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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. H. Lighthall spent Tuesday in Jackson.

A. G. Faist was in Jackson, Friday, on a business trip.

L. L. Harsh, of Union City, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

D. H. Wurster, wife and daughter are visiting in Buffalo this week.

James Harrington, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mrs. A. H. Schumacher left this morning for a visit in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. M. J. Howe was the guest of Battle Creek relatives, Sunday.

Mrs. Schanwecker, of Cleveland, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hollis.

L. L. Boyce and his mother are visiting with Gregory relatives this week.

A. H. Stedman, of Detroit, spent Saturday with Chelsea relatives and friends.

Miss Alice Gorman, of Detroit, is the guest of Chelsea relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cavanaugh are guests at the home of M. Boyd and wife.

A. M. Freer and wife were guests at the home of their son in Jackson, Sunday.

Russell Galatian returned Monday after spending four weeks in Pennsylvania.

Miss Edith Congdon has returned home from a two weeks' visit at Lake Orion.

Miss Marjorie Delevan, of Alma, is a guest at the home of J. Nelson Dancer and wife.

Josephine Miller is visiting at the home of her uncle, C. W. Miller, of Jackson.

Rev. Fay Moon, wife and child, of Chicago, called on Chelsea friends last Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Bagge is spending some time in the state of New York, visiting relatives.

Rev. C. S. Jones and family, of Detroit, took possession of the Cavanaugh Lake cottage Monday.

A. R. Congdon, wife and daughter, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Chelsea relatives, Sunday.

B. C. Pratt and family, of Toledo, are guests at the home of J. Nelson Dancer and wife this week.

C. H. Smith and wife, of Detroit, were guests at the home of J. Nelson Dancer, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Taswell and daughter Ida, of Windsor, were guests of Mrs. T. D. Denman over Sunday.

Mesdames George Turner and Agnes Rafferty, of Toledo, are guests at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wade.

Edward Schmidt and family, of Cleveland, Ohio, are guests at the home of John G. Schmidt and wife.

Miss R. Dora Harrington, of Detroit, was a guest at the home of Thomas Wilkinson and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kempf are entertaining their granddaughter, Miss Bessie Kempf, of Hillsdale, this week.

Bert Snyder, of Pontiac, spent several days of the past week at the home of his parents, R. A. Snyder and wife.

Mrs. C. Lehman, Miss Pauline Girbach and Nada Hoffman spent several days of this week with friends in Detroit.

Miss Catherine Henzie, of Manchester, was a guest at the home of H. Lighthall and wife several days the first of the week.

W. H. Heselschwerdt, wife and daughters left this morning for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Rochester, Gorham and Webster.

A. T. Dennis and family, of Grand Rapids, were guests at the homes of Hon. Frank P. Glazier, F. H. Sweetland and C. M. Davis the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Rogers, of Chelsea, and W. A. BeGole and wife, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at Niagara Falls. The party also spent Monday in Detroit.

Mrs. J. J. Galatian, daughter Murray and granddaughter Limestone left yesterday for Erie, Pa., where they will visit friends and relatives in that vicinity. Mrs. Galatian will also visit her sister at Chautauque, N. Y.

Romans Disliked Red Hair. Red hair was an object of aversion among the Romans.

Chief Silk-Producing Countries. China and Japan between them produce 12,500 tons of silk annually.

Trust. Many a man is willing to turn his children over to the care of one whom he would not think of trusting with his automobile or his favorite horse.

CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANCISCO.

Rev. J. J. Bockstahler, of Detroit, Mich., presiding elder of the Michigan district, will conduct quarterly meeting next Sunday at the German M. E. church.

Next Saturday afternoon, August 3d, at 2:30, service at the German M. E. church. The fourth quarterly conference will meet at the church at 3:30. All official members are kindly requested to be present and present their reports in writing.

NORTH SHARON.

Mrs. Geo. Askew is on the sick list.

Fred Hawley spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Eva Widmayer, of Chelsea, is spending a week with her mother here.

Elmer Gage, wife and daughter spent Sunday at the home of Carlos Dorr.

Walter Van Horn left Wednesday for Dakota, where he will spend some time.

