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Mich. Educators To Meet Here

Western Michigan Roundtable To Be Our Guests May 18-19

What should be one of the biggest events in the history of East Jordan will take place the 18th and 19th of May, when the Superintendents, High School Principals, Commissioners of Schools, and Agricultural men, along with members of the state department, and Normal School heads meet in East Jordan for one of the big educational meetings of the state. There will be perhaps from seventy-five to one hundred men at this meeting and it is perhaps the greatest round table of educators in Michigan. It covers all of the cities a short distance north of Grand Rapids to the straits. Some fifty men attended the meeting at Manton Friday and Saturday. There was a spirited fight over where the next meeting was to be held. Hart, Scottville, Petoskey and East Jordan all put in a bid for this meeting. Superintendent Duncanson carried East Jordan's bid and finally won out by suggesting that East Jordan could royally entertain and, without a doubt, give the educators a real trout dinner. This seemed to appeal to the hungry school men and East Jordan got the decision and is to be congratulated, for this is one of the greatest opportunities to advertise and boost East Jordan possible. Let us show these men a royal good time. Fill them up and send them home feeling good. It will require all of us to handle this convention. It looks now as though President Friday of M. A. C. would be the principal speaker with possibly Harry M. Crooks, President of Alma College, as another. Very urgent invitations will be sent to Superintendent of Public Instruction, Thomas E. Johnson and President E. C. Warner of Central Michigan Normal and E. T. Cameron, Executive Chairman of the M. S. T. A. and many other men equally famous in school work. We are going to start to prepare for their entertainment early and we want them to feel that East Jordan is one of the best little cities in all northern Michigan. Later announcement will be made and possibly some of the trout. We have a chance to entertain a really distinguished body of men, who are leaders in education. The meeting will last Friday and all day Saturday and there will be time for them to see East Jordan and the country round about. Let's all get together and show that we appreciate their coming.

By the way, to show the interest in this meeting, men of Boyne Falls and Alba, including Mr. Myers and Mr. Bennett have offered to help catch the trout for the fish dinner. Let's back the Superintendent in his effort to make East Jordan appreciated beyond it's ordinary bounds.

Among the speakers at Manton were E. T. Cameron, Executive Secretary of the M. S. T. A., W. L. Coffey, Asst. Superintendent of Public Instruction of Lansing, besides the following program:

PROGRAM
Friday Evening
Supper.....Symposium Impromptu
Saturday Morning
Special Music Supt. Gumbert, Reed City
Address, "Teaching Teachers to Teach"
Supt. H. D. Lee, Northern Normal
Group Conference—Thirty Minutes
Superintendents—Principals—Commissioners (Chairman of Conferences appointed by the President)
Address.....Pres. Wm. McCracken, West Normal
Dinner at Hotel Piper
Saturday Afternoon
Address.....Supt. H. D. Lee, Northern Normal
Local Problems.....Discussion led by Prin. S. H. Lyttle, Manistee
Comm'r Otto J. Heber, Reed City
Business Meeting

These Roundtable meetings have been held for a number of years. Definite school problems of local interest, such as the rural school problem consolidation, teachers' salaries, and High School Courses are among the topics discussed at these meetings. At this same time, the meeting of the North-Western Athletic Association is always held and, at the Manton Roundtable, the Agricultural Club amalgamated with the Superintendent and Principals' Roundtable. In many ways this is one of the most valuable educational meetings held in the state.

There never can be equality between the sexes so long as women regard fat as a tragedy and men regard it as something to laugh about.

Spearing Fish Hearing Jan. 30

Shall Spearing Of Fish In "Streams" be Prohibited

In accordance with petition, a public hearing will be held at Charlevoix next Tuesday, Jan. 30th, relative to the advisability of prohibiting the spearing of fish in the STREAMS of Charlevoix County. Several members of East Jordan's "Rod and Gun Club" plan to be in attendance. Below is the "legal" notice:

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
Notice fixing the time and place for a public hearing under Act 9, of P. A. 1917 as Amended.

State of Michigan,
County of Charlevoix, ss.
Petition having been filed with this department, signed by twenty-five residents of the County of Charlevoix, asking that a time and place be fixed for a public hearing to determine the advisability of prohibiting the taking of fish by the use of a spear in the streams of that county, as now provided for by law, because of the threatened depletion or extermination of fish in the waters of said county.

Therefore, I, John Baird, Director, Department of Conservation, do hereby designate and fix the said time and place for said public hearings as follows: to-wit: Said hearing will be held at the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, in the County of Charlevoix, on the Thirtieth day of January, 1923 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, which hearing may be continued or adjourned for such time as may be deemed advisable by said Director to afford all persons interested an opportunity to be heard in regard to the petition.

Given under my hand and seal this 9th day of January, 1923.
JOHN BAIRD, Director
Department of Conservation.

INDOOR BASEBALL TEAMS PLAY GREAT GAMES.

This was one of the best games that has been played this season. It was quite a pitchers battle between Kowalske and McKinnon, but the Methodist's battery seemed to crack in the ninth inning and two or three timely wallpops won the game for the K. of P. team. It certainly wasn't any disgrace for either team to lose this game. The other game was just as good a game up to the eighth inning. It looked very much as though the Masons would do the unexpected and beat the Holy Name boys for they were ahead 7 to 5 up to the eighth inning. In fact, the Masons were in the lead most of the game. The closeness of the battle is indicated by a 2 to 1 score up to the fifth inning. The teams seemed to be very well balanced. On this particular evening, the breaks of the game were with the Holy Name. Both pitchers twirled nice ball, Sedgman seeming to have the edge but some rather unusual support pulled Nachazel through.

LEAGUE STANDINGS
won lost
Holy Name..... 6 1 858
Methodist Fellowship.. 4 3 572
Masons..... 2 5 286
Knights of Pythias.... 2 5 286
Next Monday night there should be two mighty good games for the K. of P.'s and Masons are both playing good ball and are quite evenly matched and will play the opening game. The second game should be a battle royal for the Methodists always put up a good fight against the Holy Name men and this should be a game worth seeing.

WARNING TO AUTOISTS

On and after January 1st, 1923, all autos and trucks must have their 1923 license plate. No cars will be allowed driven without them.

HENRY W. COOK,
Chief of Police.
City of East Jordan.

Dog Licenses Now Due

All owners of dogs within the city limits please take notice that licenses are due during the month of January—and must be paid on or before Feb'y 1st.

G. E. BOSWELL,
City Treasurer.

Push and personality are not everything. A goat has plenty of push and a strong personality, but who wants to be a goat.

Radio Phone in Public Schools

East Jordan School Board Authorizes Installation at Once.

Charles F. Henika, perhaps the greatest Radio expert in northern Michigan was asked to install a Radio Phone at once. This will be done sometime next week. It surely is a great addition to the all-around quality of our public schools. However, let it be known that the Board are doing this without any cost to the taxpayers. In fact, through the generosity of some of the Board members, they have assumed the responsibility of paying for the thing through some concerts in the auditorium. Without a doubt, we can get some excellent concerts from some parts of the country and announcement will be made, perhaps in the next issue, about a Radio concert. A nominal fee will be charged, perhaps 10c and 20c.

The Board asks the public's co-operation if anything should happen that a concert would be impossible on any particular evening. It will be arranged so that if anybody pays their money, and atmospheric conditions make it impossible to hear a good concert, we will repeat the concert without further cost. This seems unlikely because they are receiving excellent concerts all the way from Newark, New Jersey to Los Angeles, California and as far south as San Antonio, Texas, nearly every night this winter. This set is one of the very best possible so that, without a doubt, we will soon enjoy an unusual concert on one of the most wonderful inventions of all the ages. It is almost impossible to conceive, that you can hear the sweetest voices and the most unusual instrumental concerts out of the air, perhaps coming from 2500 miles away. It's a novel opportunity and we are quite sure the public will respond to the magnificent spirit of the school authorities. Watch for the first concert. This apparatus will be in charge of Mr. Nesman, head of the Science Department. It also will be considered a part of the equipment of this same department.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR M. A. C. FARMERS WEEK

With programs completed for the various meetings, and exhibit material groomed for the display booths, plans for the annual Farmers Week at M. A. C., from Jan. 29 to Feb. 2, were finished here this week.

Preparations have been made to receive the largest crowd of farmers and their families which ever gathered for the annual conference. More than 5,000 registered in 1922, and an even larger attendance is expected next week. Farmers Week has grown steadily for the last half-dozen years, each crowd exceeding the previous one by a large margin, until the occasion has come to be by far the largest gathering of its kind held in the state.

Thirty farm associations and groups will hold their annual meetings during Farmers Week this year. Addition of the fourteen special associations numbered under the Michigan Improved Livestock Breeders and Feeders Association to the lists of convening groups has doubled the number for the coming conference.

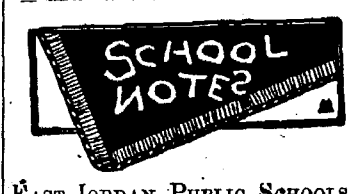
New and interesting exhibits on all phases of agriculture and rural life will be on display in the college buildings, championship livestock being featured especially. Speakers of wide reputation will address the meetings of the general program, business and politics, as well as agriculture, being represented from the platform.

Special emphasis is being placed on women's exhibits and meetings, a complete program of home economics material being prepared for those who are interested. The college's slogan has been "Bring the Whole Family", and no effort is being spared to provide plenty of entertainment for the wives and mothers, as well as for the men themselves.

The reason success does not turn more men's heads is because more men are not successful.

Women are reported not to be smoking as much as they once did, but they probably never did smoke as much.

The average man is inclined to think an automobile is a plaything until the day he wakes up in a hospital and learns that his car was strong enough to break down a telephone pole, snap off an iron water plug and drive itself through a brick wall.



East Jordan 22 Kalkaska 9

Friday, January 19, was another red letter day for the East Jordan High School Basketball boys. In the first half of the game the East Jordan men forgot that they were a team and played along individual lines, thus allowing Kalkaska to chalk up a few scores. In the second half the East Jordan players came back in their full attire as a team, thus allowing East Jordan to chalk up a few scores.

The line-up was as follows:
Kalkaska Forward Walker
Smart, Forward Smith
Allan, Center Childs
Watson, Guard Streeter
Beebe, Guard Malpass
Clark, Guard
Substitutions: First half, none. Second half, Walker replaced Childs as center, Kling going in as forward.
Score: First Half: Goals, Smith 2; Walker 1, for East Jordan. Smart 3; for Kalkaska and 1 free throw. Score end of first half, 7-6 favor of Kalkaska.
Second Half: Goals, Smith 2; Kling 1; Walker 2; Streeter 2; Malpass 1; for East Jordan. Allan 1 for Kalkaska. Score end of second half: 18-2 favor of East Jordan. Game Score 22-9.
Referee: Paul Dye of Traverse City.

HARBOR SPRINGS B. B. PLAYS HERE TODAY

Harbor Springs will visit East Jordan this coming Friday and give us a good fast game of Basketball. It is hoped that the fans of East Jordan will turn out 100 per cent and patronize the E. J. H. S. (you back us and we'll back the Black and Red.)

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" H. S. AUDITORIUM WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31.

The play to be given by the High School on Wednesday, Jan'y 31 promises to be a surprise and treat to East Jordanites who enjoy fun of the farcical variety.

It is not necessary, perhaps, to say that the play "It Pays to Advertise" has had a most popular reception all over the United States, for many of our citizens have seen the play in the hands of professionals. It has not long been available for amateurs, and even now it is to be had only upon the payment of a substantial royalty. So do not fall to do yourselves the favor of seeing this production, and patronizing your school at the same time.

