last chapter of "Gloria's Romance" entitled "Love's Reward." Mr. Jack and Hughie Mack comedies.

### THURSDAY, MAY 24.

"The Rights of Man." The main thought of the European war. A story of war's red blot.

Starting Wednesday, May 30, Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patricia," a fifteen episode serial. Watch for future announcements.

### "The Birth of a Nation."

It is a well-known fact that lovers of photo-plays have their favorites among the actors in the cast and rave over their cleverness and personal charm as if they were before them on the legitimate stage in actual flesh and blood.

Mae Marsh, who plays Flora Cameron, the youngest daughter in the southern household in "The Birth of a Nation," which will play the Whitney Theatre, Ann Arbor, commencing Friday afternoon, May 18 at 3 o'clock and twice Saturday, May 19, has by her elf-like charm naive personality attracted many admirers who greet with pleasure and enthusiasm her every appearance on the screen.

Miss Marsh has many fine bits of acting in this picture. Among the most engrossing are the scene in the cellar with Miriam Cooper; the making of "Southern ermine" with raw cotton and chimney soot; the welcoming of her brother, the "Little Confederate Colonel" back from the war; the pretty scene where she rains kisses on her brother Ben's mouth to console him for the temporary loss of his sweetheart Elsie and her sad death in her brother's arms.

She was discovered by David W. Griffith, the producer of so many film triumphs, long before he made "The Birth of a Nation."

ALBION—Ever since one of those "nasty dogs" invaded our back kitchen on a Sunday morning and lugged off a big hunk of beef, we had our opinion of dogs in general and dogowners who permit them to run at large.—Leader.

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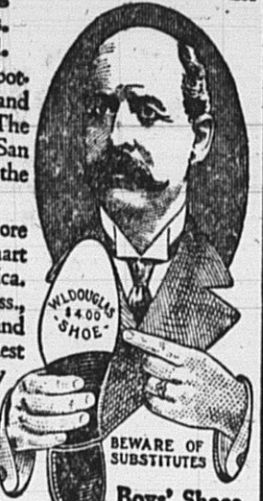
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## OPERATIONS UNDER SELECTIVE DRAFT

Measures for Raising of Military Forces, as Agreed Upon by Congress.

AGE LIMIT, 21 TO 30 YEARS

Male Citizens, and Those Who Have Declared Their Intention to Become Citizens, of That Age, Liable to Draft—Classes That Are Excluded.

Washington.—The selective draft law which the new United States army will be raised will be applied under the following provisions of the army bill:

"That the enlisted men required to raise and maintain the organizations of the regular army and to complete and maintain the organizations embodying the members of the National Guard drafted into the service of the United States, at the maximum legal strength as by this act provided, shall be raised by voluntary enlistment, or if and whenever the president decides that they cannot effectively be so raised or maintained, then by selective draft; and all other forces hereby authorized shall be raised and maintained by selective draft exclusively; but this provision shall not prevent the transfer to any force of training cadres from other forces.

Age Limits Are Fixed.

"Such draft as herein provided shall be based upon liability to military service of all male citizens or male persons not alien enemies who have declared their intention to become citizens, between the ages of twenty-one and thirty years, both inclusive, and shall take place and be maintained under such regulations as the president may prescribe not inconsistent with the terms of this act.

"Quotas for the several states, territories and the District of Columbia, or subdivisions thereof, shall be determined in proportion to the population thereof and credit shall be given to any state, territory, district, or subdivision thereof for the number of men who were in the military service of the United States as members of the National Guard on April 1, 1917, or who have since said date entered the military service of the United States from any such state, territory, district, or subdivision, either as members of the regular army or the National Guard.

Provides for Military Law.

"All persons drafted into the service of the United States and all officers herein provided for shall, from the date of said draft or acceptance, be subject to the laws and regulations governing the regular army, except as to promotions, so far as such laws and regulations are applicable to persons whose permanent retention in the military service on the active or retired list is not contemplated by existing law, and those drafted shall be required to serve for the period of the existing emergency unless sooner discharged, provided that the president is authorized to raise and maintain by voluntary enlistment or draft, as herein provided, special and technical troops, as he may deem necessary, and to employ them into organizations and to officer them as provided in the third paragraph of section 1 and section 9 of this act.

"Organizations of the force herein provided for, except the regular army, shall, as far as the interests of the service permit, be composed of men who come, and of officers who are appointed from, the same state or locality."

No person liable to military service will be permitted to escape therefrom by furnishing a substitute or the payment of money, and the payment of bounties for recruits is prohibited.

Men Who Are Exempt.

The persons who will be exempted from military service are thus designated by this provision of the bill:

"That the vice president of the United States, the officers, legislative, executive, and judicial, of the United States, and of the several states, territories, and the District of Columbia, regular or duly ordained ministers of religion, students who at the time of the approval of this act are preparing for the ministry in recognized theological or divinity schools, and all persons in the naval service of the United States shall be exempt from the selective draft herein prescribed.

"Nothing in this act contained shall be construed to require or compel another person to serve in any of the forces herein provided for who is found to be a member of any well-recognized religious sect or organization at present organized and existing and whose existing creed or principles forbid its members to participate in war in any form and whose religious convictions are against war or participation therein in accordance with the creed or principles of said religious organization; but no person so exempted shall be exempted from service in any capacity that the president shall declare to be noncombatant.

Certain Classes to Be Excluded.

"The president is hereby authorized to exclude or discharge from said selective draft and from the draft under the second paragraph of section 1 hereof, or to draft for partial military service only from those liable to draft as in this act provided, persons of the following classes: County and municipal

## DETAILS OF NEW CONSCRIPTION LAW

Washington, May 10.—[Special.]—Outstanding features of the universal service law as drafted by the senate and house conferees.

Ages of Draft, 21 to 30 inclusive. Ages of Volunteers, 18 to 40 inclusive.

Number subject to draft, 11,000,000 To Be Obtained by Draft or Volunteers:

Number to be drawn by selective conscription . . . 1,000,000 [In two drafts 500,000 each.]  
Regular army . . . 300,000  
National Guard . . . 625,000  
Special and technical troops . . . 76,000  
Total strength provided . . . 2,001,000  
Term of Service: Period of Emergency.

Exemptions: Federal and state officers. Ministers of religion and theological students.

Members of religious sects opposed to war. Liable to Exemption:

County and municipal officers. Customhouse clerks, mail employees. Employees of armories, arsenals and navy yards.

Persons engaged in industries, including agriculture. Those supporting dependents. The physically and morally deficient.

Method for Draft: Proclamation by the president for registration.

Immediate registration by those of draft age.

Selection from register of men for service.

Dispatch of men drafted to nearest training camp.

Provision for Pay:

Second-class private . . . \$25  
First-class private . . . 31  
First-class private . . . 31  
Corporal . . . 32  
Sergeant of the line . . . \$36 and 42  
Quartermaster and hospital sergeants . . . 46  
First sergeant . . . 50

Safeguards Thrown Around the Army: Prohibition. Suppression of the social evil.

officers, customhouse clerks, persons employed by the United States in the transmission of the mails, artificers and workmen employed in the armories, arsenals and navy yards of the United States, and such other persons employed in the service of the United States as the president may designate; pilots, mariners actually employed in the sea service of any citizen or merchant within the United States; persons engaged in industries, including agriculture, found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment or the effective operation of the military forces or the maintenance of national interest during the emergency; those in a status with respect to persons dependent upon them for support which renders their exclusion or discharge advisable; and those found to be physically or morally deficient.

