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EAST JORDAN, MICHIGAN, SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1915.

No. 12

CITY COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms Saturday evening March 6, 1915.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Cross. Present—Cross, Hudson and Graff. Absent—none.

Moved by Hudson, supported by Graff, that the resolution amending sections four, ten and thirteen, chapter three, of the city charter of the city of East Jordan, be taken from the table. Carried.

RESOLUTION NO. I.

The City Commission of the City of East Jordan, having under consideration the matter of amending sections four, ten and thirteen of Chapter III of the Charter of the City of East Jordan, Commissioner Hudson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. Seconded by Commissioner Graff.

Whereas, at a meeting of this commission, held on the third day of February, A. D. 1915, certain amendments to Sections four, ten and thirteen of Chapter III of the City Charter of said City were proposed and recommended by this Commission and the same ordered to lie on the table of this legislative body for thirty days as required by law and

Whereas, said proposed amendments have laid on the table for thirty days, and this Commission deems said amendments should be made, and no objections having been made thereto,

Resolved, that the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed and required to submit said proposed amendments to the Governor of the State of Michigan for his approval.

Adopted by the City Commission of the City of East Jordan, at a regular adjourned meeting held on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1915, by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes, Cross, Graff and Hudson.

Nays, None.

Moved by Graff, supported by Hudson, that the resolution amending sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, chapter eleven, of the city charter of the City of East Jordan, be taken from the table. Carried.

RESOLUTION NO. II.

The City Commission of the City of East Jordan, having under consideration the matter of amending sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three of Chapter XI, of the City Charter of the City of East Jordan, Commissioner Graff offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. Seconded by Commissioner Hudson.

Whereas, at a meeting of this Commission, held on the third day of February, A. D. 1915, certain amendments to Sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three of Chapter XI, of the City Charter of the city of East Jordan, were proposed and recommended by this Commission and the same ordered to lie on the table of this legislative body for thirty days as required by law, and

Whereas, said proposed amendments have laid on the table for thirty days, and this Commission deems said amendments should be made, and no objections having been made thereto,

Resolved, that the City Clerk be, and he hereby is, directed and required to submit said proposed amendments to the Governor of the State of Michigan for his approval.

Adopted by the City Commission of the City of East Jordan at a regular adjourned meeting held on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1915, by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes, Cross, Hudson and Graff.

Nays, None.

On motion by Graff meeting was adjourned.

Regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms Monday evening, March 15th, 1915. Absent, Cross, Hudson and Graff.

No quorum being present, meeting was adjourned.

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms Wednesday evening March 17th, 1915.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Cross. Present, Cross, Hudson and Graff. Absent, none.

Minutes of the two last meetings were read and approved.

On motion by Graff, the following bills were allowed:

City Treas. payment of election boards

\$52.25

Mrs. Frank Phillips, lunch for firemen

J. H. Graff, salary

Enterprise Pub. Co., printing

On motion by Hudson meeting was adjourned to meet Thursday evening Mar. 18, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock standard time.

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms, Thursday evening March 18, 1915.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Cross. Present, Cross, Graff, and Hudson. Absent, none.

RESOLUTION

The City Commission having under consideration the matter of amending sections four, ten and thirteen of Chapter III of the city charter, Commissioner Graff offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. Seconded by Commissioner Hudson.

Whereas this commission has prepared certain amendments to sections four ten and thirteen of chapter III of the city charter, and the same has laid on the table of this legislative body for thirty days and have been approved by the Governor of Michigan, therefore,

Resolved, that said amendments be submitted to the electors of the city of East Jordan, at the annual election to be held on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1915, for the approval of said electors. Further

Resolved, that the city clerk cause notice to be given that said amendments will be submitted to said electors by proper notice, containing the aforementioned sections as amended, by publication thereof in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper published and circulating in said city, the first publication thereof to be on March 20, 1915, and to continue until said election. Further,

Resolved that the city clerk procure the necessary ballots for the submission of said question, the form of the ballot to be as follows:

For the amendment of sections four, ten and thirteen of chapter III of the city charter of the city of East Jordan, relating to the registration of electors and the nomination and election of candidates, Yes []

For the amendment of sections four, ten and thirteen of chapter III of the city charter of the city of East Jordan, relating to the registration of electors and the nomination and election of candidates, No []

Adopted by the city commission of the city of East Jordan on the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1915, by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes, Cross, Hudson and Graff.

Nays, none.

RESOLUTION

The city commission of the city of East Jordan, having under consideration the matter of amending sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three of Chapter XI, of the City Charter, Commissioner Hudson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. Seconded by Commissioner Graff.

Whereas, this commission has prepared certain amendments to sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, of Chapter XI of the City Charter, and the same has laid on the table of this legislative body for thirty days and the same has been duly approved by the Governor of the State of Michigan, therefore,

Resolved that said amendments be submitted to the electors of the city of East Jordan, at the annual election to be held on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1915, for the approval of said electors. Further

Resolved, that the city clerk cause notice to be given that said amendments will be submitted to said electors by proper notice, containing the sections as amended, by publication thereof in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper published and circulating in said city, the first publication to be on March 20, 1915, and to continue until said election. Further

Resolved, that the city clerk procure the necessary ballots for the submission of said amendments, the form of the ballot to be as follows:

For the amendment of sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, of chapter XI, relating to taxation, Yes []

For the amendment of sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, of chapter XI, relating to taxation, No []

Adopted by the city commission of the city of East Jordan, on the eighteenth day of March, 1915, by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes, Cross, Hudson and Graff.

Nays, none.

On motion by Graff, meeting was adjourned.

OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk.

PEACH LEAF CURL AND ITS PREVENTION

While the extent of the injury varies with the different varieties, and with the character of the season, it is seldom that a spring passes when peach trees are entirely free from the attack of Leaf-Curl.

The name leaf-curl is given to the blistering, thickening, and curling of peach-tree foliage which often occurs when the weather in May and June is cold and wet. The attack may be so severe that practically all of the leaves may drop, and this may result in a partial or entire loss of the crop of fruit. Formerly it was supposed that the loss of the leaves was due directly to the unfavorable climatic conditions, but it is now known that it is a fungous nature, and that the reason why it only develops in cold, wet weather is that the conditions are then favorable for the development of the disease.

Like other fungous diseases, the development of leaf-curl can be prevented by thoroughly spraying the trees in the spring. If the application is not made by the middle of April, or even before that date, in early seasons little, if any, effect will be secured.

In sections where the San-Jose scale is present, the so-called dormant spray for the scale containing one part of commercial lime-sulphur solution to 8 or 9 parts of water will control the leaf-curl, provided it is not delayed too long. A somewhat weaker application, perhaps, 1-15, will answer when the scale is not present, or, we may substitute a solution of copper sulphate, using 2 pounds in 50 gallons of water. Bordeaux mixture may also be used but is no more effectual than the clear solution, and will cost two or three times as much, besides being more difficult to prepare and apply.

Peach leaf-curl is one of the easiest of all fungous diseases to control by spraying, as only one application is necessary but it must be made early in the season, and care must be taken to cover all the buds and branches with spray.

L. R. TAFT,

State Inspector of Orchards.

East Lansing, Mich.

FIRST WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

A Republican Caucus for the First Ward in the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan, will be held at the BISNETT BUILDING, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24th

commencing at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of Supervisor and a candidate for the office of Constable. Also for the transaction of any other lawful business which may come before said Caucus.

East Jordan, Mich., March 15th, 1915.

JOHN WHITEFORD
HERMAN GOODMAN
WM. TAYLOR

Committee.

SECOND WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

A Republican Caucus for the Second Ward in the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan, will be held at the TOWN HALL, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 24 commencing at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of Supervisor and a candidate for the office of Constable. Also for the transaction of any other lawful business which may come before said Caucus.

East Jordan, Mich., March 15th, 1915.

WM. ALDRICH
JOSHIAH ST. JOHN
CHAS. ALEXANDER

THIRD WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

A Republican Caucus for the Third Ward in the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan, will be held at the CITY HALL, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 24, commencing at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of Supervisor and a candidate for the office of Constable. Also for the transaction of any other lawful business which may come before said Caucus.

East Jordan, Mich., March 15th, 1915.

G. A. LISK
A. G. ROGERS
LEROY SHERMAN

A lovers' quarrel and a small boy's trousers are soon patched up.

People are still searching for Captain Kidd's buried treasure. This looks like a waste of time, as the Captain, having money to burn, probably cremated it.

Obituary—Mrs. L. Williams.

Mrs. Gladys Williams, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Conley, fell asleep at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Kiser, March 14th, 1915, after an illness of about nine months of a complication of diseases.

The deceased was born in Oscoda county, Mich., June 4th, 1892, being almost twenty-three years of age at the time of her death. Twenty years ago she moved with her parents to East Jordan where she had since resided until Sept. 16th, 1912, when she was united in marriage with Mr. Lawrence Williams of Cheboygan, Mich., and has since resided there. She leaves to mourn her loss, a husband and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Kiser and Miss Della Conley both of East Jordan, and near relatives and friends.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon and was conducted by the pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church Rev. T. Porter Bennett, at the South Arm Grange Hall. Interment at Jones cemetery.

Obituary—George Macbeth.

George Macbeth was born in Otsego county, N. Y., March 15th, 1854, and departed this life at the county farm home at East Jordan, March 15th, 1915, being sixty-one years of age. His wife and three children were buried in New York State and he is the last of a family of six. He was a blacksmith by trade and came to the home from Boyne Falls.

The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. T. Porter Bennett, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church. Interment at East Jordan.

The Week In History.

Monday, 15.—Caesar assassinated B. C. 41.

Tuesday, 16.—James Madison born, 17-51.

Wednesday, 17.—St. Patrick's Day. Grant takes command of army, 1864.

Thursday, 18.—Cleveland born, 1837.

Friday, 19.—Bryan born, 1860.

Saturday, 20.—Great Boston fire, 1760.

Sunday, 21.—First day of spring.

FOR SHAME!

When Mary starts to board a car, Just see how brazen some men are. Why don't they turn their heads, I beg? Why should they look at Mary's hat? —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Those high-step cars are a disgrace; They are entirely out of place. The distance should be cut in half, Then Mary wouldn't show her animosity. —Detroit News.

When Mary starts to dance a bit, Some men nearly have a fit; But, if more clothes her form should drape, Mary wouldn't show her disposition. —Memphis Commercial-Appal.

When Mary dons her shortened skirt, The men imagine she will flirt; And wonder if the chilly breeze Don't freeze her nearly to the neck.

Jonah was the author of the original fish story, but it is estimated that some 9,967,953,724,013 other men have infringed on his copyright.

The things women do because they have no reason for doing them usually turn out better than the things men do because they have several reasons.

PAULINE PAPRIKA SAYS—

That marriage is to love what a wet blanket is to fire.

That a man's argument always seems unanswerable—to him.

That the woman who blackens some other woman's powder herself most.

That the women are unreasonable creatures in some instances—also in others.

That if Fortune made the heart swell as it does the head, this world would be a paradise.

That when a man is tied to his wife's apron strings, the thing he objects to most is the fact that the strings are always visible.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS

Garments which have been stained with vaseline should be soaked in kerosene before water or soap touches them. Vegetable and animal oils and fats, such as olive oil, butter and other products known as "grease," yield to soap and water. If the spot is large and the fabric heavy, it may be removed by the application of heat and an absorbent. Place blotting or wrapping paper over and under the spot, and press a warm iron over it. As heat will change many colors, one should work cautiously, holding the iron above the goods until the effect is noted. Any kind of coarse meal will absorb grease.

When buying hose, if you get the cheaper silk or lisle hose in the dark gray shade they will look just like more expensive grades of real silk hose when worn with black footwear.

Wise is the man who appoints himself chairman of the advisory board of his own business.

M. E. ASHLEY & CO.



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Then see our advanced display of Spring and Summer Fashions.

