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EAST JORDAN, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1921.

No. 8.

G.O.P. Nominees Chosen at Meet

Candidates for Spring Election Named Without Contest

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Justice of Supreme Court.
Joseph B. Moore, of Lapeer.
Victor M. Steere, of Benton Harbor.
For State Highway Commissioner.
Frank F. Rogers, of Lansing.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Thomas E. Johnson, of Coldwater.
For Member of State Board of Education.
Fred A. Jeffers, of Painesdale.
For Members of State Board of Agriculture.
Melvin McPherson, Kent county.
John Doelle, Marquette.

Detroit.—Speed marked the first "single session" Republican state convention of Michigan, held last week. In one hour and fifteen minutes, delegates selected the eight nominees to be voted on in the spring, and wiped the slate clean of the usual routine.

Six of the nominees selected were named to succeed themselves. John A. Doelle, of Marquette, and M. B. McPherson, of Kent county, were nominated to fill the places of W. H. Wallace, of Saginaw, and I. Roy Waterbury, of Highland, members of the state board of agriculture.

The convention was also remarkable for the brevity of its platform. The incoming national administration is endorsed, and also Governor Groesbeck and the legislature. Charles B. Warren of Detroit, was formally recommended for a post in President Harding's cabinet.

At the opening of the convention, after Chairman Burt D. Cady had called to convention to order, and the Rev. J. A. Vance had offered prayer, Charles P. O'Neil was called to preside as temporary chairman, and D. E. Alward was made temporary secretary. Later those officers were made permanent, and they carried the convention through.

Joseph B. Moore, Lapeer; Joseph H. Steere, of Sault Ste Marie, and Howard West were unanimously selected for justice of the supreme court. W. H. Sawyer, of Hillsdale, and Victor M. Steere, of Benton Harbor, were chosen candidates for university regents.

Frank F. Rogers was chosen candidate for state highway commissioner, the office he now holds, following a speech by ex-Senator Michael Moriarty, of Crystal Falls, who withdrew the name of A. M. Burns, at the same time making a plea that soldiers who fought in the late unpleasantness be "remembered by those who stayed at home."

Thomas E. Johnson, of Coldwater, superintendent of public instruction, was re-nominated, as was Fred A. Jeffers, of Painesdale, for members of the state board of education.

ROCK ELM GRANGE PRESENTS W. M. LEATHER ROCKER

When retiring Worthy Master, Joseph Whitfield, arrived at Rock Elm Grange Hall, Saturday afternoon, a regular meeting was apparently in progress, but it proved to be something more when, at its close, the new master, Mr. B. B. Smatts, arose and in behalf of the members, presented Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield with an adjustable, leather-upholstered rocker.

After a few words from Mr. Whitfield, of the appreciation of the kindly spirit that prompted the gift, a dainty repast of coffee, cake, and ice cream crowned by an elaborate, four-layer cake bearing ten candles, emblematic of the ten years Mr. Whitfield has been Master of the Grange, was served.

When the grange was instituted twenty-six years ago, Mr. Whitfield was a charter member and to his untiring energy and loyalty it largely owes its prominent place in the social life of the community.

After a pleasant social hour together the company dispersed, with the united wish that they may long enjoy the companionship of Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield.

Yes, the winter of 1920-1921 has been truly notable one, but darned if we now why.

Why do some people stand in deadly fear of being struck by lightning? It never hits the same person twice.

CHEBOYGAN FORFEITS DEBATE TO EAST JORDAN

The Cheboygan High School, which was to debate the East Jordan High School last Friday night, telegraphed on Friday morning that they were unable to appear and so would forfeit the debate. This gives East Jordan, in the preliminary contests, a total of nineteen points out of a possible twenty, and assures East Jordan a place among the last sixteen schools in the State.

About one hundred twenty-five schools entered the contest and so far East Jordan is among the last sixteen. Elimination debates will be held until there is a final winner.

HARDING NAMES HUGHES AS SECRETARY OF STATE



Charles Evans Hughes, former governor of New York, justice of the supreme court and Republican nominee for the presidency was formally designated by President-elect Harding as the secretary of state of the coming administration.

U. S. NOT TO EXTEND CREDIT

Secretary Houston Agrees to Seek Senate's Approval on Loans.

Washington.—Secretary of the Treasury David F. Houston assured the senate judiciary committee he would make no further advances of money or extension of credits to any foreign government without first consulting the committee.

Letters passing between the treasury department and the President and the Czechoslovak government were read by Houston to show that the loans were made with the approval of the president and could be drawn only for purchases which met with the approval of the treasury department.

UNION OFFICIALS SENTENCED

Howatt and Five Others Convicted for Calling Mine Strike.

Pittsburg, Kan.—Alexander Howatt, president of the Kansas miners' union, with five other officials of the Kansas union, were found guilty of contempt of court and sentenced to a year in jail by Judge Andrew J. Curran, of the Crawford county district court.

Howatt's five co-defendants in the contempt proceedings are August Dorchy, vice-president of the union; Willard Titus, John Fleming, James McIlwraith and Earl Maxwell, executive board members.

SECOND IONIA INMATE KNIFED

New Regime Orders Search of All Prisoners For Weapons.

Ionia.—The second stabbing affray at the Michigan Reformatory here has brought forth an order from Sergeant Jack Cleghorn, new deputy warden, to search every prisoner and each cell for knives and other weapons.

Joseph Lara, sentenced from Detroit for burglary, attempted to cut the throat of George Wiers, 17-year old inmate, sentenced from Allegan for automobile theft.

Kiss your wife occasionally, brother. It will make you feel young again.

Don't get the mistaken idea that you know it all. You never know what your neighbor really thinks of you.

PLUCK OF YOUNG GIRL PREVENTS ROBBERY OF CHARLEVOIX STORE

(Charlevoix Courier, Feb. 16.)

With caps pulled low over their faces to hide their features, two men entered Hines and Co's drug store at about 6:10 Wednesday evening while Mr. Hines had stepped out for a few minutes, and demanded with drawn guns of fourteen-year-old Cleora Smith the key to the safe. Although she knew where it was they were refused. "We'll shoot you," said one. "Go ahead," she replied. "You'll only have a murder on your hands."

Something other than the little girl's pluck must have caused them to desist, possibly a signal from the one stationed at the door, for after musing her up a bit they left without having obtained anything.

Miss Smith, as quickly as they had left, ran to the phone and reported it. Two men were soon under arrest by Sheriff Weaver but were released later. As yet no other suspects have been apprehended.

Two suspicious characters were seen lurking in the shadows of D. J. Eckinger's fishhouse only a short time before the holdup by Mr. Eckinger. Presumably these were the two who entered the drug store. The description as nearly as could be ascertained in both places was identical. Apparently the men were middle-aged.

Anyone seeing characters whose movements appear at all suspicious are urged to notify the officials at once. These two no doubt have gone. But in these days of crime and unemployment there may be others.

MRS. ELIZABETH COOK LAID TO REST SATURDAY LAST

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, who passed away Thursday, Feb'y 17th—was held from her late residence on North Main Street, Saturday afternoon, Feb'y 19th. The services were conducted by Rev. John Duncan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, which church deceased was a member of. The remains were laid to rest in the East Jordan Cemetery.

Elizabeth Shuemaker was born at Mecklenburg, Germany, Jan. 12th, 1839. When a child of seven years she came with her parents to the United States. In 1865 she was united in marriage to Christopher Cook. They came to Michigan in 1880, locating on a farm two miles north of East Jordan, where they continued to reside until 1898 when Mr. Cook passed away. In 1900 Mrs. Cook removed to East Jordan where she has since made her home.

Eight sons and daughters were born to them, five of whom survive, viz—Mrs. John Heller, Frank Cook, Mrs. Lydia Cuson of Detroit, Henry W. and Walter M. Cook of this city. The deceased children were Bert, Grace and George Cook.

Deceased was a member of the Eastern Star and the Women's Relief Corp.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness extended us by friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our beloved mother.

Mrs. John Heller
Frank Cook
Mrs. Lydia Cuson
Henry W. Cook
Walter M. Cook

Primary Notice South Arm Twp.

There will be a Primary Election for the nomination of Township Officers Saturday, March 12th

from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m., at the South Arm Town Hall.

All those wishing to be candidates should file their application with S. E. Rogers, on or before March 10th.

Those receiving the largest number of votes will be placed on Ticket No. 1, and the next largest number on Ticket No. 2.

Dated Feb'y 24th, 1921.

S. E. ROGERS,
Township Clerk.

The opportunity that was knocking at your door didn't respond when you warbled "come in." It expected you to go out and grab it.

Honest toil is a tonic. Go to it and brace up!

Want Road Work Done by Counties

State May Receive As High As \$6,000,000 From the Federal Fund.

Lansing.—With the prospect that the federal government may spend \$6,000,000 in Michigan during the next year on highway construction, the house committee on roads and bridges has taken action to systematize the state's highway construction methods. The first step in this direction is in the form of an amendment to the state highway act which deprives counties of the right to dissolve themselves into township units for the purpose of road building. The amendment has been reported out of the committee with the recommendation that it be passed.

County Unit More Efficient.

"When the state and federal governments are spending vast sums for highway construction, the county is the smallest unit in the state which can function efficiently for road building purposes," said Rep. Charles Evans, chairman of the committee on roads and bridges.

"It is manifestly unfair to permit one small township to block the work of a road across a county by refusing to co-operate with its neighbors. That has been the experience, however, when townships built their own roads. The system has never been successful and after one or two years' try out the counties which went to the township system have returned to the larger unit."