"No exemption or exclusion shall continue when a cause therefor no longer exists: Provided, that notwithstanding the exemptions, enumerated herein, each state, territory and the District of Columbia shall be required to supply its quota in the proportion that its population bears to the total population of the United States."

How Exemptions Are Determined.

The machinery created for determining of exemptions is thus described by the bill:

"The president is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to create and establish throughout the several states and subdivisions thereof and in the territories and the District of Columbia local boards, and where, in his discretion, practicable and desirable, there shall be created and established one such board in each county or similar subdivision in each state, and one for approximately each 30,000 of population in each city of 30,000 population or over, according to the last census taken or estimates furnished by the bureau of census of the department of commerce. Such boards shall be appointed by the president and shall consist of three or more members, none of whom shall be connected with the military establishment, to be chosen from among the local authorities of such subdivisions or from other citizens residing in the subdivision or area in which the respective boards will have jurisdiction under the rules and regulations prescribed by the president.

Powers of Exempting Boards.

"Such boards shall have power within their respective jurisdictions to hear and determine, subject to review as hereinafter provided, all questions of exemption under this act, and all questions of or claims for including or discharging individuals or classes of individuals from the selective draft, which shall be made under rules and regulations prescribed by the president, except any and every question or claim for including or excluding or discharging persons or classes of persons from the selective draft under the provisions of this act authorizing the president to exclude or discharge from the selective draft persons engaged in industries, including agriculture, found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, or the effective operation of the military forces, or the maintenance of national interest during the emergency."

Additional Boards Provided.

"The president is hereby authorized to establish additional boards, one in each federal judicial district of the United States, consisting of such number of citizens, not connected with the

military establishment, as the president may determine, who shall be appointed by the president.

"Such district boards shall review on appeal and affirm, modify or reverse any decision of any local board having jurisdiction in the area in which any such district board has jurisdiction under the rules and regulations prescribed by the president. Such district boards shall have exclusive original jurisdiction within their respective areas to hear and determine all questions or claims for including or excluding or discharging persons or classes or persons from the selective draft, under the provisions of this act, not included within the original jurisdiction of such local boards.

"The decisions of such district boards shall be final except that in accordance with such rules and regulations as the president may prescribe, he may affirm, modify, or reverse any such decision."

All persons subject to registration must have attained their twenty-first but not their thirty-first birthday, and such persons as fall to register will be subject to imprisonment for not more than one year. Persons temporarily absent from their legal residence may register by mail under presidential regulations.

Provisions for Volunteers.

The provisions governing voluntary enlistment in the regular army and National Guard follow:

"That the qualifications and conditions for voluntary enlistment as here provided shall be the same as those prescribed by existing law for enlistments in the regular army, except that recruits must be between the ages of eighteen and forty, both inclusive, at the time of their enlistment, and such enlistment, and such enlistments, shall be for the period of the emergency unless sooner discharged.

Plan Grouping by States.

"Provided, That all persons enlisted or drafted under any of the provisions of this act shall as far as practicable be grouped into units by states and the political subdivisions of the same; provided, further, that all persons who have enlisted since April 1, 1917, either in the regular army or in the National Guard, and all persons who have enlisted in the National Guard since June 3, 1916, upon their application, shall be discharged upon the termination of the existing emergency.

"The president may provide for the discharge of any or all enlisted men whose status with respect to dependents renders such discharge advisable, and he may also authorize the employment on any active duty of retired enlisted men of the regular army, either with their rank on the retired list or in higher enlisted grades, and such retired enlisted men shall receive the full pay and allowances of the grades in which they are actively employed."

Provision for Increased Pay.

The army pay increases are set forth in the following provisions:

"That all officers and enlisted men of the forces herein provided for other than the regular army shall be in all respects on the same footing as to pay, allowances, and pensions as officers and enlisted men of corresponding grades and length of service in the regular army; and commencing June 1, 1917, and continuing until the termination of the emergency, all enlisted men of the army of the United States in active service whose base pay does not exceed \$24 per month shall receive an increase of \$10 per month; those whose base pay is \$24, an increase of \$8 per month; those whose base pay is \$30, \$36, or \$40, an increase of \$6 per month, and those whose base pay is \$45 or more, an increase of \$5 per month; provided that the increases of pay herein authorized shall not enter into the compilation of continuous service pay."

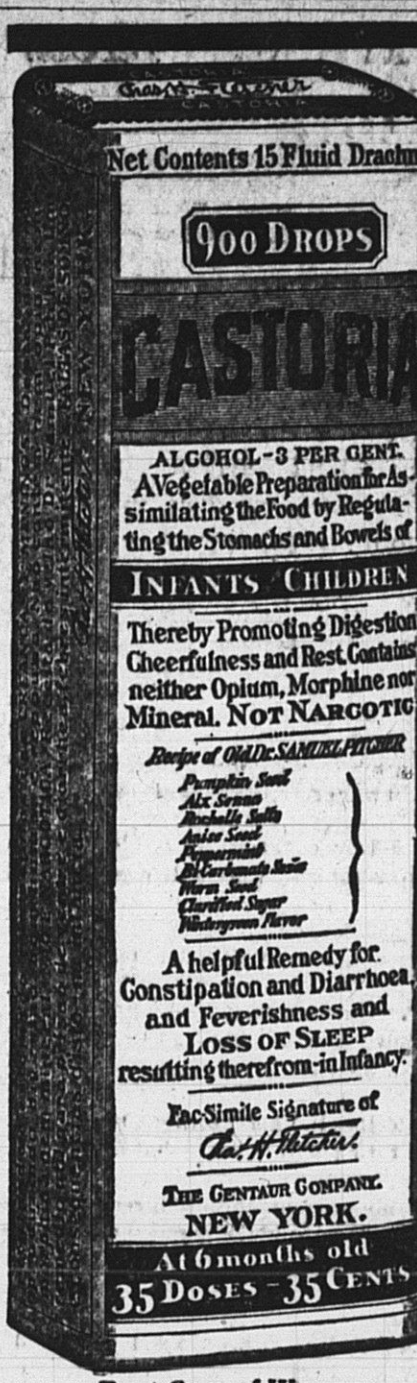
President's Powers Broadened.

An entirely new provision of the bill as drafted is:

"That the president is authorized to increase or decrease the number of organizations prescribed for the typical brigades, divisions, or army corps of the regular army, and to prescribe such new and different organizations and personnel for army corps, divisions, brigades, regiments, battalions, squadrons, companies, troops, and batteries as the efficiency of the service may require; provided further that the number of organizations in a regiment shall not be increased nor shall the number of regiments be decreased.

The president will officer the regular army and National Guard under existing law, and for the conscript force he is empowered:

"To provide the necessary officers, line and staff, for said force and for organizations of the other forces hereby authorized, or by combining organizations of said other forces, by ordering members of the officers' reserve corps to temporary duty in accordance with the provisions of section 38 of the national defense act approved June 3, 1916; by appointment from the regular army, the officers' reserve corps, from those duly qualified and registered pursuant to section 23 of the act of congress approved January 21, 1903 (thirty-second statutes at large, page 775), from the members of the National Guard drafted into the service of the United States who have been graduated from educational institutions at which military instruction is compulsory or from those who have had honorable service in the regular army, the National Guard, or the volunteer forces or from the country at large; by assigning retired officers of the regular army to active duty with such force with their rank on the retired list and the full pay and allowances of their grade; or by the appointment of retired officers and enlisted men, active or retired, of the regular army as commissioned officers in such forces."