Miss Lizzie Heselschwerdt and John Monks spent Sunday at the home of Milton Hawley.

SOUTHWEST SYLVAN.

John Fletcher spent Sunday with James Struthers.

Mrs. Wallace Fisk is spending this week with her daughter.

Miss Edith Fisk spent last week with Iva Wood, of Lima.

John Walz and family spent Sunday at Herbert Harvey's.

Joseph Eisele and Frances McKune spent Sunday with friends here.

Misses Genevieve and Loretta Weber spent last week with Mabel Hummel, of Chelsea.

Misses Blanche O'Hagan and Loretta Aldrich, of Detroit, are visiting at the home of D. Heim.

SUGAR LOAF LAKE.

Miss Laura Moeckel has resigned her position as telephone operator.

L. L. Gorton and family spent Sunday with his brother in Ypsilanti.

Agnes and Theresa Breitenbach are visiting relatives in Battle Creek.

Walter and Clarence Rowe spent Sunday with their grandmother near Stockbridge.

Martha Groshaus is assisting Mrs. George Beeman in her household duties at present.

Katie Riemenschneider has been engaged to teach school in the Howe district the coming year.

The Waterloo Arbor of Gleaners will hold their annual picnic at Clear Lake, Saturday, August 10th.

NORTH LAKE.

Floyd Hinkley purchased a new binder, Monday.

W. J. Webb and wife have returned to their Dakota home.

Jas. Little is visiting at the home of his brother in Jackson.

Miss Olive Webb injured her hand with a nail, Sunday evening.

Henry Hudson and daughter visited friends in this community, Sunday.

Rev. Thistle, a former pastor, and wife are visiting old friends here and in Unadilla.

Rev. Thistle assisted Rev. P. J. Wright at the funeral of Edith Anna Vine, Sunday.

R. W. Webb and wife spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of Geo. Ben on, of Dexter.

Elmer L. Glenn, of Stockbridge, was a guest at the home of his sister at North Lake, Saturday.

Mrs. L. Allyn has returned home from the hospital where she has been receiving medical treatment.

A letter received from Dakota announces that the prospect for flax and oats was never better and that wheat is in good condition.

Frank Hopkins was severely injured by a hay fork. The rope broke and the fork struck him on the leg, causing a bad flesh wound. He will be confined to his home for some time.

Died, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whallan, Friday evening, July 26, 1907, the infant daughter of Chas. Vine, of Howell. The mother died a few weeks ago. The funeral was held Sunday. Interment North Lake cemetery.

Oratorio by Graphophone. In Weymouth, England, the oratorio of "The Messiah" was given by a graphophone before an audience of 1,000 people, and was pronounced a complete musical success.

An unflattering recipe to lighten the dandruff of home-cleaning is to apply one coat of Perna-Lac to any article that is scratched, shabby or dirty. Sold by F. E. Storms & Co.

SHARON.

Threshing began in this vicinity this week.

Walter VanHorn expects to leave for Dakota this week.

C. C. Dorr spent a part of last week at Orchard Lake.

Mrs. C. C. Dorr is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Cole, from Norvell.

Walter Heselschwerdt, of Grass Lake, spent last week with relatives here.

Harry Middlebrook has been at Grass Lake assisting his brother, Sanford.

Mrs. B. Gilhouse who underwent an operation for appendicitis is improving.

J. Brunestle and wife spent Sunday with their son John and family in Sylvan.

Mrs. Lottie Dorr, of Grass Lake, spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Dorr.

Mrs. L. B. Lawrence and daughter, Edith have been spending some time with relatives in Toledo.

Fred Brunestle intends building upon the site of his old barn as soon as necessary arrangements can be made.

Rev. Townsend again supplied the North Sharon charge last Sunday, Rev. Leonard being called upon to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Flora Hammond, nee Dewey. Deceased was an old resident of Sharon, and her father was one of Sharon's pioneers.

Cargoes Worth a Fortune. It might be supposed that the great ocean liners bring in the most valuable cargoes. They don't. The little steamers that ply between here and the mighty Amazon river bring the richest cargoes that reach the port. It is safe to say that \$500,000 is the value of an average ocean liner's cargo. The steamship Graegense recently brought 4,369 cases of rubber. On a basis of \$500 per case this alone was worth \$2,184,500. This is outside the value of the skins, nuts and cocoa on board. Sometimes the ships bring egret plumes that are worth a fortune.