Michigan is now entitled to \$3,000,000 in federal aid for highway construction and if a bill now before congress goes through will receive an additional \$3,000,000, all of which would be available for road work for the year beginning July 1, 1921.

The first bill passed by the 1921 Legislature was sent to the Governor by the senate last week before adjournment of both houses to allow the Legislators to attend the Republican state convention at Detroit. It authorizes the calling of a spring primary in Ingham county to nominate a circuit judge.

The bill providing for a state administrative board, recently passed by the senate, passed the house by unanimous vote. It carried, however, two minor amendments and must be returned to the senate for its approval. The bill for centralizing all state auditing in the auditor-general's department, previously passed by the senate, was also passed by the house.

Censorship of Movies Asked.

In the senate a bill proposing state censorship of motion picture films and advertising by a state board at Lansing, was introduced by Senator John W. Smith, Port Huron. The board would be headed by the superintendent of public instruction who would be authorized to employ one inspector at \$1,800 a year, and one stenographer. The board would not approve films which, in its opinion, were sacrilegious, obscene, indecent, immoral, or tending to suggest false ideals or incite crime. All advertising matter for films would also have to be submitted to the board for approval.

A fee of \$1 for each 1,000 feet of film would be collected by the board, except in the case of educational films for schools or churches, when the fee would be reduced to 25 cents. A fine of \$25 to \$100, or 90 days in jail, is provided for violators.

Establishment of one library each township or city is proposed in a joint resolution introduced by Senator H. A. Penny, Saginaw, which asks for a constitutional amendment to be voted on at the April election. The amendment would also abolish the practice of diverting money received as fines in penal cases to library uses.

Senator Bolt's concurrent resolution calling upon congress to hasten passage of a soldier's bonus measure was adopted by the house under a suspension of the rules.

Repeal of Tax Exemption

Repeal of the tax exemption on foreign securities held in Michigan and the imposition of an ad valorem tax on this class of property will bring the state revenue in excess of \$2,000,000 annually, Rep. George Lord, chairman of the general taxation committee, told the house members, speaking for his bill to repeal the exemption.

Rep. Lord declared that the present registration fee of one half of one per cent gives the state only \$17,000 a year and that the tax is collected but once during the life of such securities which average 15 years.

Increase in the percentage of its assessed valuation which a city may spend for the purchase, improvement and extension of public utilities is pro-

vided in a bill introduced by Rep. Edward S. Ramsey, Lansing. His amendment to the present law will increase the limit from 8 to 10 per cent of assessed valuation.

"Declaring that a duty on Canadian lumber will work an untold hardship on home owners and tend to provoke retaliatory measures by our northern neighbor, Rep. Arlie Hopkins, has introduced a resolution calling on Congress to refrain from placing a duty on lumber imported from Canada. It sets forth that there is no need for a protective tariff as American lumber is produced cheaper than any other in the world.

May Sell State House

With several prospective purchasers reported to be clamoring for an opportunity to bid on the old state house building and site, the board of auditors suggested to Governor Groesbeck that an act of the legislature was all that is needed to bring about \$300,000 into the state treasury. The old building could be used until the new state office building is completed.

A. N. Farmer, executive secretary of the Michigan Community Council commission, testified before the joint committee investigating the commission that the offices of the organization had been burglarized three times and that a number of the records had been stolen. He submitted a statement showing that the \$2,165,924.38 patriotic fund had been disbursed in ten items but that he could not state what disposition was made of the money by the organizations to which it was turned over. There is now, he testified a balance of \$166,000 in a Grand Rapids bank and about \$51,000 in a Detroit bank.

State supervision of all private, parochial and denominational schools of Michigan is provided for in a measure prepared by the attorney-general's department and which will have the support of Governor Groesbeck and his administrative board when it is presented in the legislature. It is understood that the bill has been approved by the institutions affected.

Under the terms of the bill, all teachers in private and parochial schools are required to hold a certificate of qualification, and are given until 1923 to qualify for the issuance of such certificate. These schools would then come under the supervision of the superintendent of public instruction.

Farmers Want Income Tax.

Assertions that many Michigan farmers will be forced to abandon their farms unless taxes are reduced are contained in proposals presented to Governor Groesbeck and the tax committee of both houses by a special committee representing farm organizations. Legislation providing for a state income tax is urged in the proposal, which calls for a joint resolution providing for a constitutional amendment to be submitted at the April election.

An income tax, members of the farm organization committee say, would spread tax burdens more equitably and reduce the levy on real property. Members of the committee are: N. P. Hull, president of the state grange insurance; A. B. Cook, master of the state grange; Fred Smith of the state farm bureau; I. R. Waterbury of the Michigan Farmer; and Mrs. Dora Stockman of the state board of agriculture.

Investigation of alleged unlawful lobbying among members of the legislature was begun early in the week. The committee consists of Representatives Thomas D. Meggison, chairman; George Lord, Detroit, John Holland, Bessemer, Frank B. Aldrich, Long Point, and William Ewing, Marquette.

Health Bills Introduced.

Presentation of a physician's certificate showing a clean bill of health will be required of all couples making application for marriage licenses in Michigan, if the bill introduced in the house by Rep. Fred Dunn, Highland Park, is enacted into law. The bill also provides that a period of 10 days must elapse between the time application is made and the issuance of the license.

County health officers, to perform the same functions for counties that city health officers now perform for their communities, is the provision of a bill introduced by Rep. Edw. G. Read, Kalamazoo. The measure provides for the appointment by the board of supervisors of licensed physicians at a salary of \$4,000 per year, half to be paid by the county and half by the state.

The designation of party affiliations to the election officials and enrollment accordingly, is called for in a bill introduced by Senator Arthur E. Wood, Detroit. It also requires voters to give notice 10 days before a primary election of their intention to change parties. This is the second election reform measure introduced by Senator Wood, the other providing for election of party delegates to conventions.

Funds For State Building.

The committee on appropriations reported out a bill authorizing a sum of not exceeding \$1,140,000 for the completion of the state office building. This will bring the total cost of the structure to \$3,000,000.

The dog law obtained by the farmers after a long fight during the 1919 session would be nullified by a bill introduced by Senator Wood, which forbids the killing of licensed dogs by any one except police officers unless the dogs were caught in the act of attacking animals or persons. The present law permits any person to kill a dog running at large after nightfall or found beyond the control of its owner.

Rep. James E. McKeon, Bay county, introduced a bill to make common carriers liable for damage to property in their possession whether or not they were negligent in handling or transporting it.

FACULTY CHANGES IN RURAL SCHOOL

The Hoffman school of Hudson township was still without a teacher, when the Christmas vacation was being declared in other schools and the children of the district had been facing since September the grave possibilities of losing an entire year of work. It was not that the Hoffman school was at all unwilling to pay the price. They could not afford it for their valuation is low and their school tax had already approached the six per cent mark, but they offered to pay any price up to ninety dollars. On January eighth, Miss Ruth Smith of Boyne City accepted the school. Lucky indeed was the little district that Miss Smith had just come from the normal school at Kalamazoo with the intention of teaching the remainder of the year. She is making good and is putting forth a brave effort to give the boys and girls as much as possible in the second half of the school year.

Just after Miss Smith had been found for the Hoffman school, the county was confronted by the resignations of several teachers: Miss Florence Jones of Bay Shore, Miss Josie Hammond of South Arm, Miss Bernice M. DeHart of Boyne Valley, Mrs. Georgia Burnett of Hopyard, Mrs. Gladys Everts of Chandler, and Miss Orthella Porter of Chandler. It has been a difficult task to fill these vacancies. Every application has been thoroughly investigated and it has been found that there are teachers available, but usually those that no one else wants. It is better to have a school closed than to have a teacher who would work positive harm in the school room. Commissioners from surrounding counties were willing to help but they were facing the same problem and only one worthy applicant could be gained by an exchange of courtesies. Advertisements were placed in the daily papers but no response was received.

At last, however, the positions are cared for and we have every reason to believe that good, substantial teachers have been found. Mr. C. H. Dewey has returned to the county to accept the school at Bay Shore; Mrs. Lenoskey, formerly Miss Mary Weldy, accepted the Miles School, but resigned at the end of a month and will be succeeded by Mrs. Esther Miles, also formerly a teacher of this county; Miss Orthella Porter has accepted the Harmon school, being transferred from Springvale to the present location; Miss Evelyn Shannon of Petoskey will arrive next week to teach the Hopyard school; Miss Edith Sellers of Warsaw, Indiana, has begun work in the Dana School at Chandler, and Mrs. Constance Gallop has agreed to complete the year of work in the Springvale School. Mrs. Gallop was formerly Miss Constance Weber, one of the very successful teachers of the county.

Six schools are transporting their children and find it very successful in its operation. The shortage of teachers is becoming a very acute problem and school boards are advised to hire early. If teachers are making fairly good it will be better to engage them for a second term if possible and gain thereby the benefit of the year of experience they have already had in their respective districts. The chances of success in employing a stranger are sometimes less than fifty-fifty and the future should be a dead-certainty when the future of boys and girls hangs in the balance.

We don't place any reliance in the report that General Villa is now a Sunday school teacher. We doubt if there are either Sundays or schools in Old Mex.

Family jars may not be so bad after all. They keep neighboring minds from becoming stagnant.

Peoples' Wants

MUNNIMAKERS

Notices of Lost, Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, etc., in this Column is 25 cents for one insertion for 25 words or less. Initials count as one word and compound words count as two words. Above this number of words a charge of one-cent a word will be made for the first insertion and one-half cent for subsequent insertions, with a minimum charge of 15 cents.