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These genteel, smartly tailored garments will instantly meet the approval of every woman of refinement who desires to be well dressed and yet not over-dressed.

Short-lived fads, extremes and freaks find no place in the Wooltex line, for Wooltex styles are made for service at least through a full season.

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THE CHILDREN'S STORY TELLING CLUB

Essilyn Dale Nichols, Editor

1527-35 St., Rock Island, Ill.

Send Manuscript and Letters for this Department Direct to the Editor of this Department.

Dear little folks: Isn't it nice to know that spring is here again? Just hear those little birds sing! And step out of doors and notice how good the air smells! Don't you enjoy it? I do—ESPECIALLY since I've been so sick with the measles. Yes, really, dears, I've had the measles; and I was dreadful, dreadful sick, and I looked dreadful, dreadful bad, but I'm getting better now.

By the way, I want to tell you that our "Missing Word Contest" is growing, and growing, and GROWING—My! how it is growing. And here is something else I want to tell you: Some of you little folks FORGOT to send me your address, and I can't send you a membership card until you send me your address. Also—I've got something splendid to tell you about some NEW MEMBERSHIP CARDS, directly after our "Missing Word Contest" closes. And REMEMBER, the "Missing Word Contest" closes promptly on the fifteenth of March, so be sure and get your list of missing words in before then.

Now, we will have our letters. Our first letter is from a kind lady who contributes a story of her own childhood days for our entertainment. She says:

Dear Children: As I have been reading such splendid letters in this issue of my home town paper, I thought of my own vacation when I was a little girl 11 years old. (By the kind permission of the editor) I will tell you the story, for it would be of great pleasure to me to see it in print. And of some interest, I hope, to others. Well, once upon a time a good many years ago, there used to be hops raised which were ready to pick in the fall of the year (In September, I think it was). A man came from Oxford, Michigan with a four horse team and a large hay rack, spread with clean, soft hay for us girls to sit on—and boys, too, for there were several in the party hired to pull the hop poles for the girls to pick the hops. There were eighteen or twenty of us in our load. And such fun as we had riding along—it was something great. The weather was fine and us girls picked hops bareheaded most of the time. My auburn or nut-brown locks were as red as a fox's tail, as mother said, and my cheeks were as flaming red poppies; for it is healthy work out in the fresh sweet air and God's sunshine. And then moonlight nights we could go out for a lark hunting for watermelons. I only went once. For as I went in the care of a maiden aunt (mother's oldest sister) she looked after me.

There were several of us down on the bridge about forty rods from our boarding house, I remember, of us young people—I, the youngest in the bunch. The boys had just got back with the melons, and some of them were hop-skip and jumping (for that was a game for boys forty years ago) and the girls were laughing and eating melons and having a good time—when, lo and behold! who should be coming down the road but Aunt Theresa, like a ghost, calling my name (Frances) at the top of her lungs, saying, when she got within speaking distance, it was time I was in bed or I would be sick and have to go home. You can imagine my feelings better than I can write them. But nevertheless, I did some hop-skip- ping, for I knew she meant it, and I had promised my mother to mind her or I couldn't go a-hop picking; and I did it so much, besides earning

my first five dollars, of which I felt very proud. I hope this isn't too long a story.

P. S. I forgot to mention that we went from the little town of Marthon, the place where I was born, in Lapeer County, Michigan.

By Frances Alice Brant—nee French. Thank you, dear friend, for your words of appreciation, and for a very interesting vacation story. I am sure the kiddies will enjoy it—as I have.—(The Editor.)

Our next letter is from Gladys Reese, Missaukee, Mich.

Dear Editor:—I am a little girl six years old and I am in the first grade at school. My teacher's name is Miss Sampson. I have a pet hen and I call her Patsy. I would like to join the club. I like to read the letters, too. Well, I must close, so good-bye, from your little friend, Gladys Reese.

Gladys, I was very glad to receive such a cute little letter. I think I sent you a membership card, but if you have not received one, let me know, and I will send you another.

Our next letter is from Helen Perry, Saugatuck, Michigan.

Dear Editor:—I am a reader of the Children's Story Telling Club. I am very much interested. I am a little girl ten years old; I will be eleven this month. I have a brother, he is seven. His name is Claude. I am in the fifth grade. I go to school every day. I have four pets. I have two dogs, one cat and a billy goat. We have an auto and take many nice trips in the summer. I have just been reading the new contest. I am going to try to put in the missing words as follows: 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Egg; 4, Roof; 5, Head; 6, Lay; 7, Said; 8, See; 9, Cluck; 10, Hair; 11, Happy; 12, Peck. Yours lovingly, Helen Perry.

I am glad you are interested in our club, Helen; I hope you will always be interested. Your letter was very nice. Write again.

Our next letter is from Conklin, Michigan; but as there is no name to it, I do not know who it is from.

Dear Editor:—I have never written to the Children's Story Telling Club before, but I thought I would to this contest. 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Red; 4, Bottom; 5, Legs; 6, Lay; 7, Said; 8, Have; 9, Peck; 10, Head; 11, Different; 12, Pull.

Now, little friends, who wrote this letter? I cannot send a membership card to the writer of this letter because I do not know who to send it to.

Our next letter is from a little Rockford girl.

Dear Editor:—I am eleven years old and in the seventh grade. My teacher's name is Mrs. Lura Benedict. I would like to join your club. I saw your Missing Word Contest and I shall try to answer it. 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Small; 4, Board; 5, Legs; 6, Hatch; 7, Said; 8, Have; 9, Peck; 10, Head; 11, Distressed; 12, Fixed. Please send me a membership card. Yours truly, Lillian Rector, Rockford, Michigan.

I have sent you a card, Lillian, and am very glad to welcome you to our club. Prizes in the Missing Word Contest will be sent after the fifteenth of March.

Our next letter is from a little girl living at Henry, Michigan.

Dear Editor:—I am a little girl seven years old, and in the second grade. My teacher's name is Miss Patten Smith, of Minister. I like her

very much. We have twelve children here in our school, and I have three brothers. Their names are Frankie, Kenneth and Gordon. Frankie is five years old; he has white hair and blue eyes, and Kenneth is three years old in June, the twenty-second. He has white hair and blue eyes, and Gordon he is a baby eleven months' old the twentieth of this month. He has brown hair and brown eyes, the same as I have. Next Tuesday I will be seven years old. I have one big cat; its name is Tip. Well, if I see this letter in print I will write again. Good-bye, from Ada Bell Newell.

Ada, dear, I have your list of Missing Words all marked down, and you will receive a prize—Let me see, I guess it will be some time in April, for I have so many prizes to get ready that it will take me that long to get them all fixed up. I am glad to print your nice letter, and hope you will write again.

Our next letter is from Cleone Bliss of Coopersville, Michigan.

Dear Editor:—I am sending you the Missing Words for the contest. Well, I don't know whether they are all right or not, but hope they are nearly right. I was nine years old this last January. I am in the fourth grade. I like to go to school and I like my teacher. Her name is Miss Easton. I have two brothers: Basil and Robert. This will be all, Cleone Bliss. Missing Words: 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Brown; 4, Board; 5, Feet; 6, Show; 7, Said; 8, See; 9, Cry; 10, Head; 11, Thoughtful; 12, Comb.

Cleone, your list of Missing Words was very nicely written, and you are sure to get a prize some time in April. Write again. Our next letter is from a little girl of Alto.

Dear Editor:—I have read your stories in our paper. I am twelve years old and will be thirteen the seventeenth of July. I go to school every day and I am in the sixth grade. I have no sisters or brothers. I have a lot of pets. I will name them if you like. I have a pet horse and her name is Nellie and I ride horseback on her. I have about twenty rabbits or more, little ones and big ones, and I have a pet cat and his name is Jerry, he is yellow and white. The names for the words in the verse are: 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Feather; 4, Wall; 5, Feet; 6, Lay; 7, I want to lay an egg; 8, Lay in your nest; 9, No; 10, Head; 11, Brown; 12, Pull. I hope I will see my story in print next week or later. Yours truly, Esther Wingein, Alto, Michigan.

P. S. I would like to have you send me a membership card, if you please.

Esther, I am very glad to send you a membership card and am also glad to print your letter in the club. I hope you will send other letters and may be a story now and then.

Our next letter is from Anna Ruth Ryan of Mt. Pleasant, Mich.

Dear Editor:—Enclosed you will find the Missing Words from the Missing Word Contest: 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Small; 4, Shutters; 5, Legs; 6, Hide; 7, Said; 8, See; 9, Cry; 10, Head; 11, Wistful; 12, Pull. I guess I must close. From Anna Ruth Ryan.

Thank you, Anna, for a very nicely written list. I think you have written for our club before; have you not? Our next letter is from a Riverdale girl.

Dear Editor:—The following is my list of the twelve Missing Words in the guessing contest of the Children's Story Telling Club in the "Isabella County Courier." 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Small; 4, Ruins; 5, Legs; 6, Hatch; 7, Said; 8, See; 9, Look; 10, Head; 11, Frightened; 12 Comb. My choice of the prizes offered is a story book. Hoping that my guesses are correct and that I will receive one of the prizes, I am yours truly, Ruth Williams, Riverdale, Mich.

Every boy and girl that takes part in the Missing Word Contest wins a

prize, Ruth, so you will be sure to win one. I am glad you are taking part. Our next letter is from Norma Dine, of Marion, Michigan.

Dear Editor:—May I join the "Children's Story Telling Club?" I have read the letters quite a little and find them very interesting. I am a girl eleven years old and go to school almost every day. I am in the sixth grade. My studies are: Arithmetic, Reading, Grammar, Spelling, Geography, Physiology and Penmanship. I do not like school at all but I am not going to stop when I get through the eighth grade. My teacher's name is Glennie R. Erving. She has taught three years, counting this one. I have the dearest little baby brother in this wide world, I do believe. I would not part with him for anything. Well, I think I must close for this time, hoping to see my letter in print. Yours truly, Norma Dine.

Norma, you are a smart and plucky girl to make up your mind to get an education EVEN though you don't like school. You are sure to grow into a splendid woman, dear. Write again. Our next letter is from Vena Mumford.

Dear Editor:—I would very much like to join the Children's Story Telling Club. I read the stories and letters every week. I am a little girl nine years old. I have to walk a mile and a half to school, and I am in the fifth grade. Our teacher's name is Miss Wing. I like her very much. I have three sisters and one brother. My youngest sisters are Arvilla, Ivis and Iris, and my brother's name is Charles. We have two pet cats; their names are Nige and Tige. Vena Mumford, Marion, Michigan.

Vena, dear, I liked your letter and I am very glad to have you join our club. Write as often as you like. I think we can squeeze in one more letter and then I must close, although there are stacks and STACKS of letters waiting for publication. I expect we have about a hundred, so you see, dears, you will have to have lots of patience. Our last letter for this week is from Eleanor Tait, of Newaygo, Michigan.

Dear Editor:—I am a constant reader of your page and I saw the contest you have in, so I am going to try and get one of the prizes. I am twelve years old and am in the fifth grade. Here are my answers: 1, Years; 2, Biddy; 3, Curly; 4, Back; 5, Legs; 6, Lay; 7, Said; 8, In; 9, Cry; 10, Head; 11, Different; 12, Pull. I hope these are the missing words. Your constant reader, Eleanor Tait.

Eleanor, I am glad you enjoy our page and am glad you are taking part in our contest. We will have great fun, I think. Write again. And now good-bye, little folks, until next week.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS

- One pint of granulated sugar equals one pound.
- One pint of brown sugar equals 13 ounces.
- One pint of maple sugar equals 17 ounces.
- One pint of wheat flour equals eight ounces.
- One pint of cornmeal equals 10 ounces.
- One pint of soft butter equals one pound.
- One pint of grated bread crumbs equals nine ounces.
- One pint of seeded raisins equals nine ounces.
- One pint of dried currants equals 10 ounces.
- One ounce of granulated sugar equals two level teaspoonfuls.

