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INTERESTING TALK ON CARE OF EYES

Dr. Parker, of Detroit, Addressed Parent-Teachers Association.

At the Parent-Teachers Association meeting last evening Dr. W. R. Parker, of Detroit, gave an excellent address on "Defects of Eyesight and What To Do For Them."

The speaker traced the development of the eye from birth and sketched very interestingly the several stages of development, defects that may arise, what corrective measures should be applied and finally closed with an especially interesting talk on the development of cataracts and their treatment. Contrary to popular belief, cataracts do not form on the outside or surface of the eye ball and the only relief from such ailment is an operation.

A feature of the evening's entertainment was the excellent musical numbers under the direction of Robert Inskip, of Ann Arbor, including a saxaphone quartet by Misses Audrey Harris, Dorothy Cavanaugh, Paul Axtell and Mr. Inskip, and duets by Miss Harris and Mr. Inskip. Miss Ann Rogers played the piano accompaniments for all of the musical numbers

Following the close of the regular program, a number of those present remained to discuss several matters pertinent to the welfare of the school one of the questions being a proposal to convert the basement of the high *school into a gymnasium room.*

At the next meeting in February Mr. Gallup, a former superintendent of the Chelsea school, will be the speaker.

HAS INFECTED ANKLE

Robert Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lawrence was taken to the hospital in Ann Arbor, Friday, and submitted to an operation on an infected ankle the same evening.

Early in December he suffered a slight injury to his ankle at the plant of the Packard Motor Co., Detroit, where he is employed, but it was a mere scratch and little attention was paid it at the time. The place refused to heal, however, and finally became so infected that it became necessary to operate.

Last reports were to the effect that Mr. Lawrence is recovering as rapidly as could be expected.

POMONA GRANGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Members of Washtenaw Pomona Grange held an enthusiastic quarterly meeting Tuesday with the Ypsilanti Grange acting as hosts. Nearly every grange in the county was represented, all showing substantial gains in membership. Officers were elected as follows:

Master, Mrs. N. W. Laird, Chelsea; overseer, C. W. Alexander, Ann Arbor; lecturer, Mrs. Eugene Strang Ypsilanti; steward, E. W. Twist, Ypsilanti; assistant steward, Floyd A Uloth, Ann Arbor; chap., Mrs. Gieske, Cavanaugh Lake; treasurer, R. T. Brokaw, Ann Arbor; secretary, Mrs. D. V. Harris, Ypsilanti; gate keeper, Clarence Buss, Chelsea; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Floyd A. Uloth, Ann Arbor; Ceres, Mrs. George Arnold, Scio; Pomona, Mrs. Wm. Martin, Manchester; Flora, Mrs. Howard Ball Webster.

Directors for two years: George English, Chelsea; Mrs. C. E. Sterry, Ann Arbor.

Directors for one year: George Wing, Scio; Henry Wing, Pleasant Lake.

Boys catching on bob-sleighs Saturday made it seem like "the good old winter time."

This is the time of year when the fish worms have a long vacation.

Day By Day In Every Way

Emile Coué, a little French chemist of Nancy, is in the United States with a new system of auto-suggestion. "Day by day in every way I am getting better and better," cures she says if repeated regularly and believed in by those

WEATHER AND FOOTING BOTH MIGHTY FICKLE

All sorts of weather has been the portion of this section of late, including snow, sleet, rain, and freezing and thawing; all within a few hours time. And the *footing* Monday morning was just as fickle as the weather. one has to tread with caution. We are told that one usually sedate citizen broadcasted a whole dozen of eggs all over the landscape when he stepped on a particularly treacherous and glary spot, but we cannot vouch for the story as a fact. Anyway, in our opinion, it might easily have happened.

CHARLOTTE-CHELSEA DEBATE SATURDAY

Local High School Team Made An Excellent Showing, Considering Their Inexperience.

Chelsea High school debating team including Miss Ruth Dancer, Gerald Reithmiller and Paul Risley, debated the Charlotte high school team Saturday evening in Charlotte, on the question: "Shall Canada and the United States jointly construct a St. Lawrence waterway to the ocean?"

Although Charlotte won the debate the judges, all men from Michigan Agricultural College, gave the Chelsea team credit for having the best thought and arguments, in both the constructive speeches and the rebuttal. The members of the Charlotte team were more at home on the platform, an advantage resulting perhaps from the fact that debating has been a part of their activities for a number of years. Also, two members of their team were on last year's team and they have debated the question under discussion Saturday twice before this year.

Chelsea, on the other hand, is comparatively new at debating, last year's team being the first in a long time. The team which gained such an excellent start last year was broken up last spring by the graduation of two members, and the two new members are inexperienced and were more or less "stage struck."

The Chelsea team was also obliged *to prepare their work in the nine days* since the holiday vacation. An opportunity for strenuous drill on presentation might have spelled defeat for Charlotte.

Both the members of the team and Superintendent and Mrs. Clark were royally treated on every hand. Mr and Mrs. Lee Chandler entertained them at a delicious dinner and following the debate, the teachers and debating team of the Charlotte school *served supper.*

DANSVILLE-CHELSEA BASKET BALL GAMES

Chelsea High Won Both Girls And Boys Contests.

Two of the most interesting games o fthe high school basket ball schedule were played Friday evening at Dansville, between the Chelsea and Dansville high school teams.

The Dansville girls had had some intensive practice since they were beaten by the Chelsea girls on December 8th and the contest Friday evening was much closer and more interesting. Miss Lambert played her usual good game as forward for Chelsea and the guards of the local team deserve credit for their efficient work, keeping the ball at Chelsea's end of the floor. The final score was 19 to 6 in favor of Chelsea.

Boys Have New Suits.

The Chelsea boys appeared in the contest in their new suits for the first time and made a very distintive showing. Dansville made seven of her nine points in the game on fouls, never having a real opportunity to make a field goal, as Beuhler and Vogel, the Chelsea guards, were too quick for them, blocking throws and repeatedly gaining possession of the ball. Mayer, the forward, caged most of the baskets for Chelsea. Final score, 10 to 9

Dansville has just completed a fine new school building, with a modern gymnasium. Supper was served the visitors in the domestic science room, and the team reports very courteous treatment.

John Oliver, who has been foreman of the Chelsea Standard for several months, left Saturday for St. Louis, where he expects to engage in the mercantile line. Mr. Arthur McClure, recently of Bellevue, Ohio, and a brother of the publisher, is now in charge of the mechanical work of the office. For the present Mr. McClure's family is making their home with his parents, near Mill Lake.

Mrs. Charles Steinbach returned home Friday from a three week's visit at the home of her son K. O. Steinbach and family of Flint.

Too Much Competition

HOWELL MEN INJURED

Automobile Wrecked Just North of Dexter Avoiding Collision With Truck.