Lost and Found

LOST—A grey-tan kid glove, last week. Finder please leave at Herald Office, 8.

LOST—Sterling Silver Pen and fountain pen, about two weeks ago. Finder please return to Thelma Lafrentz, 8.

FOR RENT—Five-room dwelling on Bowen's Addition.—HARVEY BOWEN, 8x2.

For Sale—Real Estate

FOR SALE OR RENT—6 room house and two lots on West. Inquire of L. E. HITE or call Phone 133-F 3-8-2.

FOR SALE—Owing to poor health by reason of declining years, we are offering for sale our home in East Jordan containing ten acres of land (well watered), good dwelling, and some fruit. Also house and 3/4 acres land one mile N. W. of East Jordan on Charlevoix Stone Road. For information call at residence or address Box 423, East Jordan, Mich.—R. M. and MRS. KATE WEBSTER, 7x3.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT, also furnished rooms to rent.—MRS. CATHERINE WALSH, East Jordan, 7 x 2.

FOR SALE—My residence on North Main st. For terms inquire of HARRY CURKENDALL, Harbor Springs, Mich., 45 tf.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Grinnell Bros. Piano, nearly new, and a typewriter. Marjorie Boyd, Phone 70, 8 tf.

FOR SALE—Top Buggy and Good Driving Horse. Inquire of WALTER DAVIS at the Post Office, 8tf.

FOR SALE—Forty SHEEP, or will let them out on shares. Will divide flock if necessary. Must dispose of these soon.—HARRY KLING, 8-2.

HAY for Immediate Delivery—No. 1, price \$21.00 per ton. Phone 252-F-3.

PIANO FOR SALE—In first class condition. Have no further use for it. Will be sold at a bargain.—MRS. H. DeWITT, at White Star Bakery, 6tf.

FOR SERVICE—Registered Hampshire BOAR, HERBERT CHORPENING, East Jordan, Route 4, Phone 164-21-48t. f.

Help Wanted

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases, and paints. Salary or Commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

We wish to get in touch with a responsible, live man, who will investigate the possibilities of a contract with a large, old line Life Insurance Company for this territory. Will give you personal assistance in getting started and building up a permanent remunerative business. We have thousands of policy holders in Michigan, and for over fifty years our policies, rates and net costs have been of the best. P. O. BOX 192, Grand Rapids, Mich.

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To Cut Fur

Never use a scissors to cut fur. Dampen the skin side and stretch on a board with the fur side down. Fasten with small wire nails as fine as a pin. When the skin is thoroughly dry, measure and chalk. Cut with a paring knife or any kind of sharp knife. Sew carefully with fine stitches, using cotton thread.

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PENINSULAR

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

The families of James Arnett of Bunker Hill N. S. and F. D. Russell of Ridgeway and quite a number of other young folks just happened in on the Fred Wurn family Friday evening and spent a sociable evening, staying until a late hour and enjoyed every minute. The high wind of Wednesday blew the cupola off of Jesse Wright's barn and the cover off of his silo.

The high wind of Wednesday blew a large door off of David Gaunt's barn, breaking a large section out of the steel track.

Cash Hayden who has been at Atlanta for a couple of weeks loading pulp wood on cars returned to Boyne City Thursday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hayden at Orchard Hill over Sunday.

George Wurn helped A. B. Nicloy repairing his farm tools and car last week.

A. B. Nicloy still keeps very poorly although he is some improved.

Miss Margarite Moore of Boyne City visited at the Fred Wurn farm home from Saturday to Monday.

Quite a delegation from Star District attended the dance at Peninsular Grange Saturday evening and all report the time of their lives.

We commenced getting our mail on wheels, Friday, the sleighing being entirely gone.

The high wind of Wednesday moved most of the fish houses on Pine Lake, driving some clear across the lake and some were broken to pieces on the docks in Boyne City and on the shore and one took fire and burned up.

Some splendid catches of fish are reported.

George Staley caught five large fish, Monday.

The Peninsular high school pupils who attend school in East Jordan and who spent the week end at their respective homes had the novelty of returning to East Jordan Sunday in a lumber wagon Enos Lane took the bunch.

Miss Mamie and Ralph Gaunt skated to East Jordan Sunday to attend church.

Quite a number from Star District went to Price's lake to skate and from there to South Arm lake and skated around the point at the Ferry up Pine lake to Chula Vista and found lovely skating all the way.

There will be a social dance at the Gleaner Temple Saturday, Feb'y 26th and it is hoped to have as good a time as was enjoyed at Peninsular Grange last Saturday.

Marion Russell of Ridgeway was the first one to try the roads with his motor truck. He went to Mill at Advance Wednesday Feb. 16th.

The wheeling is good for cars but because of the roughness of the road is very hard on the tires so no one travels any more than he has to.

The hens are taking advantage of the fine weather and laying plentifully.

There is planned a surprise and pot luck dinner at the A. J. Beers home Wednesday Feb'y 23.

Mr. Allen of California is visiting his brother-in-law, John Sanford at the farm and enjoying the skating on and fishing through the ice in Pine Lake.

Miss Mefta Sanford who has been visiting in Grand Rapids and Bay City since July is visiting her father, John Sanford at the farm.

Mrs. Ira McKee, who has been confined to the house all winter with rheumatism is so far improved to walk out to Bunker Hill S. S. Sunday and took dinner with Mrs. A. Reich.

Because of Washington's Birthday we did not get our mail, Tuesday.

CHESTONIA

Lilak Bros. Mill started running Monday.

Homer Shepard went to Ionia, Monday, to buy cows.

Mrs. Bowen returned to her home in East Jordan, Wednesday, after a few days visit with Mrs. Kocher.

Mr. Ashby and Mr. Shepard have been putting up ice from Beals Lake.

Andy Dunsmore was a caller at this place Wednesday.

Ranney School Notes

The Hot Lunch Club has recently purchased a new range (we don't agree with an oil stove, or else it don't with us.)

We are proceeding nicely with our exhibit work for the contest in the spring.

Leona Smith, Garth McKeage, and Russell Crawford has been neither absent nor tardy during the term.

Township School Day will be held at

South Arm Grange hall, May 27, 1921. Everybody come and see the South Arm eighth grade graduate.

We will indulge in a little reading in honor of George Washington, Tuesday, the 22nd.

A dance will be given at the South Arm grange hall, March 4, for the benefit of the Hot Lunch Club of this school. Everybody come. Don't forget the date.

Don't think all we have on our brains is the Hot Lunch Club—it isn't. We have been working hard too. The 3rd grade, is studying the arithmetic chart. Leona Smith can go over a page of addition in 15 seconds. Leslie Burns, fourth grade, can multiply a page in 11 seconds.

We have made several posters for our Hot Lunch Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Murphy will leave for Grand Rapids, Wednesday, where they will visit the brother and family of Mrs. Murphy.

Elmer Baker, the president of the club, has been absent because of the death of his mother, so Lyle Smith, vice president, has been busy calling special meetings to elect officers, decide about a stove, and plan to raise money etc. For the next two weeks we have the following officers: Bae Keat and Leslie Burns, cooks; Leona Smith, Mrs. Burns, and Basil Crawford, housekeepers; James Handy, kitchen inspector; Lydia Martin, Sadie Murphy, Marian McKeage, and Anna Murphy, water carriers.

The girls sewing circle, under the supervision of Mrs. Waterman, met with Sadie and Anna Murphy, week ago last Saturday, and tied off their quilt. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Garth McKeage was given a surprise party on his eleventh birthday last Friday. A pot luck supper was enjoyed.

NO ACTION ON IRISH QUESTION

House Refuses to Pass on Proposed Recognition of Republican.

Washington.—The house foreign affairs committee refused a request of Representative Burke, Republican, Pennsylvania, for a public hearing on his resolution proposing recognition of an Irish republic. Members of the committee said there was no probability that the measure would be reported to the house at this session.

Monarch's Mummy Finally at Rest. The mummy of the celebrated Egyptian king, Ramses II, reposes in the Egyptian museum in Cairo. The mummy was first interred at Bibanet-Muluk and was subsequently concealed from grave robbers in the shaft at Del-el-Behri, where it was found in 1881, and later removed to the museum mentioned.

9 per cent INCOME

This is a period of exceptional investment opportunities. If you do not take advantage of some of these extraordinary values now available, you will soon be reproaching yourself for not having done so. We have prepared an analytical circular fully describing one of the most attractive current investment opportunities. Among the features of this issue are:

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REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the Qualified Electors of the various Wards of the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given to all Men and Women Electors of said city, that in conformity with the statutes of the State of Michigan relating to registration, I, the undersigned Clerk of said City, will, upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day of any election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said city not already registered, who may apply to me personally for such registration, or who may make such application by Mail or Messenger under the provisions of Act No. 7, Public Acts of 1919, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any General or Special election or Official Primary election and the day of such election.

MARCH 12TH, 1921

Last Day for Registration for Election March 21.

All electors not already registered and intending to vote at said Election, should make Application to me on or before the 12th day of March, A. D. 1921.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at my Office under Post Office on February 26th and March 5, 1921 from 8 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said City as Shall Appear and apply therefor.