Prominent in the cast are Mabel Maddock, as the French Countess, speaking only French; Lucas Knight, the Soap King; Cecil White, the breezy advertising agent; Alfred Smith, son of the Soap King; and Aura McBride, the private secretary who makes a business man of Rodney.

Meet us there at 8:00 o'clock sharp, standard time.

RADIO CLUB

East Jordan High School has a new institution in the form of a Radio Club organized Tuesday after school with Frank Lawton, President; Lucas Knight, Vice-President; and Kathleen Roy, Secretary and Treasurer. Frank Lawton, the president already has a set of his own that he made himself and it has been working quite satisfactorily. Lucas Knight and Jasper Stallard, two other members of the Club, are naturally inclined towards radio and other scientific appliances and have been doing a little work along this line off and on for a year. Along with other boys and girls of the same stamp, they have formed a Radio Club and, no doubt, will make the institution known in East Jordan.

There are quite a number of things they expect to do. They will have the larger Radio Phone being installed as a basis for experiments. Then they will, no doubt, put up sets of their own. It is work that leads into the field of wireless and other kinds of radio work. It also counts as one asset to our science department.

Women are great gossips, but did you ever listen to a group of men in a barber shop?

LANSING LETTER

(By W. L. Cainon)
Lansing, Mich.

Talk of Abolishing Direct Tax.

Out of the myriad of tax ideas advanced since the opening of the present session of the legislature there is beginning to dawn on some of the leaders a vision of wiping out the general state tax levy entirely and replacing it with specific tax levies which would supply the state with all needed revenue. Farm leaders welcome any such plan and they are not alone in their enthusiasm, for many city real estate holders also would welcome a situation wherein they faced only city and county taxes on their property.

Taking the limit of \$10,000 off the corporation tax would make the tax yield the state about \$8,000,000 a year. It is estimated, if the rate in force now is unchanged, or approximately \$6,000,000 a year if the rate is reduced to two mills. A proposed new specific tax on foreign bonds and land contracts, the revenue to be divided equally between the state and the county in which they are held; an annual tax on all state and municipal bonds issued hereafter, with none permitted to be tax-exempt; insistence on the payment of registration fees on all bonds held in the state; raising of the mortgage tax and a proposed tax on bank deposits, all are included in the suggested specific taxes.

These taxes combined would produce from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 a year for the state, it is estimated. Hence the dawning idea that it is possible to raise enough revenue through such means as to remove the necessity for a direct property tax by the state, along with the cash value assessment of all property held in the state, together with annual equalizations as between counties to determine the ratio of such direct tax that is to be paid.

It is entirely likely that road maintenance funds will be raised by means of legislative enactment at this session either through the proposed increased tax on trucks and heavy motor cars or through a straight tax on each gallon of gasoline sold in Michigan.

Appropriation Bills Pour In.

Appropriation bills for the various state institutions and state enterprises continue to come into both houses in record-making style. The hope already is expressed that all bills will be before their original committees before February 1, and in the hands of the Ways and Means committee in the house and the finance committee in the senate in another ten days. If this is done it is entirely likely that all such measures, covering the entire state budget of the next two years, will be off the calendar of both houses by March 1, or thereabouts.

The original appropriation bills are more robust in their requests for funds than anyone imagines will be granted. In fact, they are about \$5,000,000 in excess of the estimates of the state budget commission, giving rise to the suspicion that material for slashing is being afforded the legislative committees.

But the outlook is for a most business-like presentation, and consideration of appropriation needs, and the fact that the bills are in so early is carrying out the plan of the leaders of the session and have budget matters entirely out of the way in the final days of legislative work.

Would Protect Farm Product Prices.

The state department of agriculture is backing a proposed law to protect farmers from loss occasioned by the falling market prices between the time of a sale of produce to buyers and the time of delivery. The proposed law would compel the buyers to accept such produce when delivered to the loading point, at the price contracted for, the same as the securities law requires brokers to deliver stocks and bonds at the market price at the time of purchase.

Forty Appropriation Bills in 1 Day.

Expansion of the lines of proposed legislation at the present session of the legislature was the outstanding feature of the past week among the lawmakers. Tax proposals remained very much to the front, as they have since the opening day, but a diversity of other measures also made their appearance as the advance guard of general legislative proposals.

In one day during the week forty appropriation bills were introduced into the two houses, marking the practical close of budget requests in their first stage. These bills all are now before the committees on state institutions and after consideration there, will be reported out and then go to the ways and means committee in the house and to the finance committee in the senate. Both these com-

mittees already are arranging dates during February in which they will conduct hearings on the various phases of the state budget and hope to have the entire budget ready in March for presentation to the whole legislature.

The general bills that are making their appearance cover a wide range, from milk and farm products to political ideas. Among the latter are requests for laws to restore party enrollments, to establish pre-primary party conventions and to increase the terms of office of the governor and lieutenant governor to four years, limiting each incumbent to one term.

Would Make Counties of Cities.

A variation of the county commission plan of government, already suggested in a proposed constitutional amendment, has been offered by Rep. Corliss, of Detroit. It would establish as a separate county every city of 25,000 or more population, provided the voters of the city so elect. Territory also could be annexed to such city-counties from other existing counties. This would permit of Detroit being extended into what is now part of Oakland county. Fifteen Michigan cities would come within the scope of such an arrangement, including Highland Park and Farmington, both of which now are surrounded by portions of Detroit.

Brief Notes of Interest.

Leading the way in the array of big tax measures that are being discussed even before formal preparation or introduction is a bill introduced during the past week by Rep. Warner, of Washtenaw, which proposes a straight tax of two cents a gallon on gasoline and other combustibles used by motors. Under this bill the state would collect the tax from the wholesaler at the point of distribution and would retain all of the tax money received, none of it going to the county in which it is collected. Of the revenue produced two-thirds would be used to meet interest and principal on road bonds and one-third would go into the fund for road construction and maintenance.

It is seldom that the legislature takes more than a two-day recess once a regular session is in progress. A joint resolution of the two houses is necessary for any longer period. But in its effort to wind up institutional visits quickly and have all members on hand for continuous work thereafter, the end of the second week of the session witnessed the passage of a joint resolution for a four-day recess, at the expiration of which time all committees were expected to be able to report that their inspection trips had been completed.

Proposed game law changes will be among the first things that will be debated by house members. Bills having been reported out to change the one-buck law to a one-deer law, and to limit the holdings of private hunting clubs to 9,000 acres. Another measure calls for the removal of the present game law protection of red squirrels. Game bills always possess the quality of causing house members to talk for hours.

Senator Charles R. Sligh, of Grand Rapids, wants the inheritance law changed to bring in more revenue. He has offered a bill to limit all inheritances to \$1,000,000; to collect a one per cent tax on all bequests of less than \$50,000; two per cent on those from \$50,000 to \$250,000; four per cent up to \$500,000; five per cent up to \$750,000; and six per cent up to the limit of \$1,000,000.

Senator A. B. Glaspie, of Pontiac, has introduced a bill which would make it a misdemeanor for a land owner or any one else to impair historic remains in this state. The bill would give the state the exclusive right to make archeological investigations of ancient mine workings, forts, burial grounds and other relics of the days before the coming of the white man to America.

Protection of the public from adulterated milk is the object of a bill introduced in the house for the department of agriculture by Rep. Towne, of Jackson county. It would bar so-called "filled" milk, which is made by replacing natural butter fats with vegetable or other fats. Penalty for violation of the law is placed at sixty days' imprisonment and \$100 fine.

Insurance bills also have begun to appear, including a proposal to tax property owned by insurance companies the same as all other; to compel outside insurance companies to pay fees of \$25 each on registering to do business in Michigan; and to require a \$5 annual fee from each insurance agent in the state handling any form of insurance.

Rep. Towne brought in a tax measure which will focus attention on tax exempt bonds. Legislative sentiment seems to be crystallizing against exemption of bonds of any sort and this may aid the Towne bill when it reaches the floor of the legislature. Mr. Towne proposes a straight levy of three mills on all state and municipal bonds.

The agriculture department also

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50 GOOD CIGARETTES 10¢ GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

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.

Wanted

WANTED-To hear from owner having Farm for sale in Charlevoix County. WARREN McRAE, Logansport, Ind. 4x5

WANTED-To hear from owner of good Farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. BUSH, Minneapolis, Minn.

For Sale-Real Estate

RESIDENCE FOR SALE-My dwelling on Main Street is for sale-\$600 cash or \$700 on time. For terms, see Roscoe Mackey.-MRS. F. KOWALSKE. 2t.

FARM FOR SALE-Eighty-acre farm near Ranney Schoolhouse in South Arm Township. Good Buildings; Well; Orchard. Thirty acres Wood Timber.-MRS. F. J. RANNEY, R. 3, East Jordan, Mich. 2x6

For Sale-Miscellaneous

MAPLE SYRUP FOR SALE-by the gallon can, delivered to your home in East Jordan. Phone 167F13. FRANK LENOSKY. 4x3

DRY WOOD FOR SALE-Inquire of J. L. ZOULEK, Phone 178F13, East Jordan. 3-2

WOOD FOR SALE-Beech and Maple Block wood. Call HERBERT CHORPENING, Phone 164F21, East Jordan. 3-2

Now Ready MAC DONALD'S FARMERS ALMANAC for 1923 (26th Edition) The best Almanac we have published. Contains more Astrological and Agricultural information. Price 25c.-ATLAS PRINTING CO. Dept. 59 Binghamton, N. Y. 3x4

For Sale-STEEL MOTOR BOAT, 16 feet long. Price \$75.00.-OSCAR LARSEN, Ellsworth, Mich. 2x3

FOR SALE-Gasoline Engine, Pump, Jack and Belt-completes for \$40.00. Engine about 1 1/2 to 2 h. p. with magneto ignition. All in good running order.-SAM SUTTON, East Jordan. 52x 1-ff

PURE EXTRACTED HONEY For Sale at my residence, corner Third and Garfield Sts. Special price on 60-lb. cans.-GEORGE JAQUAYS. 2x3

SIGNS-For Sale, for rent and other wordings in common use, printed on heavy cardboard, 15c each. Cards with special wordings, in any size or quantity, made to order.-CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD. 32 ff

Ideal State of Society. Society is well governed when the people obey the magistrates and the magistrates the laws.-Solon. Aurora Borealis Record. The record aurora borealis lasted for a week in August, 1850.

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ALBA (Edited by Mrs. A. I. Ashbaugh)

Alba high school is again on the accredited list.

The boys basket ball team won the game from Boyne Falls, Friday night. The score being 14 to 4. A number of the teachers and citizens accompanied the boys to Boyne Falls.

Alba debates with Harbor Springs the 26th.

Mrs. I. Saperston has gone to Detroit where she will visit with relatives for a couple of weeks, and look over the spring stocks of dry goods.

Report comes, from Grand Rapids, of the marriage of Miss Bessie Poff to A. Wellman of Grand Haven, Miss Bessie was one of Antrim County's teachers.

A good many Albaites are on the sick list.

Mrs. Elma Brayden is confined to her bed with an abscess.

NOWLAND HILL (Edited by C. M. Nowland)

On account of the illness of Mrs. Arthur Brintnall the teacher, there was no school at Afton, Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Simmons visited Mrs. Fred Stanley of Boyne City last week.

Mrs. Max Graham who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harnden at East Jordan returned Friday to the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Nowland.

Mrs. Roy Zinck was a recent visitor at the home of her father and his wife Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquays of East Jordan.

Mrs. E. L. Nowland, Percy and Lilia Batten visited the former's son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nowland of East Jordan, Friday.

Ivan Nowland attended an Agricultural Club party, Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Vance of Echo.

Miss Anna Shepard of Afton spent the week-end with Miss Ellen Nowland.