Several Howell men were painfully injured Tuesday morning when their automobile crashed into a telephone pole on the Dexter-Pinckney road. One of the party was W. R. Johnson, a brother-in-law of Verne Fordyce of this place. Regarding the accident, the Livingston Democrat of Howell said:

"Yesterday morning H. N. Carlisle, Walter Johnson and three other Howell gentlemen started for Ann Arbor in Mr. Carlisle's machine and were making the trip nicely until about 3 miles north of Dexter, when a truck came out in front of them from a side road. The driver, Mr. Carlisle with the view of averting a collision with the truck, pulled out to go round the truck and as he did so ran up against a telephone pole, staving in the front of the automobile. Mr. Carlisle received several flesh wounds from the broken glass in the windshield. Mr. Johnson came out of the wreck with a broken nose and sprained wrist. The three gentlemen riding in the back seat escaped all injury. Carlisle and Johnson were hastily taken to Dexter, where a physician dressed the wounds and all five gentlemen returned home later in the day.

ST. MARY RESERVES LOSE CLOSE GAME

St. Mary Reserves were defeated in Jackson, Friday evening, by the Jackson High School Reserves in a hard fought basket ball game, score 12 to 11.

The first half ended 6 to 6, but during the second two quarters the weight advantage of the Jackson lads began to tell on the lighter Chelsea lads, the third quarter ending 10 to 9, in favor of the Jackson quint. The line-up and summary follows:

Jackson (12)	Pos.	Chelsea (11)
Chanter	LF	Paul Hoffman
Pinegar	RF	Madden
Van Wgner	C	Phil Hoffman
Gates	LG	J. Eder
Chittum	RG	E. Eder

Score at end of first half, Jackson 5, Chelsea 6.

Jackson scoring. Field goals, Chanter 3, Pinegar 2, Gates. Free throws, Gates 0 in 1.

Chelsea scoring. Field goals, Paul Hoffman 2, Madden, Phil. Hoffman 2. Free throws, Phil. Hoffman 1 in 3.

Substitutions, Diehl for Chanter, Bannish for Pinegar.

Time of quarters, 7 minutes.

Referee, Mitchell, U. of M.

SLEIGH RIDE PARTY.

The Chelsea Oddfellows and Rebekahs enjoyed an old-fashioned sleigh ride party, Friday night, two loads of about 40 persons making the trip to the pleasant farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser ,about three and one-half miles west of Chelsea.

An excellent lunch was served, including delicious home-made ice cream prepared by the hostess, and cards and dancing furnished further entertainment until a late hour.

H. D. Witherell has been nursing two very sore fingers the past week, the result of catching them in a door as he was entering an interurban car.

TRIBUNE SMILES

It is useless to grasp an opportunity if you don't intend to do anything but stand around and hold on to it.

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Every time a man borrows trouble he gets the worst of the transaction.

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One of the best things to have around is a good square meal.

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The girl with the smile wins—If it's a smile of indifference. Men are like persimmons—it takes a touch of "frost" to make them sweet.

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What is so rare as a hot day in winter?

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Many a cheap fountain pen signs a big check.

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Acting low down is not the proper way to get higher up.

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If many of our day dreams came true they would be nightmares.

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About the biggest falsifier is one who asks another for a frank criticism of himself, and the biggest fool is one who gives it.

AUTO BADLY WRECKED NEAR STOCKBRIDGE

Chelsea High School Lads Failed To Make Turn and Stop Against Tree.

Buick automobile owned by Carl Bagge of Chelsea was badly wrecked late Friday night just west of Stockbridge when four Chelsea high school lads en route to Dansville failed to make the turn on state trunk line M-92 and hurdled the ditch, stopping against a large tree in a farm yard. *All four boys were bruised and cut,* but fortunately none were seriously injured.

Chelseaites returning home from the basket ball game in Dansville brought the lads home and also assisted in getting the wrecked machine into the Ford garage in Stockbridge.

Turn Over a New Leaf

If you are not a user and a reader of want ads, make a resolution to do so during the coming new year.

Those who read and use want ads get their choice of jobs, of bargains, of places to live, in fact of almost everything.

ALWAYS AHEAD

OBITUARY

OLIVER I. CUSHMAN.

Oliver I. Cushman died Sunday, January 14, 1923, in Ann Arbor where he had been a patient for several weeks, aged 64 years.

Mr. Cushman was born in Sharon township, May 8, 1858, and had always resided in this vncinity, and for the past 15 years in Chelsea. He was united in marriage with Miss Carrie Beckwith September 28, 1893, who is left with five children to mourn their loss. The children are: Mrs. Ethel Havens of Grass Lake, Mrs. Iza Jones of Chelsea, Leon, Viola and Ray at home. He is survived also by one brother, Romaine Cushman of Williamston.

Mr. Cushman was a charter member of the Woodmen and members of that order acted as pall bearers.

The funeral was held from the house this afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. A. A. Schoen of Manchester conducting the service. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

WILLIAM LONG.

William Long, for many years a resident of North Sylvan in the vicinity of Mill Lake, and later of Chelsea, died Sunday night in Detroit of pneumonia. He was past 70 years of age and leaves a widow, one daughter, Mrs. John Gazely, and two sons, Harry and John.

The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at ten o'clock from St. Thomas church, Detroit.

M. E HOME NEWS

Mrs. Mary Proctor, of Wayne, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Ard.

Miss Jennie MacArthur, of Detroit, and Mrs. Cooper, of Ann Arbor, were recent visitors of Miss Elizabeth MacArthur.

Miss Eva Fahrner is in Detroit for a few days visiting relatives.

Rev. Cookson, of Bay City, called to see Mrs. Ellen Galbraith on Thursday P. M.

Mrs. Isador Holt who has been speding some time with her mother, Mrs. Martha Geddes, has gone to Pittsburg, Pa., to spend the winter with her daughter.

Rev. J. B. Olive of Highland Park, spent the weekend at the Home. Rev. Oliver is a member of the official board and expressed himself as much pleased with conditions found at the Home.

Rev. Risley, Mrs. Risley and aunt Mrs. Mary Leach, of Jackson, called Saturday P. M. to see Mr. and Mrs. Brosius.

Miss Gritzner and Harold Storms called Sunday P. M. to see Mrs. Rebecca Robbins.

Mr. Milner, of Stockbridge, made a number of business calls at the Home during the past week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Randall has gone to Birmingham to spend a few days with her son, Mr. Lewis Randall.

Mr. Wm. Henderson has entered the St. Joseph's hospitalin Ann Arbor for treatment.

Mr. Van Steere ,of Chicago, was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. VanBuskirk, Friday.

When crab meets crab they side step.

FIRE SIGNALS CHANGED

At the meeting of the village council last evening it was decided to institute a change in the fire signal system. Hereafter, fires in the business section of town will be indicated by one long and continued blast of the whistle. Fires in the resident sections of town will be designated as heretofore. An official notice of the new system will be published later.