REGISTRATION OF ABSENTEE BY OATH

If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim the right to vote at an election, and shall, Under Oath, state that he or she is a resident of such precinct and has resided in the City Twenty Days next preceding such election, designating particularly the place of his or her residence and that he or she possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that, owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself or herself, or some member of his or her family or owing to his or her absence from the City on public business, or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her registration, he or she was unable to make application for registration on the last day provided by the law for the registering of electors preceding such election, then the name of such person shall be registered, and he or she shall then be permitted to vote at such election. If such applicant shall in said matter, willfully make any false statement, or he or she shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

REGISTRATION BY MAIL

Under Act No. 7, Public Acts of 1919, the privilege of Absent Voters is extended to include registration. Upon compliance with this act registration can be secured by mail without personal appearance. An affidavit must be made similar to the following:

I, _____, ss. County of _____, State of Michigan, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a duly qualified elector of the _____ Ward or precinct of the City of _____, in the county of _____, and State of Michigan, that he is not now registered as an elector therein, and that he makes this affidavit for the purpose of procuring his registration as an elector in accordance with the statute.

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ A. D. 1921.

Signed _____ Notary or Justice.

The time limit for registration by mail or messenger is the same as where personal application is made. Therefore, the affidavit of an elector desiring to register by mail or messenger must be received by the City Clerk not later than the Second Saturday preceding the Election.

A blank form for Registering by Mail can be obtained by addressing the City Clerk as given below:

PROVISION IN CASE OF REMOVAL TO ANOTHER PRECINCT

Any registered and qualified voter who has Removed from One Election Precinct of a City to another election precinct of the City shall have the right, on any day previous to election day, on application to the City Clerk, to have his or her name transferred from the registration book of the precinct in which he or she then Resides. Such elector shall have the right to have such transfer made on Election Day by obtaining from the Board of Inspectors of Election of the precinct from which he or she Has Removed a Certificate Of Transfer and presenting the said certificate to the Board Of Election Inspectors of the Precinct in which he or she then resides. Dated February 15, 1921.

OTTHIS J. SMITH,
Clerk of Said City.

FLIER WANDERS OVER DESERTS

Lieut. Pearson, Without Food, Searches Three Days for Habitation.

Sanderson, Tex.—Lieutenant Alexander Pearson, Jr., army aviator, missing for several days, rode into Sanderson.

Pearson said he was forced to land in a desert-like area in the Big Bend country. The new crankshaft of his machine failed to work properly, he said, and forced his descent.

U. S. Archbishop Made Cardinal

Rome.—The Vatican announced that Archbishop Dennis J. Dougherty, of Philadelphia, would be created a cardinal at the secret consistory to be held early in March. Archbishop Dougherty will be the only new American cardinal named at the next consistory. Archbishop Mundelein of Chicago and Archbishop Hayes of New York, although they probably will receive the Red Hat before long, will not be included in the appointments in March.

SHIPPERS TO MEET IN APRIL

Effort Will Be Made to Modify Seaman's Act for Great Lakes.

Detroit.—The first constructive effort toward modifying the Seaman's Act, so as to permit the profitable operation of package freight and combination freight and passenger vessels on the Great Lakes, will be made here April 8 and 9, when a congress of representatives of shipping and consuming interests from all the Great Lakes states will be held.

LIQUOR MEN TO GET BILLIONS

Said That U. S. Will Make Refund for Losses Under Dry Law.

Washington.—Under new rulings about to be promulgated by the treasury department amounts estimated from \$1,000,000,000 to \$4,000,000,000 are to be turned back to the liquor interests of the United States for losses sustained under prohibition, according to statements made in the senate by Senator Smoot, of Utah, and Senator Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey.

Mexico to Settle Oil Disputes

Mexico City.—Delegation of power to President Obregon to regulate petroleum matters is forecast by Vasquez Schiaffino, "the official mayor" of the department of commerce and industry. He says that modification of article 27 of the Mexican constitution, which nationalizes petroleum deposits, cannot be written into law by the extraordinary session of congress which began February 7, or by the regular session which will convene on May 1.

For a New Umbrella.

Before using a new umbrella inject a small quantity of vaseline into the hinge portion of the frame. If put on carefully the vaseline will not spread and is a sure preventive against rust. Also, always stand wet umbrellas on their handle to dry. This allows the water to run out of them instead of into the part where the silk and ribs meet, thus causing the metal to rust and the silk to rot.—Good Housekeeping.

Much in Little.

A baby will make love stronger, days shorter, night longer, bank roll smaller, home happier, clothes shabbier, the past forgotten and the future worth living for.—Office Topics.

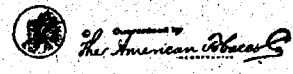
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CHERSO, MAY BE THE HELGOLAND OF ADRIATIC

The Rapallo agreement of last November which fixed the status of the troublesome city of Fiume and disposed of other moot points in regard to territory on the eastern shore of the Adriatic sea, gave Italy an important foothold near Fiume in the obscure island of Cherso.

Practically unheard of on this side of the Atlantic, eluding most travelers, even escaping many of the seekers after the little-known places of Europe, Cherso neither is inaccessible nor unattractive.

It dangles like a pendant in the Gulf of Quarnero, low hung from the neck of Fiume. It is the Long Island of that port, its shore line rising 12 miles to the south. Its slender form extends to the southwest for 40 miles, though it never exceeds seven miles in width, and its area is somewhat more than twice that of the District of Columbia.

Holding in mind this location, near the head of the Adriatic, in view of the plans to make Fiume a buffer state between Italy and Jugoslavia, the strategic possibilities of Cherso become apparent. Indeed one may picture it as a potential Helgoland of the Adriatic.

A natural curiosity of the island is Lake Vrana, or Crow's Lake, with a surface 40 feet above the sea level and drained by invisible streams. The island is rugged, with one mountain peak rising more than 2,000 feet above the Quarnero waters. Gibraltar-like rocks rise precipitously 1,000 feet along one of its shores. Here are the dome-like caverns of Smerno, now protected from the sea by a wave-built rock barrier.

The devastating Bora, which sweeps the Dalmatian coast, drips its salt spray over Cherso, excluding many varieties of plant life. The absence of large trees and scarcity of springs are two physical characteristics. In the north laurel and mastic grow, and vines and olive trees abound in the southern portion.

Politically Cherso was included in Istria, when under Austrian rule. With its neighbor islands, Lussin, to the southwest, and Veglia, to the east, it was a part of the Lussin district.

Cherso lies off the shores of the northern part of Dalmatia and the Croatian littoral, a region formerly known as Morlachia. The Morlachia channel preserves this name originating with the Slavic invaders of Dalmatia, who "called the Latinized people they found there Vlachs, or Mavro-Vlachs—Black Vlachs." Thus the Slavs of this region have come to be known, by a corruption of this title, as Morlachs.

In rural districts Morlachian women retain their historic costume, which includes a kerchief for the head, many strands of beads, a waist band from which hang amulets and various trinkets, and, over a blue cloth gown, an apron of exquisite embroidered pattern. About her neck an unmarred girl wears a string of coins and rings which comprise her dowry. Formerly the men wore their hair in a plait.

TABRIZ, PERSIA'S CAPITAL CITY

Tabriz, capital of Persia, from which diplomatic representatives recently fled at the approach of Bolshevik forces, is one of the most important cities in Persia. Its population is about 200,000. Teheran, the capital, is the only place in the dominions of the shah which exceeds it in size.

It is beautifully situated in a wide valley on the River Aji, which flows into the salt lake of Urumiah 35 miles to the west. Although apparently surrounded by mountains, Tabriz has an elevation of more than 4,000 feet and the climate, in winter is extremely severe.

Hundreds of springs and fountains water thousands of beautiful gardens in this ancient city which for centuries has enjoyed a deserved reputation as a health resort. Indeed, tradition says that the place was founded by Zobeideh, the wife of Harun-al-Rashid, hero of the "Arabian Nights." According to this legend, Zobeideh came here to recuperate from a fever in the year 791, and a cure was quickly effected, thanks to the salubrious climate, hence the name Tab' (fever) ris (power away), or "fever destroying."

As a matter of cold history, however, Tabriz was in existence four centuries before the birth of the beautiful Zobeideh.

Up to the time of the completion of a railway through the Caucasus and the improvement of transportation facilities on the Caspian sea, Persia was the emporium of Persian trade with the West. Now, however, most of its trade has been diverted to Astara, on the Caspian, 150 miles to the east, and to Rezb, 200 miles to the southeast.

Of the three hundred mosques of which the city boasts only one deserves special mention. It is the famous Blue Mosque, so called because it is covered with blue tiles. It dates from the fifteenth century and is now in ruins. The ark or citadel is a brick building of massive walls, with a tower 120 feet high.

More than half of the trade of Tabriz was with Russia. Its chief imports before the World war disturbed conditions were cotton and woolen tissues, sugar and tea.

DIGGING INTO HISTORY WITH PICK AND SHOVEL

Recent deciphering of a clay tablet which may add a thousand years to the span of recorded history—for it contains a code of laws said to antedate that of Hammurabi by a millennium—is another reminder that archeologists are finding stranger true stories than fiction can reveal. The pick and the spade of the explorer have resulted in astounding revelations, says a communication to the National Geographic society from Albert T. Clay, who has deciphered some of the most famous of the documents.

"Above all else, one of the greatest surprises is that the earliest peoples, instead of being barbarous and uncultured, were civilized and possessed a culture of a high order," writes Doctor Clay.

"Several ancient libraries and immense archives have been found.



Ruins of a Library Building at Nippur, 4,000 Years Old.

Years ago the library of Ashurbanipal (688-626 B. C.) was discovered at Nineveh. In more recent years temple and school libraries have been found at Nippur, Sippar, Larsa, Babylon, and Erech. The libraries of the first three sites belong chiefly to the third millennium B. C.; those of the last two belong to later periods.