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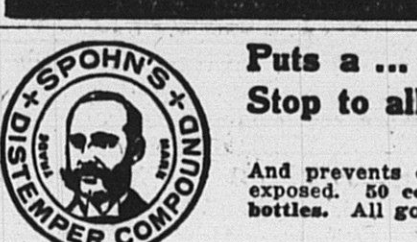
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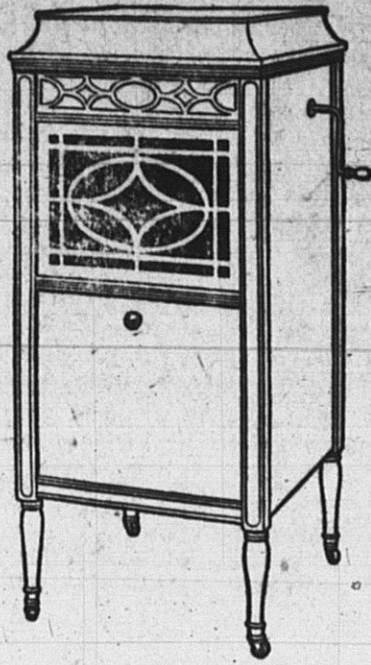
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### PERSONAL

L. P. Klein spent Monday in Detroit.

Mrs. A. B. Clark spent Saturday in Detroit.

Miss Anna Tichenor spent Wednesday in Jackson.

Miss Margaret Miller was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Ernest Pierce, of Jackson, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Mrs. S. C. Bush is spending this week in Omaha, Neb.

J. H. Cooke is spending a few days of this week in Detroit.

C. S. Durand, of Detroit, is spending a few days in Chelsea.

Miss Marie Pate, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Miss Gladys Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Baxter and children spent Sunday in Fenton.

Misses Hilda Mohrlok and Juanita Stout spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Geo. Miller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lusty, of Lyndon.

Mrs. G. A. Robertson, of Battle Creek, is the guest of Miss Mary Smith.

Miss Mary Haab entertained her sister, Mrs. Chas. Foster, of Scio, Sunday.

Prosecuting Attorney Lehman, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

J. A. Crawford, of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Marty and son of Highland Park, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Miss Ialeen McQuillan, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. T. McQuillan.

Rev. M. Lee Grant, of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurster Tuesday.

Harry Morton, of Detroit, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Hall, of Jackson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cummings Sunday.

Winter Cooper, of Detroit, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank and Mr. and Mrs. Roy French and son spent Sunday in Dexter.

Frances Lusty, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lusty, of Lyndon.

Mrs. P. J. Lehman and daughters, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lehman.

Mrs. H. E. Pomeroy and son, Paul, of South Haven, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baird, of Dexter township, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hughes and children, of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Congdon and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Congdon, of Ypsilanti, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

D. H. Fuller, who has been spending several months at the home of his son in Jackson, has returned to Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kantelehner and daughter, of Highland Park, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kantelehner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Belser spent the week-end with Mrs. Belser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dunn, of Ann Arbor.

Joseph Nemethy, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his family who have been spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. James Beasley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Barbour are spending this week in Indianapolis, where Mr. Barbour is exhibiting some of the prize winners from his rabbitry.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoddard and son, of Litchfield, and Mrs. Herbert Bowersox, of Royal Oak, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Armour Tuesday.

Mrs. W. G. Kempf and daughters, Mrs. Clifford Ranney and Miss Myrta Kempf, of Detroit, spent several days of the past week with Mrs. F. D. Cummings.

Mrs. E. J. Otis and son, who have been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maroney, returned to their home in Detroit Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. P. W. Dierberger have been in Jackson this week attending the celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Jackson Congregational church.

Mrs. C. M. Stephens and daughter, Miss Blanche, accompanied by Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Negus, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Weinmeister of Howell.

PLYMOUTH—The work on the new Methodist church will be completed by the end of this week and on Friday evening, May 18, the entire church will be opened to the people of Plymouth. The opening of this splendidly equipped new building will be in the nature of a general "House-Warming Party."—Mail.

## Wonderful Sale OF Coats and Suits

The price advantages presented in this sale of Women's Suits and Coats are too great to be idly neglected. You know full well the Vogel & Wurster standard of style and quality. Each of these garments is typical of those high standards. Prices alone are changed—and they are so radically lessened that to miss this opportunity is to miss the greatest sale of 1917.

But you must be prompt to investigate this wonderful offer, for only a few of these splendid garments remain to be offered at such low prices. We have placed very nearly our entire stock of Coats in three lots:

**At \$12.75**

Women's and Misses' Cleveland and New York made Coats, made of Velours, Serges and Gaberdines. This lot is made up of the choicest garments our stock has had this season.

**At \$10.75**

Women's and Misses' very latest Coats in Pure Wool materials. All the new shades and colors. Plenty of medium and smaller sizes. These values will surprise you.

**At \$8.75**

We have Coats placed in this lot that have been nearly twice this price, but we expect these prices will close them out in a few days. If you can use a light Coat, buy now as our prices are very low.

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Women's Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses in white, flesh, maze and rose, beautiful styles, specially priced at **\$3.50** and **\$5.00**. Newest Lingerie Waists, special lots at **\$1.00**, **\$1.50** and **\$2.50**.

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**PRINCESS THEATRE, WEDNESDAY, MAY 30**  
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### Announcements.

The final meeting of the B. V. R. C. will be held with Mrs. F. H. Sweetland next Monday evening. Scrub lunch at 6 o'clock followed by program.

Clover Leaf Chapter of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. R. D. Walker on Friday, May 18. Every one invited. Scrub lunch and bring dishes.

There will be a special meeting of the L. C. B. A., at St. Mary's Hall May 24.

### DO IT NOW

**Chelsea People Should Not Wait Until It Is Too Late.**

The appalling death-rate from kidney disease is due largely to the fact that the little kidney troubles are usually neglected until they become serious. The slight symptoms often give place to chronic disorders and the sufferer may slip gradually into some serious form of kidney complaint.

If you suffer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney disorders—they act where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here's a case at home:

Charles Schmid, shoemaker, W. Middle St., Chelsea, says: "I had lumbago and backache and when I stooped it was hard work to straighten. My kidneys were disordered and knowing them—They gave me relief. I don't hesitate to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others who suffer from kidney trouble."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schmid had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

**GROUP** Made Harmless by Foley's Honey and Tar  
A few doses toward nightfall wards off croup, hoarseness and stuffy wheezy breathing. Keep it on hand. Sold everywhere in Chelsea. Adv.

### 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 2nd day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Christopher J. McGuinness, deceased.

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

It is ordered, that the 10th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) Dorcas C. Donegan, Register.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John McGuinness, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James S. Gorman, administrator of the estate of John McGuinness, one of the heirs of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of distribution.

It is ordered, that the 1st day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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### Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.: The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Caroline S. Kneel, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of John Kalmbeck in the Village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 30th day of June and on the 30th day of August next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, April 30, 1917. J. Nelson Dancer, John Geddes, Commissioners.