AN EARLY SPRING, MAYBE.

A few days ago we read in a daily paper that a robin had been repeatedly seen by a resident of Tawas City and Sunday the writer saw a meadow lark in his back yard, apparently as much at home as in mid-summer. The presence of these birds so far north at this time of the year is usually considered to presage an unusally early spring and so we are passing along the information for what it may be worth. At least, it may take the sting out of the next coal bill!

THE NEWSPAPERS SUPREME

The New York Sun's financial department announces that Vivaudoul Inc., has become the exclusive selling agent for the product of the Mineralava Company for the next twenty-one years. The Sun says: "Under this contract the Mineralava Company agrees to spend a *minimum of* $1,000,000 a year in advertising. The VivaudouCompany is reported to have *earned upward of $3 a share on its* 300,000 shares of stock last year, and company officials express confidence that 1923 will show an increase in earnings from the regular business as compared with 1922. In addition it is estimated thenew contract will add in earnings as much as $3 a share on Vivaudou stock, which was today selling in new high ground, above 16"

The attractivevalue of newspaper advertising space was never more forceably illustrated than in the unusual success won by Mineralva Beauty Clay which has just entered into a contract agreeing to spend $1,000,000 a year in advertising through a period of the next twenty-one years. Much of the success won by Mineralava has been due to newspaper advertising, and the greater portion of the large expenditure *contracted for, will be devoted to the* newspapers of this country. The Mineralava company has recently made exhaustive tests of advertising in the leading newspapers of twelve cities, as a result of which they have determined that they will get quicker and better returns from newspaper campaigns in the cities and towns than would be possible through any other mediums.

JUVENILE INGENUITY.

A bunch of small boys were sliding down hill a few days ago and one lad was accompanied by his pet dog. Each time the boys would coast down the hill the dog would caper along too. Then all would turn about for the ascent, the lads dragging their sleds behind them, which savored some of work.

But finally the lad with the dog had an idea—he tied his sled rope to the dog's collar and then threw a small stick up the hill ahead of him. The dog dashed madly after the stick, closely followed by the boy and at no time at all the sled was back up the hill and the ingenius boy had saved himself the trouble and work of drawing it himself.

CHICKEN-HOOCH IS LATEST.

A cement plant Negro *is said to* have suggested a new name for intoxicating drinks of the white mule variety, designating them as "Chicken-Hooch." He says the reason for the name comes from the fact that if you take one drink you are pretty sure to lay shortly afterwards.

SCHOOL DOG IS LATEST.

A large tramp St. Bernard dog has won its way into the hearts of the school students in Eaton Rapids, and he now is a "licensed" dog. The dog has been around town for some time, apparently with no owner . He found his way to the high school, and this is now his daily stand. He is privileged to pass in an out at will and lies by the hour in the various rooms. The high school students have taken a special liking to the dog, and Friday they took up a collection amounting to $3.95, and paid the dog tax, secured the tag, and purchased a collar for him to wear. They are now contemplating buying him a blanket and making him a mascot for the school. They call him "Ted."

Miss Elizabeth Schwikerath of Detroit spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dryer. Miss Schwikerath and her mother, Mrs. Robert Schwikerath, are spending the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long of Detroit.

Mrs. Lawrence Umstead spent several days of the past week with friends in Detroit.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Our Phone No. 190

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Sargent of Jackson spent the weekend at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lambert.

Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Carnes and family are spending a few days of this week with relatives in Kalamazoo.

Miss Martha Kusterer of Ann Arbor spent the weekend at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Kusterer.

Miss Ida Kuesch of Detroit spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kuesch.

Mrs. Earl Hatfield of Ann Arbor spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sawyer.

Special Meeting R. A. M.

Special meeting of Olive Chapter No. 140, Friday evening, January 19. Work in the Royal Arch degree. Refreshments.

Mrs. D. C. McLaren spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor at the home of Mrs. C. M. Fillmore, Eber White Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hana of Ann Arbor were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holmes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt S. McLaren and daughter, Virginia of Jackson, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren.

Rollin and Winston Schenk of Jackson are guests at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Schenk and family of Jackson are moving to Chicago this week where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall of Jackson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mohrlock, Sunday.

Miss Lena Miller is spending this week in Detroit.

Verne Fordyce was a Howell visitor Monday.

Mrs. Kate Reinfrank is spending a few days with relatives in Ann Arbor.

Henry Everett of Chicago, spent Sunday at his farm south of town.

E. S. Spaulding, *who has been* spending several weeks at his farm has returned to Chicago.

Geraldine Howell, of Ann Arbor, spent a few days of the past week with Mrs. B. C. Whitaker, of Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hudler and little son, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith.

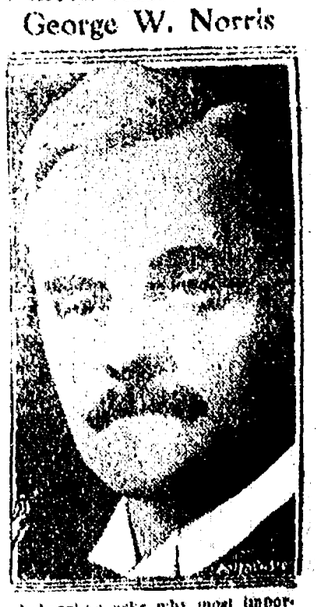
Mrs. H. E. Fletcher entertained Friday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. George Steinbach and Mr. and Mrs. John Steinbach, of Lima.

Mrs. Max Irwin and daughters, of Grass Lake, spent a few days of the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lawrence.

Vern Fordyce was in Ann Arbor Friday.

Arthur Ritter left Friday evening for his home in Eagle, Michigan, to spend some time.

United States Senator George W. Norris



Nebraska asks why most important *things in our country, the presidency, is left to* all through choices of political losers the end of by direct primary. The true voice of the voters

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RAILROADS AND AUTOS AND OIL

"All that goes up comes down, said a wise man of somewhere perhaps several eons ago. Twentieth century natives of the planet known as earth were beginning to doubt the statement, especially since the war, when watching costs soar through unbelievable heights with no evident intention of returning earthward.

But now there is hope. Occassionally a price falters in its flight and slides down to a lower level, perhaps still out of reach but nevertheless, lower. Confining our remarks to an even more restricted sphere, let us talk of railroads, and fares to the farmers' meetings. Railroads are offering one fourth off to farmers who wish to attend the meetings. Such a thing was common in the dim past, back before the war when passenger trains were run with a view to serve not as a begrudged *accommodation*.

It was the law of gravity that prompted that first scholar to make his famous remark about things coming down. It is another law in the case of the railroads. They are not offering rates and occasional excursions because they feel they have been unfair in the past. It is the law of self-preservation that is prompting. A few years ago the railroad company could place prices where it pleased and tell the prospective customer to ride at that rate, or stay home, knowing that in many cases he had to ride. Nowadays, if the fare is not reasonable the farmer, the business man, the merchant, can step on the starter and spin over the roads of stone and oiled dirt with almost the same degree of comfort, and less strain on his purse strings.