"But especially large archives of these documents, numbering several hundred thousand and belonging to the third and fourth millenniums B. C., have been found at Tello, Nippur, Drehem, Jokha, and recently at Ur. "The Code of Hammurabi, written about 2000 B. C., upon a large and somewhat irregular stele, is perhaps the most important monument of antiquity of a high order. In codifying his laws, Hammurabi arranged them in a definite and logical order, based upon accepted judicial decisions. In no better way is it possible to become acquainted with the everyday life of the ancient Babylonian than by a careful study of the Hammurabi Code."

POSEN, THE EXPERIMENT STATION FOR "KULTUR"

The province of Posen, formerly part of Germany's eastern Prussia, and one of the most important fragments of old Poland, which has been incorporated in the new war-born Poland, was the unhappy experiment station for some of Prussia's most vigorous and futile efforts to Germanize an alien population.

Until the northern portion of Posen fell to Prussia, after the first partition of Poland in 1772, and the remainder was annexed to Prussia 21 years later, Posen's history was blended with that of Poland. In connection with the first partition, it will be recalled that Frederick the Great adopted the ingenious scheme of surrounding those parts of Poland he desired with a military force, on the pretext that he was seeking to check the spread of a cattle disease.

After being bandied for a brief period, Posen fell to Prussia again in 1815, and for more than half a century Germany paid little heed to it. After the division of the vast estates and other economic changes, Polish middle classes in Posen began to prosper, whereupon, toward the last quarter of the nineteenth century, Prussia began to take notice of its provincial "Topsy." Germans had been immigrating there since the thirteenth century and the newcomers, at first were welcomed. Severance of Posen from Poland changed that feeling though open friction was not generated until Prussia began her repressive measures.

Polish nobles had kept alive Polish traditions, but Prussia was more alarmed by the prosperity of the Poles than by what, today, might be called the nobles' propaganda. So she set about Germanizing Posen, both by colonization and by compulsion, much as she attempted to do to the French in Alsace.

Prussia's first move was to make German the language of the schools. Police were ordered to disperse meetings where Polish was spoken.

After 16 years that program failed to make much of a Prussian impression upon Posen, so a commission was set up, in 1884, to buy land from the Poles for German settlement. Before the failure of this policy was

openly admitted the original appropriation of 100,000,000 marks was supplemented again and again until, in 15 years, more than half of Posen had been bought for German colonists. Still the Poles predominated. More kept coming from Poland and opposition to the German program was intensified as the measures became harsher.

Even Germany was scandalized when, in 1902, it was brought to light in the Prussian parliament that pupils had been whipped by the wholesale, for declining to say the Lord's Prayer in German. But the opposition of the groupings did not cause the world-wide interest aroused by the school children's strike in 1900 when about 100,000 Polish pupils took that means of protesting against being beaten when they would not answer questions in German. The Prussian government refused to accede to the request of the archbishop of Posen that children be permitted to receive religious instruction in Polish. Parents who withdrew them from school were imprisoned.

Efforts to absorb or crowd out the Poles by German colonization having failed, a measure was passed for the expropriation of Polish land. Further laws were enacted compelling wider use of the German language. Then came the Kattowitz incident, in 1910, crowning a series of petty persecutions which bordered on the absurd, wherein a number of minor officials who had voted for Poles at a municipal election were removed from office.

Posen is smaller, territorially, than Maryland, but had half a million more population in 1910. About a million Poles—more than half the total population in Posen—were established there before the World war. Posen has mineral deposits of lignite and salt. Much of its land was tilled. Its manufactured products, besides those of its breweries and distilleries, were sugar, cloth, tobacco, bricks and machinery.

THE CZECHS

Recent dispatches reporting attempted uprisings among the radical element in Czechoslovakia, and statements that a stronger and stronger enmity toward the German inhabitants is being shown on all sides by the Czechs and Slovaks, center interest once more on this newly created central European republic that was carved after the war from Germany and Austria-Hungary. The following description of the Czechs is based on a communication to the National Geographic society from Prof. Ales Hrdlicka.

A 1,500-year-long, life-and-death struggle with the German race which surrounded them from the north, west and south, with a near-burial within the Austrian empire for the last three centuries, failed to destroy or break the spirit of the little nation of Czechs or Bohemians.

They are the westernmost branch of the Slavs, their name being derived, according to tradition, from that of a noted ancestral chief. The term Bohemia was applied to the country probably during the Roman times and was derived, like that of Bavaria, from the Boli, who for some time before the Christian era occupied or claimed parts of these regions.

Nature has favored old Bohemia, an important part of Czechoslovakia, perhaps more than any other part of Europe. Its soil is so fertile and climate so favorable that more than half of the country is cultivated and produces richly. In its mountains almost every useful metal and mineral, except salt, is to be found. It is the geographical center of the European continent, equally distant from the Baltic, Adriatic and North seas, and though "inclosed" by mountains, is so easily accessible, because of the valleys of the Danube and the Elbe rivers, that it has served in history as the avenue of many armies.

Besides Bohemia, the Czechs occupy Moravia and adjacent territory in Silesia, both formerly parts of Austria-Hungary. The Slovaks, who show merely dialectic differences from the Czechs, extend from Moravia eastward over most of what was formerly northern Hungary.

The Czech is kind and with a stock of native humor. He is musical loves songs, poetry, art, nature, fellowship, the other sex. He is an intent thinker and restless seeker of truth, of learning, but no apt schemer. He is ambitious and covetous of freedom in the broadest sense, but tendencies to domineering, oppression, power by force over others, are foreign to his nature. He ardently searches for God and is inclined to be deeply religious, but is impatient of dogma, as of all other undue restraint. He may be opinionated, stubborn, but is happy to accept facts and recognize true superiority. He is easily hurt and does not forget the injury; will fight, but is not lastingly revengeful or vicious. He is not cold, calculating, thin-lipped, nor again as insufferable as the Pole or the southern Slav, but is sympathetic and full of trust and through this often open to imposition.

His endurance and bravery in war for a cause which he approved were proverbial, as was also his hospitality in peace.

He is often highly capable in languages, science, literary and technical education, and is inventive as well as industrial, but not commercial; imaginative, artistic, creative, rather than frigidly practical. Inclined at times to melancholy brooding, pessimism, he is yet deep at heart, forever buoyant, optimistic, hopeful—hopeful not of possessions, however, but of human happiness, and of the freedom and future golden age of not merely his own, but all people.

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Amateur Farmer's Error. One reason why a town man sometimes fails at farming is because he thinks more of the picturesque woods and rocks of his place than of the ground that's suitable for corn.

Put Her on the Ball Team. From a novel: "With a sudden frenzied motion of her hands she caught her breath."



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LIFE FOR 3 BAY CITY BANDITS

Threat of Mob Violence Results in Night Trial of Slayers.

Bay City—Alojzias Nowak, Roman Olejniczak and Stephen Kublak were sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor in the State House of Correction at Marquette by Circuit Judge Samuel G. Houghton, after they, together with Edward Walkowiak, had pleaded guilty to having killed Martin L. Debats and L. M. Persons, while robbing the Broadway branch of the Bay County Savings Bank here on the night of January 15.

The trial took place at night and the men were sentenced immediately after entering plea of guilty because of rumors of mob violence which have been current here ever since the first of the men was apprehended. Walkowiak will be sentenced later, Judge Houghton said.

TO WAR ON BOOZE SMUGGLING

Canadian Authorities to Lend Aid in Suppressing Traffic.

Chicago—Stupendous movements of liquor over the Canadian border into middle western cities are the object of special attack by Chicago prohibition officers with the promise of aid from the Canadian side.

Spots along the Canadian border which have served as clearing houses for whiskey will be the first objectives. Chief among the cities marked for attention is Sault Ste. Marie, noted on the Michigan border as the main landing place for Canadian aeroplanes loaded with contraband whiskey.

TO NAME FERRARI SUCCESSOR

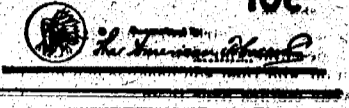
Monsignor Rocci Mentioned as Next Archbishop of Milan.

Milan, Italy—Monsignor Nasalli Rocci will probably succeed Cardinal Ferrari, who died last week, as archbishop of Milan. It is expected that he will be created a cardinal at the consistory to be held in March.

Cardinal Ferrari had been ill for a long time, and for more than two months had been unable to speak. He persisted until the last few days of his life in receiving people from his diocese.



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Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks are wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

This preparation is a toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

Advertisement for 'The Soul of the Grange' featuring an illustration of a family at a table and text describing the publication's mission and subscription information for Charlevoix Co. Pomona Grange No. 40.

TAXI

An Adventure Romance

By George Agnew Chamberlain

(Continued)

"Silk underwear" exclaimed Mr. Randolph, mystified and interested in spite of himself.

"Of course you couldn't understand that," she said, "not unless you had seen some poor girl bury her face in crepe de chise and lace, tremble to try them on, and then sob because she had to wear clothes over them."

"Look here," said Mr. Randolph, shuddering at the ploy of it: "we'll pass on to the next, if you don't mind."

"Curiosity comes next," resumed the girl obediently. "A woman is weak until she knows everything. Then comes a funny one that you won't understand at all. It's called 'Because.' Because he had on a coat that a man she had loved used to wear."

"My dear girl—" protested Mr. Randolph.