Bert Danforth visited his mother Mrs. George Kitsman, Thursday, and then expected to leave for Detroit, Friday. Mrs. Ramsey Wells of Pleasant Valley arrived Saturday at the home of Ray Nowland to visit her brother George Kitsman a few days, Mr. Kitsman is considerable worse.

Saturday evening a number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nowland.

PENINSULAR (Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Edith Papineau of Boyne City was a guest of Miss Albertha Wurr from Friday to Sunday.

Sidney Hayden is very ill with bronchitis and pleurisy at his home at Hayden Point.

When Dr. Conkle of Boyne City tried to reach Hayden Point Saturday evening with his car, where he had been called to attend Sidney Hayden, who is very ill, he found the snow too much drifted and had to return to Boyne City. J. Cole brought him out with his horse and cutter.

Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Orchard Hill is caring for her brother-in-law, Sidney Hayden, who is very ill at his home at Hayden Point.

Fred Wurn is hauling bailed hay to Boyne City.

Mae Wright has returned to school after having been absent entertaining the mumps.

The Star school is preparing a program and box social for early in Feb'y.

The first real snow drifts of the winter were Tuesday morning Jan. 16.

One of the weather freaks was a zero blizzard Tuesday evening, and the eaves dripping Wednesday morning. Our January thaw was short lived as it was freezing again before night.

Since Tuesday's blizzard travelers take the road across Sid Haydens field which by the way is the laid out Co. road.

WILSON (Edited by Mrs. O. D. Smith)

Fine winter weather.

The Martin children are absent from school this week, ill with the Grippe.

Ivan Nowland went to East Jordan Tuesday night to seek employment in the mill.

Ruby Hardy is absent from school this week suffering with a gathering in her head.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barber of Deer Lake spent Sunday at the home of O. D. Smith in Afton.

Ralph Collins is driving Thos. Shepards team, working on the lumbering job of Rogers and Shepard.

Miss Annie Shepard spent several days recently with her friend Ellen Nowland on Nowland Hill.

MARKET REPORT FURNISHED BY U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Live Stock and Meats

January 18 Chicago prices: Hogs, top \$8.60; butch. of sales \$7.90@8.45; medium and good beef steers, \$7.75@11.25; butcher cows and heifers, \$7.65@10.25; feeder steers, \$6.25@9.00; light and medium weight veal calves, \$8.25@11.75; fat lambs \$13.00; fat hogs, \$12.75@14.50; yearlings, \$2.25; fat ewes, \$5.00.

In the Eastern wholesale fresh meat market beef was mostly higher on some grades to 50c lower on others; Veal was from \$1 higher to \$4 lower on good grades and steady on medium grades. Grades of lamb were steady with medium grades \$1 lower. Mutton was \$1 \$2 higher and pork loins steady to 50c lower for the week.

January 18 prices good grade meats: Beef, \$13.50@16; veal, \$12@20; lamb, \$24 @27; mutton, \$13@17; light pork loins, \$16@18; heavy loins, \$13@15.

Grain

Closing prices in Chicago cash market: No. 2 red winter wheat, \$1.20; No. 2 hard winter wheat, \$1.20; No. 2 mixed corn, 72c; No. 2 yellow corn, 72c; No. 3 white corn, 72c. Average farm prices: No. 2 mixed corn in central Iowa about 69c; No. 2 hard winter wheat in central Iowa, 82c. Closing future prices: Chicago May wheat, \$1.13 3/4; Chicago May corn, 73 1/2c; Minneapolis May wheat, \$1.20 1/2; Kansas City May wheat, \$1.10 7/8; Winnipeg May wheat, \$1.13 3/8.

Hay

Hay market generally slightly weaker. Increased receipts mostly poor hay depressing market, prices \$2 lower at Chicago and supply exceeds demand. Other markets unchanged to above. Five lower alfalfa markets slightly firmer. Quoted January 17: No. 1 timothy, New York, \$24.00; No. 2, \$23.00; No. 3, \$22.00; No. 4, \$21.00; No. 5, \$20.00; No. 6, \$19.00; No. 7, \$18.00; No. 8, \$17.00; No. 9, \$16.00; No. 10, \$15.00; No. 11, \$14.00; No. 12, \$13.00; No. 13, \$12.00; No. 14, \$11.00; No. 15, \$10.00; No. 16, \$9.00; No. 17, \$8.00; No. 18, \$7.00; No. 19, \$6.00; No. 20, \$5.00; No. 21, \$4.00; No. 22, \$3.00; No. 23, \$2.00; No. 24, \$1.00; No. 25, \$0.50; No. 26, \$0.25; No. 27, \$0.10; No. 28, \$0.05; No. 29, \$0.02; No. 30, \$0.01.

Fruits and Vegetables

January 18: New York sacked round white potatoes, \$1.35@1.40 per 100 lb. net weight, including 1 1/2 in Pittsburg, \$1.05 f. o. b. western New York points. Maine green mountains, \$1.00 per 100 lb. net weight. Northern round white, \$1.15@1.35 leading cities, sacked and bulk stock \$0.90@1.05 in California. Florida, \$1.00 f. o. b. northern shipping points. New York danish type cabbage, \$22@30 bulk per ton, consuming centers, \$17@20 f. o. b. New York points. Florida and South Carolina Wakefields in 1-2 bushel hampers \$2@2.50 in Philadelphia and Baltimore. Texas savori squash in bushel baskets \$1.25@1.37 1-2 eastern markets. \$1.40@1.50 in Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. Virginia Savoy, \$1.50@2.25 per bin in New York and Baltimore. Eastern and midwestern yellow onion, 100 lb sack, eastern markets. New York. Baldwin apples, \$4.00@5 per bin leading cities, cold storage quots, \$4@2 1/2 f. o. b. New York points. Northwestern extra fancy boxed Jonathans, \$2.25@2.50 midwestern markets. Chesapeake, \$2.50@2.75 in Chicago, \$1.50@1.65 f. o. b. Spokane.

Dairy Products

Butter markets barely steady. Supplies more than ample on unsettled market and sharp declines occurred during week. Actual and expected arrivals of foreign butter approx. 100,000 cwt. considerable influence. Butter from Denmark, Argentina, New Zealand and Australia has been received. Closing prices, Chicago score butter: New York 52c; Miss 50c; Philadelphia 50c; Boston 52c. Cheese markets firm. Cheese prices at Wisconsin primary market: Cheddar, 27c; Swiss, 27c; Daisies and double daisies, 27c; Young Americas, 27 1/2c; Longhorns, 27 1/2c; square prices, 23c.

East Jordan Live Stock

CATTLE-Steady. Hogs: Heavy and mediums, \$8.50@8.85; yorkers and pigs, \$7.50@8.00; spring pigs, \$6.50@7.00; light and heavy, \$6.50@7.00; wethers, \$9@9.50; ewes, \$7 @8. Calves, \$14.50.

DETROIT QUOTATIONS Live Stock and Poultry

CATTLE-Best steers, \$8.75@9; best handy weight butcher steers, \$7.75@8.25; medium and heavy, \$6.50@7.00; handy light butchers, \$6.75@7.00; light butchers, \$4.50@5.25; best cows, \$5.25@5.75; butcher cows, \$4.50@5.00; calves, \$3 @3.50; canners, \$2.25@2.75; choice bulls, \$3@3.50; bologna bulls, \$4.50@5; stock bulls \$2.50@4.25; feeders, \$1.50@2.00; stockers, \$4.75@6; milkers and springers, \$4@5. CALVES-Best grades, \$14@14.50; others, \$7@12.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Best lambs, \$14 @14.50; fair lambs, \$12.50@13.50; light to common lambs, \$9@10; heavy, \$10@10.50; 12; fair to good sheep, \$6.50@7.75; culis and common, \$2@3.75.

PIGS

Best hogs, \$8.75; heavy, \$8 @8.40; roughs, \$7; pigs and lights, \$3 @3.10; stags, \$4.50@5.

LIVE POULTRY

Best springs, 21c; leghorns, 17c; large fat hens, 13c; medium hens, 21c; small hens, 17c; old roosters, 15c; geese, 15c; large ducks, 14c; small ducks, 10c; heavy turkeys, 32c; light turkeys and old toms, 25c per lb.

Feed and Grain

WHEAT-Cash No. 2 red, \$1.35; No. 2 white and No. 1 mixed, \$1.33. YELLOW CORN-Cash No. 2, 78c; No. 3, 77c; No. 4, 76c; No. 5, 75c. CRACKED CORN-Cash No. 2, 50 1/2c; No. 3, 49c; No. 4, 47 1/2c. RYE-Cash No. 2, 91c. BEANS-Immediate and prompt shipment, \$7.90 per cwt. SWEET POTATOS-Prime red clover, \$13.10; March, \$13.25; timothy, \$10.65; timothy, \$3.30.

STRAW

Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$15.50@17; standard, \$15@16.50; No. 2, \$14@15; No. 3 clover mixed, \$14.50@15; No. 4 clover, \$14@15 @15; rye straw, \$11.50@12; wheat and oat straw, \$11@11.50 per ton in carlots.

FEED

Grain, \$4@4.50; standard middlings, \$3.50@4; fine middlings, \$3; cracked corn, \$3.50@3.85; coarse cornmeal, \$3.40; chop, \$2.50 per ton in 100-lb sacks.

FLOUR

Fancy spring wheat patents, \$3 @3.50; second winter wheat patents, \$2.50@2.75; winter wheat straight, \$2.75 @2.95; Kansas family flour, \$3.20 per bbl.

Farm Produce

STRAWBERRIES-Florida, 60c per qt. CARBAGE-Home-grown, 85c@1 per bu. POPCORN-4@1-2c; Little Buster, 7 1/2c; No. 1, 7c; No. 2, 6c. POTATOES-Michigan, \$1.60@1.75 per 100-lb sack. POTATOES-Jersey, \$1.60@1.65 per hamper and \$1.70@1.80 per crate; Nancy Hall, \$1.35@1.50 per hamper. CRANBERRIES-Lettuce, Howes, \$12@13 per bbl, \$6@6.50 per box.

ONIONS

\$3.50@3.75 per sack of 100 lbs; Spanish, \$1.70@1.90 per crate. DRESSED HOGS-90 to 130 lbs, 11@12c; 130 to 160 lbs, 9@10c; heavy, 5@6c per lb. APPLES-Greenings, \$1.50@1.75; Baldwin, \$1.25@1.50; Red, \$2@2.50; Jonathan, \$1.75@2; other varieties, \$1@1.50 per bu; western boxes, \$2@3. CRISPIES-Square, 40@40c per doz; square, \$1.25@1.50; California celery, Jumbo, 85c; extra Jumbo, \$1.10@1.15; mammoth, \$1.50@1.75 per doz. BUTTER and EGGS BUTTER-Best creamery, in tubs, 47 1/2@48c per lb. EGGS-Fresh, according to quality, \$1.25@1.40 1-2c; refrigerators, \$6@8 1-2c per doz.

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HAVE YOU ANY OF THESE RECORDS?

In order that we might become better acquainted with good, wholesome music, some of the grades have called next month "Music Month" for the purpose of learning to appreciate some of the work that our great musicians have left for us.

If one has learned to appreciate good music, he will naturally go where he can hear it and will consider the popular music as only a poor substitute. This, then, is a "step" toward wholesome surroundings.

Below is our program. So far it has not been possible for us to secure all of the records. If anyone interested has any of these numbers, will you kindly lend them to us.

PROGRAM

January 29-1st Week *Hallelujah Chorus.....Handel * "Morning" from Peer Gynt Suite-Grieg.

*La Paloma.....Yradier Verdi-Quartet from Rigoletto. Etude (Butterfly).....Chopin

February 5-2nd Week Traumerer.....Schumann Michigan My Michigan.....Meissner Hark, Hark, the Lark.....Schubert Lead Kindly Light.....Dykes On the Wings of Song.....Mendelssohn

February 12-3rd Week To a Wild Rose.....McDowell Spring Song.....Mendelssohn Souvenir.....Drdla Minuet in G.....Beethoven Meditation (Thais).....Massenet

February 19-4th Week Humoresque.....Dvorak Blue Danube Waltz.....Strauss From the Land of Blue Sky Water-Cadman.