Railroads are the backbone of our American economic life and we shall always need them, as many as we now have, and more. But the day is past when they can dictate passenger rates. The automobile and the oil trail have come to the rescue.

THE NEW PERIL

One woman in eight and one man in 11 dies of cancer. So the public should gladly give deep thought to the medical warnings and advice circulated.

Here are the *important facts you should know* about this dread disease:

1. Cancer usually is caused by chronic irritation, particularly of the stomach. Thirty per cent of cancers in men and 21 per cent in women are in the stomach.

2. Cancer is not contagious. It is not a germ disease.

3. Cancer is not heredity, tho a person may inherit a "tendency" or physical weakness which, not safe guarded may enable cancer to develop easily.

4. Cancer, taken in the early stages, often is curable in the hands of medical experts. Radium is working wonders in this line. So is surgery.

Dr. Francis Carter Wood, director of the Columbia university institute of cancer research, learned this: Between the ages of nd 19, only one person in 250,000 dies of cancer. Between 20 and 24, only one person in 200,000. Between 25 and 34, one man in 10,000 and one woman in 5,000 dies of cancer. And so the rate rises until, between the ages of 65 and 75, one man in 200 and one woman in 150 dies of cancer.

Thus cancer is especially dangerous in middleage and after. But the irritation or other cause of cancer often starts much earlier, so no one is immune, and all should be on their guard.

As with other diseases, a periodical physical examination by a skilled physician is the best safeguard against cancer.

THE ICONOCLASTIC AGE

Barnum set the country talking about his white elephant—until rain during a parade washed off its coat of white wash. Stung once, most of us doubt there's really such a thing as a white one. Which is a study in human nature.

Word comes that white elephants do exist in Siam. Several are kept in captivity in Bangkok, where the straw hats come from. But, alas, the white elephant is losing its prestige among the Siamese, who formerly considered it supernatural. Millions believe that Buddha was a white elephant in one of his incarnations. Ours is an iconoclastic age.

MENTAL HEALING

The medical profession is urged to "recognize" psychoanalysis by Lord Dawson of Penn. He's the king's physician in England. Ethical doctors should take a hand at it, he urges, to save patients from being victimized by an army of fakers.

Mental healing *has more quacks and patent medicine* men than ever sold pills and dollar a quart cure alls. Be warned. Tinkering with the subconscious mind is more dangerous than taking poisons as medicine except under expert scientific guidance.

BUYING POWER.

Wholesale *prices in November advanced nearly 2* per cent. That's the average. Meat dropped 1 per cent, metals 3.

Meantime housewives noticed that the weekly allowance shrank, in purchasing power, more than 2 per cent. The nation again may be headed toward the point where prices will be prohibitive—so high that people will be unable to buy. Unless this trend is checked, another business slump is inevitable. The goose has only so many feathers to be plucked.

STARTING FIRES

Nearly 7,000,000 Americans a year visit their *national forests*. In 1921 they started a third of the 6,000 forest fires that burned over 875,000 acres and cost half a million dollars to fight. This year, about the same.

One nevery 3,500 visitors started a fire by carelessness!

Were you among them—by carelessly tossing aside burning matches, cigaret butts or failing to extinguish camp fires?

Even cautious business men have reckless spells. Rockefeller gave dimes to several photographers.

In Russia, retail trading is done with wholesale money.

WHISPERS

Little thinks in the field, you red-winked clown
Of thee from the hill-top looking down;
The heifer that lows in the upland farm,
Far-heard, lows not thine ear to charm;
The sexton tolling his bell at noon
Deems not that great Napoleon
Stopes his horse, and lists with delight,
Whilst *his files sweep round yon Alpine* height;
Deems not that great Napoleon
Nor knowest thou what argument
They life to the neighbor's creed has lent.
All are needed by each one—
Nothing is fair or good alone.
I thought the sparrow's not from heaven,
Singing at dawn on the alder bough;
I brought him home, in his nest, at even;
He sings the song, but it cheers not now;
For I did not bring home the river and sky;
He sang in my ear,—they sang in my eye.

—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

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Compliments fluently spoken mean little.

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Good manners would prevent many divorces.

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"In days of old, the knights were bold," now its the maids who are bold.

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Being proud of your humility is worse than not being humble.

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Yes, it is possible for a girl to be pretty, and talented, too.

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Some men are so stingy that they will not even give you a smile.

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Time will tell, if the gossips don't beat it out.

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You can't build a sky scraper on a one-story foundation.

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Sometimes a girls heart is melted by a man's love, but his cold cash seems to operate even more quickly.

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Fools in glad rags are permitted to rush in where unlaundered hobos would be knocked down and dragged out.

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A man would'nt swear at a dull razor if the razor hadn't lost its temper first.

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Some people's idea o fa good conversationalist is one who knows a lot of scandal.

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Give the wife pin money or she will get alimony.

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A radical is one who has not yet reached the feed trough. Even the pig stops squealing when he begins to eat.

An air-operated hand-pick for miners has been invented by a German. It is used in spaces too small for the swinging pick.

Michigan Happenings

There is less unemployment throughout the state this winter than there has been for several years, according to a report issued by the state department of labor. Usually just after the holiday period, there is a time of seasonal unemployment, when many *concerns shut down for inventory* or because orders are slack. The situation this year is entirely different, the officials declare, due largely to the increased prosperity in the automobile and allied industries. The report shows most of the auto plants running full capacity to meet the unusually heavy orders for the spring trade.

Earl Grey, 23 years old, well known race driver, Flint, was killed at the Gulf Coast Speedway in Houston, Texas, on the last lap of the second race. Grey had hit the inside fence in the previous lap but continued to drive with a piece of fence wedged between his left front wheel and the steering gear. As he tried to come out of the turn onto the homestretch in the last lap, the board caught his steering apparatus, causing him to turn over. He was caught under the *car and crushed. He died instantly.*

For an alleged illegal raid by the police clean-up squad on his pool room on Grand River avenue, Detroit, Nathan Linder was given a $2,750 verdict against four members of the squad, before Judge Willis B. Perkins of Grand Rapids, in Wayne Circuit court. Judge Perkins told the jury that the search warrant used by the detectives in making the raid, was invalid because based on a faulty affidavit

Radio "traffic" in Owosso may be regulated by agreement of radio operators here, according to Mayor A. T. Wright. The mayor said owners of receiving sets have asked him to call a meeting of all radio enthusiasts to fix a time for receiving and sending. It is claimed when sending sets are started it makes a meaningless jumble of all programs being broadcasted.