"I said they weren't interesting," she reminded him dispassionately. Her eyes widened. "And now," she continued, "we go up and up—spite that stabs its own heart; the lonely soul; consuming fire; and, last and greatest reason of all, just love." Her eyes glowed to some distant focus. "If all myself, my honor, my past, and my future dissolve to the single drop of a present moment in the crystal cup of love, then let me give myself to a lover's lips for, once drained, nothing will be left upon which to hang the badge of shame—nothing remain in all the world but the spirit—and—and the sacrifice."

"Girl," said Mr. Randolph, crushing her to him as though he snatched her back from just beyond his clasp, "where is your mind wandering? What have you been thinking? That I was asking you to—give yourself to me?"

Her eyes came suddenly to his face. "Yes," she said; "I thought that."

He stared at her for a long silent moment, his lips wavering nervously between pity and severity. A flush swept over her face, and into her eyes crept a look of fear. "You don't want me?" she whispered; then, as he did not speak, "Kiss me. I wish you to kiss me."

There was something in her insistence that clutched at his heart and bent him forward. He drew her head up slowly to meet his lips and kissed her as lightly, as impersonally as brother ever saluted sister, but far more fearfully. Immediately her body went limp in his arms, turned to a dead weight of unspiced flesh.

"It is true," she murmured, desperately. "You don't really want me and I can never love you now."

Randolph awoke to that still cry. He shook her, seized her head in both his hands, and forced her eyes to meet the blaze in his.

"You generous, careless, adorable little fool!" he growled. "Why, you're the most desirable and precious bundle of lovable charm that robs a man ever trembled to hold in sacrilegious arms!"

She stared at him amazed.

"Why don't you kiss the way you talk?" she demanded.

"Because there's no reason for your desperate barter, my dear Imogene Pamela Thornton."

In one lightning motion she was out of his arms, on her feet, back to the fire, head upthrown.

"How dare you—how dare you call me by that name?" She was transformed; her eyes flashed with such a light as made the blaze in his own a paltry thing. "Do you think she would lie in your arms?" She asked, gulping out the words. "Vivienne Vivienne"—her lips curled in distaste at the name—"ah, yes; poor despairing thing! But I—Pamela Thornton! Oh, who are you? Why did you?" She dropped her face in her hands and sobbed as though her heart had broken.

Randolph did not leap to comfort her this time; he did not even watch her. With his eyes on the edges of fire that peeped from between and round her ankles, he began to talk.

"I knew you; I knew Sport; I knew Maggie. Just once I met you all, and I've never forgotten. I couldn't." He smiled crookedly. "You and I sat down so hard together and you cried out, 'My, what a bump!' and laughed and laughed—just like tonight, back there at the stage-door of the Crocodile."

Pamela stopped crying.

"So you were that awfully nice boy," she said, disclosing tear-stained cheeks and looking him over as though she were inventing a long list of points of deterioration.

Robert Hervey Randolph, six feet tall, freckled-nosed, open-faced, blue-eyed and broad-shouldered, looked up at her almost appealingly as if his whole sum and substance were crying out to be appraised at face value but no less.

"That's me," he said rapidly. "My name is Robert Hervey Randolph. Some people call me 'Bob,' some 'Herv,' and the sly ones say 'Randy.'"

"And I shall call you 'Mr. Ran-

dolph," said Miss Thornton bravely, and then broke into: "After—after I've thanked you again and—again from my heart. I'm going now."

"That's a wrong guess," said Robert, smiling happily—he didn't know exactly why. "I'm the one that's going; after you promise me that you'll stay here until ten o'clock tomorrow. But before we come to that, please don't thank me ever. It's selfish, but I'd simply love to have you remember me as Bob or Herv or, at the very worst, Randy. Won't you?"

She looked this way and that before she let her face ripple to its wondrous smile.

"I'll go as far as Randy," she conceded mischievously; then the smile went and the shadow came. "But I really can't stay here, you know."

Mr. Randolph leaped to his feet, reached her in a single stride and caught her by both wrists. "Look at me!" he said. "If you won't promise to stay here without a break till ten o'clock tomorrow and thereafter at your pleasure, I'll stay myself and hold you. Now, do you or don't you? One—two—"

"I do."

"Do what?" Inquired Robert.

"I promise."

"Make yourself absolutely at home, then," he said, as he dropped her hands and turned toward the door.

"I feel like Christmas eve," said Miss Thornton meekly. "Won't you please tell me what's going to happen?"

"You've guessed it—Christmas," he answered enigmatically, tossed the latch-key on the table, and left her.

"I can be excused for spying upon him from the curtained window. She saw him awake the cabman, and then watched the pantomime of a long colloquy.

"Oh!" she moaned. "No wonder! The awful, awful price of those horrid clock things! Why did I let him tell it to wait?"

Presently she was amazed to see both the driver and Mr. Randolph disappear into the dark recesses of the cab and close after them its door. For twenty breathless minutes she watched, tormented by the thought that they had retired to have it out where they wouldn't be disturbed by the police. But at last they issued—both of them. Mr. Randolph proceeded to crank the car and then, walking rather strangely, went off, headed west; the driver mounted his box, threw in the clutch, and scurried to the east as though he were off to meet the morning.

"Strange doings!" thought Miss Imogene Pamela Thornton, as she turned from the window to start on a private conducted voyage of discovery.

Strange doings, indeed, and stranger still could Imogene Pamela have heard as well as seen. This is what really happened: Mr. Randolph awoke the cabman gently but thoroughly; then he said:

"Look here: I want to buy your wagon."

"Gowan, boss; wot d'yer take me for? Here I been freezin' most to death for two mortal hours an' a gent like you starts right in kickin' on the clock without even readin' it."

"Shucks!" said Mr. Randolph. "What's the bitting you? Never mind the meter-reading; here's twenty for you to forget that. Now tell me: Who owns your buzz-wagon? You?"

"Now; the Village Cab company," replied the sauntering cabman as he stuffed the twenty-dollar bill into his trousers pocket.

"Well," said Mr. Randolph, "you and I are about the same build and I've got a proposition for you. Change clothes, hand me over your cab, and take two hundred dollars to see yourself to another job."

The driver showed no surprise; he contemplated the offer with half-closed eyes and dubiously working lips.

"More than that," went on Randolph. "I'm not taking your job just for tonight; I'm going to hold it. The only thing I want you to promise is that you'll keep your trap closed if you see any kads in the personal columns looking for me."

"How do I know you won't lift the car and whoop it up fer New Haven?" Randolph fixed him in the eye.

"You know I won't, because I say it."

"Sure—that's all right, boss," said the driver conciliatingly. "No bones broke. Now, there's just one thing more: have you figured that it's five hours to the opening of second-hand Sixth avenue or the Bowery, an' I'd have to wear those clothes of yours all that time?"

"What's the matter with these clothes?" asked Randolph, a little peeved. "Well, you've heard my offer. Take it or leave it."

"Sure I'll take it!" said the driver promptly. "If I wasn't a-goin' to have took it from the first, what would I 'a' been standin' here talkin' for?"

Whereupon they entered to the cramped privacy of the cab and exchanged garments. Randolph was ready in ten minutes, but it took him another ten to complete the appraising of the puzzled chauffeur. That worthy added to his investiture in Randolph's best evening suit a sickly grin.

"Say," he asked, "how do I look?"

Mr. Randolph surveyed him.

"Oh, you'll do, all right. You look about the way I would if I'd been on a bat. Better have a few drinks, if you can find them, and the world will fall for your clothes. What time do I turn on the wagon in, and what time do I go on again? Do you bunk at the garage, by any chance?"

"Never you mind where I bunk," said the ex-cabman suspiciously. "D'you think I'm goin' to throw in a happy home for two hundred? You're on the night shift for this week. Read the rules and regulations when you

get to the garage. Say good-by to the boys for me an' tell the manager to go to blazes."

They followed this remark out of the cab; the tough in top's clothing cranked the car and turned westward, as previously chronicled, while Mr. Randolph, now substitute to Patrick O'Reilly as driver of the Village Cab company's No. 1888, hurried his chariot eastward, not to meet the morning, as it had appeared to the watchful Miss Thornton, but in search of the residence of the head of the legal firm charged with the duty of carrying out the instructions of the defunct Mr. Asa Thornton.

Mr. Randolph, vice O'Reilly, drew up at the familiar address in Madison avenue and laid his car cheek by jowl with the curb as though anchoring it for a long stay; then he descended from the driver's seat, entered the cab, exclaimed thanksgiving at finding a rug, wrapped himself in its warm folds, curled up on the seat and went to sleep.

In the cold early morning the strong arm of the Law reached in and dragged him back from the Elysian fields where he had been wandering hand in hand with a lovely person dressed in a little velvet toque and very cheap clothes.

"Here, you!" said the voice of the Law. "Don't you know you can't put up a hotel in this burg without a license? Wot the—"

"Morning, Officer," said Randolph, trying his best to be pleasant. "I'm waiting for my fare. Any regulation against that?"

"Don't pull that stuff on me," said the Law. "This ain't the Tenderloin."

"I know it isn't," remarked Mr. Randolph. "But I happen to be waiting



Thornton; then he threw up his flag and made for the garage.

He sought out the manager.

"Say," he plunged, "Pat O'Reilly lost his job to me last night shooting craps. My clock read twenty-eight dollars this morning; here's my slip."

The manager glanced at the slip, and took a long look at Mr. Randolph. "You're on, kid," he decided. "Take any shift you like. What's your name?"

"Slim Hervey," said Mr. Randolph promptly.

"One of them earned names," commented the manager. "All right. Go to it."

PART II.

Flesh, Spirit and the Veiled God.