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Fatal Lapse of Brain Action. Sudden lapse of brain action on the part of the engineer has been the cause of a large proportion of railroad collisions in this country.

Ohio Oil Paid \$22,000,000 Dividends Washington-Dividend payments of approximately \$22,000,000 by the Standard Oil company of Ohio since the Standard Oil dissolution in 1911, was testified to here last week at the senate oil inquiry, by Andrew P. Coombe, of Cleveland, president of the Ohio company. These dividends, Coombe said, consisted of \$10,237,000 in cash dividends on common stock; \$1,338,000 cash dividends on preferred stock, and \$10,500,000 in stock dividends.

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GENERAL STRIKE STOPS RUHR MINES

FRENCH BALKED AT EVERY TURN BY REFUSAL OF GERMANS TO CO-OPERATE.

STRIKE ALSO STOPS RAIL LINES

Inhabitants of Occupied Area Told to Stop Tax Payments—Russ Army Reported Mobilizing.

Essen—A general strike of miners in the Ruhr district became effective on Monday.

The strike decision was taken after a 12-hour session of labor delegates here. It points to complete defection of labor. An ultimatum from Berlin announced workmen would be prosecuted and sent to jail if they transported coal to France and if miners brought it to the surface.

The entire Ruhr valley is seething with excitement. Manifestations and protests against arrest of German industrial officials are being organized although these are forbidden by the French, who announce their intentions to repress them ruthlessly should the necessity arise.

Labor leaders who favor co-operation with France apparently have been overwhelmed by popular sentiment.

Railroad men declared a strike at noon Sunday, stopping passenger and freight traffic in the region of Dortmund, Langendreer and Bochum.

Tax Payments Forbidden
Berlin—Minister of Finance Hermes has issued an order forbidding payment of customs and coal tax and export dues to any account other than German.

The association of German Iron and Steel Industrialists has decided to carry on no business relations with France or Belgium as long as occupation of the Ruhr continues.

The German charge d'affaires at Paris has been instructed to protest to the French government arrest of Herr Thyssen and other German industrial leaders and to demand their immediate release and full satisfaction. He further was ordered to enter a protest in the case of the shooting of the German workman Kowalski at Lanagendreer, January 19.

Russians Reported Mobilizing.

In view of the reported mobilization by Poland and the French invasion of the Ruhr, a Russian revolutionary war council has been established said a Central News despatch from Stockholm quoting advices received there from Moscow. The council is a triumvirate consisting of Trotsky, Djerjinski and Kamenev, and will conduct "all necessary measures." General Tuchatjovskii has been appointed "Russian commander on the western front."

Diplomats Bring Pressure

Washington—Diplomatic pressure once more is being vigorously applied to France in the hope of finding some basis of compromise under which the French will abandon further coercive measures against Germany, and Germany on her part, will faithfully undertake to meet all reparations demands to the literal limit of her capacity.

It is known to officials of this government that moves of the highest

importance are being made in many of the capitals of Europe all directed toward a solution of problems which continue to grow in gravity and which produce conditions more desperate than have existed anywhere on that continent outside of Russia since the signing of the armistice.

IRISH EXECUTE 11 "REBELS"

Drastic Action Follows Attempts to Overthrow Free State Rule.

Dublin—Threatened with destruction by its foes, the Irish Free State Saturday began a campaign of extermination, executing 11 Republican irregulars for rebellious activities and train wrecking in three different towns. This brings the total of irregulars put to death by the Free State since the middle of November, up to 34.

Saturday's executions came as the climax of one of the most disorderly weeks Ireland has known in her recent turbulent history. Never at one time since the Free State was established were so many military prisoners put to death at one time.

This drastic action follows a report that a new coup has been discovered against the Free State government. It aimed to destroy all railway transportation and all telephone and telegraph communication.

Alien Quotas Nearly Exhausted

Washington—About 60 per cent of the number of aliens admissible each year to the United States, reached American ports of entry during the first half of the current fiscal year, the Department of Labor announced. The aliens entering this country between July 1 and December 31 totalled 215,658, exhausting the annual quota for Armenia, Belgium, Greece, Italy, Luxembourg, Portugal, Lithuanian, Spain, Palestine, Syria, Turkey, Africa and Australia.

No great man ever was a great hater. It's hard to tell which is to be preferred—the chronic groucher or the man who thinks it is his duty to be so cheerful all the time that he's silly much of the time.

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Dr. H. W. Evans of Dallas, Tex., was elected imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan at the recent annual national "Kloncilium" (congress) in Atlanta, Ga. He succeeds William Joseph Simmons.

The Klan is at the present time very much in the public eye because of the court investigations in Bastrop, Louisiana, where it is claimed a band of the hooded Klansmen brutally murdered two citizens.

BRITISH DEBT PARLEY FAILURE

War Clouds in Europe Bring Negotiations to Abrupt End.

Washington—The breakdown, at least temporarily, of negotiations for funding the British debt to the United States, which has developed in Washington, is directly related to the French invasion of the Ruhr Valley in Germany and the general financial uncertainty resulting therefrom.

Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the British exchequer, and his colleagues, sailed for home last week as an agreement could not be reached at this time with the American representatives.

U. S. ARMY REMAINS SAME SIZE

Proposal to Cut Personnel Defeated—Enlistment Age Limit Now 21.

Washington—After turning down all proposals to reduce the size of the army by trimming the appropriations for the fiscal year 1923-24, the house has approved the provision in the war department appropriation bill fixing the strength of the military establishment at 12,000 officers and 125,000 enlisted men—the present authorized strength. The provision was accepted without a record vote.

A provision was adopted preventing enlistment in the regular army of men under 21 years of age without consent of parents or guardians. Boys are taken in now at 18 years of age.

KIDNEY TROUBLE CAUSES LAMENESS

"A lameness followed me for some time, and I felt that it was caused from kidney trouble. One bottle of Foley Kidney Pills had the desired effect," writes H. B. Arbuckle, South Barre, Vermont. Disordered kidneys require prompt treatment. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief.—Hite's Drug Store.

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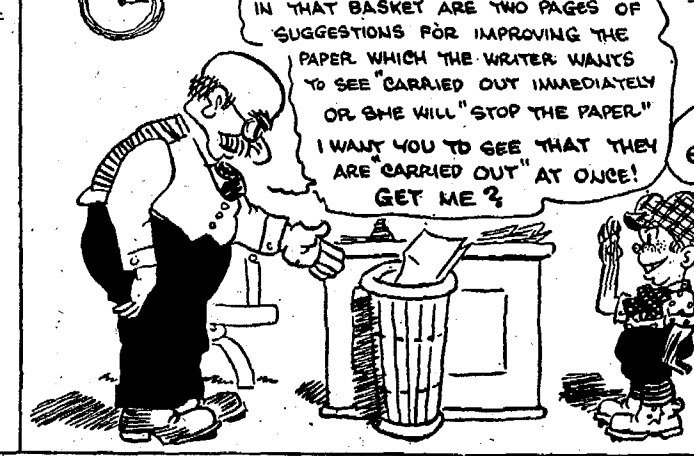
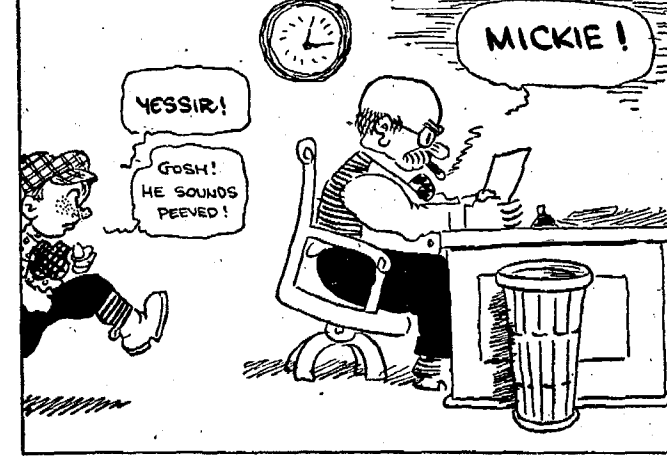
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The trail he followed led up on the right side of the fissure, opposite to the one he had come down. It was a steep climb, and encumbered as the men were they made but slow progress. At length the rims widened out and the red, smoky crater yawned beneath. Yaqui left the trail and began clambering down over the rough and twisted convolutions of lava which formed the rim. It was with extreme difficulty that the party followed him. The choyas were there to hinder passage. Finally the Indian halted upon a narrow bench of flat, smooth lava, and his followers worked with exceeding care and effort down to his position.

At the back of this bench, between bunches of choyas, was a niche, a shallow cave with floor lined apparently with mold. Yaqui spread blankets inside, left the canteen and the sack of food, and with a gesture at each, he invited Mercedes to enter. A few more gestures and fewer words disclosed his plan. In this inaccessible nook Mercedes was to be hidden. The men were to go around upon the opposite rim, and block the trail leading down to the waterhole.

Ladd chose the smallest gun in the party and gave it to Mercedes. "Shore it's best to go the limit on bean' ready," he said, simply. "The chances are you'll never need it. But if you do—"

He left off there, and his break was significant. Mercedes answered him with a fearless and indomitable flash of eyes. Thorne was the only one who showed any shaken nerve. His leaving-taking of his wife was affecting and hurried. Then he and the rangers carefully stepped in the tracks of the Yaqui. He strode on up the trail toward a higher point, where presently his dark figure stood motionless against the sky. The rangers and Thorne selected a deep depression, out of which led several cuts deep enough for cover. Here the men laid down rifles and guns, and, removing their heavy cartridge belts, settled down to wait.

Jim Lash crawled into a little strip of shade and bided the time tranquilly. Ladd was restless and impatient and watchful, every little while rising to look up the far-reaching slope, and then to the right, where Yaqui's dark figure stood out from a high point of the rim. Thorne grew silent, and seemed consumed by a slow, sullen rage. Gale was neither calm nor free of a gnawing suspense nor of a waiting wrath. But as best he could he put the pending action out of mind.

It came over him all of a sudden that he had not grasped the stupendous nature of this desert setting. There was the measureless red slope, its lower ridges finally sinking into white sand dunes toward the blue sea. The cold, sparkling light, the white sun, the deep azure of sky, the feeling of boundless expanse all around him—these meant high altitude. Southward the barren red simply merged into distance. The field of craters rose in high, dark wheels toward the dominating peaks. When Gale withdrew his gaze from the magnitude of these spaces and heights the crater beneath him seemed dwarfed. Yet while he gazed it spread and deepened and multiplied its ragged lines. No, he could not grasp the meaning of size or distance here. There was too much to stun the sight. But the mood in which nature had created this convulsed world seized hold upon him.

The hours passed. As the sun climbed the clear sky, steady lights vanished, the blue hazes deepened, and slowly the glistening surfaces of lava turned redder. Ladd was concerned to discover that Yaqui was missing from his outlook upon the high point. Jim Lash came out of the shady crevice, and stood up to buckle on his cartridge belt. His narrow, gray glance slowly roved from the height of lava down along the slope, paused in doubt, and then swept on to resurvey the whole vast eastern dip of the plateau. "I reckon my eyes are pore," he said. "Mebbe it's this d-n red glare. Anyway, what's them creepin' spots up there?"

"Shore I seen them. Mountain sheep," replied Ladd. "Guess again, Laddy. Dick, I reckon you'd better flash the glass up the slope."

Gale adjusted the field glass and began to search the lava, beginning close at hand and working away from him. Presently the glass became stationary.