Frank Colbaruso, 34, is dead from burns that almost completely covered his body, received when a broken cable let drop half a ton of molten metal at the plant of the Albion Malleable Iron *company. Much of* the metal fell on Colbaruso, igniting his clothing. Other workmen hurled him in molding sand to extinguish the flames.

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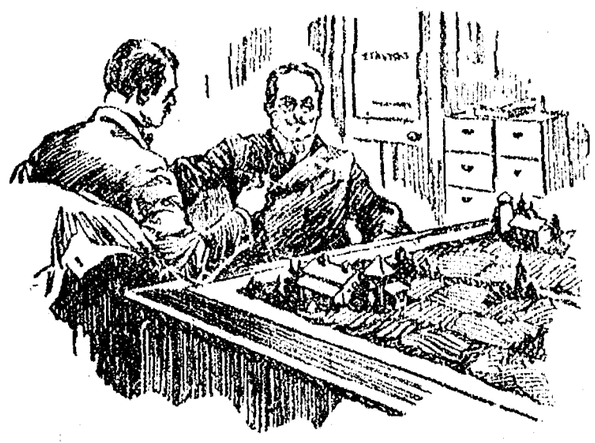

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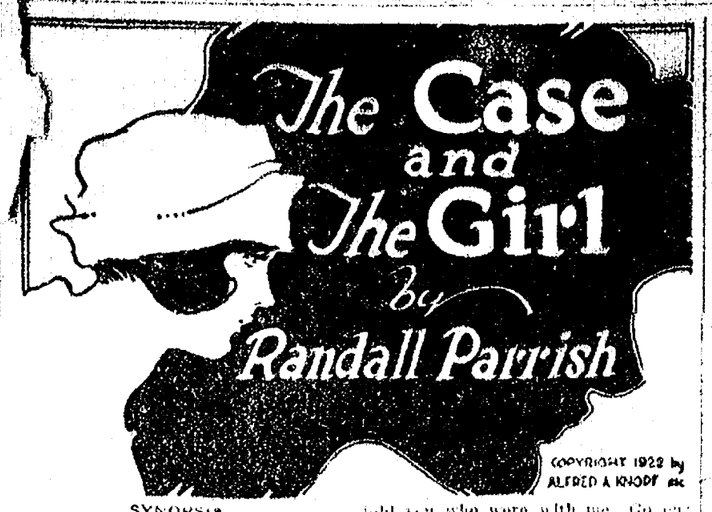

SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—Answering an advertisement calling for a young man willing to engage in service of danger, Matthew West, ex-service man just returned from France, where he had been captain of engineers, meets Natalie Coolidge, writer of the advertisement, and without being instructed as to his probable duties, is engaged by her, and that same evening introduced to her friends as her fiance.

CHAPTER II.—That night, in the Coolidge home, West is startled by the appearance in his room of a young woman, whom he takes to be Natalie, but who escapes before he can be sure. Next morning Natalie tells West she has been troubled by *some woman, apparently her* double, who has been impersonating her.

CHAPTER III.—Percival Coolidge, Natalie's uncle and guardian, apparently is disgruntled by West's appearance as Natalie's fiance, and the feeling of antagonism is mutual. Natalie, Coolidge, and West plan a visit of charity to a poor and remote section of the city.

CHAPTER IV.—Leaving West in the car, Natalie and Coolidge enter a small cottage, remaining a length of time which causes him some uneasiness. Before they return, West secures information which leads him to believe Coolidge is deceiving Natalie, and has ulterior motives.

CHAPTER V.—On the party's return to the Coolidge home, Natalie informs West she has been mistaken in her suspicions concerning her "double," and that she has no further need for his services. West is astounded, but helpless. He leaves.

CHAPTER VI.—On his way out of the grounds, West hears a revolver shot, and investigates. He finds Percival Coolidge dead, apparently a suicide. The inquest so determines. In the city West is visited by Sexton, an old servant of the Coolidges. Sexton tells him he has been abruptly dismissed, for no apparent reason. He gives it as his belief that Coolidge was murdered, and about convinces West he is right.

CHAPTER VII.—Sexton has overheard a telephone conversation in the Coolidge home, in which a man demands Natalie's presence immediately. He gives an address, and with Sexton, West, his suspicions of things not being right strengthened by his learning that Coolidge had lied about *the reason for the trip to the* cottage, visits the place. It is a disreputable saloon.

CHAPTER VIII.—West is taken by surprise, knocked out, separated from Sexton, and comes to his senses to find himself bound and helpless, and confronted by a man named Hobart, whom West *knows* to be the man who had routed the house which Natalie visited. The man tells him he (West) is interfering with his plans and if he persists will be done away with. West refuses any compromise. Hobart sends for Natalie, hoping she can induce West to give up his quest.

CHAPTER IX.—Natalie releases West from his bonds and assures him that she has no need for his assistance. Her actions almost convince West she has guilty knowledge of Percival Coolidge's murder. He defies Hobart, and the thug, with two companions, attempts to kill him. After a terrific fight West leaps from the window.

CHAPTER X.—West succeeds in eluding his pursuers, finds Sexton bound and gagged, releases him, and the two escape. In the alley Sexton picks up a lady's penknife, which he gives to West.

CHAPTER XI.—Concealed in the knife West finds a note in a woman's handwriting appealing to the police to "search the Seminole." West takes the note to police headquarters, where he finds an old friend he had known in France, McAdams. They find that the Seminole is a yacht owned by Percival Coolidge.

CHAPTER XII.—McAdams learns the Seminole is tied up at a pier. West goes over there alone, is decoyed aboard, made a prisoner, and the vessel sails.

CHAPTER XIII

The Fate of a Prisoner.

The Seminole headed straight out into the lake. No sound of movement or speech reached West's ears from the cabin, and he settled down into moody forgetfulness, still staring dully out through the open port. What was to be, would be, but there was nothing for him to do but wait for those who held him prisoner, to act. He was still seated there, listless, incapable even of further thought, when the door was suddenly unlocked. He had barely time to arise to his feet, when the man with the red mustache stepped within, facing him, as he pushed tightly shut the door behind. The fellow's eyes saw the severed rope on the floor, and he smiled, kicking the strands aside contemptuously.

"Smart enough for that, were you?" he asked. "Well, I would have taken them off myself, if I had thought about it. How did you manage? Oh I see; rather a bright trick, old man."

The man's tone, and air of confidence was impressive; beyond doubt he felt that the cards were all in his hands. West drew in his breath sharply. "May I ask a question or two?"

"Fire away; I'll answer as I please."

"Who is the woman on board?"

"Mary, you mean? Hobart's wife."

"She came from the place on Wray street last night in an auto?"

"Yes; I brought her along myself."

"Alone?"

"There were two of us, Mark and I—why, what are you driving at?"

"Just putting some broken threads together. Then Natalie Coolidge is not on this yacht?"

"I should say not. What would we be doing with her out here?"