Mr. Randolph spent the day getting acquainted and proved himself a good mixer. By telling a few stories that had not yet sifted down from Clubland and by standing a few drinks he soon found himself made free of all the technical information he needed and some more that was so ultra-technical that it could beat the brains that invented the delicate mechanism of the taximeter. He also established part ownership in a comfortable room in a house very much on the wrong or west side of Broadway, in fact within smelling and almost spitting distance of the North river.

While he was still in funds he bought himself a woollen khaki overcoat with one of those enormous collars which look like an inverted bucket when they are up and surpass in efficiency the traditional black mask so beloved by illustrators of the weekly press. He also had a speaking slot cut in the glass of the cab window just behind his best ear and subsequently removed and lost the slide that had been fitted over it with considerable skill and trouble.

During the next few nights he proceeded to have the time of his life; so much so that he was constantly overwhelmed with wonder at his stupidity in not having become a taxi-driver years before! It should be remembered that Mr. Randolph was of New York Yorky; he knew everybody casually, from Mr. Milyuns and his daughter, Eileen, down to the latest addition to the pitiful ranks of the midnights. More than that, so broad was his acquaintanceship that as a sporting bet he had once or twice been tipped off as to the where and when of a proposed gun-play.

In addition to being by right of birth an integral part of all the social strata of Manhattan, he knew the surface of the island and of the adjacent commoner soil of the mainland considerably better than he knew the palm of his own hand. In fact, he could scarcely ever have been conscious that he had a palm, even as a map of personal fortune; for he who is completely satisfied with the present never worries about the future and Mr. Randolph had been born content.

With such an equipment, it is to be wondered at that he found the taxi field rich with unexpected and surprising bonanzas? Fair flowers, he had known heretofore to nod only over tea tables and solid silver appeared suddenly transplanted to his cab and ready to nod on a stalwart shoulder. Strong male tiger-lilies of the money market, grafted to the cushions of a taxi, became complacent pillars upon which some clinging ivy twined.

In six nights he learned the sound that a banker makes when slender fingers tickle him under the chin; the gasp of a girl, first-kissed; the cry of a young man upon discovering the absence of grandfather's gold watch, his since graduation day; the cluck of a top-hat fairly sat upon in the excitement of a moment that else would have been tragic, the exasperating tap, tap, tap, of a hen-pecking tongue that explained and condoned a murder mystery in the next morning's papers; and the sob of a ruined youngster who had played with borrowed money.

All these incidents took place with people whom Mr. Randolph knew or knew of and just to show what an extremely honest young man he was, let it be said that it did not once occur to him that he need never be poor while humanity, supposedly in good standing, continued to lay itself open to blackmail at the rate of a case a night. At the same time, he was not stupid and occasionally tapped out a missive typed with dynamite on the garage typewriter when no one was around. Here is a sample.

"Mr. Poindexter MacGuler, Sir: As I was driving you and Miss B. B. last night who was, foster-mothered by an aunt of a friend of a friend of mine, I heard you talkin to her and all I got to say is if I see you out with her again short of the bands of matrimony I'll get another friend of mine to get Mr. Robert Herv Randolph to tell what he knows about you cheatin at cards on Dec. 23 last."

Nights that gave birth in the morning to such illiterate tit-bits could scarcely be called dull, but it was not long before Mr. Randolph found himself threatened by an unexpected monotonous employment. Unfortunately for his entertainment, his reputation as the one par excellence St. Bernard lifesaver to the inebricate elite spread rapidly throughout the Force so that the telephone was constantly burdened during the wee hours with the following: "Say, is Slim Hervey on the job? Well, when he comes in tell 'im I got another tailor-made drunk here what has lost his home address from his mind."

With suspicious suddenness Mr. Randolph proceeded to forget half his school and clubmates and cold-bloodedly leave them to their fate and a night out, not without coming to grief on at least one occasion, however. "What are you comin' over me?" de-

manded the irate captain of the 9th precinct. "You ain't forgot that you was rally to R. H. Randolph for seven years, have ya? Has all his frens gone on the wagon?"

It looked like a loop-hole. "Sure," said Slim Hervey promptly. "His club's near busted what with water-drinkers and softs."

"Sounds kind-a phony to me," said the captain grimly, "considerin' you took this same gent home a week ago come Friday."

"Did I?" said Slim, and with feigned surprise managed finally to recognize the mess of evening clothes that was huddled on a nearby bench. "You're right, Captain. He's drunker than I ever saw him before and besides, he's wearin' a new set of shirt-studs. Kind of changed his looks."

Slim lingered. "Look here," he murmured to the captain confidentially. "You're on to me, but just let me whisper. I'm getting to be the delivery wagon for all the high-spot soaks in town. The first one of 'em that loses his jewelry between the curb and his own front door, just tell me where I get off, will you? I'm honest; I got a reputation, an' I tell you, Captain, I'm willin' to bill 'em through for you when you ask for the home port, but it's nix on me handlin' all the high-explosive freight north of Forty-second street. Get me?"

"Sure, Slim," said the captain, appreciatively. "I'll pass the word, lad."

Thus did Mr. Randolph make good his new front name and a little capital besides, working on the stalwart



"I'm Getting to Be the Delivery Wagon for All the High-Spot Soaks in Town."

"A SHINE IN EVERY DROP"

Black Silk Stove Polish

Black Silk Stove Polish is different. It does not dry, it does not leave a film, it does not leave a stain. It is the most economical, it is the most effective, it is the most beautiful. It is the only one that gives a brilliant shine to your stoves, grates, and ranges. It is the only one that is safe for your hands and clothes. It is the only one that is safe for your furniture. It is the only one that is safe for your walls. It is the only one that is safe for your floors. It is the only one that is safe for your ceilings. It is the only one that is safe for your windows. It is the only one that is safe for your doors. It is the only one that is safe for your mirrors. It is the only one that is safe for your pictures. It is the only one that is safe for your vases. It is the only one that is safe for your bric-a-brac. It is the only one that is safe for your everything.

Get a Can TODAY

Tree Marvelously Preserved.

Discovery has been made in the Holman Iron mine near Taconite, Minn., not far from the source of the Mississippi river, of the trunk and branches of a prehistoric tree in an excellent state of preservation, with the cones on it. The tree is not petrified and the wood is perfectly sound.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY.

(Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley's Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Hitt's Drug Store—adv.)

Peachy Skin

Waits Anyone Who Drinks Hot Water

Says an inside bath, before breakfast helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Sparkling and vivacious—merry, bright, alert—a good, clear skin and a natural, rosy, healthy complexion are assured only by pure blood. If only every man and woman could be induced to adopt the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place, instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls, with pasty or muddy complexions, instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening, and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds, and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance, awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Brest Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoonful at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB RHEUMATISM FROM STIFF ACHING JOINTS

Rub Soreness from joints and muscles with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Oil

Stop "dozing" Rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain. "St. Jacobs' Oil" is a harmless rheumatism cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; cures sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia.

Limber up! Get a 35 cent bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Briefs of the Week

Bert Reid left Thursday on a business trip to Cheboygan.

Mrs. A. R. Van Husen left Thursday for a visit at Detroit.

Miss Anna Wagbo came home last Friday from Evanston, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gagnon left Tuesday for a visit at Grand Rapids.

Donald Porter was home first of the week from his studies at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Louis Stamper returned home Saturday from a hospital at Petoskey.

Miss Harriet Malpass left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Muskegon.

Mrs. Archie Kowalski and daughter, Blanche, returned home last Friday from Detroit.

Mrs. James Reynolds of Grayling spent the week end at the home of her son, Claude Reynolds.

Mrs. G. Wolff, who has been here visiting her husband, returned to her home at Cadillac, Tuesday.

Laqueret is the varnish stain made especially for the housewife to use herself. It makes old furniture look new. Sold at C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

The Boyne City American Legion team defeated the East Jordan High School team at the gymnasium last Friday night 32 to 21. The Boyne City team were very much heavier than the local team. The game was warmly contested throughout, and the local boys made an excellent showing. Belleaire plays here Friday night this week.

Ice harvesting as far as East Jordan is concerned is practically completed. "Ren" Bingham recently leased a tract of land near the Argo Mill on the lake front and erected a substantial ice house thereon. Work of filling this building with ice has occupied the attention of a good sized crew of men the past week and is now practically filled with a good grade of ice running from ten to thirteen inches in thickness. With this ample stock of ice, "Ren" will be able to supply our citizens with ice the coming summer no matter how prolonged the warm months will be. Many of our business men are also filling their ice houses, and already a few carloads have been shipped out of town.

Paint your Auto now with Kwickwork Auto Enamel and you will be surprised at what a good job you can do. Kwickwork always dries with a smooth bright gloss. Sold only by C. J. Malpass. adv.

Mrs. J. F. Kenny is at Grand Rapids this week.

Mrs. Wm. Hite is visiting friends at Cadillac this week.

Mrs. John Anderson left Monday for a visit at Manistiquie.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bashaw left Saturday for a visit at Flint.

Miss Louise Brennan returned Monday from a visit at Detroit.

Miss Hazel Morey of Battle Creek is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Batterbee.

H. J. Carpenter who has been here on business, returned to Flint Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Strait of Hart is, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Evans.

Get your bicycle repaired or enamelled now at C. J. Malpass bicycle repair shop. adv.

Mrs. D. J. Mullens and children of Mancelona are visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Richards of Belleaire were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foster over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Otto and son of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end at the home of her brother, Frank Tafelsky.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller returned to Flint, Saturday, after a three weeks visit with Mrs. James Joslin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howell, returned to Detroit, Saturday, after a week's visit here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Cuson returned to Detroit Tuesday after being called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cook.