### Order of Publication.

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 17th day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Hugo Paulsen, deceased.

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

It is ordered, that the 11th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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**LEGAL PRINTING**—The Standard requests its patrons who have business with the Probate Office to send the Judge of Probate to the printing plant to this office.

## Whitney Theatre, Ann Arbor, May 18-19

Twice Daily, 3 and 8:15 P. M. Seat Sale Wednesday, 10 A. M. First Time at Popular Prices

Prices: Evenings 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00; a few at \$1.50. Matinee, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

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## WANT COLUMN

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

LOST—Sunday, May 13, between Chelsea and Cavanaugh Lake, ladies' open face gold wrist watch in leather case. Finder please return to Standard office. 42

FOR SALE—Incubator chicks 3 days old Monday, May 21. Geo. Thomas, on Gutekunst place southeast of Chelsea. 42

GRAVEL—I have the handling of the Stapish gravel pit, and anyone wishing to get gravel should call on me. J. A. Conlan. 43

TO RENT—Lot on Chandler street for garden. Mrs. J. S. Gorman, 118 east Middle street. 42

FOR SALE—Five pigs. Inquire of Mrs. Chancery Clark at the Chelsea Greenhouse. 42

HOUSECLEANING TIME is piano tuning time. Leave your orders at Holmes & Walker's. Competent tuner. Satisfaction guaranteed. 43

HELP WANTED—At the Chelsea Greenhouses. 39tf

FOR SALE—The Baptist parsonage property, 157 east Summit street, 8-room house, city water and electric lights. For particulars phone Adelbert Baldwin or N. W. Laird. 25tf

AUCTIONS—The auction season is now here, and The Standard wishes to remind those who expect to have an auction this season, that it can furnish an auctioneer and print your bills.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office. Large bundle for 5c.

## WHITNEY THEATRE TUESDAY MAY 22d

COHAN & HARRIS PRESENT

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### "The Heart of Paddy Whack"

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"A Little Bit of Heaven."  
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"A Broth of a Boy."

Order Seats by Mail Now

Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

FOR SALE—Good building lots on west Middle street. Reasonable price. Inquire of J. W. Schenk or G. Hieber. 39tf

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, pure bred White Rocks, 200 eggs strain Southview Farm, C. W. Saunders, prop. 34tf

NOTICE—The person who took the pair of shoes from the machine shop of the Cement Co., is requested to return same as he is known. Martin Gottschling. 43

FOR SALE—Pair of mules, harness and wagon. Will sell separate. Inquire of Michael Lavey, Pinckney. 3



## Spring Suits AND Topcoats



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But we do believe that honest advertising pays and our advertising is an honest expression of what you will find at our store.

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**DANCER BROTHERS.**

### LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. W. Speer is confined to her home by illness.

Fifteen members of the Brotherhood of the Congregational church will attend a banquet at Jackson tonight.

Probate Judge Leland on Monday rendered a decision in the Kempf will matter, sustaining the provisions of the will.

F. H. Lewis, who has been in the western states for the past four weeks on a business trip for the Lewis Spring & Axle Co., returned here the first of the week.

At the conference of Evangelical ministers at St. John's church, Rogers Corners, Monday evening and Tuesday, Rev. G. Eisen was elected president.

Mrs. G. J. Crowell received the bouquet presented to the oldest mother present at the Sunday morning service Mothers' Day, at the Congregational church.

B. A. Long, who has had charge of the Chelsea plant of Towar's Creamery Co. for several years, has been transferred to management of the company's plant at Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lautenschlager entertained forty friends from Jackson last Thursday evening. They were members of a Sunday school class of which Mrs. Lautenschlager was a member.

The work of putting in the foundations for the building of the Chelsea Steel Ball Co., on Hayes street is rapidly approaching completion. The building will be 60x180 feet and will be constructed of steel and cement.

Glen Dakin, who purchased the Martin Merkel farm in Sylvan some time ago, has traded the farm to Lee Sturdevant, of Pittsford, for a hardware stock. The change has been made and Mr. Sturdevant is now on the farm.

The eighth grade exercises for all the school districts of Sylvan and Lyndon townships, No. 5, Dexter; 1 and 2, Freedom; 3, 4, 4 fr., 7, 8, fr., 10 fr., Lima; 4 fr., 8, Sharon, will be held in the Chelsea high school, June 14, at 2 p. m.

The town hall was crowded Sunday evening at the Red Cross meeting, which was addressed by Rev. Fr. Donegan, of Dexter, chaplain of the 32d Regiment, Michigan National Guards. The Hollier band played patriotic pieces.

The sun has been obscured for the last two days by the smoke from forest fires that are raging in the Upper Peninsula. The persistent northwest winds have driven the smoke for hundreds of miles, which has caused the sun to appear like a copper disk.

A summons was filed in the circuit court Wednesday afternoon by A. J. Sawyer for Mrs. Amelia VanRiper against J. Edward Weber and the Michigan Bonding and Surety Company. The summons announced that she seeks damages to the amount of \$10,000.

The jury to whom was referred the matter of the necessity of the Palmer and Baldwin drain met Tuesday and was brought to Chelsea where the members looked over the ground. They met again Wednesday and the finding was against putting the drain through.

Married, on Thursday evening, May 10, 1917, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Olive Winslow, Miss Phila Winslow and John W. Mollanen, of Detroit, Rev. P. W. Dierberger officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Mollanen have gone to Calumet where he has a position as manager of a large drug store.

Chelsea's first sacrifice to the war occurred Wednesday, when Lester Hall, aged 19 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hall, died at the naval hospital at Portsmouth, Va., where he had been suffering with spinal meningitis. The young man recently enlisted in the Naval Reserves. The funeral will be held at the home of his parents at 2 o'clock Sunday. Interment will be at Oak Grove cemetery.

On Tuesday evening, May 22, the last meeting for this year of the Parent-Teachers' Association will be held at the high school at 7:30. A picture of the boy, Lincoln, has been purchased for next years use in the grades and will be on exhibition that evening. Miss Florence Pride, of Ann Arbor, a charming story-teller will provide a share of the entertainment. Election of officers will take place. All parents are urged to be present.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Steinbach, of Dexter, on Tuesday, May 15, a son.

Mrs. John Faber underwent a successful operation for goitre at the hospital at Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Sophia Schatz has received a box of orange blossoms from her brother, George Schatz, of Fresno, Calif.

Meryl Shaver, son of M. A. Shaver, has joined the band of the Thirty-third regiment, M. N. G., at Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Florence A. Vickers has purchased of A. W. Wilkinson twenty acres of the Grantwood addition on Washington street.

Miss Margaret Ryan has resigned her position as clerk for Oscar D. Schneider, where she has been employed for the past four years.

Married, on Monday, May 7, Miss Anna McKune and H. J. Johnson, both of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were former residents of Chelsea.

The Red Cross helps the wounded soldier from the firing line back to the hospital. It may be your boy whose life is thus saved. Join the Red Cross.

Mrs. Grant Kimmel, of Lyndon, was taken to the homeopathic hospital in Ann Arbor today, where she will undergo an operation for the removal of a cancerous growth, Friday.

Married, on Wednesday evening, May 9, 1917, Mrs. Elvira Caldwell and Mr. Bailey, both of Ann Arbor. Mrs. Caldwell is well known to Chelsea residents, having resided here several years ago.