"Where is she, then?"

"Oh, I begin to see what brought you aboard so easily, West. You thought we had the lady kidnaped, and was sailing off with her. Some *stunt*, that. What put the idea in your head?"

West hesitated a moment, but decided a truthful answer would do no harm.

"I knew an automobile had driven out of the alley back of Mike's place; and that a woman was in it. When I got away a little later, I picked up a message—a note which had been dropped. It was written in a woman's hand but unsigned—"

"The little cat! She dropped it?"

"It seems so. You forgot yourself that time. So she was with you, was she?"

"I don't know what you mean. I told you who were with me. Go on; what did the note say?"

"It was only a request for the police to search the Seminole at once."

"Oh, that's the way the wind blows. But you preferred to tackle the job yourself. I am certainly obliged to you, West."

"You have no reason to be. I took that note to the police, and they are on the case. They are combing the city right now for Hobart and if they get him, this bubble of yours is likely to be pricked."

"H—l, they won't get him. There isn't a flv-cop in Chicago who could locate Jim in a week, and as for Natalie, believe me she is quite able to take care of herself."

"But where is she?"

"At home, of course, if you must know—'Fairlawn,' isn't that the name of the place? We left her there on our way to Jackson park."

"Then the girl was with you?"

"Spilled the beans, didn't I? That comes from talking too much. However, there is no harm done. Sure she left with us, but we dropped her out at Fairlawn. It was her machine we were riding in. Say, you've questioned me about enough, so let up. Listen now—you will stay in this stateroom until we get ready to let you out. Don't try any funny business, either, for if you do, you are going to get hurt. There is a guard outside in the cabin, and we are not afraid to shoot out here on the lake. Nobody knows where you are West; so, if

"If You Want to Live, Keep Quiet."

you want to live, keep quiet—that's my advice."

He slipped out, closing and locking the door behind him. West, more thoroughly confused than ever over the situation in which he found himself, paced the brief length of the narrow stateroom, and then paused to stare moodily out of the port.

He had learned little of the slightest value; merely that Natalie had been of the party leaving in the automobile the night before. She, undoubtedly had been the one who had dropped the note. Then, in spite of all she said about her, in spite of what she had told him, she was actually a prisoner, desperately begging for assistance to escape. As to the other things Hogan had told him, the probability was they were mostly lies. West did not believe the girl had returned to "Fairlawn," the story did not sound natural. The longer he thought it all over, the more thoroughly was he convinced the girl and he were both prisoners on the same vessel. Yet what could he do? He sank down, with head in his hands, totally unnerved—it was *his fate to attempt nothing; only to* wait on fortune.

Mark brought in food, merely opening the door slightly, and sliding the tray in on the floor. No words were exchanged, nor was the tray removed until just at twilight, when the fellow appeared again on a similar mission. It became dark, but no light was furnished. Outside the clouds had thickened, and a heavy swell was tossing the vessel about rather roughly. Seemingly the engine was merely endeavoring to maintain head-way, with no port in immediate prospect; they were steering aimlessly into the promise of a stormy night. No sound reached him from the cabin, and finally, worn out mentally and physically, West flung himself on the lower bunk, and lay there motionless, staring up into the intense darkness.

Lying there motionless, yet wide-awake, his senses alert, he could feel the labored efforts of the vessel, the slap of waves against the side, the rush of water astern. The Seminole rolled heavily, yet there was nothing at all alarming in her actions, and West felt no premonition of illness, or fear as to the sea-worthiness of the little craft. He endeavored to arouse himself, to keep awake, but finally fatigue conquered, and he sank into a deep sleep. He had no knowledge of how long this slumber lasted, or what suddenly awakened him, so startled at the moment that he sat up in the berth, staring into the blackness. Was it a dream, or a reality? Had some one spoken? He could neither see nor hear anything; the boat seemed to lie motionless; not even throbbing now to the beat of the engine—the silence was uncanny. Something was wrong, must be wrong. Where were they—at anchor in some harbor or helplessly adrift on the lake? The yacht rocked gently, as though the swell of the sea no longer buffeted her; there was no sound of action on the deck above. Then he heard a voice again, outside, reaching him this time plainly through the open port.

"All set, Mapes," it said sharply. "Come on down. You finished the job?"

"Ay, ay, sir," the answer gruff, but with a tinge of excitement in the tone. "She's fixed all right. Hold hard, now, mate."

West leaped to the port-hole, and, endeavored to gain a glimpse without. If land was near it remained invisible, nor could he even be sure of the close proximity of a boat. There seemed to be a smudge there at the left, a black, lumping shadow, shapeless against the background of sea; yet he could not be sure. Even as he gazed at it doubtfully, the dim object disappeared, fading away like a mirage. Something told him that mysterious shadow was a boat, a boat filled with men, creeping away silently into the night, fleeing from the yacht, and vanishing into the darkness.

What could such action mean? Had every one gone, leaving the vessel totally abandoned, *a wreck buffeted* by the surges, doomed to go down, unseen, its final fate unknown? Unknown? The word rising to his brain was the answer. There was the crest of the plot. What could be easier, or safer, than this ending? Who would ever know the truth? Who could ever prove anything, even if they suspected? And who was there to suspect? It was a plot infernal.

But if Natalie Coolidge was also prisoner on board, what of her? Wasn't that the very thing most probable? Of course it was; how foolish he had been. These men, recklessly criminal, as they were, would never sacrifice the yacht, and risk their own lives, merely to put him out of the way. He was not important enough for that; he was but an incident. While this was—must be—a carefully arranged plan. The girl then must be the real victim—his own plight arose merely because he chanced to be there, and the villains dare not leave him alive to tell the story.

The certainty of this acted like an electric shock. He must find the girl, and serve her. Surely she must welcome his coming to her assistance now. *She would be alone,* free to reveal the truth of all this strange mixup of affairs; perhaps the old trust, the old confidence between them would be renewed. The hope instantly inspired action. His eager eyes *searched the narrow confines* of the stateroom for some possible weapon with which to assail the door. The stout stool alone seemed available. Swinging this over his shoulder, hampered by the narrowness of space, he struck again and again, with all his strength, until suddenly the lock gave, and the door burst open.

He stepped cautiously forward, with hands outstretched, and his groping fingers came in sudden contact with the cabin wall, which he followed, circling to the left. In this manner he succeeded in finally locating the door opening out on to the deck, and weaved his way across to the right-hand stateroom door. It was locked, the key gone. He must break a way in; but first he must explain to her, so as to spare her the sudden fright of such an assault. He rapped sharply on the panel.

"Miss Coolidge; you are there, are you not?"

"Yes; who is that?" almost a cry of delight in the voice. "You—you have a voice I know."

"I am Matthew West; but do not ask questions now. The yacht is going down, and I must break this door in to release you. Stand back while I smash the boards. You hear and understand?"