Over-Educated Girls. The delicate organism and sensitive and highly developed nervous system of our girls were never intended by the Creator to undergo the stress and strain of the modern system of higher education, and the baneful results are becoming more and more apparent as the years go by.—Dr. R. W. Parsons, in The Medical Journal.

Two Ways to Feed Cattle. A correspondent asks what is the best method of feeding cattle in spring weather? There are several ways. One man might prefer to take the ox in his lap and feed him with a spoon. Another would bring him into the dining-room and let him sit at the table with the old folks. Tastes differ in matters of this kind.

In Picturesque Japan. Japan is in things picturesque. Three days a Japanese wedding ascend as a puffs of smoke skyward—the father and mother of the little almond-blossom bride are burning her playthings; for is not her "life's play-over; her life's work begun?"

Professional. "Are you certain you can cook well?" "Madam, I worked two years for the great tenor Alberti. At the last dinner he gave I was applauded after each course, and at the end of the dinner I was recalled three times."—Translated for Tales from Fliegende Blätter.

Helped by College Education. She of '07—"Now that you are through, do you honestly believe that a college education helped you?" He of '06—"Helped me! Well, yesterday I signed a contract to coach the Montbraska university football team for a period of five years.—Puck.

London's Product of Soot. It is calculated that London produces 55,000 tons of soot yearly, which would be worth as manure about \$225,000. There are always 50 tons of soot suspended above London in the form of smoke.

Bad Case of Cold Feet. Andy Harkness asked a certain young lady if it took much money to buy a woman's clothes. She said: "Not very much." But even then his feet stayed cold.—Kelton (Wyo.) Gazette.

Tired of His Diet. Servant—My master seems quite tired of vegetarianism. At first whenever he passed this picture of ham and sausage he made a wry face, later he smiled at it, but now he always sighs!—Megendorfer Blaetter.

Well-Fed Australians. Australians are among the best fed people in the world. The average quantity of meat consumed in the commonwealth is 235 pounds per head, as against 109 pounds in Great Britain and 150 pounds in America.

Two Ways of "Setting." A pupil in a school near Chatham square, New York city, thus defined the word spine: "A spine is a long, limber bone; your head sets on one end, and you set on the other."

ONE OF WOMEN'S CHARMS.

Sense of Reserve Said to Add Much to Attractiveness.

A woman, especially to be attractive, must preserve a sense of reserve; she must, so to speak, keep up a certain amount of mystery about herself. There is a folklore tale of a woman who, finding her married life unhappy, went to a white witch for a charm against the trouble. She received a flask filled with a colorless liquid, which she was directed to take and hold in her mouth whenever she was disposed to quarrel with her husband. She obeyed directions, and, delighted with the effect of the charm, went back to the witch for a fresh supply when that was exhausted. "The liquid was merely water," said the wise woman. "The virtue of the remedy consists simply in holding your tongue in keeping back angry answers." To adopt the rule, says Woman's Life, once given to a gushing girl by a friend who knew the world, "Never speak of yourself, and never say anything which is uncalculated for," would at first seem likely to make Trappists of all the world; yet it is to be questioned whether, after all, the advice was not wise. There always are people who like to talk, whose favor is to be won by interested listening, and good listeners are rare.

CHANCE FOR A HOME-RUN.

Schoolboy's Comment on Absence of Attraction of Gravitation.

A clever teacher, who has the power of calling out originality in her pupils, says that she would have no use for text books if she took time to answer all the startling questions asked in the class-room. One day the attraction of gravitation was under discussion, when one of the boys said that he didn't see any need of it, anyway. "It seems to me," said he, "there's no particular use in having the earth attract things. Now, when the apple fell, and made Newton think out the reason for it, that apple might just as well have stayed where it was until somebody gathered it." "You play ball, don't you?" asked the teacher. "Well, suppose you knock the ball very high, what happens?" "It falls." "But if there were no attraction towards the earth, it wouldn't fall. Don't you think that might prove inconvenient?" "My!" cried the boy; "what a bully chance for a home-run!"