"I see half a dozen small animals, brown in color. They look like sheep. But I couldn't distinguish mountain sheep from antelope."

"Shore they're bighorn," said Laddy. "I reckon if you'll pull around to the east an' search under that long wall of lava—there—you'll see what I see," added Jim.

The glass climbed and circled, wavered an instant, then fixed steady as a rock. There was a breathless silence.

"Fourteen horses—two packed—some mounted—others without riders, and lame," said Gale, slowly.

Yaqui appeared far up the trail, coming swiftly. Presently he saw the rangers and halted to wave his arms and point. Then he vanished as if the lava had opened beneath him.

"Lemme thas glass," suddenly said Jim Lash. "I'm seein' red, I tell you. . . . Well, pore as my eyes are they had it right. Rojas an' his outfit have left the trail. Laddy, I'll be danged if the Greaser bunch hasn't vamoosed. Gone out of sight! Right there not a half mile away, the whole caboodle—gone!"

"Shore they're behind a crust or have gone down into a rut," suggested Ladd. "They'll show again in a minute. Look sharp, boys, for I'm fingerin' Rojas 'll spread his men."

From time to time the rangers looked inquiringly at Gale. The field glass, however, like the naked sight, could not catch the slightest moving object out there upon the lava. A long hour of slow, mounting suspense wore on.

"Shore it's all goin' to be as queer as the Yaqui," said Ladd.

Indeed, the strange mien, the silent action, the somber character of the Indian had not been without effect upon the minds of the men. Then the weird, desolate, tragic scene added to the vague sense of mystery. And now the disappearance of Rojas' band, the long wait in the silence, the boding certainty of invisible foes crawling, circling closer and closer, lent to the situation a final touch that made it unreal.

"I'm reckonin' there's a mind behind them Greasers," replied Jim. "Or mebbe we ain't done Rojas credit. If somethin' would only come off!"

That Lash, the coolest, the most provokingly nonchalant of men in times of peril, should begin to show a nervous strain was all the more indicative of a subtle pervading unreality.

"Boys, look sharp!" suddenly called Lash. "Low down to the left—mebbe three hundred yards. See, along by them seams of lava—behind the choyas. First off I thought it was a sheep. But it's the Yaqui! . . . Crawl'n' swift as a lizard! Can't you see him?"

It was a full moment before Jim's companions could locate the Indian. Flat as a snake, Yaqui wound himself along with incredible rapidity. His advance was all the more remarkable for the fact that he appeared to pass directly under the dreaded choyas. Sometimes he paused to lift his head and look.

"Shore he's headin' for that high place," said Ladd. "He's going slow now. There, he's stopped behind some choyas. He's gettin' up—no, he's kneelin'! . . . Now what the h—l!"

"Laddy, take a peek at the side of that lava ridge," sharply called Jim. "I guess mebbe somethin' ain't comin' off. See! There's Rojas an' his outfit climbin'. Don't thake out no hosses."

Dick, use your glass an' tell us what's doin'. I'll watch Yaqui an' tell you what his move means."

Clearly and distinctly, almost as if he could have touched them, Gale had Rojas and his followers in sight. They were totting up the rough lava on foot.

"They're almost up now," Gale was saying. "There! They halt on top. I see Rojas. He looks wild. By—! fellows, an' Indian! It's a Papago. Belding's old herder! . . . The Indian points—this way—then down. He's showing Rojas the lay of the trail."

"Boys, Yaqui's in range of that bunch," said Jim, swiftly. "He's raisin' his rifle slow—Lord, how slow he is! . . . He's covered someone. Which one I can't say. But I think he'll pick Rojas."

"The Yaqui can shoot. He'll pick Rojas," added Gale, grimly.

"Rojas—yes—yes!" cried Thorne, in passion of suspense.

"Not on your life!" Ladd's voice cut in with scorn. "Gentlemen, you can gamble Yaqui'll kill the Papago. That traitor Indian knows these sheep habits. He's tellin' Rojas—"

A sharp rite shot rang out. "Laddy's right," called Gale. The Papago's hit—his arm falls. There, he tumbles."

More shots rang out. Yaqui was seen standing erect firing rapidly at the darting Mexicans. For all Gale could make out no second bullet took effect. Rojas and his men vanished behind the bulge of lava. The Yaqui deliberately backed away from his position. He made no effort to run or hide. Presently he turned and came straight toward the position of the rangers, sheered off perhaps a hundred paces below it, and disappeared in a crevice. Plainly his intention was to draw pursuers within rifle shot.

Another wait set in then, and judging by the more direct rays of the sun and a receding of the little shadows cast by the choyas, Gale was of



"He's Raisin' His Rifle Slow. Lord, How Slow He Is!"

the opinion that it was a long wait. But it seemed short. Gale had the upper position, farthest to the right, and therefore was best shielded from possible fire from the higher ridges of the rim, some three hundred yards distant. Jim came next, well hidden in a crack. The positions of Thorne and Ladd were most exposed. They kept sharp lookout over the uneven rampart of their hiding-place.

Suddenly the dead stillness was rent by a shot, clear and stinging, close at hand. It was from a rifle, not a carbine. With startling quickness a cry followed—a cry that pierced Gale—it was so thin, so high-pitched, so different from all other cries. It was the involuntary human shriek of death.

"Yaqui's called out another pardner," said Jim Lash, inconspicuously.

Carbines were quick to crack. The reports were quick, light, like sharp spats without any ring. Gale made out round spots, dark against the background of red, and in front of them leaped out small tongues of fire. Ladd's 405 began to "spang" with its beautiful sound of power. Thorne was firing, somewhat wildly, Gale thought. Then Jim Lash pushed his Winchester over the rim under a choya, and between shots Gale could hear him singing: "Turn the lady, turn—the lady, turn! . . . Alaman! Swing your pardners! . . . Forward an' back! Turn the lady, turn!" Gale got into the fight himself, not so sure that he hit any of the round, bobbing objects he aimed at, but growing sure of himself as action liberated something forced and congested within his breast.

Then over the position of the rangers came a hail of steel bullets. Those that struck the lava hissed away into the crater; those that came biting through the choyas made a sound which resembled a sharp ripping of silk. Bits of cactus stung Gale's face, and he dreaded the flying thorns more than he did the flying bullets.

"Hold on, boys," called Ladd, as he crouched down to reload his rifle. "Save your shells. The Greasers are spreadin' on us, some goin' down below Yaqui, others movin' up for that high ridge. When they get up there I'm d-d if it won't be hot for us. There ain't room for us to hide here."

Ladd raised himself to peep over the rim. Shots were now scattering, and all appeared to come from below. A volley of shots from a different angle was followed by the quick ring of steel bullets striking the lava all around Gale. His first idea, as he heard the projectiles sing and hum and whine away into the air, was that they were coming from above him. He looked up to see a number of low, white and dark knobs upon the high point of lava. They had not been there before. Then he saw little, pale, leaping tongues of fire. As he dodged down he distinctly heard a bullet strike Ladd. At the same instant he seemed to hear Thorne cry out and fall, and Lash's boots scrape rapidly away.

Ladd fell backward still holding the 405. Gale dragged him into the shelter of his own position, and dreading to look at him, took up the heavy weapon. It was with a kind of savage strength that he gripped the rifle; and it was with a cold and deadly intent that he aimed and fired. The first Greaser huddled low, let his carbine go clattering down, and then crawled behind the rim. The second and third jerked back. The fourth seemed to flop up over the crest of lava. A dark arm reached for him, clutched his leg, tried to drag him up. It was in vain. Wildly grasping at the air the bandit fell, slid down a steep shelf, rolled over the rim to go hurtling down out of sight.

"Shore—I'm d-n glad—them Greas-

ers ain't usin' soft-nose bullets," drew a calm voice.

Swift as lightning Gale whirled. "Laddy! I thought you were done for," cried Gale, with a break in his voice.

The ranger's blouse was open at the neck, and on his right shoulder under the collar bone was a small hole just beginning to bleed.

"Sure it's high, Laddy," replied Gale, gladly. "Went clear through, clean as a whistle!"

He tore a handkerchief into two parts, made wads, and pressing them close over the wounds he bound them there with Ladd's scarf.

"Laddy, I—I'm afraid Thorne's done for," whispered Gale. "He's lying over there in that crack. I can see part of him. He doesn't move."

"I was wonderin' if I'd have to tell you that, Dick, he went down hard hit, fallin', you know, limp an' soggy. It was a mortal clinch one of us would get it in this fight; but G—d! I'm sorry Thorne had to be the man."

"Laddy, maybe he's not dead," replied Gale. He called aloud to his friend. There was no answer.

Ladd got up, and, after peering keenly at the height of lava, he strode swiftly across the space. It was only a dozen steps to the crack in the lava where Thorne had fallen in head first.

Ladd bent over, went to his knees, so that Gale saw only his head. Then he appeared rising with arms round the cavalryman. He dragged him across the hole to the sheltered corner that alone afforded protection. He had scarcely reached it when a carbine cracked and a bullet struck the flinty lava, striking sparks, then slanging into the air.

Thorne was either dead or unconscious, and Gale, with a contracting throat and numb heart, decided for the former. Not so Ladd, who probed the bloody gash on Thorne's temple, and then felt his breast.

"He's alive an' not bad hurt. That bullet hit him glancin'. Shore them steel bullets are some lucky for us. Dick, you needn't look so glum. I tell you he ain't bad hurt. I felt his skull with my finger. There's no hole in it. Wash him off an' tie— Wow! I hole you set the wind of that one? An' mebbe it didn't sing off the lava!"

It was indeed a joy to Gale to find that Thorne had not received a wound, necessarily fatal, though it was serious enough. Gale bathed and bound it, and laid the cavalryman against the slant of the bank, his head high to lessen the probability of bleeding.

As Gale straightened up Ladd muttered low and deep, and swung the heavy rifle around to the left. Far along the slope a figure moved. Ladd began to work the lever of the Winchester and to shoot. At every shot Gale saw the bullets strike the lava behind, beside, before the fleeing Mexican, sending up dull puffs of dust. On the sixth shot he plunged down out of sight, either hit or frightened into seeking cover.

"Dick, mebbe there's one or two left above; but we needn't figger much on it," said Ladd, as, loading the rifle, he jerked his fingers quickly from the hot breech. "Listen! Jim an' Yaqui are hittin'—it up lively down below. I'll sneak down there. You stay here an' keep about half an eye peyed up yonder, an' keep the rest my way."

There seemed a lull in the battle. Gale ventured to stand high, and, screened behind choyas, he swept the three-quarter circle of lava with his glass. In the distance he saw horses, but no riders. Below him, down the slope along the crater rim and the trail, the lava was bare of all except tufts of choyas. Gale gathered assur-

ance. It looked as if the day was favoring his side. Then Thorne, engaged partly to consciousness, engaged Gale's care. The cavalryman stirred and moaned, called for water, and then for Mercedes. Gale held him back with a strong hand, and presently he was once more quiet.

Suddenly harsh, prolonged yells brought Gale to his feet. Far down the trails where the crater rims closed in the deep fissure he saw moving forms. They were three in number. Two of them ran nimbly across the lava bridge. The third staggered far behind. It was Ladd. He appeared hard hit. He dragged at the heavy rifle, which he seemed unable to raise. The yells, came from him. He was calling the Yaqui.

Gale's heart stood still momentarily. Here, then, was the catastrophe! He hardly dared sweep that fissure

with his glass. The two fleeing figures halted—turned to fire at Ladd. Gale recognized the foremost one—small, compact, gaudy—Rojas! The bandit's arm was outstretched. Puffs of white smoke rose, and shots rapped out. When Ladd went down Rojas threw his gun aside and with a wild yell, bounded over the lava. His companion followed.