"Yes, yes; I am safely away; have no fear."

A lantern's flickering light revealed the weapon he required—a heavy hatchet, and he snatched it up, and began to splinter the wood with well directed blows. He worked madly, feverishly, swinging the sharp blade with all his strength and skill, gouging out great splinters of wood, and finally forcing the lock to yield. He sprang eagerly through the opening, the hatchet still in his grasp, and faced her.

An instant both paused, and then she cried out in sudden relief. "Oh, it is really you, Captain West. I know now. What has happened? How did you come to be here?"

"Not now," he insisted. "Don't ask me now. Just come as quick as you can. There is no time for anything but action. Quick; let me take your hand."

She permitted him to draw her through the door on to the black, deserted deck. West, bracing himself to the sudden plunging, managed to reach the rail. He drew back, sick at *heart at the sight of the waves lap*ping the side almost on a level with the sloping deck on which he stood. The sight brought him home as never before, the dread deadly peril in which they were. He would find some means of rescue; he must! He was back beside her, grasping her arm.

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At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business Dec. 19th, 1922, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES

	Commercial	Savings	
Loans and Discounts, viz.:—			
Secured by collateral	$ 43,630 76	$ 12,000 00	
Unsecured	132,981 83		
Items in transit	1,276 65		
Totals	$177,889 24	$ 12,000 00	$189,889 24
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, viz.:			
Real Estate Mortgages	2,500 00	179,659 07	
Municipal Bonds in office		99,852 75	
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness pledged			
War Savings and Thrift Stamps		998 40	
Other Bonds	15,746 56	105,142 30	
Totals	17,746 56	385,652 52	$403,349 08
Reserves, etc:—			
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	11,322 54	16,000 00	
Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	23,265 68		
U. S. Bonds and Certs. of Indebtedness carried as legal reserve		71,657 00	
Exchanges for Clearing House	502 39		
Total cash on hand	3,886 15	5,453 15	
Totals	38,976 76	93,110 15	$132,086 91
Combined Accounts, etc.			
Overdrafts			80 83
Banking House			2,800 00
Furniture and Fixtures			
Outside checks and other cash items			81 83
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank			1,500 00
Total			$729,577 62

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in		25,000 00
Surplus Fund		25,000 00
Undivided profits, net		13,851 53
Dividends unpaid		
Reserved for Taxes, Interest, etc.		1,000 00
Commercial Deposits, etc:—		
Commercial Deposits subject to check	$170,087 89	
Certified Checks	31 35	
Cashier's Checks	1,268 30	
State Moneys on Deposit		
Total	$171,390 54	$171,390 54
Savings Deposits, etc:—		
Book Accounts—subject to Savings By-Laws	451,815 33	
Certificates of Deposit—subject to Savings By-Laws	36,720 32	
Total	$489,535 65	$489,535 65
Notes and Bills Rediscounted		None
Bills Payable		None
Bonds sold subject to repurchase		None
Total		$729,577 62

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, F. G. Schaible, President 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.

F. G. SCHAIBLE, President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1923.

John B. Cole, Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 16, 1923

Correct Attest:—Peter Merkel, O. C. Burkhart, C. Lehman, Directors.

The Roman women often curled their hair and sprinkled it with gold dust.

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Report of the condition of THE KEMPF COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANK

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business December 29th, 1922, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES

	Commercial	Savings	
Loans and Discounts, viz.;			
Secured by collateral		$ 72,813.05	
Unsecured	$104,643.72	9,000.00	
Items in transit	1,912.74		
Totals	$196,556.46	$ 80,813.05	$277,369.51
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, viz.;			
Real estate mortgages	$ 8,962.40	160,409.76	
Municipal bonds in office	700.00	45,220.11	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness in office			
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged	11,250.00	23,750.00	
Other bonds	7,000.00	48,971.65	
Totals	$ 27,902.40	$286,369.52	$314,271.92
Reserves, viz.;			
Due from Federal Reserve bank	$ 10,394.11	$12,797.04	
Due from banks in reserve cities	6,726.15		
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness carried as legal reserve in Savings Dept. only		51,419.00	
Exchanges for clearing house	1,420.88		
Total cash on hand	6,969.79	6,000.00	
Totals	$ 25,510.93	$70,166.35	$95,677.28
Combined accounts, viz.;			
Overdrafts			$ 69.55
Banking house			12,700.00
Furniture and fixtures			1,400.00
Other real estate			2,100.00
Customers' bonds deposited with bank for safekeeping			75,550.00
Outside Checks & other Cash Items			2,400.00
Stock in Federal Reserve bank			3,000.00
Total			$297,016.41

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund		25,000.00
Undivided profits, net		10,000.00
Commercial deposits, viz.;		
Commercial deposits subject check	$128,086.68	
Certified Checks	13.40	
Cashier's checks	1,108.75	
State Moneys on Deposit		
Time commercial certificates deposit	14,174.47	
Total		$143,383.30
Savings deposits, viz.;		
Books accounts—subject to savings by-laws	$385,256.12	
Certificates of deposit—subject to savings by-laws	$1,085.27	
Total		$416,260.39
Notes and bills rediscounted		
Bills payable		85,000.00
Bonds sold subject to repurchase		
Customers' bonds deposited with bank for safekeeping		76,550.00
Total		$756,013.11

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.

John L. Fletcher, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1923.

C. J. Mayer, Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar. 27, 1926.

Correct attest:

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Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gentner gave a family dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young and family. The guests present were, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Broesamle and family, Mrs. Louisa Young of Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Koontz and Mr. and Mrs. J. Sunriker and family of Jackson, Edward Gibson, Clair and Dorothea Coulson of Detroit.

Seidell—Leon.

Friends of J. A. Leon of Braddock, Pa., will be interested in an announcement of his marriage, received a few days ago by Jacob Hammel. The bride is Mrs. Mary Seidell of Slatington, Pa., and the ceremony was performed on December 16th. Mr. and Mrs. Leon are spending their honeymoon in Florida and Cuba. Mr. Leon frequently visits Chelsea during the summer months and has many acquaintances in this vicinity.

Bridge Party.

The Misses Margaret and Lena Miller delightfully entertained a number of their friends at bridge, Friday evening, January 12. Mrs. E. J. McKune was awarded the first prize and Mrs. Edward Hammond the consolation prize. A delicious lunch was served. The table was beautifully decorated with a centerpiece of pink roses and white hyacinths and silver candlesticks at each end holding dainty pink candles.

Catholic Social Club.

The Catholic Social club elected officers Sunday evening as follows:

President, A. H. Hindelang.

Vice president, James McCarthy.

Secretary, Ferdinand Merkel.

Treasurer, H. H. Lyons.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. S. P. Foster Wednesday afternoon, January 17, commencing at 3 o'clock. Annual election of officers for the year and a good attendance is desired.

St. Paul's Auxiliary.