Leander Easton, aged 77 years, died at his home in Lima township Tuesday, May 15. He leaves his wife, two sons and two daughters. The funeral was held at the home at 2 o'clock today, Rev. P. W. Dierberger officiating. Interment at Lima Center cemetery.

The members of Columbian Hive, No. 284, are invited by Social Hive, of Jackson, to attend their twenty-fourth anniversary Friday evening. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock. The meeting will be called to order at 7 o'clock and will be followed by an entertainment.

The county conscription board consisting of Sheriff Lindenschmidt, County Clerk Smith and Dr. R. G. McKenzie, have appointed the supervisors to act as registrars. They will have charge of the registration of the men of military age, as provided in the conscription bill. In Sylvan Township Clerk Broesamle has been appointed to act with Supervisor Dancer.

Eight of Chelsea's business men attended a meeting at Ann Arbor Tuesday evening which was called to take action in regard to raising \$10,000 in Washtenaw county for the Army Y. M. C. A. The Chelsea representatives pledged \$500, and those who have the matter in charge are Ed. Vogel, R. D. Walker, L. T. Freeman, H. S. Holmes, J. S. Cummings, Conrad Lehman, William Bacon and John L. Fletcher.

Mrs. Cornelia Emerick Lewick. Mrs. Cornelia Emerick Lewick was born in the state of New York, March 2, 1834, and died at the home of her son, William Lewick, of North Lake, Thursday morning, May 17, 1917. Mrs. Lewick's death came as a great shock to the members of her family. She was in her usual health and after eating her breakfast went into the sitting room, and a short time later a member of the household discovered that she had passed away.

She was united in marriage with Andrew Lewick, who died several years ago.

Mr. Lewick is survived by one son, William Lewick, one daughter, Mrs. Emma E. Woodin, of Temple, Texas, and several grandchildren. The funeral will be held Sunday. Interment in Oak Grove cemetery.

### BREVITIES

YPSILANTI—After spending last Thursday night in the city jail, Lawrence Woods, a traveling man, of Cleveland, arrested on complaint of Oscar Schaeble for making remarks derogatory to the U. S. flag, paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$5.20 Friday. According to the testimony at Woods' trial he made the remarks at the Travelers' Cafe on Washington street. —Record.

BROOKLYN—While out driving his car Sunday with his wife, John Cruise suffered a stroke of apoplexy, and died on Tuesday afternoon without regaining consciousness. Mr. and Mrs. Cruise were near the home of Fred Brown when Mrs. Cruise noticed the car waver. She was just in time to take the wheel as John fell forward against it as he suddenly lost consciousness. —Exponent.

GRASS LAKE—On Tuesday evening Excelsior Lodge gave an informal banquet in honor of Earl Durbin, who has enlisted in the marine service. About 50 were present and Mr. Durbin was made to feel that his lodge brothers felt honored in having one of their number step into the ranks of the defenders of our country. —News.



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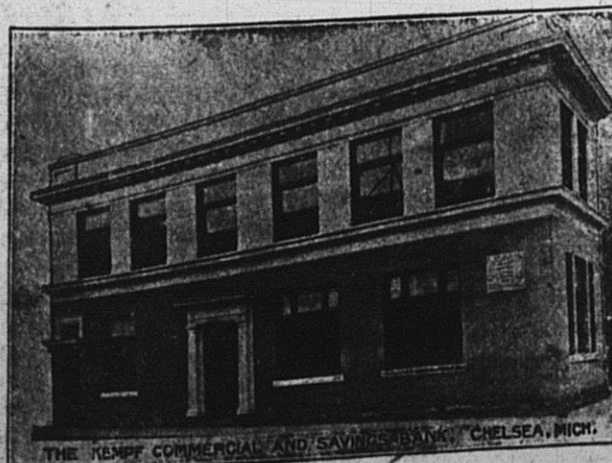
CITY PEOPLE—Make your garden feed your family and others if possible.

VACANT LOT OWNERS—Make every vacant space produce food product of some kind.

U. S. Agricultural Department is mobilizing the agricultural interests of the country—Government report estimates large shortage in wheat crop.

"Means must be devised promptly to insure the largest possible production of food supplies. It must be recognized that the man or boy who puts all his energies into the increased supply of food is as truly a soldier of the republic as he who, in uniform, fights in the ranks"

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# WAR TARIFF BILL MAKES EVERYBODY PAY HIS SHARE

**\$1,800,000,000 To Be Raised in  
Year by Measure Reported  
to House.**

## BOOST DUTIES; NO FREE LIST

**Limit on Incomes Reduced to \$1,000  
for Single Men and \$2,000 for Mar-  
ried Men—Taxes for Heirs Are  
Increased—Tariff, Raised  
10 Per Cent and Arti-  
cles on Free List  
Are Taxed 10  
Per Cent.**

Washington.—A war revenue bill de-  
signed to raise \$1,800,000,000 by tax-  
ation during the coming year was ap-  
proved finally in the house ways and  
means committee Tuesday by unani-  
mous vote and reported to the house  
Wednesday.

In the meantime the senate finance  
committee is holding public hearings  
on the bill, with a view to being ready  
to report soon after the house acts.

To bring the amount to be raised  
up to the desired total, the house com-  
mittee wrote into the bill a flat in-  
crease of 10 per cent in all existing  
tariff duties and 10 per cent duties  
on all articles now admitted free, all  
estimated to bring in \$240,000,000, this  
more than doubling the present tariff  
revenues.

In addition it was decided to make  
all income-tax increases retroactive,  
beginning with the present calendar  
year. Other taxes provided for would  
become effective upon the signing of  
the bill.

The income-tax increases, applying  
to both personal and corporate in-  
comes, are designed to produce \$533,-  
000,000 more than the present income-  
tax receipts.

**Income and Profits.**  
Most of the new revenue will come  
from the income, excess profits, and  
inheritance taxes and additional tar-  
iff duties, but the levies of the bill  
would reach into many other sources.

Letter mail rates would be increased  
from two to three cents an ounce, and  
postal cards from one to two cents,  
while \$19,000,000 would be added to  
charges against newspapers under a  
new system based upon the present  
parcel-post zones.

Internal-revenue taxes upon liquor  
and tobacco would be materially in-  
creased, and there would be taxes on  
amusements, and stamp taxes of wide  
scope.

**Increase in Supertaxes.**  
The war income tax section would  
double the present normal tax of 2  
per cent on individuals and 3 per cent  
on corporations. It would lower the  
exemption of individual incomes from  
\$4,000 to \$2,000 in the case of married  
persons and from \$3,000 to \$1,000 for  
the unmarried.

In addition, beginning with incomes  
of \$5,000, graduated supertaxes would  
be imposed, in addition to the normal  
4 per cent, ranging up to 33 per cent  
on all incomes over \$500,000 a year.

The surtax schedule follows:

Income.	Original Law.	Sept. Proposed.	War Revenue Bill.
From \$5,000 to \$7,500.....	1 per cent	1 per cent	2 per cent
From \$7,500 to \$10,000.....	2 per cent	2 per cent	3 per cent
From \$10,000 to \$12,500.....	3 per cent	3 per cent	4 per cent
From \$12,500 to \$15,000.....	4 per cent	4 per cent	5 per cent
From \$15,000 to \$20,000.....	5 per cent	5 per cent	6 per cent
From \$20,000 to \$40,000.....	6 per cent	6 per cent	8 per cent
From \$40,000 to \$60,000.....	8 per cent	8 per cent	10 per cent
From \$60,000 to \$80,000.....	10 per cent	10 per cent	12 per cent
From \$80,000 to \$100,000.....	12 per cent	12 per cent	14 per cent

## HOW INCOME TAX WORKS OUT

This table is based on an exemption  
of \$2,000 for heads of families. For  
persons unmarried and not heads of  
families the exemption is \$1,000.