To Drive Nails.

Dip them in soft soap and they may be easily driven in hard wood.

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- 1208—A New Under Garment.** Cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large. It requires 2½ yards of 36 inch material for a Medium size. Price 10 cents.
- 1209—A Simple, Serviceable Model.** Cut in 6 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches' bust measure. It requires 8½ yards of 44 inch material for the suit for a 38 inch size. Calls for two patterns at 10 cents each.
- 1220—Ladies' Dressing Sack.** Cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large. It requires 2½ yards of 38 inch material for a Medium size. Price 10 cents.
- 1210—A New Suit in Russian Style.** Cut in 4 sizes: 3, 4, 5 and 6 years. It requires 4½ yards of 27 inch material for a 6 year size. Price 10 cents.
- 1207—Frock for the Growing Girl.** Cut in 4 sizes: 4, 6, 8 and 10 years. It requires 3 yards of 36 inch material for a 6 year size. Price 10 cents.

RECIPES

AND

HOUSEHOLD HELPS

OUR LADY READERS ARE INVITED TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS DEPARTMENT. ADDRESS, UNITED WEEKLIES EDITOR, CAMPAU BLDG., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.



Escalloped Beefsteak.
Select tender steak, not too thick; wipe and cut it in several pieces, put a layer in a baking dish and dredge with flour and a little salt and pepper, then another layer and so on until all is used; pour on enough milk and water to cover, add a few lumps of butter, put in oven and cook until steak is tender and nicely brown. Do not let it get dry. Just before serving, grate cream cheese over top and let it remain in the oven until the cheese is melted. Serve at once.

Whole Wheat Gems.

Mix two cupfuls of whole wheat flour, half a teaspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of sugar. Stir into a cupful of sweet milk the beaten yolk of two eggs and a cupful of water. Add these to the flour, stirring all together. Beat the whites of two eggs until they are stiff and add to the batter. Drop into very hot gem pans which have been well greased and bake for thirty minutes.

Rye Gems.

Sift together three-quarters of a cupful of rye flour with a quarter of a cupful of wheat flour and a salt-spoonful of salt. Beat the yolks of two eggs. Add to them a cupful of milk and a tablespoonful of sugar. Stir this with the flour and turn in the whites of the eggs, beaten stiff. Bake in cups or iron gem pans. These proportions are for six gems.

Potato Eggs.

Two cupfuls of mashed potatoes, one egg well beaten, added to the potatoes, add also a little finely minced

onion. Shape like eggs and bake in the oven about fifteen minutes. Garnish with parsley.

Fruit Gelatin.

Soak and dissolve the gelatin in the usual way. Arrange malaga grapes, halves of English walnuts and stoned dates in the bottom of a mold. Flavor the gelatin with orange or lemon juice. Then pour it into the mold, stirring the fruit around a little to distribute it. Stand in a cold place to cool and serve with sweetened whipped cream.

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How to Tell Fresh Eggs.

Eggs are not fit for any purpose unless they are perfectly fresh. An easy method of ascertaining the freshness of an egg is to hold it toward the sun or toward a good light. If fresh it will be perfectly clear; if it is clear on one side and cloudy on the other, it is stale. Another good test is to place eggs in a pan filled with water; those that sink to the bottom are perfectly fresh; if they float at the top or stand on one end, they are unfit for use.

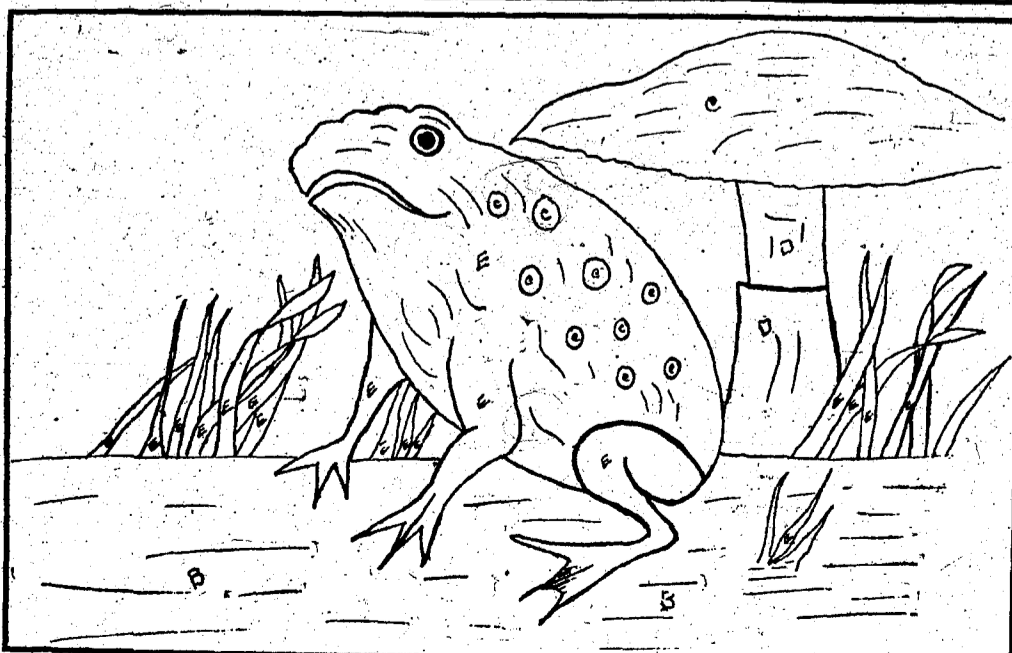
To Remove Bruises from Furniture.

Wet the bruised spot with warm water. Soak a piece of brown paper of several thicknesses in warm water, and lay over the place. Then apply a warm flat iron until the moisture is gone. Repeat the process if needed and the bruise will disappear.

To Keep Flies Off Gilt Frames.

Boil three or four onions in a pint of water and apply with a soft brush.

BOYS AND GIRLS DRAWING CLUB



INSTRUCTIONS

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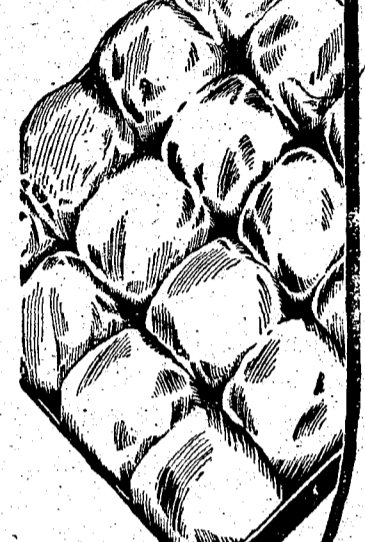
Cut out the outline, desecrating and place on a regular drawing table, fastening the paper by inserting thumb tacks at each corner. If you have not a drawing table the design may be fastened to a large pasteboard, or soft, smooth board. Water colors, or crayons may be used for the work. Each section you will note is marked with a letter from the alphabet. Now begin with letter A, all sections marked A, color red; B, blue; C, brown; D, yellow; E, green; F, black.

The drawings, when completed, may be pasted on pasteboard, or in a scrap book for keeping. Parents should encourage and help their children to start. The little one will find pleasure and enjoyment in coloring the drawings. It is a good pastime, and educates the child. The Editor of the department invites correspondence and will gladly answer questions on drawing, review work and offer suggestions when stamp is enclosed for a reply.

Better Biscuits Baked With

You never tasted daintier, lighter, fluffier biscuits than those baked with Calumet. They're always good—delicious. For Calumet insures perfect baking.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Illinois.
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RHEUMATIC SUFFERERS GIVEN QUICK RELIEF

Pain leaves almost as if by magic when you begin using "5-Drops," the famous old remedy for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Gout, Sciatica, Neuralgia and kindred troubles. It goes right to the spot, stops the aches and pains and makes life worth living. Get a bottle of "5-Drops" today. A booklet with each bottle gives full directions for use. Don't delay. Demand "5-Drops." Don't accept anything else in place of it. Any drug-gist can supply you. If you live too far from a drug store send One Dollar to Swanson Rheumatic Cure Co., Newark, Ohio, and a bottle of "5-Drops" will be sent prepaid.

TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

LIQUOR AND HEALTH.

Important evidence with regard to liquor and the public health was brought before the committee on the regulation of the liquor traffic in the District of Columbia by Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale university. Professor Fisher showed—
That the lowering of the death rate in London has been exactly parallel to the lowered consumption of liquor in that city.
That the lessening of liquor consumption in Sweden has been followed by a remarkable lowering of its already low death rate.
That alcohol, even in moderate quantity, actually lessens efficiency, mental and physical.
That alcohol greatly increases the susceptibility to disease.
That alcohol is an important cause of insanity.

That alcohol lessens the average length of life, as shown by the reports of insurance companies and friendly societies.
That alcohol increases poverty.
These are the findings of cold science, not the testimony of anti-alcohol enthusiasts.

DRINK STATISTICS.
Figures showing an increase since 1904 of three gallons per capita in the nation's consumption of alcoholic drinks need a footnote.
While the average consumption for 1913 was 22.68, the average in 1907 and again in 1911 was 22.79. This gives the prohibitionists a fair argument for the success of their labors in at least preventing an increase.
What is more, the actual consumers of alcohol are estimated to be about 25.5 per cent of the total population, with an average of 89 gallons each. Of this 25.5 per cent it would be interesting to know what proportion do the heavy drinkers.

If hard drinkers drink more but grow fewer, while the number of those who drink little or nothing keeps fairly steady, totals and averages need not cause much worry to temperance workers.—New York World.

A SOBER NAVY.
"No drinking in the navy" is an order everywhere respected, says Miss Ellen Stone, formerly of European Turkey, whose capture and ransom at great cost some years ago is still vividly remembered. "The naval officer is a splendid type of manhood," she continues. "To him an order is an order. Americans now need never fear to see on shore a jackie or marine from an American battleship in an intoxicated condition, which brings disgrace to the country whose uniform he wears. With shame and sorrow I have seen men from the battleships of other nations, in the streets of Saloniki, jeered at by Turks, Jews and others of that ancient city. Wonder of wonders that the ocean should go 'dry'!"

EVEN THE PUGILISTS.
Joe Shugrue, the popular Jersey City pugilist, is a total abstainer. The sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune says of him: "To be banqueted and lauded by high city officials has not fallen to the lot of any New York boxer, but Joe holds this distinction."
Shugrue is not only a teetotaler but frowns upon the use of liquor by the young men who are proud of his acquaintance.

BETTERMENT OF HUMANITY.
"Every movement for the betterment of humanity," says Mr. John Cunneen, the labor leader, "has been fought by people who said it would throw somebody out of work. It was so when oil came to displace candles, gas to supplant candles, and electricity in place of gas. For every man out of work by voting the saloons out, the saloons, if they stay, will put ten out of work."

QUITE A DIFFERENCE.
Eight miners in a West Virginia coal mine, and all of them drinkers, worked under the same conditions during the wet month of June and the dry month of August, conditions being the same both months except as to the drink. In June, when they could drink, and did, they earned \$214.77; in August, with the drink banned and impossible, their earnings were \$449.96.

CAUSE OF DESERTION.
In the eastern provinces of Germany the government has prohibited the sale of all alcoholic liquors. This action has been taken owing to the findings of the court-martial that in almost every instance desertion of the soldiers has been due to drink.

LIQUOR MEN PAY FINE.
How the liquor men are reforming: At Paterson, N. J., the liquor dealers have paid the fines of 30 Sunday law violators during the past few months.

ALCOHOL IN FRUITS.
"Alcohol is not in fruits or grains any more than ptomaine poisons are in meat."

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD

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A Horse's Eleven Requests

1. Don't pound or beat me.
2. Cover me when I am too warm or too cold.
4. Don't overload me.
5. Don't compel me to work when I'm sick.
6. Don't cut my feet too much when I'm shod.
7. Don't overdrive and underfeed me.
8. Remember that I have feelings.
9. Don't water me, when I have been driven a long distance, until I am cool.
10. Talk to me kindly.
11. Treat me as you would like to be treated if you were a horse.