Misses Jessie Larson and Doris Ecklund returned to Mancelona, Saturday, after a visit with Mrs. Charles Strehl.

Mrs. Wm. Huminger returned to Manistiquie, Monday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martinson.

Don't send away and pay high prices for garden seed. We have the best selected seed at new low prices. C. J. Malpass Hdwe Co. adv.

Mrs. Frank Burmeister and daughter Mrs. John Luhr, of Milwaukee, were called here by the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, and are visiting old-time friends in our city.

Do you want to farm? You can get a complete outfit of horses, cattle, wagons, plows, barrows, buggies etc. on easy payments or you can trade in your city property to C. J. Malpass for an outfit. adv.

Miss Nellie Hignite of Alos is visiting Mrs. Eakie Skaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Jones returned Wednesday from a visit at Brinton.

Ford coupe to trade or for sale on easy payments. C. J. Malpass. adv.

The Improvement Club will meet with Mrs. H. W. Dicken, Tuesday, March 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chapman of Traverse City visited friends in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dance at Sherman Hall this Saturday night, Feb'y 26th. Music by Lalonde Orchestra. Kiser and Reid, managers. adv.

Mrs. Wm. Crosby and daughter, Lorraine, and Grant Alvord of Clinton, are visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Carl Ellsey.

Get the latest improved Cream Separator when you buy. You will be surprised how much more cream you can get with the New Empire separator. Let C. J. Malpass prove this to you. Sold on easy payments. adv.



Special communication of East Jordan Lodge No. 379 F. & A. M., this Saturday evening Feb. 27th. Work in the M. M. degree.



Regular meeting of South Lake Lodge No. 180, K. of P. every Wednesday. All members please attend. Visitors welcome.

HOME-TALENT PRODUCTION WITNESSED BY HUGE CROWD

Before a crowd of over six hundred people assembled at the new High School Auditorium last Monday evening, the home-talent production—Mock Trial, Family Album, and Specialties—went to the boards. And the many favorable comments from those who were spectators indicates that the large crowd were rewarded in what they went for—a good evening's entertainment, full of laughs.

The affair was staged under auspices of Mark Chapter, O. E. S., and the net proceeds go to the Near East Relief Fund.

The first part of the program—The Family Album—was well staged, and the many "pictures" shown were well received. Will Kogomo, in Indian costume, was without question the best shown.

During the intermission, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hartman favored with some of their dancing specialties, and they once again proved to the local public that they are masters in their chosen art.

The latter part of the evenings program consisted of the Mock Trial which proved a scream from start to finish. A number of our local citizens, heretofore unknown in stagemod, surprised their audience by their adaptability to the various characters depicted.

To those who were instrumental in producing the program, the public gives a vote of thanks for an evenings fun and entertainment.

Notice to the Tax Payers Of South Arm Township

The Tax Roll for the year 1920 is in my hands for collection. I will be at the D. E. Goodman Hardware store Saturday, Feb'y 26th to receive same. Next Monday is the last day in which to pay your taxes.

ANNA I. KEAT
Township Treas.

Latter Day Saints Church.
L. Dudley, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb. 27, 1921.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Prayer Meeting
7:00 p. m.—Preaching.

Wednesday—
7:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Friday—
7:00 p. m.—Religo.

Holiness Mission

Main St., Opposite Commercial House.
Hours of services.

Sunday morning—Sunday School at 10:30 eastern time.

Preaching at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Everybody welcome.

These are the days when we hear very little about self made men. Most of them prefer to keep their early obscurity under cover.

Great minds think much and say little. How much noise do you make?

This is a good month in which to begin worrying over what the next month will bring forth.



Presbyterian Church Notes
Rev. John Duncan, Pastor

Sunday, Feb'y 27, 1921.
10:00 a. m.—"Stewardship."

11:15—Sunday School.
6:00 p. m.—Y. P. S. C. E.

7:00 p. m.—"A Self Portrait of Jesus—The Physician."

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. Thomas Marshall, Pastor.

"The Church where your welcome never wears out."

Sunday, Feb'y 27, 1921.
10:00 a. m.—"Sentiment or Sacrifice?" Children's chalk talk.

11:15—Sunday School.

3:00 p. m.—Junior Church.

7:00 p. m.—"Blue Sunday"

One of the most successful Father and Son Banquets ever held in the Methodist church was held last Tuesday evening. It being Washington's birthday the room was tastefully decorated with red, white and blue bunting. The tables bore the same colors. About one hundred and fifty partook of the fine chicken pie. Supper was served by the Ladies Aid Society. The high school orchestra rendered various selections during the evening, acquitting themselves in a very creditable manner, whilst, Eddie Barrie recited in a very pleasing manner the humorous selection "When Pa was a Boy." Roy Webster was master of ceremonies, introducing the local pastor who, in the absence of the speaker of the evening, addressed the sons present on the "Challenge of Youth" The address was interspersed with mirth provoking stories. At the close of the talk a four reel movie entitled "Thomas Jefferson Morgan" was shown. This feature was made possible through the courtesy of the Curtis publishing Co. of Philadelphia and was well received by the guests present.

Thanks to the ladies, the men who worked hard to make the evening a success, the high school orchestra, and to all who contributed to the evening enjoyment.

Hurrah for East Jordan!

Church of God.

Hours of services:
(Eastern Standard Time)

Sunday School—10:00 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m.

Evening service—7:30 p. m.

Wed. prayer-meeting—7:30 p. m.

Since last July and up to Jan. 16, at which time the revival meetings began, there were ten consecrations made, four of which were children who had come to the age of accountability and felt their need of salvation. During the five weeks of revival which just closed Sunday evening, Feb. 20, there were fifteen consecrations—nine for justification, six for sanctification—also several persons under Holy Ghost conviction at the close of the meeting, one of whom was saved last Tuesday afternoon when visited at her home. Also a few cases of healing, in answer to prayer. Besides, we might add in conclusion, there are about one thousand and others, men and women, in this town who surely ought to get definite Bible experiences of this great salvation, that Jesus purchased on Calvary with his precious blood, before it is everlastingly too late. Don't forget this.

Be wise! and attend our services next Sunday morning, Feb. 27, "Go and Sin No More." Evening subject, "The Church."

Come here and hear the Bible preached.

Welcome to our services.
Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Burgess,
Pastors.

St. Joseph's Church.
D. M. Drinan Pastor.

Masses on 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 8:00 and High Mass at 10:00.

Mass on 2nd Sunday of each month at 8:00 o'clock.

High Mass on 4th Sunday of each month at 10:00.

On 5th Sundays Masses at 8:00 and 10:00.

Masses on Holy days and Devotions will be announced.

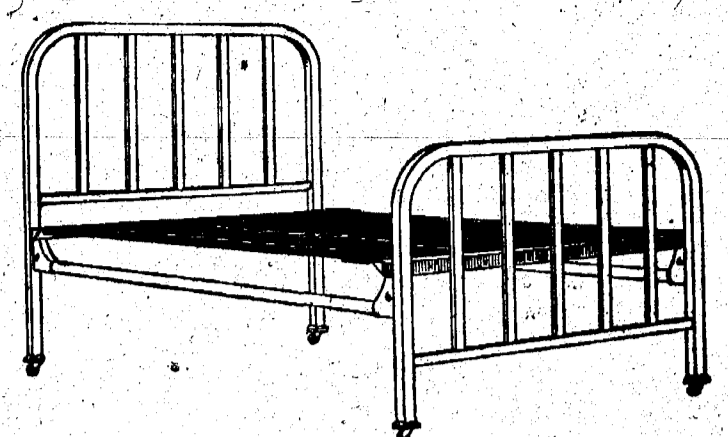
St. John's Church.
Bohemian Settlement.

High Mass on 2nd Sunday of each month at 10:00.

High Mass on 4th Sunday of each month at 8:00 o'clock.

Down, down, down, goes the price of oil, and up, up, up, stays the price of gas. And gas, you know, is made from oil.

The only notable thing about the short session of congress is it's shortness.



A Few Samples of the Way
We Are Reducing the Price of Furniture!

\$65 Brass Beds, 3-inch Post	\$51.00
\$57 Brass Beds, 2-inch Post	\$46.50
\$50 Brass Beds, 2-inch Post	\$39.50
\$20 White Enamel Porcelain Top Kitchen Table	\$14.50
\$18 Kitchen Table	\$12.50

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EAST JORDAN—"LET'S GO."

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HATS

MARJORIE BOYD
Three Doors North of Temple Theatre.

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We can grind Wheat, giving you your

Flour, Bran, Middlings

Argo Milling Company

GOOD FOR WHOOPING COUGH

Mrs. Wm. Sager, 901 Nichol St., Utica, N. Y., writes: "My little girl had whooping cough awful bad. I gave her Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it helped her wonderfully." This good cough syrup checks colds, stops coughing, and covers raw, inflamed membranes with a healing coating. Hite's Drug Store.

"Marriage is a game of give and take," says a model wife. There being no model husbands, we are unable to record their views.

Idle rich young men are no longer idle. They are extremely busy looking for ways to blow it in.

McKINNON'S Taxi Service

Day and Night Service.
Enclosed Car.
Main-st., opposite E. J. L. Co. store.
Phone 7. LET'S GO.

A young man in Iowa admits having kissed forty-two girls in one night. That beats the prize record of a certain young gallant in this town.

1921 will soon be able to wear long pants, thank you.

It is no longer stylish to be born with a silver spoon in the mouth. It should be gold.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.
Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

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