A tide of passion, first hot as fire, then cold as ice, rushed over Gale when he saw Rojas take the trail toward Mercedes' hiding-place. The little bandit appeared to have the sure-footedness of a mountain sheep. The Mexican following was not so sure or fast. He turned back. Gale heard the trenchant bark of the 405. Ladd was kneeling. He shot again—again. The retreating bandit seemed to run full into an invisible obstacle, then fell lax, inert, lifeless. Rojas sped on unmindful of the spurts of dust about him. Yaqui, high above Ladd, was also firing at the bandit. Then both rifles were emptied. Rojas turned at a high break in the trail. He shook a defiant hand, and his exulting yell pealed faintly to Gale's ears. About him there was something desperate, magnificent. Then he clambered down the trail.

Ladd dropped the 405, and rising, gun in hand, he staggered toward the bridge of lava. Before he had crossed it Yaqui came bounding down the slope, and in one splendid leap he cleared the fissure. He ran beyond the trail and disappeared on the lava above. Rojas had not seen this sudden, darting move of the Indian.

Gale wondered, fearfully, what had become of Lash. Presently when Rojas came out of the cracks and tufts of lava there might be a chance of disabling him by a long shot. His progress was now slow. But he was making straight for Mercedes' hiding-place. What was it leading him there—an eagle eye, or hate, or instinct? Why did he go on when there could be no turning back for him on that trail? Ladd was slow, heavy, staggering on the trail; but he was relentless. Only death could stop the ranger now. Surely Rojas must have known that when he chose the trail! From time to time Gale caught glimpses of Yaqui's dark figure stealing along the higher rim of the crater. He was making for a point above the bandit.

Ladd staggered along the trail; at times he crawled. The Yaqui gained; he might have had wings; he leaped from jagged crust to jagged crust; his sure-footedness was a wonderful thing. But for Gale the marvel of that endless period of watching was the purpose of the bandit Rojas. He had now no weapon. Gale's glass made this fact plain. There was death behind him, death below him, death before him, and though he could not have known it, death above him. He never faltered—never made a misstep upon the narrow, flinty trail. When he reached the lower end of the level ledge Gale's poignant doubt became a certainty. Rojas had seen Mercedes. It was incredible, yet Gale believed it. Then, his heart clamped as in an icy vise, Gale threw forward the Remington, and sinking on one knee, began to shoot. He emptied the magazine. Puffs of dust near Rojas did not even make him turn.

Gale wheeled, rigid now, steeling himself to one last forlorn hope—that Mercedes could defend herself. She had a gun. He doubted not at all that she would use it. But, remembering her terror of this savage, he feared for her. Rojas reached the level of the ledge. He halted. He crouched. It was the act of a panther. Manifestly he saw Mercedes within the cave. Then faint shots padded the air, broke in quick echo. Rojas went down as if struck by a heavy blow. He was hit. But even as Gale yelled in sheer madness the bandit leaped erect. He seemed too quick, too supple to be badly wounded. A slight, dark figure flashed out of the cave. Mercedes! She backed against the wall. Gale saw a puff of white—heard a report. But the bandit lunged at her. Mercedes ran, not to try to pass him, but straight for the precipice. Her intention was plain. But Rojas outstripped her, even as she reached the verge. Then a piercing scream pealed across the crater—a scream of despair.

Gale closed his eyes. He could not bear to see more. Thorne echoed Mercedes' scream. Gale looked round just in time to leap and catch the cavalryman as he staggered, apparently for the steep slope. And then, as Gale dragged him back, both fell. Gale saved his friend, but he plunged into a choya. He drew his hands away full of the great glistening cones of thorns.

"For God's sake, Gale, shoot! Shoot! Kill her! Kill her! . . . Can't—you—see—Rojas—" Thorne faltered.

Gale, stunned for the instant, stood with uplifted hands, and gazed from Thorne across the crater. Rojas had not killed Mercedes. He was overpowering her. His actions seemed slow, wearing, purposeful. Hers were violent. Like a trapped she-wolf, Mercedes was fighting. She tore, struggled, flung herself.

Rojas' intention was terribly plain. In agony now, both mental and physical, cold and sick and weak, Gale gripped his rifle and aimed at the struggling forms on the ledge. He pulled the trigger. The bullet struck up a cloud of red dust close to the struggling couple. Again Gale fired, hoping to hit Rojas, praying to kill Mercedes. The bullet struck high. A third—fourth—fifth time the Remington spoke—in vain! The rifle fell from Gale's racked hands.

How horribly plain that fatal intention! Gale tried to close his eyes, but could not. He prayed wildly for

a sudden blindness—to faint as Thorne had fainted. But he was transfixed to the spot with eyes that pierced the red light.

Mercedes was growing weaker, seemed about to collapse. "Oh, Jim Lash, are you dead?" cried Gale. "Oh, Laddy! . . . Oh, Yaqui!" Suddenly a dark form literally fell down the wall behind the ledge where Rojas fought the girl. It sank in a heap, then bounded erect.

"Yaqui!" screamed Gale, and he waived his bleeding hands till the blood bespattered his face. Then he choked. Utterance became impossible. The Indian bent over Rojas and flung him against the wall. Mercedes, sinking back, lay still. When Rojas got up the Indian stood between him and escape from the ledge. Rojas backed the other way along the narrowing shelf of lava. His manner was abject, stupefied. Slowly he stepped backward.

It was then that Gale caught the white gleam of a knife in Yaqui's hand. Rojas turned and ran. Yaqui followed slowly. His figure was dark and menacing. But he was not in a hurry. When he passed off the ledge Rojas was edging farther and farther along the wall. He was clinging now to the lava, creeping inch by inch. Perhaps he had thought to work around the latticed or climb over it. Evidently he went as far as possible, and there he clung, an unscalable wall above, the abyss beneath.

The approach of the Yaqui was like a slow dark shadow of gloom. If it seemed so to the stricken Gale what must it have been to Rojas? He appeared to sink against the wall. The Yaqui stole closer and closer. He was the savage now, and for him the moment must have been glorified. Gale saw him gaze up at the great circling walls of the crater, then down into the depths. Perhaps the red haze hanging above him, or the purple haze below, or the deep caverns in the lava, held for Yaqui spirits of the desert, his gods to whom he called. Perhaps he invoked shadows of his loved ones and his race, calling them in this moment of vengeance.

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SEVERE COUGH AFTER INFLUENZA
"After an attack of the 'Flu' which left me with a severe cough nothing seemed to relieve me until I used Foley's Honey and Tar," writes Mrs. K. D. Drake, Childs, Md. Coughs resulting from influenza, Whooping Cough, Asthma and Croup are quickly relieved with Foley's Honey and Tar Hite's Drug Store.

If Kidneys Act Bad Take Salts
Says Backache often means you have been eating too much meat.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. An excess of meat may form uric acid, which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood, and they become sort of paralyzed and laggard. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach aches, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water seals, and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once, or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with bicarb, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus often ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, can not injure, and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia water drink. Drink lots of soft water.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA
If Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmothers' recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

Chilblains ache and pain? MENTHOLATUM gives quick relief.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache; no hawking, sneezing, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night. Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. 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, and relief comes instantly. It is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer needs. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable.

Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mason Clark, a son, Jan'y 23.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Rose, a daughter, Jan. 23.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Clark, a daughter—Mabel Ellen—Jan. 24th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bowen, a daughter—Margaret Jean—Jan. 18.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Paine, a daughter—Velda Caroline—Jan. 22.

Armstrong's Linoleum—the very best manufactured—at R. G. Watson's. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Strehl and children are visiting friends at Detroit this week.

Jan'y 31, at the High School Auditorium, the snappy farce, "It Pays To Advertise." adv.

Carl Heindelmann, who has been away at a hospital for treatment, returned home, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Jackson was here first of the week, guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Dean.

The Repair Dep't at Palmer's Jewelry Store is to be continued. Prompt service. Bring in your work. adv.

The Temple Theatre will be "dark" next Wednesday night, so that one and all may enjoy the High School play at the Auditorium that evening.

Does It Pay To Advertise? Well, just drop in at the Auditorium on the night of Jan. 31, and let us tell you all about it in a snappy, gingery, peppy play. adv.

John E. Campbell, a veterinary surgeon, is here from Traverse City with view of locating in East Jordan. Mr. Campbell is a graduate of the Western Veterinary College at Kansas City, Class of 1904.

Tuesday evening, January 16, the Western Normal Students from East Jordan at Kalamazoo were invited to the home of Mrs. R. H. Steketee on Stuart Ave. to celebrate the birthday of Miss Fannie Jackson. About 10:30 delightful refreshments were served after which the merry Jordanites departed.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Ula Virginia Dewey to Mr. Jack Wallace Browning, at Chicago, Thursday January 11th. They are "At Home" to their many friends at 1712 West Monroe St. Miss Dewey is a former well known and popular young lady of this city.

Mrs. Laura Archer, aged 74, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alice Eagleton, at Detroit, Monday January 15th. The remains were taken to Central Lake, where interment was made on Thursday, Jan'y 18th. Mrs. Harvey Scott of Muskegon and Mrs. Alice Eagleton of Detroit, daughters of Mrs. Archer, accompanied the remains. Deceased was well-known in East Jordan having visited relatives here at various times.

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Mrs. G. A. Say returned home Saturday from a visit at Detroit.

Mrs. Elmer Hayher left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Detroit.

J. J. Votruba was a Traverse City visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Louis Johnson and children were here over Sunday from Grayling.

Only BIG Play this year to be offered "It Pays To Advertise," Jan'y 31. adv.

Miss Laura Dufore and Mrs. Vera Dufore came home Saturday from Flint.

Armstrong's Linoleum—the very best manufactured—at R. G. Watson's. adv.

Mrs. J. E. Secord is at Grayling this week visiting her daughter, Miss Jaunita.

Mrs. Mae Ward returned home Monday from a visit with her sister at Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller left Monday on a business trip to Chicago and Milwaukee.

Basil Cummins returned Monday to his studies at the Western State Normal at Kalamazoo.

Charles J. McNamara was called to the Coleman, Mich., Monday, by the illness of his brother.

Mrs. Eva Macey returned to Alma, Saturday, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Lapeer.

Laundry Basket leaves Bulow Bros. store every Wednesday noon; laundry returned Saturday night. adv.

Presbyterian Bake Sale, Saturday afternoon, at East Jordan Lumber Co. Store. Benefit Dish fund. adv.

Everyone will be there! Where? At the school. When? Jan'y 31. Why? "It Pays To Advertise." adv.

You know we never disappoint our audiences, so let us entertain you with "It Pays To Advertise," on Jan'y 31. adv.

Mrs. Harvey Scott of Muskegon, and Mrs. Alice Eagleton of Detroit, were guests of East Jordan friends latter part of last week.

Robt. H. Taylor of Compton, Calif., and sister, Sara Taylor, of Sault Ste. Marie, returned to their homes Monday after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heller and other friends.

The Rev. Henry Hulme is acting as nurse for the folks of his own home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd, Mrs. Henry Hulme, John Wesley and Althea Churcott all sick at the same time with Flu. At this time they are all improving.

Mrs. J. M. Howard and her mother, Mrs. A. J. Thompson, left Tuesday for a visit with the former's daughter in Alabama. Mr. Howard expects to leave soon, and they will go to Nashville, Tenn., where they will make their home.

Owing to the High School play "It Pays To Advertise," Manager Olson of the Temple Theatre has kindly consented to cancel his attraction for next Wednesday night, Jan. 31st, in order that all may enjoy the home talent play for that evening.

In a line with subscription renewal received this week from Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Woodcock at Lansing, they say:—"Although we take a few other papers, the Charlevoix County Herald is the most welcome of all, and always anxiously looked forward to."