Joined the Dead at Their Meal.

In the medical press is a story of a man who believed that he was dead and who for that reason refused to take any nourishment. "How can the dead eat and drink?" he asked, when food was pressed upon him. It was obvious that unless something were done to bring him to his senses the delusion must soon become actuality; he would die of starvation. The strangest ruse was tried. Half a dozen attendants, draped in ghostly white, crept silently in single file into the room adjoining his, and with the door open, sat down where he could see them to a hearty meal. "Here, who are these people?" inquired the patient. "Dead men," answered the doctor. "What!" said the other. "Do dead men eat?" "To be sure they do, as you see for yourself," was the answer. "Well," said the corpse, "if that is so, I'll join them, for I'm starving." The spell was broken, and he sat down and ate like 40 famished men.

Eating Stew Through Straws.

Doing as my Indian friends did, I seized in my turn a chunk of mutton from the kettle and proceeded to eat it. How I was to get my share of the stew, however, I could not conceive, as licking one's fingers is a slow process and inadequately nourishing. On the floor table, however, was a pile of what looked like dark blue lead pencils. The governor took one, stuck it into the kettle and peacefully sucked until he was satisfied. It was simply sucking—not lemonade—but mutton stew, through a straw. Then he carefully proceeded to eat the straw. Sucking the stew through it had softened and flavored it for eating. I mastered the game at the first trial, writes Frederick Mosen in the Craftsman, and from that time was a devoted adherent to piki bread, as well as to many other dishes and customs of my good friends, the Hopi.

What More Could Be Asked?

"On the way down here from up home I saw your advertisement in the paper," said "Ozzy" Hitchcock, as he entered the office of the New Notion company in his Sunday suit, his boots creaking at every step. "I'm here in the city to get work." "I hardly think you're just the man we need now," and the clerk in charge surveyed his caller with an unfattering gaze. "You spoke of wanting a young man with a good address," said "Ozzy," in his loud, clear, distinct school voice. "I guess Laneville, N. H., is as good as any you could find, and father has the only store in the place."—"Youths' Companion."

Quality of Trustworthiness.

People would try harder for trustworthiness if they knew how lovable a quality it is. When you know you can rely upon anyone, that whatever the undertaking to do will be done, that you can really pass over a share of your load to them, you cannot help liking them. On the other hand, it does not matter how amiable men be, if they are forgetful, if they are unpunctual, if they habitually neglect, they become sources of such annoyance that one's liking is apt to die out.—W. P. Nicolli.

Do You Want a Thin Black Dress?

Price needn't be in the way now. We have marked our entire stock down to a fraction of regular prices.

Black, Dotted or Plain "Silk Muslins," usually 25c to 35c, now

Black, Fancy Weave, 25c goods, now

15 Cents
12½ and 15 Cents

Waist Prices Get Another Slash This Week.

We have a few nice, crisp, Wash Shirt Waist Suits, in colors and in white, that must be sold now. Price will do it. Ask to see them.

All White, Shrunk, Cotton Dress Skirts, at

Big lot of Summer Corsets, with four supporters, in all sizes, both long and short, now

1-1 off.
39 Cents

We Have the Chelsea Agency for NEMO Corsets for Stout Women.

These are now considered the best Corset made for Stout Women. Prices always

\$3.00

All Muslin Underwear at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Buy now. Muslin Underwear will be much more expensive next season.

All Children's Dresses Reduced 25 Per Cent.

Good, well made dresses, 2 to 8 years, now

37½, 58c and 75c

Good, well made dresses, 10 to 14 years, now

75c, 94c, \$1.12½ and up

H. S. HOLMES MERCANTILE COMPANY

To Ebonize. Picture frames, chairs and other furniture may be ebonized by washing them four times, thoroughly drying between times, in a boiling mixture of strong logwood and water. Then wash the wood in a solution of acetate of iron, which is a mixture of iron filings and vinegar.

Revised Version. "What is that proverb about a fool and his money?" queried the very young man. "A fool and his money," answered the sage of Sageville, "soon get on opposite sides of the market."