KITCHEN KINKS

Bread should not be put into a too hot oven; it should not brown for the first ten minutes, and only gradually afterward.
When citron has become hard, heat it in the oven for a few minutes and it can be easily cut.

Turnips, carrots, parsnips and similar roots may be kept plump and fresh by being put into boxes filled with earth or sand and placed on the cellar floor.

Curdled salad dressing or custard need not be wasted, as it may be restored to a creamy state by using an egg beater and beating the mixture for a few minutes.

To peel tomatoes without scalding them which many cooks think injures the finest flavor, go over the entire outside with the dull edge of a silver knife. They peel then as easily as if hot water had been used.

County Normal Notes.

Cleo Thorne was absent Monday morning because of spending Sunday at her home near East Jordan.

Miss Himes took the normal class to a ten-cent tea given at the home of Mrs. Harry Nicholls Thursday afternoon. The tea was given for the benefit of the suffrage cause.

The normal class made Friday afternoon in domestic science work.

Thursday the fifth grade and the normal class went down to the telegraph office where they received the time from Washington at noon.

The class has been doing work in nature study, stories, pictures and artists under the direction of Miss Whiting.

The fifth grade in the training room have finished the geography of Europe.

The children are studying spring flowers and birds.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO EAST JORDAN FOLKS

We wish to announce we are exclusive East Jordan agents for the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ika. This remedy, used successfully for appendicitis, is the most THOROUGH bowel cleanser we ever sold. It is so powerful that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. Adler-ika never gripes, is safe to use and the INSTANT action is surprising.—James Gidley, Druggist.

BOLTS WANTED.

We want to buy a few hundred cords of four-foot bolts in soft elm, hemlock, spruce, pine and balsam, 6" and up in diameter, smooth, straight stock, all cut 49" long. Will buy stock delivered on car on E. J. & S. R. R. or in our yard.
EAST JORDAN, CABINET CO.

QUICK ACTION WANTED.

When one is coughing and spitting—with tickling throat, tightness in chest, soreness in throat and lungs—when head is aching and the whole body racked with a cough that won't permit sleep—he wants immediate relief. Thousands say Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is the surest and quickest acting medicine for coughs, colds, croup and la grippe.—Hite's Drug Store.

The man who makes good doesn't wait for opportunity to knock. He has the door wide open.

The meek may inherit the earth some day, but the other fellow has a mortgage on it right now.

Yes—Many People have told us the same story—distress after eating, gases, heartburn. A **Roxall Dyspepsia Tablet** before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c.
W. C. Spring Drug Co.

TEMPLE THEATRE

Friday Ev'ng March 26th

J. C. ROCKWELL'S NEW SUNNY SOUTH CO.

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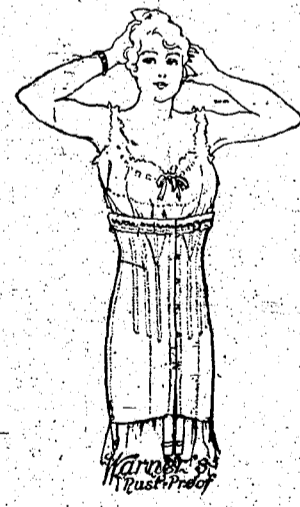
EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO. STORE

IF YOU WEAR CORSETS then you should wear Warner's Rust-proof Corsets.

The thin double rust-proof boning used in Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets is ideal for lace-front styles. Most lace-front models have so much boning, etc. at the front that they are boxy and clumsy. Warner's thin double boning lightens the weight and gives added flexibility. It will not set nor break.

The new models shape perfectly in lines of current fashions and fit with a comfort you will appreciate. The patented protector beneath the lacings is one feature alone that distinguishes them for health and comfort.

We will appreciate the opportunity to show these Warner models to you, because we know that you will like them, and we want you to know the correct service that we offer. Every Pair Guaranteed.



Dress Fashion and Your Corset.

Skirts this season should be full at the bottom, but fit snugly around the hips and waist. Above the waist the bodice should set more closely than in the past, and fitted sleeves are once again the style.



You must select your corset to gain these lines. You can do so with a Warner's Rust-Proof model. We have styles for every figure, styles that we can guarantee to shape fashionably and comfortably.

The corset skirts are long, with rubber inserts to mold the flesh snugly at all times without binding.

You will find the natural shaped waist again correct. Thin double rust-proof boning forms the waist line easily and comfortably, and this rust-proof boning will not set nor break.

East Jordan Lumber Co.

Briefs of the Week

The bean picking season of the Clark Seed Co. closed Tuesday.

The Salvation Army will have an outpost here this summer.

Shepard has purchased the French dairy farm north of the city.

Mrs. C. C. Mack is expected home from the Petoskey hospital, today.

Mrs. C. H. Whittington left Friday for a fortnight's visit with her son, Fred, and family at Jackson.

Mrs. G. W. Kitsman is expected home first of the week from the Detroit hospital. Her health is much improved.

Frank Green and family have moved from the French farm to their home in this city. Mr. Green is now working at Burdick's Market.

Mrs. J. B. Palmeter will entertain the Methodist Ladies Aid at her home on Mill-st, Wednesday, March 24th, at 2:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

Robert Cook has exchanged his city property on the west side for the farm home of Mrs. J. Strong, and, with David Ruch, will occupy same.

The six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pardo Light of LeGrand, Mich., died Wednesday last. Mrs. Light was formerly Miss Louise Gleason of this city.

We have added an Art Goods Department to our store and will have on display many beautiful finished pieces. Be sure and see them.—M. E. ASHLEY & CO.

Sam Leshar, an Indian, was arrested by Chief of Police Cook on a drunk and disorderly charge, Tuesday morning. In Justice Blount's court that afternoon he was fined \$10.

A surprise party was given Mrs. Charles Johnson last Friday evening at her home in the Commercial Hotel. About twenty-five friends enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Tomorrow, Sunday, March 21, is the first day of Spring. But we want to see a few more boys out with their marbles before we place too much confidence in the date.

The roof of the West Side school building was again damaged by fire last Saturday forenoon. The chemical apparatus of the Fire Dept. was used to good effect in this blaze.

Photographer Kirkpatrick took a novel view of part of our city one night last week. It was taken from the top of the Clark Seed House and the plate was given an hour's exposure.

George Lehmen of Detroit, traveling salesman of the Sawyer Biscuit Co., was stricken with heart failure at Boyne City, Thursday afternoon, and passed away. He was in our city that day, driving to Boyne City after dinner.

The WIZARD MOP is sold by Empey Bros. It has become a household treasure, and indispensable for cleaning all kinds of wood work. It will take up all the dust. It will veneer your floors and give them a fresh appearance. We are selling them for 50c and \$1.00.

10c Enamelled Ware—the Bazaar.

LONG DISTANCE RUNNERS

That is a good description of our Watches. They are carefully regulated before being allowed to go out of our hands. TAKE OUR TIME IF YOU WANT TO KEEP GOOD TIME.

C. C. MACK
JEWELER

Easter Cards and Novelties at the Bazaar.

George Ramsey was a Petoskey visitor this week.

Mrs. John Vance returned from Detroit, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Hadley returned to her home at Holly, Thursday.

Mrs. H. Kling and son returned home from Bay City, Friday.

H. L. Winters is at Freesoil, Mich., on business this week.

M. Muma and family are moving onto the French farm this week.

Miss Flora Porter returned home from Darling, Pa., Thursday.

O. Scott and family now occupy rooms in the Bianett building.

Adolph Young of Charlevoix was in the city on business, Tuesday.

Grocer G. A. Bell recently installed a new electric coffee grinder.

Burney Weisman of Detroit was guest of J. L. Weisman, Thursday.

Wm. Boudrie, employed, at Deward, spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Winnie Maddaugh returned to her school at Thumb Lake, Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Kowalski visited Mrs. John Blake at Bellaire over Sunday.

B. E. Waterman was at Traverse City and Manistee on business this week.

Lionel Goodman was in Detroit, Monday, where he has employment.

Miss Barbara McAllister was confined to her home with neuralgia this week.

Mrs. J. Houghton left Tuesday for Southern Michigan points on business.

Will Nachazel visited his parents over Sunday, returning to Boyne City, Monday.

Mrs. A. Hilliard left Friday for Grand Rapids to spend a fortnight with her sister.

George Spencer left Tuesday on a business trip to Ludington and Grand Rapids.

Archie Menzies of Vanderbilt visited his sister, Mrs. Leroy Sherman, over Sunday.

George Carr and family now occupy their recently purchased home on Fourth-st.

Mrs. Chris Taylor spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Peppin at Sutton Bay.

Mrs. G. W. Crouter of Charlevoix visited her mother, Mrs. E. Smatts, over Sunday.

Mrs. H. Goodman visited her brothers George and Frank Dunlap, at Boyne City this week.

Mrs. W. A. Stone is expected home this Saturday from a visit at Chicago and other places.

Miss Jeannette Morrow has been ill and unable to attend her school work at Mt. Bliss this week.

Leo Holmberg of Walloon Lake visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Maddaugh over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Kimball have returned to their farm home after spending the winter at Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kenny, who have been spending the winter on the farm, again occupy their city residence.

The first meeting of the Cemetery Ass'n for this year was held at the home of Mrs. J. Palmeter, Thursday.

D. Macgregor of Detroit and A. Macgregor of Boyne City were guests of their sister, Mrs. John Hawkins, last week.

Mrs. A. G. Rogers and daughter Frances spent part of the week here returning to Harbor Springs, Wednesday.

Mrs. Hill, mother of Henry Clark, returned to her home at Flint, Thursday, after an extended visit with her son and family.

R. Gleason and daughter, Mrs. A. Shepard went to Lagrande, Mich., Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Gleason's grandson.

A. Davis and sister, Miss Jennie, of Eveline, Misses Gladys and Fay Heller of Advance, and Leo Smith of Boyne City, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heller over Sunday.

The Improvement Club banquet, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hilliard Wednesday evening, was an entire success. With the green decorations and Irish songs, St. Patrick would have felt entirely at home had he been present.

Pictures Framing done at the Bazaar.

Ira Miles has been very ill the past week.

Miss Lydia Malpass was at Petoskey Saturday last.

George Hunter of Ellsworth was in the city Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Ward is clerking at Weisman's store.

Mrs. Hawkins is assisting Mrs. Boswell in her millinery parlor.

Mrs. Jos. Zoulek is expected home from Maple City this Saturday.

Mayor Cross attended the funeral of a cousin at Central Lake, Tuesday.

M. Snook returned to Manistee, Tuesday, after visit with his family.

Mrs. Hodge of Puyallup, Wash., was guest of Mrs. R. Supernaw, Friday.

Archie McArthur has purchased the Tom Lalonde residence on Fourth-st.

Harry Simmons went to Milan, Monday, to visit his sister, Mrs. H. A. Tape.

It sometimes happens that a man who fails at everything else marries quite well.

If some men had never been born, some others might have to work for a living.

Fred Vogel and family now occupy the Miss Collins tenant house on State street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Swafford moved to their summer home on the State road this week.

Our spring SKIRTS at \$5.00 to \$6.50 are what you need. Get one.—M. E. Ashley & Co.

Mrs. R. M. Burr and son of Central Lake is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Smatts, this week.

Mrs. Roy Blair is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles, north of the city.

Mrs. Claude Wood, who came home from Petoskey hospital last week, is suffering from tonsillitis.

Miss Isabella Reed, teacher in the Bellaire schools, was guest of Miss Mildred Drescher over Sunday.

The Methodist Ladies Aid Circle No. 2 will give a chicken pie dinner in the parlors of the church Friday evening, March 26th from 5 to 8 o'clock. Price 25 cents.

Easter Eggs, 10c lb.—the Bazaar.