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid at the Church Thursday afternoon, February 1st. Meeting will at 4 o'clock and at 6:00 o'clock a pot luck supper will be served after which a program will be given. Mesdames Bulow and Benson hosts.

A monthly "Book Review" will be given at the East Jordan Public Library commencing next Monday evening when "Gentle Julia" by Booth Tarkington will be reviewed by Miss Ethel Crowell. The public in general is cordially invited to these "Reviews" which start promptly at 7:00 p. m., standard.

A change has been made in the stock holders of the Levering State Bank, R. O. Bisbee, A. Cameron and W. P. Porter having severed their connections with the institution, leaving Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Batdorff the only remaining original incorporators. New stockholders include R. G. Mackey, Howard P. Porter, and J. J. Mikula, of East Jordan; Dr. J. B. Brown, C. A. Cole and C. W. Reed, of Levering. R. G. Mackey has been elected President; H. P. Porter, Vice-president; J. J. Mikula, second vice-president; C. C. Batdorff, cashier; Dr. J. B. Brown, C. A. Cole and C. W. Reed, Directors.—Petoskey News.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter are at Grand Rapids this week.

Mrs. Loren Duffey was an Alden visitor first of the week.

Rev. C. W. Sidebotham was a Charlevoix visitor, Wednesday.

Mrs. Archie Quick and children are visiting relatives at Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sufferen were at Grand Rapids first of the week.

Mrs. Frank Brotherton is visiting her daughter at Grayling this week.

Miss Marion Brown is visiting her parents at Mancelona this week.

Miss Christine Vanderverter visited her sister at Petoskey over Sunday.

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W. E. Malpass left Wednesday on a business trip to Detroit and other points.

Mrs. Ernest Higby and children returned home Tuesday from a visit at Central Lake.

Miss Magdalene and George Kroupa returned to Old Mission, Tuesday, after a visit at the homes of Louis and Peter Zoulek.

Mrs. A. F. Wallbrecht of Central Lake was here first of the week, guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Bechtold.

News of the Churches

Presbyterian Church Notes
Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.

"A Church for Folks."
Sunday, Jan. 28, 1922.
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.
7:15 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon Theme: "Beggars' Gold." The title is from the story by Ernest Poole. It illustrates lessons that are much needed to enable us to get the most out of life.

The Ladies Aid will meet in the Church next Thursday afternoon, Feb. 1st. At 6 o'clock there will be a pot luck supper. All of the friends of the Church are requested to participate in this.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. Henry Hulme, Pastor.

Sunday, Jan. 28, 1922.
10:00 a. m.—Public Worship.
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School
8:00 p. m.—Epworth League. Leader, of the Devotional, Ralph Clark. Leader for the Missionary Subject, Mrs. Henry Hulme.
7:00 p. m.—Gospel Service. Song service by the Epworth Choir and Orchestra.
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting
6:15-Tuesday, Men's Fellowship Club
A welcome awaits you all.

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.

Church of God.
Miss A. A. Zielka, Pastor.

Hours of services:
(Eastern Standard Time)
Sunday School—11:00 a. m.
Morning Services—12:00 a. m.
Evening Services—7:30 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting—8:00 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Revival meetings are now in progress at the Church of God Chapel and will continue until further notice. Every night of the week commencing at 8:00 fast time, and on Sunday nights at 7:30 fast time. Rev. H. A. Gergulsky Evangelist of Lansing is here. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

Latter Day Saints Church.
Leonard Dudley, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Prayer Meeting.
7:00 p. m.—Preaching.
Tuesday—
7:00 p. m.—Religio.
Wednesday—
7:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

KU KLUX INQUIRY CONTINUES
Churchman Named As Member of Gang of Kidnapers.

Bastrop, La.—A sensation was sprung at the open hearing last week when E. N. Grey, church deacon and wealthy farmer, was identified as a member of the "hooded mob" which kidnaped five Mer Rouge citizens last August. The identification was made from the witness stand by Fred Eubanks, a Collinston farmer.

Grey is the first man to be openly identified as one of those who are alleged to have participated in the masked band activities on that date, when Daniel, Richards and several others were kidnaped, had been brought out at the open hearing.

Wrote His Way To the Jail

Frank McDonald Tries Check Game With Bad Results.

Frank McDonald, permanent residence unknown, blew into East Jordan Saturday night. Monday morning he passed three worthless checks, each for \$5.00, on Messrs Tausch, McKinnon and Umlor. Both names on the checks were fictitious. McDonald left that morning ostensibly for Muskegon.

At noon Under-Sheriff Cook was on the trail and that night McDonald was taken into custody at Charlevoix.

McDonald was brought back to East Jordan and on Tuesday was up before Justice Blount where he waived examination, was bound over to Circuit Court, and is now in the county jail awaiting trial.

McDonald is about 35 to 40 years of age. Last summer he served a 90-day sentence at Charlevoix for larceny.

Under-sheriff Cook is to be congratulated on his promptness in bringing this offender to justice.

1,205 PAROLED DURING YEAR

For Each 100 Sent to Prison in State, 57 Are Freed.

Lansing—Inmates in Michigan penal institutions were paroled during the year just closed at the rate of 57 for every 100 committed, according to figures set forth in the annual report of Fred Jeanette, commissioner of pardons and paroles.

During that period 2,127 commitments were made to the three state prisons and the Detroit house of correction. The paroles for the same period totalled 1,205.

The report shows that the rate of parole dropped during the year, as compared with the year 1921, there being 1,648 paroles during the previous year.

Of the 1,205 paroled during 1922, four were lifers.

Would Seem Logical.
If there be a paradise for virtues, there must be a hell for crimes.—Causain.

Daily Thought.
The man who can't find anything to do generally bunts with great caution.—Josh Billings.

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That you have had so much trouble with. We guarantee each job and give you service in seven to ten days.

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Plan Fight on Grain Rust
Washington—Conferees on the agricultural appropriation bill have been informed that the legislatures of seven middle western states are considering appropriations aggregating \$81,000 for eradication of barbary bushes to control black stem rust in wheat which causes millions of dollars of loss annually. Illinois is expected to appropriate \$6,000, Michigan, Minnesota and South Dakota, \$25,000; \$5,000 and Wisconsin, \$15,000.

Nobody ever whitened his own name by blackening another's.

More people catch their death o' heat than their "death o' cold".

Reforming, like charity, should begin at home.

The only kind of "poor workingman" who is poor, is the poor worker. Any workingman is rich who loves his work and anybody who isn't a workingman is a loafer unless he's very old, or helpless, or crazy.

The world is full of failures who mistake wishing for ambition.

TEMPLE THEATRE
EAST JORDAN W. J. OLSON, Mgr

PROGRAM
Week Starting, FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

Fri. & Sat. Fri. & Sat.
"Wild Honey"
With FRISCHILLA DEAN Starring
Miss Dean in one of her most popular roles, a picture with scenes that you will never forget, from the novel by Cynthia Stockley.
Mack Sennett Comedy
"MADE IN THE KITCHEN"

Sunday, Evening Only.
"THE DICTATOR"
With WALLACE REID Starring
He couldn't sell bananas but he won a revolution and the sweetest girl in all the world.

Tuesday Evening Only
"While Satan Sleeps"
Starring JACK HOLT
He was a make believe Parson but the town made him a real one, Peter Kyne's great story "The Parson Of Panamint."
BURTON HOLMES TRAVELOGUE

Wednesday Wednesday
HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
"It Pays To Advertise"

SPECIAL Thurs. and Friday
MY OLD KENTUCKY HOME
After you have seen this masterpiece then and only then you will know that you have looked at one of the greatest attractions of the day, too much cannot be said of this screen wonder.

Doors open at 6:30 Start at 7:00 p. m.
TWO SHOWS NIGHTLY.

THE LEATHER PUSHERS
Feb'y 6th at The Temple. adv. 3-3

Regular meeting of South Lake Lodge No. 180, K. of P., every Wednesday evening at 7:00 sharp. All members urged to be present. Visitors welcome

LOOK! This Year's Big Play! LOOK!

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"

PRESENTED UNDER AUSPICES OF
East Jordan H. S. Athletic Ass'n
AT THE AUDITORIUM
WEDNESDAY, 31ST
JANUARY
8:00 p. m., standard Admission 25c-35c-50c
Tickets and Reservation at Hite's
Tuesday, Jan. 30th.

NOTE:—Manager Olson of the Temple Theatre has kindly consented to close his theatre on above night that all may enjoy the attraction at The Auditorium.

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COUGHS
COLDS, CROUP
Tickling Throat
Whooping Cough
Bronchial Cough
Hoarseness, etc.

For many years a standard family cough medicine of high merit. Contains no opiates.

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It's all right to love your neighbors, but it won't last long if loving is all on one side.

Where the public thinks a fast talker is a fast worker deep thinkers have no chance.

"Pride goeth before a fall," but if there ever was any reason for its existence, it also climbs up after a fall.

"Watch and pray," advises the old hymn, but if you want your prayers to answer it is well to do a little work while you're watching.



for that
COUGH!
KEMP'S BALSAM
Pleasant to take
Children like it

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Lansing Letter

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wants the seed law amended so that the standard required for Michigan grown seeds be imposed on those seeds brought in from other states. It is contended that the present law leaves the way open for the shipment of inferior seeds into Michigan.

A bill to repeal the act requiring local assessing officers to collect agricultural statistics has been introduced by Rep. Rasmussen, of Montcalm county. Rep. Reed, of Kalamazoo county wants township school districts authorized to spread bond issues over a 30-year period.

Rep. James A. Burns, of Detroit, injected something new in the session's affairs when he put forward a resolution calling for a committee of two senators and three representatives to make an inquiry into any and all activities of the Ku Klux Klan in Michigan.

Rep. Culver, of Detroit, has introduced a bill to admit chiropractors to practice in Michigan under the supervision of a state board of chiropractors. This measure is similar to others which have been fought over with much spirit in recent legislatures.

Rep. Froes, of Sand Creek, has offered a bill to make contributors to excessive campaign funds liable for violating the corrupt practices act, as well as the campaigners who accept swollen donations.

KNIGHT-LEMM

On Saturday, Jan. 6th, at 4:30 p. m. occurred the marriage of Miss Ruth Nelle Knight and Mr. Harold E. Lemm. It was a quiet home wedding at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Knight. The ring ceremony was beautiful and impressive, Rev. D. B. Gregory officiating. The bride has spent the better part of her life in Durant is well known and admired. She is a graduate of the local State Teachers' College and is an accomplished musician, both in piano and voice. The groom is of Chicago and is at present stationed at Denison in a very responsible position as the representative of the National Engineers of the United States and Canada. They will for the present reside in Denison at the Palace Hotel. They will be followed to their new home by the best wishes and congratulations of a host of friends and admirers.—From Durant, Oklahoma Democrat.

Mr. Lemm is well known, having come to East Jordan five years ago with his three little children to make their home with his sister, Mrs. Ernest Sandel.

Mr. Lemm has served the U. S. Government both here and overseas for ten years as a U. S. Marine. He is also well known in Charlevoix, where he was on the U. S. S. Margariete. Mr. Lemm has another sister in Charlevoix in the summer, Mrs. B. W. Harris who is Sect. of the Beach Hotel.

Mr. Lemm and his bride expect to come to East Jordan in the near future for his three little children.

INDOOR BASEBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

(Revised Jan. 25th, 1923 and subject to correction.)

January 29,

Masons vs Knights of Pythias

Men's Fellowship vs Holy Name

February 5

K. of P. vs H. N.

M. F. vs Masons

Feb. 12

H. N. vs Masons

K. of P. vs M. F.

Feb. 19

H. N. vs M. F.

Masons vs K. of P.