Such a Silly Idea. "Lingerie waists should be squeezed and not rubbed," says a magazine writer. Tut, tut. Who'd care about rubbing one if he could squeeze it?

What He Wanted. "Papa," said Jimmieboy, as he watched the new canary with much interest, "when the bird dies can I have his whistle?"

Parchment from Wolf Skins. It is not generally known that the parchment used on the best banjos is made from wolf skins.

Plautus on the Law. Plautus—Little do you know what a gloriously uncertain thing the law is.

Peach Blossom's Meaning. In the language of flowers the peach blossom means: I am your captive.

When the Hair Falls

Stop it! And why not? Falling hair is a disease, a regular disease; and Ayer's Hair Vigor, as made from our new improved formula, quickly and completely destroys that disease. The hair stops falling out, grows more rapidly, and all dandruff disappears. Does not change the color of the hair.

Ayer's

The little book in each package gives the formula of our new Hair Vigor, tells why each ingredient is used, and explains many other interesting things. After reading you will know why this new hair preparation does its work so well.

Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

A Polite Japanese Idea. At eight large stations on the government railroads in Japan tablets are hung up "to provide means of writing reminder for such of the passengers who have anything to communicate to their fellow travelers who do not arrive in time."

And It's Not Worth It. It is impossible to acquire money without making sacrifices; most men and women who marry for it sacrifice their happiness.

"Regular as the Sun" Is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed at Freeman & Cummings Co.

Ananias Far Outclassed. "Pop, who is this man Ananias there is so much talk about?" "Ananias was a man of ancient times whose record has been so lowered in these days that he is probably sorry he ever got in the game."

Stops itching instantly. Cures piles, eczema, salt rheum, tetter, itch, hives, herpes, scabies.—Dann's Ointment. At any drug store.

Who will catch the \$10 Prize Bass this year?

Fine Fishing Tackle

We Offer a Free \$10 Outfit

as prize for best string fish caught this year with our famous Shakespeare Bait and Tackle. Call and get particulars

Anglers are invited to call at our store and get free the interesting booklet, "How to Catch Bass," "The Art of Bait Casting," and "Fine Fishing Tackle," which tell how to catch fish and what tackle to use.

Freeman & Cummings Co.

The Standard Herald want ads bring results. Try them.

Natural for Them. "Those young fellows act like a bunch of fools." "They consider they have a right to act that way. 'I'd like to know what right?' The belong to the smart set."—Houston Post.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale, sickly. Burdock Blood Bitters makes the blood rich, red, pure—restores perfect health.

Notice. The tax roll of 1907 for the tax of the village of Chelsea has been placed in hands for collection. The same is now due and can be paid to me at the Pure Food Store.

JOHN FARRELL, Treasurer. Chelsea, June 27, 1907.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

LOST—Pair of gold-rimmed, double-lens spectacles on sidewalk or lawn in front of my residence. Finder please return and oblige Mrs. M. J. Noyes. July 29, 1907.

TO RENT—House on Harrison street, known as the Foster residence. For particulars call on Mrs. G. E. Thompson at the residence.

FOR SALE—A Detroit vapor, three-burner, cabinet gasoline stove. Call at the Boyd House.

FOR SALE—A new Deering binder, or will exchange for a good work horse. Inquire of W. B. Warner.

FOR SALE—Edward Riemenschneider's residence on Washington street. \$2,500. Apply to Kalmbach & Watson.

FOR RENT—The Mrs. P. J. Tripp house on West Middle street. Rent \$10 per month. Apply to Kalmbach & Watson.

FOR SALE—Some choice grade Hereford bull calves from three to four months old. Inquire of Alvin Baldwin, R. F. D. 5, Chelsea.

FOR SALE—A Williams typewriter for \$35.00, in good repair and in serviceable condition. J. D. Watson.

FOR SALE—Or exchange for village property 40 acre farm on Manchester road in Sharon, good buildings, six acres of second-growth oak timber. Inquire of B. B. Turnbull.

KALMBACH & WATSON have a good big list of village and farm properties. See them if you want to buy—See them if you want to sell.

The Standard Herald want ads bring results. Try them.