The St. Paul's Auxiliary will be entertained, Friday, January 19, by Mrs. Anna Paul and Mrs. Charles Mohrlock at the home of the latter. Please bring dishes.

Legion Dance.

The American Legion will give a dance in the Maccabee hall, Friday evening, January 19, 1923. Bracey's five piece orchestra will furnish the music.

To Entertain

The Young Ladies chapter of the Congregational church will be entertained by Mrs. D. A. Riker and Mrs. A. L. Brock at the home of the former Thursday evening, January 18. A pot-luck supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. All young ladies of the church are requested to be present.

Masonic Banquet

The annual Masonic banquet which will be held Tuesday evening January 16 at 6:30 o'clock will be served in the Maccabee hall. All Masons and families, also members of the Eastern Star are cordially invited. Tickets may be obtained from members of the committee.

Farmers Club Meeting.

Western Washtenaw Farmers club will meet Friday, January 19th, at I. O. O. F. hall, at which time an election of officers will be held. The program follows: Music by the club, prayer by the chaplain, reading of minutes, roll call answered with a New Year thought, vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Knickerbocher, select reading by Elmer Weinberg, address by Mr. Watts of Ann Arbor who has charge of the boys and girls club work, question box.

Entertains at Bridge.

Mrs. Sidney Schenk delightfully entertained a number of her friends at bridge, Monday afternoon, January 15. Mrs. Warren Daniels won the first prize and Miss Nina Belle Wurster won the consolation prize. Dainty refreshments were served. Each guest was presented with a corsage boupuet.

Thursday Musicale.

The Thursady Musicale will meet in the parlors of the Congregational church, Thursday afternoon, January 18, at 3:30. At this meeting the Music Memory contest for Washtenaw county will be discussed. The following program will be given:

Piano duet, Military March, Anna Rogers and Alice Baldwin.

Violin solo, Minuet in G, Beethoven, Mrs. Philip Broesamle, accompanist, Mrs. Mary Runciman.

Vocal solo, Forgotten, Mrs. M. J. Baxter.

Saxaphone solo, Berceuse from Jocelyn, Godard, Audrey Harris.

Violin solo, Adoration, Borowski, Mrs. Broesamle, accompanist, Georgia Smith.

Piano solo, Chopin Preludes, Nina Belle Wurster.

Waterloo Aid Society.

The Aid Society of the Second U. B. church of Waterloo will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barber, Saturday, January 20, for dinner. All invited.

S. P. I.

The S. P. I. will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Emanuel Bahnmiller, Monday evening, January 22.

Annual Meeting

The North Western Mutual Fire Insurance company will hold their annual meeting, Wednesday January 17 at 2 o'clock at the Maccabee hall.

Rummage Sale

The L. O. T. M. will hold a rummage sale in Maccabee hall January 18-19-20. On January 20 a bake sale will be held in the afternoon.

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Suppose you were a girl who was deeply in love with the man who intended to send your brother up for a long term in the penitentiary. Which would prove greater, your devotion to your own flesh and blood or your love for the man who would some day be your husband?

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2105 PAUL D. PIERCE.

Wanted basket ball fans to attend the games Thursday, January 18, at St. Mary hall.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weber entertained at a six o'clock dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eisele and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schiller and daughter.

Misses Delia and Freida Schiller, of Freedom, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schiller.

ST. MARY IOTAS DEFEAT DEXTER HIGH.

The St. Mary Iotas defeated the Dexter high school girls Friday evening by a score of 20 to 12. The Iotas outplayed the Dexter team throughout the game as a result of good team work. Plans are being made for a future game to be played in St. Mary hall in the near future.

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Dr. H. W. Schmidt was in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. L. B. Lawrence was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Koontz, of Jackson, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Young, of Sylvan.

Basket ball, Thursday, January 18, at St. Mary hall. First game at 7:15.

Miss Harriet Fletcher of Ypsilanti is a guest at the home of her brother, John L. Fletcher and family.

Mrs. Clair Dancer and daughter who have been spending some time at the home of Mrs. Dancer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klingler, returned to their home in Chicago Friday.

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Lewis and Albert Page of Lansing spent several days o fthe past week visiting Chelsea relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klingler have rented apartments in the residence of Mrs. Charles Steinbach on West Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Gage entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Steinbach and family of Lima and Miss Josephine Hoppe of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Henry Steinbach of Dexter spent Friday at the home of Mrs. Charles Steinbach.

Frank Brooks of Ypsilanti spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Baxter and children visited friends in Jackson Sunday.

Remember the 3 big games at St. Mary hall, Thursday, January 18.

Miss Veronica Breitenbach of Jackson visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Steger, over the weekend.

Miss Mildred McDaniels of Detroit spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McDaniels of North Lake.

One of the new four-door sedan models of the Ford car is attracting considerable attention in the show room of the Palmer Motor Sales.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGole of Wayne were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, Sunday.

Harry and Margaret dePont returned Sunday from a month's visit in Chicago, with their mother.

William Coe has a new Star sedan, delivered the past week.

Mrs. Frank Quinlan, who spent the past week at the home of her aunts, the Misses Miller, returned to her home in Detroit, Sunday.

Miss Helen Koch is spending this week with her aunt in Ann Arbor.

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THREE BIG ACTS IN BASKET BALL AT ST. MARY HALL.

What is believed to be the biggest attraction in basket ball ever given in Chelsea is to be held Thursday evening. Three games have been booked by the local teams.

For the preliminary St. Mary Midgets will tangle with the St. Thomas Junior Stars, of Ann Arbor, the Midgets under the coaching of Ike Riedel are developing fast and in their game last Thursday showed that they are worthy of recognition. In the semi final the Reserves will mix with Michigan Center. In the game Sunday the Reserves proved that they have come out of their slump and are again playing in the form that carried them to the semi-finals in the state championship race last spring.

In the wind-up the Regulars will try to even up the count with the Saline Independents. Although the Regulars forced Saline to go overtime to beat them at that place, it was a hard game to lose and the Chelsea boys will fight hard to win.

The spirit shown in Saline for their orange and black team, lies in the fact that the business men of Saline have chartered a special car to bring the fans over to encourage their boys.

Under similar circumstances Chelsea people should turn out in great numbers to offset this attack.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP

The masons from this township who attended the funeral of brother Henry Hayes at the masonic lodge in the village last Thursday afternoon were Chris. Stoll, Hubert Johnson, Earl Sherwin, Marsh, Bowne and Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Wheeler.

The school house in district No. 8, known as the Smith school, Miss Nora Walsh, teacher, burned to the ground last Thursday morning. The chimney caught fire and the building was all on fire before it was discovered. Only a small part of the furniture and books were saved.

A Good Thing—Don't Miss it.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sodt and family, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koch, of Lima.

Erwin Eiseman, of Freedom, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Faulkner.

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