We wish to express our thanks to a young lady who assisted us while attending a picture show the other evening. Being seated directly behind us, she read all the announcements as they were thrown on the screen and we were much impressed. She being tenderhearted, and seeing that we were near-sighted, conferred that favor upon us. She is our idea of what a young lady of sixteen years ought to be. She is not one of your shy little things who is afraid to speak out loud. It was a vast help to us because we did not have to look at the screen at all—could talk to our companion and look over the audience and "hear" the pictures at the same time. A gentleman in front of us bothered quite a bit because he kept turning around and finally he got up and left the theatre. We noticed that it bothered the young lady who was befriending us, too, but we assured her that he had no reference to her. In order to fully thank the young lady and that there may be no misunderstanding, we will tell her name: She is Miss Chewgum Openface, eldest daughter of Mrs. Openface. She is to be commended.

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THE J. C. ROCKWELL "SUNNY SOUTH" CO.

Amusement loving public will be glad to hear that the J. C. Rockwell "Sunny South" company, the show that leaves you laughing when you say "good night" will appear in the Temple Theatre, Friday evening, March 26th. It is about two years since this company was seen here and at that time it was conceded to be the best and most pleasing of the kind that ever came this way. This season it is absolutely new and up-to-the-minute in every respect. It is characteristic throughout, being a mixture of fun, melody and dancing, consisting of all the features peculiar to the negro in Dixie Land, presented by the negroes of the cultured and educated class, free from vulgarity, without any objectional features, at the same time sparkling with wit and good humor. Comedy is all that is aimed at and nothing else is reached but some very clever singing, dancing and thrilling specialties which will make the audience sit up and take notice. There are twenty jolly, catchy and brilliant musical numbers and the olio is replete with several of the highest-class vaudeville stunts ever presented outside the larger cities. From first to last there is not an objectional word spoken nor the slightest approach to vulgarity in action nor glance. A good sprinkling of new songs has been made throughout the performance and with the atmosphere being the kind where the audience leaves the theatre whistling the latest song hits, our patrons can rest assured that they will be sent home feeling satisfied they have received full value for their money.

The organization is accompanied by a solo concert band and a superb orchestra. The "Koontown parade takes place at noon.

The prices of admission have been placed at 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats are now selling at Mack's.

First Methodist Episcopal Church Rev. T. Porter Bennett, Pastor.

10:30 "Gethsemane" will be the theme for the morning service. You are invited to worship with us.

11:45 Sunday School. A week from Sunday the contest closes. Be sure and be present next Sunday.

6:00 Epworth League, Mrs. Henry Bogart leader.

7:00 "Jealousy" is the theme that one of the merchants gave the pastor to speak on.

Next Saturday at 7:30 Dist. Supt. Rev. Kendrick will conduct the third quarterly conference.

St. Joseph's Church Rev. Timothy Kroboth.

Sunday, Mar. 21—Peace Sunday. 8:00 a. m. Low Mass. Holy communion for the Altar Society. Exposition of the blessed sacrament during mass. Benediction.

Friday, Mar. 26—7:30 p. m. Lenten Sermon. Benediction.

Presbyterian Church Notes Rev. A. D. Grigsby, Pastor.

Public worship in the morning at 10:30 and in the evening at 7:00. A very hearty invitation to outsiders to be present. The pastor will preach. Sunday School at 11:45. C. E. at 6:15.

EVELINE

Mr. and Mrs. Harnden were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gladys Williams at South Arm, Monday. Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Gladys Conley, a niece of Mrs. Harnden.

Mrs. Dick Walker has been quite ill. A. L. Darby has been putting up ice this week.

Ed. Kowalski has his well completed and will erect a wind mill in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitefield called at Mr. Bechtold's Sunday last.

Mrs. Montgomery has returned home at Bellaire after a week's stay with her niece, Mrs. Spidel.

Mesdames Spidel, Harnden, Snyder and Montgomery and Mr. Harnden were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bechtold, Tuesday.

Mr. Greenman and family, formerly of Bellaire, now reside on the Fruit Farm and in the employment of the Company.

Mr. Bender has removed with his family across the lake to work for Mr. Osborn for the summer.

Mr. Spidel made the purchase of two grade Holstein cows of Mr. White.

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ECHO BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. John Bender of Boyne City were here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henning. Mr. Henning has been quite ill but is now some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bartholomew and son Carol spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray's.

Special meeting were closed indefinitely on Wednesday evening at the Bennett school house.

A box social will be held at W. J. Bennett's residence, the proceeds for the benefit of our pastor, Rev. Shumaker.

Rev. Shumaker announced that he thought he would be able to bring the Dist. Supt. up to preach to us at the Bennett school house March 28, in the evening. There will be services at the school house next Sunday evening, Mar. 21, when this matter will be definitely announced. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Chancing to come upon an old paper this week, we saw a press dispatch stating the population of Germany on March 16, 1911—just five years ago—had been 64,903,423. As that was before the present terrific struggle there, it occurred to us that an authentic census report today, were such possible would make a contrast worth studying.

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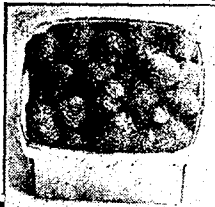
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STRAWBERRIES

Story and History
Of the Strawberry and
How I Grow them
And my Success as a
Grower.



W. F. Tindall, Boyne City, Mich.

LOCATING THE STRAWBERRY BED.

To the parties setting out a small strawberry bed I would suggest: Set them close to the house as possible, that they can be got at readily; in this way they will receive better care, for you can put in odd times on them that they would not receive if located at a distance, also it makes it more convenient for the women folks (and you can bank on the women folks every time it comes to raising strawberries), anyway, if located close to the buildings or road they will be an object of pride and you will see to it that they have proper care; if located at the backside of the farm, no one will see them and they are apt to be neglected.

Almost any good soil will grow strawberries; as a rule, the soil should be porous and well-drained. If growing for market and you have a warm, sandy soil, I would advise growing early varieties; if a heavy or cold soil or on ground sloping to the north, late varieties, as a usual thing, the early and late berries bring best prices. Berries in the height of the season always being lower, and if your market is limited sometimes it will be over-supplied. The one fault in raising early berries is danger of frost. Unless located in a locality unusually free from frosts in May, I would not advise growing the real early varieties.

The season can be extended somewhat by mulching, also by irrigation, giving the plant plenty of moisture at all times will almost invariably cause all berries to mature and lengthen the season.

I have had very good results extending the season by applying coarse manure before snow goes off of beds (this would not apply if ground was not frozen under snow), or before the frost starts to leave the ground if no snow. By this method I have nearly doubled the returns. When berries begin to get cheap, people wait for them to get cheaper; the result is

they sometimes do not get berries, for if a drouth should come along, the season closes very suddenly and parties who have nice berries at this time can usually get their own price.

My method is to set them on ground that has had a liberal application of stable manure and planted to some hood crop the previous season, my preference is early sweet corn, for by giving this good care the ground can be sowed to some cover crop early; this, in turn, can be plowed down late in the fall or allowed to stand all winter and plowed in the spring.

By plowing late in the fall the white grub and other troublesome insects are killed by being plowed up just before winter sets in and exposed to the elements.

There are several advantages in fall plowing: One of the most important is that the work is sure to be done in season for setting the plants early; it is also very important, should the weather be bad in the spring; you can generally get time to set the plants early if the soil is ready, even though it does rain. Sometimes your stand of plants depend upon whether they are set early or not; if set late and dry weather sets in early, a large number are apt to die or be weakened so they might as well have died.

With the strawberry, the same as any other crop, the better condition the soil is put in before planting, the more certain you are to secure a good stand of plants; of course, fitting the ground will not alone produce the desired effect, but it makes it much easier to care for the plants. Many people make the very common mistake of waiting too long after setting before they begin cultivation; as a usual thing, we set the plants while the ground is very wet and we pack the ground around the plants with our feet, which forms a crust and this should be broken as soon as possible, by running close to plants with fine tooth cultivator or hoe, as the season advances, we should keep farther from the plants and run cultivator shallower.

VIEW FROM WEST MICHIGAN PIKE



Each day View in traveling north over the West Michigan Pike, you have a choice of two roads. One goes directly to Mackinaw City by Alanson, Pellston and Levering, and the other follows the shores of Little Traverse Bay, passing through Wequetonging, Harbor Springs and Cross Village. The above view shows one of the many beauty spots passed on the shore road.

BREEDS OF DRAFT HORSES

BY G. ARTHUR BELL

Senior Animal Husbandman, Animal Husbandry Division, WASHINGTON, D. C.

SUFFOLK.

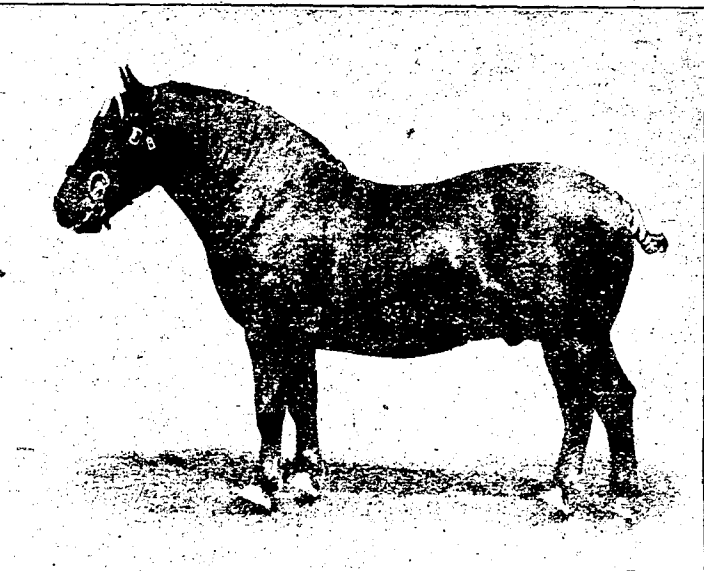
The native home of the Suffolk breed is Suffolk county, in eastern England, and the production of the breed in that country is confined almost entirely to that and adjoining counties. The Suffolk has not been bred for the heavy draft work of the city, but largely for the farm, and for this purpose it ranks high among the farmers of eastern England, who consider it capable of doing a large amount of labor on a small amount of feed and for longer periods than other drafters. The breed is used more exclusively for farm work than any other of our draft breeds.

In size the Suffolk is smaller than other drafters; and while occasionally a mature stallion in fair condition may weigh 2,000 pounds, such a weight is not characteristic of the breed. Considering their size, the

any white; their smooth, rotund form; and the clean-boned leg, devoid of the feather characteristic of the other two British draft breeds.

The breed is criticized for the lack of size to supply the heavy-draft type demanded for the heavy hauling in the cities and for being too light in bone for the size of the body.

Suffolks were first imported into this country in the early eighties and have been imported since then in small numbers, but have never gained a very strong foothold here. One reason for this has no doubt been due to the lack of size as compared with other draft breeds. Another reason why no more have been imported has probably been that they have not been bred in very large numbers in England, being confined to a limited area, and the home demand by the farmers has been sufficient to take care of most of the animals produced; and,



Suffolk Stallion

Suffolks have a deep and wide body, and the ribs have a pronounced spring, giving the body a round and full appearance. The croup is straight, the sloping croup being seldom seen in this breed. The quarters are round and well muscled. The legs are short and are particularly free from long hair or feather, and the bone has the appearance of being small compared with the size of the body. The color is always chestnut, varying from light to dark. The Suffolk is active, has a good disposition, and is rated as an easy keeper.

The distinguishing characteristics of this breed may be said to be the invariable chestnut color, with little if

furthermore, other countries have purchased a good many at prices above what Americans would pay.

The Suffolks in this country are found in small numbers in a large number of states, but have never gained any strong foothold, and consequently their adaptability to our conditions can scarcely be judged. The stallions have been crossed to some extent on mares in this country, but the demand for extreme size has prevented such crossing from being carried on sufficiently to judge of its value, except in a small way.