Income.	Original Law.	Sept. Proposed.	War Revenue Bill.
3,000.....	0	0	0
4,000.....	0	0	0
5,000.....	0	0	0
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# NEW AND ADDITIONAL TAXES PROPOSED IN \$1,800,000,000 WAR REVENUE BILL

These figures are those of the house bill. When the measure goes to the senate it will be subject to amendment and doubtless in many cases there will be revision. The senate finance committee will hold hearings at which arguments and objections may be presented.

All tariff duties.....	Increase 10 per cent.
All articles now admitted free.....	Tax 10 per cent.
Letter postage.....	From 2 cents to 3 cents
Postal cards.....	From 1 cent to 2 cents
Excess profits tax.....	From 8 to 16 per cent
Corporation tax.....	From 2 to 4 per cent
Stock exchange transactions—On each sale future delivery for each \$100, 2 cents; each additional \$100 or fraction.....	.2 cents
Capital stock on each original issue of \$100, 5 cents; on transfers on each \$100 face value.....	.2 cents
Bonds, debentures, etc., each \$100 face value.....	.5 cents
Indemnity bonds, 50 cents; where premium is in excess of \$100.....	1 per cent of premium charge
Drafts, checks, notes (and for each renewal or extension not exceeding \$100), 2 cents; for each \$100.....	.2 cents
Deeds, conveying lands or realty, for first \$100 to \$500, 50 cents; for each \$500 or additional fraction, 50 cents.....	
Proxy (except religious, charitable or literary societies or public ceremonies).....	10 cents
Power of attorney.....	25 cents
Life insurance policies (except industrial or weekly).....	.8 cents on each \$100
Marine, international and fire.....	1 cent on each \$1 of premium
Casualty policies.....	1 cent on each \$1 of premium
Freight bills.....	3 per cent
Passenger tickets.....	10 per cent on tickets above 25c except initial commutation
Steamboat tickets for foreign port, up to \$10, no tax; from \$10 to \$30, \$1; from \$30 to \$60, \$3; exceeding \$60, \$5.....	
Seats, berths or staterooms, rail and water.....	10 per cent
Express rates.....	10 per cent
Automobiles and motorcycles.....	5 per cent on wholesale price
Automobile and bicycle tires.....	5 per cent
Electric power.....	5 per cent on bills
Telephone and telegraph.....	5 per cent on bills
Telephone (long distance).....	5 cents on each toll message over 15c
Musical instruments.....	5 per cent on those costing over \$10
Talking machines.....	5 per cent on those costing over \$10
Jewelry.....	5 per cent of selling price
Cosmetics and proprietary medicines.....	5 per cent on wholesale price
Amusement tickets (theaters, baseball, etc.) except where maximum admission is 5 cents.....	Tax of 1 cent for each 10 cents charged
Moving picture film (not exposed), sold by manufacturer or importer.....	1/2 cent per linear foot
Moving picture film (ready for projection), sold or leased by manufacturer, producer or importer.....	10 per cent
Chewing gum or substitute therefor, imported.....	5 per cent of selling price
Distilled spirits.....	Doubled
Beer, ale.....	\$1.20 for every barrel
Still and sparkling wines and cordials.....	Tax doubled
Grape brandy, product of fruit distilled.....	Tax doubled
Soda fountain and similar sirups, grape juice, mineral water, ginger ale and all soft drinks, carbonated water.....	.2 cents per gallon
Natural mineral or table water (bottled).....	10 cents per gallon
Carbonic acid gas.....	8 cents per pound
Tabacco tax.....	Doubled
Cigars.....	Increased from 50 cents to \$1.00 per 1,000
Cigarettes (light weight).....	Increased \$1.25 per 1,000
Cigarettes (heavy weight).....	Increased \$3.60 per 1,000
Cigarette papers.....	1/2 cent for each 25 papers
Tennis rackets, golf clubs, baseball bats, lacrosse sticks, balls of all kinds, including baseballs, footballs, tennis, golf, lacrosse, billiard and pool balls.....	.5 per cent
Fishing rods, reels and lines.....	.5 per cent
Billiard and pool tables.....	.5 per cent
Chess and checkerboards and pieces, dice, games and parts of games.....	.5 per cent
Playing cards: Upon every pack (in addition to present tax).....	.8 cents
Yachts, pleasure boats, motorboats.....	.5 per cent of price
Club memberships.....	10 per cent of dues and membership fees
Oil pipe lines.....	.5 per cent on charges
Postal rates (newspaper and magazines)—	
First zone.....	.2 cents
Second to third zone.....	.3 cents
Fourth or fifth zone.....	.4 cents
Sixth or seventh zone.....	.5 cents
Eighth zone.....	.8 cents
Religious and educational papers.....	1/2 cents a pound
Advertising.....	.5 per cent of total

From \$100,000 to \$150,000.....17 per cent  
From \$150,000 to \$200,000.....20 per cent  
From \$200,000 to \$250,000.....24 per cent  
From \$250,000 to \$300,000.....27 per cent  
From \$300,000 to \$500,000.....30 per cent  
On all exceeding \$500,000.....33 per cent

The provisions requiring the normal tax of individuals to be deducted and withheld at the source of income would not apply to the new normal tax prescribed in this bill until after January 1, 1918, and thereafter only to incomes exceeding \$3,000.

**Tax on Inheritance.**  
In addition to the inheritance tax now in force, the bill imposes a tax equal to the following percentages of its value upon the transfer of each net estate:

\$50,000.....	One-half of 1 per cent
\$50,000 to \$150,000.....	1 per cent
\$150,000 to \$250,000.....	1 1/2 per cent
\$250,000 to \$450,000.....	2 per cent
\$450,000 to \$1,000,000.....	2 1/2 per cent
\$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000.....	3 per cent
\$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000.....	3 1/2 per cent
\$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000.....	4 per cent
\$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000.....	4 1/2 per cent
\$5,000,000 to \$8,000,000.....	5 per cent
\$8,000,000 to \$11,000,000.....	7 per cent
\$11,000,000 to \$15,000,000.....	10 per cent
\$15,000,000 and over.....	15 per cent

The exemption is lowered from \$50,000 to \$25,000 and a new tax of 1 per cent levied on estates between \$25,000 and \$50,000.

The bill proposes to bring in \$200,000,000 by doubling the present 8 per cent tax on excess profits.

On distilled spirits the present tax of \$1.10 per gallon is doubled; to the rectifiers' tax 15 cents a gallon is added, and fermented liquors are assessed \$2.75 per barrel instead of \$1.50.

**Tobacco Tax Doubled.**  
The tobacco tax is doubled, except as to cigars, which are graduated from 50 cents to \$10 a thousand, according to retail value. Cigarettes, made in or imported into the United States, would be taxed an additional \$1.25 per 1,000 if weighing less than

# ESPIONAGE BILL PASSED BY SENATE

ADMINISTRATION MEASURE IS  
PASSED AFTER 5 WEEKS OF  
STUBBORN FIGHTING.