Feb. 26

M. F. vs Masons

K. of P. vs H. N.

March 5

H. N. vs Masons

K. of P. vs M. F.

March 12

Masons vs K. of P.

M. F. vs H. N.

March 19

K. of P. vs H. N.

Masons vs M. F.

March 26

H. N. vs Masons

K. of P. vs M. F.

April 2

M. F. vs H. N.

Masons vs K. of P.

April 9

M. F. vs Masons

K. of P. vs H. N.

Great men fit circumstances to themselves; contented men fit themselves to circumstances.

DOES IT PAY TO WORRY ABOUT APPENDICITIS?

Can appendicitis be guarded against? Yes, by preventing intestinal infection. The intestinal antiseptic, Adler-Ika, acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel removing ALL foul, decaying matter which might start infection. EXCELL-ENT for gas on stomach or chronic constipation. It removes matter which you never thought was in your system and which nothing else can dislodge. One man reports it is unbelievable the awful impurities Adler-Ika brought out.—GIDLEY & MAC, Druggists.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—Sugar beet growers of the state, 275 strong, held a three-day sugar beet conference here last week.

Pontiac—A "better home" show was held here January 22 to 25, with the idea of stimulating home-building in Pontiac.

Lansing—Bonds aggregating \$100,000,000 and debentures for \$50,000,000, figuring in the Anaconda Copper-Chile Copper companies merger, have been approved by the state securities commission.

Kalamazoo—The Kalamazoo police department has installed a radio receiving and broadcasting outfit. Two men have been appointed as chiefs of the station and 24-hour service will be maintained.

Detroit—Mrs. Verna Harrington, of Redford, 28 years old, taken ill on an interurban car, died in a drug store where she had been removed for treatment. According to the coroner death was due to heart trouble.

Saginaw—Henry Zocharz, 14, died from the effects of a wound received from a gun in the hands of a cousin, David Zittel, 16. The boys had been hunting on a farm of their uncle a few miles outside the city and had borrowed their uncle's gun.

Detroit—With orders to be the "first on the draw," two automobile loads of deputy sheriffs, equipped with riot guns, are patrolling the outskirts of Detroit every night. This is an innovation of Sheriff George A. Walters, whereby it is hoped to discourage robberies in the outlying, sparsely settled districts.

Holland—An automobile containing two men and two boys broke through the ice on Black Lake and sank in 10 feet of water. Ernie Miles, Arthur Miles, L. J. Jones and Fred Jones, occupants of the car, escaped. They were in the water 30 minutes, managing to work themselves out on the ice as help arrived.

Flint—After eight years of continuous service as principal at the Michigan school for the deaf, Miss Frances K. Bell has resigned, to take a much needed rest. She will be succeeded temporarily by her assistant, Miss Sarah Fenner. Miss Bell is noted especially for her success in teaching speech and lip reading.

Lansing—Fred Jeanette, commissioner of pardons and paroles, reported that inmates of Michigan penal institutions were paroled last year at the rate of 57 for every 100 committed. The 1922 reports shows 2,127 commitments to the three state prisons and the Detroit house of correction. The paroles were 1,205.

Kalamazoo—Blinded in one eye by hot grease, the 3-year-old daughter of Elmer Dokey, of Mentra, is recovering from terrible burns she suffered when she pulled over a bowl of lard. Her mother had just finished frying meat, and was pouring the hot grease into a bowl when the little girl crept up behind her and pulled the liquid over on her upturned face.

Lansing—The value of the Citizen's Telephone company property, not including exchanges at Jackson, Battle Creek and Marshall, is \$7,896,213, figures in the hands of the state public utilities commission indicate. The figures were submitted to the commission in connection with the forthcoming merger of the Citizen's company and the Michigan State Telephone company.

Grand Rapids—The hearing on the petition filed by Mrs. Melvin E. Trotter for a re-hearing of the divorce proceedings against the Rev. Melvin E. Trotter, the evangelist, has been set for Feb. 15 by Circuit Judge M. L. Dunham. The Trotter divorce case was tried last summer, a decree having been granted to Mr. Trotter. Mrs. Trotter was given a property settlement. She desires a re-hearing to substantiate her claims.

Pontiac—Michigan has been falling to provide adequate sums for road maintenance in Oakland county, according to G. Ross Thompson, county road commissioner. He says an agreement was made last year for \$104,000 for maintenance of state trunk lines. This was paid by the state, although it actually cost \$90,000, the additional sum being expended by the county. An effort will be made to have the state legislature adjust the situation, Thompson says.

Muskegon—Frank Denato, who took possession of a house here during the night after it had been rebuilt by another man, has been given legal possession by the court. Mr. Denato held a contract for purchase of the house, on which he failed to continue payments. The house was partly destroyed by fire, and Iver Anderson, who purchased the Denato contract, rebuilt the burned house. Then Denato moved into the house. The court held the notice of forfeiture of contract served on Denato was faulty.

Lansing—The State of Michigan will start action in the United States Supreme Court to prevent the State of Illinois from diverting excessive quantities of water from Lake Michigan. It is alleged by State officials and representatives of shipping and fruit interests that Illinois is diverting too much water through Chicago drain canals; that the level of Lake Michigan has been lowered 5.5 inches; and the levels of Lake Huron, Lake Erie, Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence River in proportion, damaging harbors and increasing freight rates.

Coldwater—Milo D. Campbell, president of the National Milk Producers' association, has been appointed a member of the Federal Reserve Board.

Kalamazoo—The police station here is now in operation. The station is open twice a day for the dispatch of messages concerning all police cases in which the assistance of officers in other cities is desired.

Iron Mountain—Sentence of from five to 20 years in Marquette prison was meted out by Circuit Judge R. C. Flannigan to Louis Turbess, convicted of having dynamited the Chaplin mine air line nearly two years ago.

Lansing—The Michigan Agriculture College Association has begun a Union Memorial Building to be erected in East Lansing. The campaign was started at the College. Later, the drive will be extended over Michigan.

Detroit—Margolies Inn, sometimes officially known as the Shore Drive Inn, and for several years a hectic factor in the war of Macomb county officials against illicit liquor and gambling, was completely destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

Charlotte—John D. Parkhurst, 86 years old, oldest living law student graduated from the University of Michigan died here last week. He was graduated in the class of 1861, and was a major in the Union army. He was the father-in-law of Congressman J. M. C. Smith.

Traverse City—Mother Nature's transportation system slipped a cog this year and hundreds of robins which have been in the habit of spending the winter in the South have remained North this year. Throughout the Grand Traverse region flocks of robins are being constantly reported.

Saginaw—That the University of Michigan is one of the leading schools in the development of its dentistry department and that western universities have taken the lead in these courses, was the declaration here of Dr. Marcus L. Ward, dean of the U. of M. dental school.

Kalamazoo—Joseph Tazelaar, 68 years old, fireman employed at the A. M. Todd company, met instant death when a freight elevator, upon which he was riding, dropped four floors into the basement. Company officials said the cable snapped and safety devices failed to operate.

Ann Arbor—Sixteen men and women students of the University of Michigan, composing the staff of the Sunday magazine section of the Michigan Daily, the student newspaper of the university, resigned from the staff as a protest against "too strict censorship" of the board of control of publications.

Detroit—Abraham Katz, a former employe at the Ford factory has been identified as the daring robber who held up four cashiers in the Ford industrial bank in the Highland Park Motor plant last month and escaped in a crowd of departing workmen with \$5,600. He was arrested at Cleveland, Ohio.

Sault Ste. Marie—Michael Collins, 30 years old, a roofer and metal worker, was fatally hurt, the result of a 20-foot fall from a scaffold at the Cadillac Chemical Lumber company's plant. Collins had just ascended to begin the day's work when an improper connection on the scaffold is said to have given way, causing the crash.

Flint—Edward Contin, left his machine at the curb with the motor running and "Tony," his 6-month-old Collie, in the seat. The car suddenly started. It is believed the dog jumped off the seat, accidentally throwing the car in gear. It zig-zagged down the street, narrowly missing passing machines. Passersby, believing the driver intoxicated, overtook the car and stopped it.

Bay City—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the Handy Brothers Mining company, in federal court. This company owns the mine near Unionville, which Governor Groesbeck proposed to operate for the state under lease, a year ago. Handy Brothers railroad, the B. C. & W., their box factory and their Marine City Sugar company already are in the bankruptcy court.

Sturgis—Mrs. Elizabeth Godden, 78 years old, while walking on the pavement on North Ottawa street, was hit by an auto driven by Clifford Duell, of Centerville, and died five hours later. The windshield of the Duell car, was so obscured by sleet and rain, the driver claimed he could not see the aged woman, and did not know he had hit her until the niece of the victim, who was on the walk called to him.

Detroit—Work on the depression of the Grand Trunk Railway company's east side tracks, running along Dequindre street, which will result in the abolition of grade crossings on 22 streets, will commence next summer. It was announced by John W. Reid, city engineer. The contract calling for the improvement, which will involve the expenditure of \$4,000,000 has been signed by the G. T. R. officials at Montreal.

Lansing—State banking Commissioner Hugh A. McPherson, several days ago ordered the Evert State bank to close its doors, and sent a representative to take charge of the bank's books, pending an inquiry into the affairs of the institution. Mr. McPherson said his action in closing the bank was the result of his discovery that bad paper to the amount of \$100,000 was being held. The bank has a capital of \$50,000 and a surplus of \$50,000. It is understood that the bank became involved through carrying several local industrial concerns

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

For the City of East Jordan For the Month of December 1922.

General Fund RECEIPTS

Dec. 1 Balance on hand.....\$ 7990.58

Total \$ 7,990.58

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. Corps Conveyor Belt Co. \$ 378.38

R. Bingham..... 5.37

State Bank of E. J..... 91.45

G. A. Lisk..... 24.00

Grace E. Boswell..... 60.00

Wm. F. Bashaw..... 123.41

Ohio J. Smith..... 37.50

Henry Cook..... 100.00

State Bank of E. J..... 400.00

M. B. Palmer..... 33.33

E. J. Hose Co..... 22.50

Mich. State Tel. Co..... 4.00

E. H. Cummings..... 9.18

E. L. Lbr. Co..... 5.68

State Bank of E. J..... 11.38

James Lilak..... 1.75

Stroebel Bros..... 1.65

E. R. Kleinhaus..... 10.00

31 Balance on hand..... 6865.93

Total \$ 7,990.58

Street and Sewer Fund.

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31 Overdrawn.....\$ 3321.70

Total \$ 3321.70

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 3205.10

Reid & Sherman Co..... 8.00

F. M. Severance..... 24.00

E. W. Giles..... 42.00

Harry Williams..... 50

Fred Sweet..... 10.00

Reid-Sherman Co..... 15.35

Thos. Deshane..... 4.50

Henry Scholls..... 3.75

Geo. Hayes..... 4.50

John Flannery..... 4.00

Total \$ 3321.70

Water Works Fund.

RECEIPTS

Dec. Water Taxes.....\$ 304.35

Tapping Main..... 19.65

31 Overdrawn..... 1124.00

Total \$ 1448.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 1199.95

Reid & Sherman Co..... 16.20

State Bank of E. J..... 176.60

E. J. Iron Works..... 3.15

Chris Bulow..... 3.50

Victor Korson..... 1.50

Reid-Sherman Co..... 31.10

Stroebel Bros..... 17.00

Total \$ 1448.00

Interest and Sinking Fund.

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31 Overdrawn.....\$ 419.11

Total \$ 419.11

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 419.11

Total \$ 419.11

Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31 Overdrawn.....\$ 699.86

Total \$ 699.86

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 699.86

Total \$ 699.86

Paving Fund, Dist. No. 4.

RECEIPTS

Dec. 31 Overdrawn.....\$ 2374.99

Total \$ 2374.99

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 1 Overdrawn.....\$ 2374.99