The secretary of the American Suffolk Association is A. Graham, Galbraith, De Kalb, Ill.

OUR POULTRY DEPARTMENT

ERNEST B. BLETT, GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

House Cleaning Time.

A good time is a good time to clean up the house is not clean and sanitary. Dirt and cleanliness are disease carriers and cause great loss to poultry.

Usually with the rush of work in the spring time and early summer the poultry house is neglected. Better start house cleaning now. If earth floor, take out a few inches and replace with clean, sharp sand and gravel. Remove the nesting material and wash out the nests with a good strong disinfectant and white wash every part of the interior, using good strong disinfectant in the white wash. Replace new nesting material using tobacco stems in bottom of nests and fine oat straw on top. The tobacco stems may be secured of any cigar manufacturer, which nearly every little town now has.

We know of no better disinfectant and one that is soluble in water and may be used in washing incubators, brooders, etc., as well as working good in whitewash than the Maine Cresol Disinfecting Solution, which is made as follows: "Measure out 3-1.5 quarts of raw linseed oil in a 4 or 5-gallon stone crock; then weigh out in a dish 1 pound 6 ounces of commercial lye or 'Rabbit's potash.' Dissolve this lye in as little water as will completely dissolve it. Start with 1/2 pint of water, and if this will not dissolve all the lye, add more water slowly. Let this stand for at least 3 hours until the lye is completely dissolved and the solution is cold; then add the cold lye solution of lye to the oil. After the lye is added continue the stirring until the mixture is in the condition and has the texture of a smooth, homogeneous liquid soap." This ought not to take more than a half hour. Then while the soap is in this liquid state, and before it has a chance to harden, add, with constant stirring,

8 1/2 quarts of commercial cresol. The cresol will blend perfectly with the soap solution and make a clear, dark brown fluid. The resulting solution of cresol soap is then ready to use. This cresol soap will mix in any proportion with water and yield a clear solution."

POULTRY POINTERS.

Raising of broilers is a business by itself.

A chilled egg will bring a weak chick, even if it hatches.

Don't put too many chicks in a brooder; crowding should be avoided at all times.

The "best breed" is the one which you prefer. Each will do better in the hands of admirers.

Do not allow dogs around poultry, unless they are grown together. Anything that frightens the laying hen is apt to stop her egg yield to some extent.

If you only have one incubator and you should become doubtful about the thermometer not being correct or its going wrong during a hatch, take it and place under sitting hens, two or three, and in this way you can test it and make sure of its correctness.

Our knowledge of yesterday is not sufficient for today, for the reason that new ideas, new experiments, and new lessons are coming continually, in fact it is utterly impossible to know it all and we must keep on learning in order to keep along with the procession.

Hen manure is very valuable as a fertilizer and each poultryman should have a place where it may be kept dry and in the best of condition, where it may be used or sold from as needed. Some gardeners have estimated its value at a dollar a bushel, but even at half that price you will be surprised the value you can save during the year from your poultry. Every poultry farm of any size should have a building for storing the manure away.

day, discharging firearms within city limits, inciting riots, breaking up meetings in churches or public buildings, misconduct on trains or street cars and such.

There is a popular belief that one may do practically as one likes on

one's own property. Such belief, however, is without foundation. The charge, disturbing the peace, is even broad enough to punish a man for loud, boisterous talking in his own home, if neighbors are disturbed and complain to the authorities.

FUTURE WEATHER FORECAST

By L. N. PRITCHARD
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

FORECAST

VALUABLE SCIENTIFIC ACCURATE RELIABLE WEATHER GUIDE

FUTURE WEATHER FORECAST.

The rainfall for the month of April will gradually diminish as the days pass, the temperature will average normal, with some cool spells and foggy days will be numerous, especially in eastern half of the United States. Last half of the month will bring good crop weather. Questions relating to this department and of public interest will be answered and published in these columns. Enclose stamp for private reply. Address L. N. Pritchard, Grand Rapids, Mich.

March 28th to April 3rd.

The storm in the west last week is expected to be in the Mississippi valley on Sunday, the 28th, with a general rain area in advance and snow in its wake. This storm area will reach eastern sections of the United States about Monday or Tuesday, the 29th or 30th, with warmer and drier air in the eastern states and especially those south of the Ohio river. A sharp fall of temperature will follow this storm with much cooler and stormy weather in the northern states from the Lake region and Ohio Valley westward to Pacific Coast on Monday and Tuesday.

Moderating conditions are expected to appear over western states about Monday, the 29th, Mississippi valley about Wednesday, the 31st of March, and eastern states Thursday or Friday, April 1st and 2nd. At the same time the barometer will be falling, reaching a rather low reading on the western coast about Tuesday, the 30th. From the 30th of March to about the

2nd of April, severe storms will sweep the continent. Heavy local rains, high winds, electrical and hail storms and tornadoes are all probable during these dates. On the 31st of March and 1st of April these results may be expected in severe proportions in Georgia, South Carolina and bordering states, upper Ohio valley or central lake region.

Much cooler and clear weather will follow close upon the heels of this storm area.

About April 1st, storms will renew in activity with high winds and rain crossing the United States during the next three or four days.

Under certain conditions severe storminess does not appear during the storm periods but the symptoms, such as changing wind directions, increased warmth, followed by cooler as the wind shifts to west and northwest are the only effects that are felt. Such conditions are due to a fight between polar and equatorial air currents. This is the time of year that nature fights the two extremes—summer heat and winter cold, as the sun crosses the equator and moves slowly northward. Consequently both forces are equally strong at this time. Little is understood regarding these aerial conflicts, hence this particular storm prediction can only be taken as a probability. As a general storm it is not expected to be anything serious outside of electrical storms and light rains generally, but in localities storms may take on more severe proportions.

AN IDEAL COUNTRY SCHOOL

High ideals in sanitary requirements for rural schools are proposed in a bulletin that is distributed through the United States Bureau of Education. The bulletin comes from the Joint Committee on Health Problems in Education, composed of members of the National Education Association and the American Medical Association.

The general ideal proposed is that "the country school should be as sanitary and wholesome in essential particulars as the best home in the community."

"The school should be located in a beautiful place," declares the committee. "Noise should be eliminated; children should not be obliged to walk farther than two miles or ride more than six; playgrounds should be ample and well drained; and the school ground should include a real garden or experimental farm, with trees and plants grouped artistically."

The school house, according to the bulletin, should be as nearly fire-proof as possible. Doors should open outward. A small room for consultations and emergency purposes, and one for workshop, instruction in cooking and preparing refreshments, should be provided.

In the matter of ventilation and heating, the bulletin gives specific suggestions. "Fresh air should be provided through window board ventilators except where the furnace or jacketed stove is used, in which case adequate inlets and outlets should be provided. Every school should have a thermometer and temperature in cold weather should be between 66 degrees and 68 degrees Fahrenheit.

Light should be abundant. "The best arrangement," says the bulletin, "is to have the light come only from the left side of the pupil and from the long wall of the class room. The school room should receive direct sunlight sometime during the day, but the main windows should not face directly south. East or west facing is desirable. In providing shades for windows dark ones should be used at the top of windows to control light on bright days.

"There should be no dry sweeping or dusting," says the committee. "Floors and furniture should be cleaned with damp sweepers and oily cloths. Scrubbing, sunning, and airing are better than any form of fumigation."

The common drinking cup should not be tolerated. Care should be taken that drinking water always comes from a safe source; drinking fountains, located just in-

side or outside the schoolhouse, with sufficient pressure for running water, should be provided. The "water for washing" should be easily accessible and should be utilized always after using the toilet and before eating seems little enough to ask, but many schools are found to be lacking in this respect."

The bulletin speaks at length upon sanitary toilets. If there is no water system, separate closets for boys and girls should be at least 50 feet from the school house in different directions.

Copies of the full set of requirements may be had free by writing to the Commissioner of Education, Washington, D. C. County superintendents of schools and county boards of education may obtain a sufficient number to supply all their teachers and school committees.

Port Huron—The old rumor that a number of canal-sized steamers will be sent from Canada to England through the Welland canal to be used as transports, mine draggers and for other purposes is again revived. It is pointed out that many boats of this class were built in Scotch and English shipyards and would have no difficulty crossing the ocean.



DR. WM. DE KLEINE.

President of the West Michigan Pike Association and one of the good roads men for the state. He has given generously of his time and talents for years to the cause of better highways and has done this with no thought of reward other than that of seeing his neighbors enjoy opportunities for exchanging ideas and commodities.

The People's Lawyer

DISTURBING THE PEACE.

The law aims to preserve to the people of the United States public orderliness at all times and tranquility in all affairs. Since the peace and orderliness of a community can be disturbed so easily and in so many ways, numberless statutes on the subject have been established in different states.

In some states the offense is called breach of the peace and in others disturbing the peace, disturbing, disorderly conduct, and such. These various offenses are usually classed in law under the general heading of misdemeanors, which is the lowest classification of unlawful acts. A general definition of this sort of misdemeanor

is a violation of public order; a disturbance of public order by an act of violence or by an act likely to produce violence, or which, causing consternation or alarm, disturbs the peace and quiet of a community.

By this it may be seen the term, disturbing the peace, is a very broad one and can be readily used in cases where a more serious offense has been committed when evidence to prove the seriousness is lacking.

The usual punishment for disturbing the peace is a fine of from one to ten dollars. The more irritating forms of disturbances are especially treated by statutes which provide for more severe punishment. There are special statutes in most states against drunkenness, keeping saloons open on Sun-

Government Experts Advise To Eat More Potatoes In Place of Eating Bread

THERE IS NO SCIENTIFIC REASON WHY THE POTATO CANNOT SUBSTITUTE WHEAT WHEN FLOUR IS HIGH

Washington, D. C.—If wheat remains at its present high figure or continues to rise in price and if there is a corresponding increase in the price of bread, scientists in the United States Department of Agriculture suggest that the ordinary household will find it advantageous to eat more potatoes and less bread. With potatoes at 60 cents a bushel, ten cents worth—or ten pounds—will give the consumer a little more actual nourishment than two one-pound loaves of bread at five cents each. The protein and fat are present in appreciably larger amounts in the bread, but the potatoes will be found to furnish more carbohydrates, and more heat units.

Carbohydrates (starch) contribute greatly to the energy value of any diet and since potatoes are rich in these, families that wish to expend their money to the best advantage are recommended to consider whether

they cannot make a more extended use of them. They are easy to cook and when prepared in different ways can be made to lend variety to the winter diet when green vegetables are hard to obtain. Like other foods relatively rich in carbohydrates, however, potatoes should be eaten with foods correspondingly rich in protein, such as milk, meat, eggs, etc., and with foods like butter, cream and meat fat to supply the fat that the body needs.

Under normal conditions in Europe and America the potato ranks next to bread as a carbohydrate food. If prices change sufficiently to make it desirable from a financial point of view there is no scientific reason why potatoes should not be substituted to a great extent for bread. In addition the potato, like many fruits and vegetables, helps to neutralize an acid condition in the body. This is another reason for its being eaten in combination with meat, fish, and other animal foods.

Port Huron—Special trains loaded with Chicago beef, are passing through the tunnel every week. The beef is shipped at express rate to Montreal, where it is loaded aboard ship for England.

East Lansing—B. W. Brown, of Tawas City, in an address at the annual farmers' round-up, declared every farmer should have a "bath tub" if farm homes were more attractive. He declared there would be less immigration of young men and women from the country to the city.

Are Your Kidneys Well?

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Current Events

By Paul Leake

Governor Alexander of Idaho has signed the state prohibition bill and the Colorado legislature has adopted the prohibition constitutional amendment, effective January 1, 1916.

The Mexican embargo on the exportation of Sisal hemp threatens a serious shortage of binder twine in the United States for the harvest of 1915.

The Russian government is framing a decree to be issued at the end of the war providing for compulsory education to be in full force and effect five years after peace is declared.