## DRY AMENDMENT IS KILLED

Clause in Bill That Would Have Made  
Manufacture of Liquor Illegal  
Is Stricken Out.

Washington—Stripped of censorship and prohibition, the administration's espionage bill was passed by the senate Monday afternoon by a vote of 77 to 6, after approximately five weeks of the most stubborn fighting the upper house has seen in recent years.

- Washington—The administration espionage bill provides for:
  - Prevention of injury or destruction of vessels.
  - Punishment of espionage and disclosure of information to the enemy.
  - Drastic penalties for conspiracies to set fire to or blow up ships.
  - Prevention or interference with foreign commerce by violent means.
  - Enforcement of neutrality.
  - Seizure of arms and other articles intended for illegal export.
  - Executive authority to declare an embargo on exports.
  - Suppression of false propaganda to influence the foreign relations of the nation.
  - Drastic new passport regulations.
  - Issuance of search warrants to detect espionage.
  - Closing the mails to treasonable matter.

## Dry Amendment Killed.

By a vote of 47 to 37, the senate unexpectedly reversed its action of Saturday in accepting the Cummins amendment, prohibiting the use of grains, cereals, sugar and syrups in the manufacture of alcoholic liquors. The motion to strike out the Cummins amendment was made by Senator King, of Utah, who took the position that it was strictly a food measure and that it had no place in the espionage bill.

It is probable the measure will be brought up in connection with food conservation legislation to be offered later.

## FOOD BILLS ARE INTRODUCED

Government Aims to Centralize Buying  
of War Supplies.

Washington—Two more important food measures, backed by the administration, it is understood, have been introduced in the senate by Senator Gore, chairman of the agriculture committee. One would authorize the president to appoint a controller-general of supplies for the war period and the other would prevent interstate or foreign shipment of calves and cows for slaughter.

The measure proposing a controller provides in co-operation with other federal agencies and to avoid competition between them he shall supervise "purchase, storage, conservation, transportation, distribution, sale, exchange and control of foods, feeds, fuels and similar necessities. He would have the salary of a cabinet officer.

## T. R. WINS FIGHT IN HOUSE

Congress Votes to Restore Roosevelt  
Amendment in Army Bill.

Washington—Col. Theodore Roosevelt won a striking victory and assured himself of complete congressional backing in his request for permission to recruit a division of troops and lead the American vanguard on the French front when the house Saturday voted, 215 to 178, to send the army bill back to conference committee.

The senate had already approved the Roosevelt contingent and the motion to recommit the bill in the house was coupled with instructions to return it, accompanied by a provision authorizing the Roosevelt force.

Kalamazoo—The Rex Paper company, of this city, announced an increase of 12 1/2 to 20 per cent in its wage scale for the coming year. Girls and women employed in the factory will receive a minimum of \$11.16 a week.

Cadillac—With her right arm torn by a saw at the Northern Chair Co. factory, Orpha Uptegraft, 15, ran to a first aid kit, wrapped up her wounds, and then walked steadily to the factory office and requested to be taken to a doctor.

Port Huron—Word has been received from A. Ford Miller, a former official of the Summers Linen company, of this city, that he has lost the sight of one eye while attached to the French flying corps. He is out of the hospital and says that if he can fly again he will enter the service.

# NOTED STATESMAN IS DEAD



JOSEPH H. CHOATE.

New York—Joseph Hodges Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain and lawyer of international fame, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in this city.

Notwithstanding his advanced years, Mr. Choate took an active part in the entertainment last week of the French and British war commissions in New York. At the reception in city hall for Mr. Balfour and the British commission, Mayor Mitchell referred to Mr. Choate as the "foremost citizen of New York."

Mr. Choate, born in Salem, Mass., January 24, 1832, was one of the most distinguished practitioners of law in the United States, ambassador to England with signal success, a speaker applauded on innumerable occasions, and a remarkable octogenarian.

## TEUTON LOSSES TERRIBLE

To Fill Gaps Troops Are Being With-  
drawn From Russian Front.

London—Official news comes from Petrograd that Hindenburg already has sent 40 divisions—800,000 men—from the eastern front to the west to check the Entente drive.

Upon the heels of this news come dispatches from the front, giving authoritative figures as to the German losses in the vain counter thrusts against the French and British. Correspondents at British headquarters, taking advantage of a new lull in the fighting, telegraphed totals compiled from authoritative quarters, showing unprecedented casualties on the German side.

Between April 16 and May 1, these figures show, the Teutons lost in killed, wounded and captured 200,000 men on the French front alone. This makes an average of more than 500 men killed every hour in sixteen days. In the last two weeks, it is asserted, the German losses were even greater.

Nearly 50,000 prisoners were taken by the French and British between April 9 and May 12, the exact figure being 49,579, including 976 officers. To fill these terrific gaps, Hindenburg is throwing more and more divisions from the east into the western battle, relying upon the disorganization of the Russian army to eliminate it as an offensive factor.

## PAN-AMERICA TO SEND FOOD

Promise to Double Production if U. S.  
Will Furnish Capital.

Washington—Prospects of food exports totaling approximately \$1,000,000 from Latin-America for the United States and the Entente Allies are held out here by the Pan-American union. More than three-fourths of the food will be shipped to England and France.

John Barrett, director of the union, announced this government work had been extended to all Latin-America in an effort to obtain this stupendous supply of foodstuffs. The United States government is urged to furnish the Latin-American nations with capital, machinery and agricultural experts necessary to double the food production.

## TEUTON NAVY BASE BURNS

Wilhelmshaven, on North Sea, Seriously  
Damaged By Fire.

Amsterdam, via London—For seven hours a great fire raged on the Imperial wharves at Wilhelmshaven, according to advices received here. The submarine building department was seriously damaged. The entire district has been closed to the public.

Flint—One thousand garden hoses have been purchased by William Ling, of this city, to be distributed free to children planning to cultivate a garden during the summer.

Jackson—General secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. from Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids, Detroit, Adrian and Ann Arbor were in Jackson to discuss work which confronts the association. It is planned to establish "huts" for the direct benefit of recruits located in various training and concentration camps.

# GUARDS EXPECT TO TRAIN AT GRAYLING

LEADERS ARE PREPARING CAMP  
TO ACCOMMODATE ENTIRE  
ELEVENTH DIVISION.

## EXPECT TO MOBILIZE JULY 1







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## CORRESPONDENCE

## NORTH LAKE NOTES.

W. S. Baird is now driving a new Overland touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Thomas were Ann Arbor visitors Monday.

Miss Clara Fuller, of Webster, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Raymond Webb, who has been very ill with pneumonia is better at this writing.

Miss Clarice Wright, of Chelsea, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson.

Mrs. Lucy Wood is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Isham, of Chelsea.

Miss Mildred Daniels, of Albion, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Miss Loretta Heim and brother Louis, of Sylvan, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. James Hankerd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schmeier, of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hopkins, Miss Johanna Hankerd and Herbert Hudson visited friends in Ypsilanti Sunday.

The Jolly Jingle Singing Club of the North Lake church will hold a shadow social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hadley on Friday, May 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fuller entertained at their home Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Russell Briggs, of Chelsea, Tokey and Robert Williams and Wilson Briggs, of Ypsilanti.

## FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

Henry Seid, of Jackson, spent the week end with his parents.

Miss Myrta Sager is improving nicely since her operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Minnie Gage, of North Francisco, called on Francisco friends Thursday.

Mrs. Mattie O'Donnell returned to Detroit Thursday after spending a week with Mrs. Nora Notten.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Somerville entertained the Gleaners at their home west of town Wednesday evening.

Geo. H. Bohne and daughter, Miss Nettie, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John List north of Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Heile spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Horning, of South Francisco.

Misses Velma Bohne and Hazel Wahl took the eighth grade examinations in Grass Lake Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Martha Seckinger was born in Germany, February 16, 1846, and died at her home here Friday, May 11, 1917. At the age of six years she came to this country with her parents. She had been in failing health for the past five months. She was united in marriage with Conrad Seckinger, October 1, 1870. She is survived by two sons, Edward, of Francisco, and William, of South Bend, one daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Scherer, of Francisco, three grandchildren and three sisters. The funeral was held Monday forenoon from St. John's church, Rev. A. A. Schoen, of Chelsea, officiating. Interment at St. John's cemetery.

## WATERLOO DOINGS.

Floyd Durkee spent Sunday in Plainfield.

Mrs. Adolph Meyer spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Ernest Moeckel, of Trist, spent Sunday in this vicinity.

Mrs. Kate Moeckel and grandson, Meryl, were Chelsea visitors Monday.

Mrs. Olga Copeland left Monday for Flint where she will make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vicary and family, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her father and brother.

Glenn Rentschler was in Grass Lake Thursday and Friday attending the eighth grade examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Artz and son spent Sunday at the home of his brother, Fred Artz and family, of Sylvan.

Miss Aurieit Lehman, of North Francisco, is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Beeman, of Lyndon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barber attended the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Earl Wolfinger, in Grass Lake Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stocking, of Detroit, spent several days of the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rommel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rommel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee and Mr. and Mrs. Will Stocking attended the funeral of Mrs. Rommel's sister, Mrs. Conrad Seckinger, in Francisco on Monday.

## SHARON NEWS.

Miss Jennie Dresselhouse, of Jackson, visited her parents Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Curtis visited her friend, Lola Katz, of Waterloo, over the week end.

Mrs. A. Smith, of Manchester, was an over Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. L. B. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. James Peckins, of Lyons, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lehman over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Dorr and children, of Detroit, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dorr, Sunday.

Mrs. M. O'Neil, of Grass Lake, is spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Amos Curtis.

Topic for Epworth League Sunday evening: "Is it easier to be good when poor?" Leader, James Struthers.

## SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Peter Lebeck was an Ann Arbor visitor last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boyd were in Ann Arbor on business last Wednesday.

John Merker is the owner of a new family horse which he purchased of J. E. McKune.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heselschwerdt, of Ann Arbor, called on Mrs. Mary Merker and family Saturday.

Elliott McCarter, of Chelsea, spent several days of the past week in Sylvan working in Maple Grove cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bush have moved their household goods to Ypsilanti where he has a position with the Standard Oil Co.

## NORTH FRANCISCO.

Mrs. H. Main is spending a few days in Jackson.

Mrs. Minnie Gage spent the week end in Chelsea.

Mrs. Edna Loveland, who has been ill, is reported as being better.

Mrs. Mary Havens spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Mrs. Ada Mensing has returned home from Chelsea where she spent a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fauser were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lambert.

Mrs. A. S. Mitchell, of Jackson, spent Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Main.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Beeman and family, of Lyndon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hoppe, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Richards.

The Mothers' Day service at Salem German M. E. church Sunday evening was well attended. An excellent program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Capen, of Grass Lake, and Henry Seid, of Jackson, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harvey Sunday.

## LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stedman were recent Lansing visitors.

John Schanz has had a new windmill erected at his home.

Miss Estella Guerin, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Lima friends.

Miss Hilda Gross spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gross spent one day of last week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Zahn.

Mrs. O. Eaton and Miss Frances Waters spent the week end in Ypsilanti.

Misses Minnie and Alma Kaercher, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stedman spent two days of last week with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wenk and children spent Sunday evening with relatives in Freedom.

Miss Emma Kaercher, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Vern Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gray, of Windsor, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Eiseman and children spent Sunday in Freedom with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loeffler.

Mrs. Lizzie Taylor, of Gregory, spent several days of the past week at the home of George Taylor and family.

Pearl and Floyd Finkbeiner and Gerald Luick wrote the eighth grade examinations in Chelsea Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strieter and Mr. and Mrs. C. Casterline, of Ann Arbor, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Strieter Sunday.

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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank**  
At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business May 1st, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts, viz:—		\$ 83,004 56
Commercial Department		35,300 00
Savings Department		47,704 56
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—		30,198 24
Commercial Department		293,322 65
Savings Department		294,020 89
Premium account		200 00
Overdrafts		30 08
Banking house		2,800 00
Furniture and fixtures		1,000 00
Due from other Banks and Bankers		
Items in transit		
Reserve		
Due from banks in reserve cities		\$ 7,546 47
Commercial		\$ 64,000 00
Exchange for clearing house		976 64
U. S. and National bank currency		5,541 00
Gold coin		1,310 00
Silver coin		1,844 05
Nickels and cents		559 08
Checks, and other cash items		\$15,817 24
Total		\$72,888 54
Capital stock paid in		\$8,700 78
Surplus		\$25,000 00
Undivided profits, net		25,000 00
Dividends unpaid		8,399 92
Commercial deposits subject to check		83,650 00
Certified checks		1,030 50
Cashiers' checks outstanding		324,104 71
Savings deposits (book accounts)		47,901 48
Savings certificates of deposit		456,686 69
Total		\$515,056 31
State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.		
I, P. G. Schaible, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.		
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of May, 1917.		
Correct—Attest:		
John Farrell		
O. C. Burkhardt		
J. P. Waltrous		
My commission expires November 10, 1920.		

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank**  
At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business May 1st, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts, viz:—		\$176,000 12
Commercial Department		60,146 66
Savings Department		\$236,446 78
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—		13,185 91
Commercial Department		\$240,762 39
Savings Department		\$33,988 30
Premium Account		1,218 11
Overdrafts		None
Banking house		15,000 00
Furniture and fixtures		5,000 00
Other real estate		2,302 24
Due from other banks and bankers		
Items in transit		
Reserve		
United States bonds		Commercial
Due from banks in reserve cities		\$ 2,500 00
Exchange for clearing house		62,012 74
U. S. and National bank currency		1,012 71
Gold coin		4,763 00
Silver coin		13,000 00
Nickels and cents		10,000 00
Checks, and other cash items		\$40,241 64
Total		\$79,512 74
Capital stock paid in		\$40,000 00
Surplus fund		40,000 00
Undivided profits, net		40,000 00
Dividends unpaid		25,768 61
Commercial deposits subject to check		\$1
Certified checks		\$142,723 45
Cashiers' checks outstanding		60,259 63
Savings deposits (book accounts)		2,927 00
Savings certificates of deposit		2,095 50
Total		\$48,355 51
State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.		
I, John L. Fletcher, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.		
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May, 1917.		
Correct—Attest:		
Lewis P. Vogel		
H. S. Holmes		
Otto D. Lailek		
My commission expires April 16, 1919.		

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