The Paris Temps says an agreement has been reached between England, France and Russia regarding the future status of the Dardanelles, which will give Russia the free passage of the straits.

An ordinance has been introduced in the St. Louis, Mo., common council, providing that eggs shall hereafter be sold by weight in that city.

The San Francisco exposition, before opening, represents an outlay of \$50,000,000. There are 250 separate buildings and 8,000 exhibitors.

A woman of Riceville, Iowa, wants a bill passed by the legislature authorizing care-takers to kill aged and infirm persons.

Lumbermen in Delaware are converting blighted chestnut trees into building material.

Success has followed forest planting on the sand hills of Nebraska. Jack pines planted there by the government forest service ten years ago have reached a height of over-fifteen feet and a diameter of four inches.

Chicago reports two divorces to each 12 marriages.

A Cleveland saloon keeper is trying to raise a fund to bring Evangelist Billy Sunday to that city.

San Francisco recently imported 60 tons of eggs from China.

Shrubs rich in camphor have been discovered in the Philippine Islands and it is probable that the camphor industry will be started there.

New Orleans, La., recently pumped dry in three days 45,000 acres of swamp land, the value of which rose in 72 hours from \$100 to \$300 an acre.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels announces that 21 battleships of the Atlantic squadron held in reserve on the Atlantic coast will be available to participate in the naval pageant at New York in June, before sailing for the Panama Canal.

An Amsterdam dispatch says that since the beginning of the war 864 newspapers printed in Germany have suspended publication.

A woman in Atlanta, Ga., is suing a man for \$50,000 alleging that he forcibly kissed her hand and thus shocked her.

That Guinea pigs furnish a wholesome and appetizing meat is one of the discoveries made as a result of the shortage of food in Germany.

Oregon now has under consideration a law imposing penalties upon all citizens who fail to vote.

In some parts of Siberia milk is sold frozen around a piece of wood which serves as a handle with which to carry it.

A Michigan Cherry Harvest



The cherry crop harvested in Western Michigan in 1914 was the largest and finest in the history of the state. Approximately 200 carloads were forwarded from a single point. The total crop must have crowded a thousand cars. This year for the first time many of the new orchards were in bearing. Next season will see even larger acreage in bearing and with fair weather a record-breaking crop. The above is a view of the Morgan orchards in Leelanau county.

NEWS FROM University of Michigan

By JOHN R. BRUMM

Ann Arbor—As a result of the recent fire in the Benjamin rooming house for girls, Secretary Shirley W. Smith has undertaken to devise some feasible plan for insuring the personal property of students. An investigation disclosed the fact that only a small number of students in the entire University carry fire insurance, the few who do being members of fraternities and sororities. Failure to insure personal property has been attributed to the lack of collective policies that would be convenient for students who are not members of fraternities. It is probable that students in each rooming house will be urged to appoint a trustee to carry insurance for the student property in the house, or that local agents will be asked to issue open policies covering the property of students wherever located. The only other possibility seems to be to have students in the various houses take

out collective policies, with each student's name entered on the policy issued for his group.

The students' employment bureaus are wrestling with a labor situation which is unprecedented here at the University. It is said that about 60 per cent of the students are either wholly or partially self-supporting and that never before has the labor supply so far exceeded the demand as at present. It is said that 100 men must find work to earn their board and room if they remain in the University. It is evident that the citizens of Ann Arbor have found it necessary to employ fewer students this year than formerly. An appeal to the public spirit has been made by the University Y. M. C. A. and the Michigan Union in the hope that more positions may be opened to students.

Prof. W. J. Hussey, director of the Michigan astronomical observatory, has returned from the La Plata Uni-

versity, South America, where he serves six months every year as director of the provincial observatory, dividing his time between the two institutions. He reports that more than 200 double stars were discovered and over 1,100 observations were made with the meridian circle.

Prof. Richard Hudson, who retired from University service two years

ago, died in New York city, February 22. His connection with the University spanned a period of over 30 years during ten of which he served as dean of the College of Literature, Science and the Arts. Ten years after his appointment as a member of the history faculty in 1878, he was made head of the department. Since his retirement he has traveled extensively abroad.

MICHIGAN NEWS BREVITIES

SHORT NEWS STORIES FROM ALL OVER OUR STATE

Portland—Mrs. Sarah Highland, 84, a pioneer of this place, is dead.

Howard City—Eight granges participated in the grange rally held here.

Hastings—A special election has been called to decide on building a new \$83,000 school building.

Grand Rapids—George C. Foerch, 55, a music teacher, well known throughout the state, is dead.

Ionia—Probate judges of Michigan will hold their nineteenth annual meeting in Cadillac July 13-15.

Mason—Lafayette Peek, 79, one of Mason's oldest residents, has passed away after a lingering illness.

Davison—Mrs. Balser Conrad, 70, is dead at her home. She was the mother of 19 children, all living.

Bentley Harbor—The Big Four railroad roundhouse here, and three large locomotives were destroyed by fire.

Sault Ste. Marie—The third overseas contingent of Canadian troops is being mobilized at the Canadian Soo.

Manistee—Joseph H. Lipe, 53, a resident of this city 25 years, died in a Chicago hospital, after an operation.

Bay City—Mitchel Kaggerty, 70, one of Bay City's best known pioneer residents, died here from ailments incident to old age.

Traverse City—Thomas A. Beamish, 50, is dead. Twenty-five years of his life were spent as engineer for the Pere-Marquette railroad.

Grand Rapids—E. D. Conger, vice president of the People's Savings Bank says he is not a candidate for good roads commissioner.

Cassopolis—Between 65 and 75 cases of measles are reported here and the schools have been closed to prevent spread of the epidemic.

Pontiac—W. W. Ballard, aged 75 years, former resident of Davison, dropped dead on the street here. Heart disease is given as the cause.

Traverse City—The local naval reserves received the silver cup won at the annual target practice. Gun crew of the third division was the winner.

Lansing—Representative Anderson, of Leelanau, in a bill introduced, would tax livery stables and similar transportation companies \$50 a year.

Battle Creek—Local employees of the Grand Trunk have decided to strike if the company attempts to cut the wages of trainmen April 1, as has been threatened.

Grand Rapids—Because of a shortage of funds, the board of education has announced that it will be necessary to close the city night schools. They have an enrollment of 8,295 students.

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Grand Rapids—Miss Van Duzer is the new Kent county district nurse. She will visit schools during the day and hold meetings with teachers and parents after school.

Muskegon—Eating wild parsnips on the L. P. Haight farm, caused the death of Richard and James Helma, 21 and 19 years, and Peter Jolman is in a serious condition.

Corunna—Farmers in this section are much interested in organizing a co-operative marketing association. Indications are that an organization will be perfected soon.

Kalamazoo—Ben Vanderpool, a laborer, was frightfully "cooked" when, as he was inside the boiler cleaning it out, some one turned on the steam. He may die.

Lansing—During January and February, according to a report of the industrial accident board, \$196,988.55 was paid to injured employes in current compensation. This represents 608 employes and 12,889 workmen.

TRIED 7 YEARS

Sometimes, as most Michigan horse-owners know, a simple liniment may cure an external ail, whereas an expensive treatment may fail. For instance, James Miller of Pottstown, Pa., cured a horse of polivell with three bottles of Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. He says: "The veterinarians had been trying to cure the horse for seven years."

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Election Notice

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN. TAKE NOTICE:

That at the election to be held in said city on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1915, there will be submitted to the electors of said city for their approval certain amendments to sections four, ten and thirteen of Chapter III, of the City Charter, relating to the registration of electors and the nomination and election of candidates.

Sec. 4. Each ward, unless otherwise subdivided, shall be an election district. The several boards of registration shall be in session at such times as are required by the laws of the State of Michigan and this Charter, from eight o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon, at such places as shall be designated by the city commission, for the purpose of completing the lists of the qualified voters. Provided, however, that any qualified elector may be registered and be eligible to vote at any primary election if he shall appear in person before the city clerk and take the oath required as to qualification for registration and request that his name be registered in the registration book of the proper ward. The inspectors of election shall register any person who shall, on any primary day, appear before said board and make oath or affirmation to the effect that he is a qualified elector in such voting precinct, or when the board of election inspectors know him to be such. Any person registered by the clerk, or by said board of election inspectors as herein provided, shall be entitled to vote at such primary election and all succeeding primary, general and special election elections without further registration. Whenever none other than city officers are to be elected at any election the registration shall be held on the second Saturday preceding such election. No registration day shall be required before any primary election.

Sec. 10. Upon said ballots the names of the candidates shall be arranged for the several offices in accordance with the provisions of the general primary laws governing the arrangement of names of candidates on primary ballots for state and county officers. The names of the candidates for mayor shall first be placed on the primary ballot, with a square at the left of each name and immediately above the words "vote for one." Following these names, likewise arranged, shall appear the names of the candidates for commissioner, with the square at the left of each name and immediately above, the words "vote for one." Following these names, likewise arranged, shall appear the names of the candidates for justice of the peace, with a square at the left of each name and immediately above, the words "vote for one." Provided, however, that in case there be but two candidates for any of said offices said candidates shall be deemed to have been duly nominated and their names shall not be made to appear upon said primary ballot, and it shall be the duty of the clerk to issue to such candidates certificates of nomination. Provided further, that in case there shall be but two candidates for each and all of said offices to be nominated at said primary election then it shall not be necessary to hold said primary election for the nomination of said candidates, and it shall be the duty of the clerk to issue to each of said candidates certificates of nomination and said primary election shall not be held except when necessary to nominate state and county officers pursuant to the laws of the state of Michigan.

Sec. 13. Having caused said ballots to be printed the said city clerk shall cause to be delivered at each polling place a number of said ballots equal to at least twice the number of votes cast in such polling precinct at the last general election for the office of mayor. The persons who are qualified to vote at the general municipal election shall be qualified to vote at such primary elections, and challenges can be made by not more than two persons, to be appointed at the time of the opening of the polls by the inspectors of election; and the laws applicable to challenges at a general municipal election shall be applicable to challenges made at such primary election. The board of election inspectors shall, immediately upon the closing of the polls, count the ballots and ascertain the number of votes cast in such precinct for each of the candidates, and make return there-of to the city clerk upon proper blanks to be furnished by said clerk within twenty-four hours of the closing of the polls. On the day following the primary election the said clerk shall canvass said returns, so received from all the polling precincts, and shall make and publish in all the newspapers of said city, at least once, the result thereof. Said canvass by the city clerk shall be publicly made. The two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for mayor shall be the candidates and the only candidates whose names shall be placed upon the ballot for mayor at the next municipal election, and the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for commissioner and no others shall be placed upon the ballot for commissioner at such municipal election. Provided, that when two commissioners are to be elected the names of the four candidates, or all such candidates—if less than four, receiving the largest number of votes, and their names only, shall be placed on the ballots as candidates for commissioners for such municipal election. The two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for justice of the peace, and no others, shall be placed upon the ballot as candidates for justice of the peace at such municipal election. Provided, however, that in case there shall have been only two candidates for any of said offices and their names shall not have appeared on the primary ballot, and also in case such primary shall, for like reason not have been held, the names of such persons whose nominations shall have been certified to by the clerk shall be placed on the ballot for such office at such municipal election.

The form in which the proposed amendment will appear upon the ballot will be as follows:

For the amendment of sections four, ten and thirteen, of Chapter III, of the City Charter of the City of East Jordan, relating to the registration of electors and the nomination and election of candidates, Yes []

For the amendment of sections four, ten and thirteen, of Chapter III, of the City Charter of the City of East Jordan, relating to the registration of electors, and the nomination and election of candidates, No []

Those in favor of the proposed amendments will place a cross (X) in the square at the right of the word Yes. Those opposed to the proposed amendment will place a cross (X) in the square at the right of the word No.

OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

Election Notice

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN. TAKE NOTICE:

That at the election to be held in said city on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1915, there will be submitted to the electors of said city for their approval certain amendments to sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, of Chapter XI, of the City Charter, relating to taxation.

Sec. 24. The city assessor and the three supervisors of said city shall constitute a board of equalization and review the assessment roll of the city, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business but a less number may adjourn from day to day. They shall have power and it shall be their duty to examine said assessment roll and they shall have authority to and shall correct any errors or deficiencies found therein, either as to names, valuations, or descriptions; and of their own motions, or on cause shown, may reduce or increase the valuation of property found on said roll, subject to the laws of the State of Michigan, and shall add thereto any taxable property in said city that may have been omitted and shall value the same, and to strike from said roll any property wrongfully thereon, and generally to perfect said roll in any respect by said board deemed necessary, and proper, and for such services each member of said board of review shall receive three dollars per day while actually employed.

Sec. 27. The taxes assessed in the general city tax roll for each fiscal year shall be due and payable on the first day of July of each year. A charge of one per cent as a collection fee, shall be made for all taxes paid during the month of July. From and after the first day of August the collection fee shall be four per cent upon all unpaid city taxes. The city tax roll shall remain in the hands of the city treasurer for collection until the first day of October of each year, provided, however, the city commission may extend the time for the collection of said roll for not to exceed thirty days. Immediately upon the closing of said roll for collection the city treasurer shall make and file with the city assessor a statement of all unpaid city taxes appearing on said roll. At the first regular meeting of the city commission held thereafter the said city treasurer and city assessor shall meet with the city commission, bringing with them the assessment roll, tax roll and said statement of unpaid city taxes, and said city commission shall then and there audit said tax roll and settle with said city treasurer.

Sec. 28. The city treasurer shall give notice that the tax roll is in his hands for collection by publishing said notice in one or more newspapers published and circulating in said city for at least six secular days preceding the first day of July, which notice shall be a sufficient demand for the payment of all taxes on said rolls. Said notice shall state that said taxes may be paid during the month of July with the addition of one per cent as a collection fee and that thereafter the collection fee will be four per cent and that all taxes not paid before the first day of October will be returned as uncollected. Provided, however, that the failure to give the notice specified in this section for the payment of said tax shall not invalidate the said tax, nor release the persons assessed from the penalty herein specified.

Sec. 30. The city assessor shall keep the original rolls in his office until the meeting of the board of supervisors of Charlevoix County in the month of October; and shall present said rolls to said board of supervisors for their certificate of the amount of state, county, school and other taxes.

Sec. 31. The assessor shall, upon the return of said tax roll from the said board of supervisors, make a copy of said assessment roll, and shall apportion and spread on such copy all state, county, school and other taxes certified by the said board of supervisors, or otherwise, and shall also appear thereon all city taxes as shall appear to remain unpaid from the said return of said city treasurer for the same year, and omitting therefrom all city taxes at that time paid.

Sec. 32. On or before the first day of December the city assessor shall make and deliver a certified copy of said new assessment roll to the city treasurer, which copy shall contain the state, county, school and other taxes as certified by the said board of supervisors, or otherwise, and the unpaid city taxes of that year as returned to him by the city treasurer, and the four per cent penalty fee shall be added to said unpaid taxes and carried out in an appropriate column. To said copy or roll there shall be annexed a warrant signed by the city assessor and directed to the city treasurer, which said warrant shall conform as near as may be to warrants issued to township treasurers for the collection of taxes.

Sec. 33. Upon receiving said tax roll as herein provided, the city treasurer shall give notice thereof, which notice shall state that the taxes therein levied may be paid to him at his office at any time from the tenth day of December to the tenth day of January with the addition of one per cent to be added thereto as a collection fee, but that four per cent collection fee will be charged and collected upon all taxes remaining unpaid on said tenth day of January. Said notice shall be given by publishing the same in one or more

newspapers published and circulating in said county, and one publication of said notice shall appear not later than six secular days before said tenth day of December, and said notice shall be continued until the tenth day of January. But any defect in said notice or any omission to comply with the provisions of this section in regard thereto shall not invalidate said tax or any force the collection of the same or the penalty herein provided for.

The form in which the proposed amendments will appear upon the ballot will be as follows:

For the amendment of sections twenty-four, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two and thirty-three, of Chapter XI, of the City Charter of the City of East Jordan, relating to taxation, Yes []

Those in favor of the proposed amendment will place a cross (X) in the square at the right of the word Yes. Those opposed to the proposed amendment will place a cross (X) in the square at the right of the word No.

OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For City Commissioner.
I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of City Commissioner, subject to the City Primary March 22nd. I served as a member of the common council at Cheboygan, have been a resident of East Jordan for seven years, and feel confident that if nominated and elected I will be able to give the citizens of East Jordan good and capable service.
J. ALLAN LANCASTER.
East Jordan, Mich., Feb. 5th, 1915.

For City Commissioner.
I wish to announce that I will be a candidate at the City Primary March 22, for the office of City Commissioner, to succeed myself. Your support will be appreciated.
CHAS. A. HUDSON.

For City Commissioner.
I wish to announce to the electors of the city of East Jordan, that I will be a candidate for the office of City Commissioner at the city primaries to be held March 22, 1915.
JAMES GIDLEY.

For Supervisor, South Arm.
To the Voters of South Arm Township. I will be a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Supervisor at the caucus March 20th. Will duly appreciate your support.
JACOB E. CHEW.

To the Electors of Wilson Twp.
I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for nomination for the office of Supervisor at the caucus to be held March 25th, and will appreciate your support.
E. S. BRINTNALL.

PRIMARY BALLOT
For Commissioner (long term)
Charles A. Hudson
James Gidley
J. Allan Lancaster
For Justice of Peace (to fill vacancy)

I hereby certify that the above names, arranged alternately, are those that will appear upon the primary ballot March 22, 1915, according to petitions filed in my office ten days prior to said March 22.
OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

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INCREASE IN PASSENGER RATES

Recent Decision by United States Supreme Court Practically Makes Action by the Legislature Mandatory—Progress Being Made in Solving Great Question.

The Legislative investigation which has been in progress since the railroads made their request to the Legislature for an increase in passenger fares has served to clear up misconceptions which existed regarding the status of railroads in their relations to the State and to bring about a rational understanding of the needs of the railroads as common carriers and servants of the people.

An encouraging sign is that the old cry of "Politics" has dropped and the members of the present Legislature are showing a commendable spirit in dealing with the subject matter as an economic factor which vitally concerns the welfare of every industry in the State. Heretofore it has been the policy to regard the railroads either as political organs or as inexhaustible depositories from which taxes might be withdrawn without limit, but the showing made by the various railroads before the Joint Committee of the Senate and House, backed by the findings of the State Railroad Commission, has made a most sobering effect even upon men who wanted to be considered radicals.

The result has been a united effort to get together and take inventory of the real situation, which has produced some startling facts, not the least of which is that not a railroad in Michigan has paid a dividend out of its earnings since the present two-cent passenger fare law was enacted in 1907, and that unless relief is granted, a number of the railroads will not be able to pay their taxes. It is a business axiom that when the railroads are buying, the country is prosperous and the fact that the railroads have not been purchasing, but have been forced to curtail their improvements, and betterments, has been an object lesson to the members of the Legislature that they have been called upon to deal with the largest single business conducted in the State and upon which fully fifty thousand employes are dependent for their support.

How vitally every one is interested in the railroads was shown by the questions asked: What sources have the railroads for revenue? The answer is simplicity itself. There are but two sources—Freight Rates and Passenger Rates—and these combined must yield sufficient revenue to enable the railroads to pay their operating expenses and taxes and earn a fair rate of interest on the property. It is a plain business proposition and it has been the aim of scientific railroad management to maintain a parity between the two, so that each would bear its proportionate share of the cost. The right and propriety for such methods have been decided in many cases by the various State Supreme Courts and only recently the United States Supreme Court emphasized this principle by holding in the West Virginia vs. Norfolk & Western Railroad Passenger Rate Case, that passenger fares could not be reduced to a point where the resultant revenue would not be sufficient to properly maintain that branch of the service without regard to the earnings from any other branch of service.

In giving the decision of the court, Justice Hughes in part said: "The fundamental question presented is whether the validity of the passenger rate can be determined by its effect upon the passenger business of the company, separately considered. What has been said in the opinion in Northern Pacific Railway Company vs. North Dakota, decided this day (ante p.), makes an extended discussion of this question unnecessary. It was recognized that the State has a broad field for the exercise of its discretion in prescribing reasonable rates for common carriers within its jurisdiction; that it is not necessary that there should be uniform rates or the same percentage of profit on every sort of business; and that there is abundant proof for reasonable classification and the adaptation of rates to various groups of services. It was further held that despite this range of permissible action, the State has no arbitrary power over rates; that the devotion of the property of the carrier to public use is qualified by the condition of the carrier's undertaking that its services are to be performed for reasonable reward; and that the State may not select a commodity, or class of traffic, and instead of fixing what may be deemed to be reasonable compensation for its carriage, compel the carrier to transport it either at less than cost or for a compensation that is merely nominal.

"These considerations are controlling here. The passenger traffic is one of the main departments of the company's business; it has its separate equipment, its separate organization and management, and of necessity its own rates. In making a reasonable adjustment of the carrier's charges, the State is under no obligation to secure the same rate of return from each of the two principal departments of business, passenger and freight; but the State may not select either of these departments for arbitrary control. Thus, it would not be contended that the State might require passengers to be carried for nothing, or that it could justify such action by placing upon the shippers of goods the burden of excessive charges in order to supply an adequate return for the carrier's entire service. And, on the same principle, it would also appear to be outside the field of reasonable adjustment that the State should demand the carriage of passengers at a rate so low that it would not defray the cost of their transportation, when the entire traffic under the rate was considered, or would provide only a nominal reward in addition to cost. That fact, satisfactorily proved, would be sufficient to rebut the presumption of reasonableness; and if in any case it could be said that there existed other criteria by reference to which the rate could still be supported as a reasonable one for the transportation in question it would be necessary to cause this to appear. Northern Pacific Railway Company vs. North Dakota, supra, and cases there cited.

"It is apparent, from every point of view that this record permits, that the statutory rate at most affords a very narrow margin over the cost of traffic. It is manifestly not a case where substantial compensation is permitted and where we are asked to enter the domain of the legislative discretion; nor is it one in which it is necessary to determine the value of the property employed in the intrastate business. It is clear that by the reduction in rates the company is forced to carry passengers, if not at or below cost, with merely a nominal reward considering the volume of the traffic affected. We find no basis whatever upon which the rate can be supported and it must be concluded in the light of the principles governing the regulation of rates that the State exceeded its power in imposing it."

After an exhaustive investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which showed that the railroads could not carry passengers for two cents per mile except at a loss, authority was granted by this Commission to the Railroads in all of the Eastern States, to increase their passenger fares to two and one-half cents per mile for all journeys from one State to another.

Governor Ferris, Lieutenant-Governor Dickenson, Secretary of State Taughn, State Treasurer Haarer, Auditor-General Fuller and many other members of the Governor's official family, as well as the entire State Railroad Commission and hundreds of heads of large business concerns and manufacturing industries, based on the figures submitted by the railroads and verified by the report presented by request to the Legislature by the Railroad Commission, have declared that the present Legislature should give the railroads increased compensation by passing the proposed law.

In presenting their request for an increase in their passenger rates, the Michigan Railroads have made a very strong showing on the cost of operation and maintenance, pointing out that while the railroads have been compelled to operate on a two-cent basis, they have been confronted with increased taxes every year, while practically every kind of material which they must purchase has increased from five to one hundred per cent, and that the increase in the cost of labor has been from twenty-five to forty per cent. These figures have made a marked impression upon the members of the Legislature who have had no occasion heretofore to study this matter.

That the existing situation has been accurately presented by the railroads has been verified by the statements made by the State Railroad Commission and the need of relief is so generally conceded that the Bill granting the increase asked for should be reported out by the Joint Committee of the Senate and House at an early date.

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