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## Fine Showing In Pig Club

Boys and Girls Have Fine Exhibit at Charlevoix Co. Fair.

(By B. O. Hagerman)

The Charlevoix County Boys' and Girls' Pure-bred Pig Club exhibit at the County Fair certainly received its share of attention from the many visitors attending that annual festivity.

Twenty-eight pure-bred Duroc-Jersey gilts, all scrubbed and cleaned extra well for this special occasion were there on full dress parade, each grunting or squealing its approval of the whole affair.

But I suppose you all are anxious to know how the judging came out. Well before we tell you, suppose we remind you of the way they are judged.

Each entry was judged on a three point basis, viz:

- 1-The individuality of the pig.
- 2-The gain in weight.
- 3-The cost per pound gain.

It might appear that the biggest pig did not win first place, but all three things had to be considered and it was the total of the three scores that determined the first prize winner.

Following is the list of prize winners and the prize they won.

Place	Name	Address	Prize
1	Ernest Spidel	East Jordan	Purebred Boar Pig
2	Fred Martin	East Jordan	\$11.00
3	Albert Cunningham	Charlax	9.00
4	Mildred Volker	Bay Shore	7.00
5	George Secord	East Jordan	6.00
6	Frances Russel	East Jordan	5.00
7	Esther Preibe	Bay Shore	4.00
8	Daniel Reich	East Jordan	3.00
9	Milo K. Chew	Bay Shore	2.00
10	Raymond Snider	Charlevoix	1.00
11	John Martin	East Jordan	1.00
12	Kenneth Russel	East Jordan	1.00

Some folks may think that Boys and Girls can't grow pigs economically but the results of this club showed that some very good gains were made at a very conservative cost. For instance, in the forty-seven days feeding one pig gained seventy-two pounds at cost of four and six-tenths cents a pound. The highest gain in weight made was seventy-four pounds, but this was at a cost of about thirteen cents per pound. A pound a day gain on an economical basis is considered to be a good gain, so let us all wish the best of success to Charlevoix County's future pig growers, Hurrah for the Boys and Girls.

## MISS AGATHA M. KENNY UNITED IN MARRIAGE TO ALFRED J. REHFUS.

Miss Agatha Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kenny, of this city, was united in marriage to Alfred J. Rehfus of Detroit, Tuesday morning, Sept. 11th.

The wedding took place at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in this city and was solemnized by the pastor, Rev. Fr. D. M. Drinan. Music for the occasion was furnished by Miss Irene Bashaw, piano, and Norbert Hart, violin.

The couple were attended by the bride's sister and brother, Miss Agnes and Frederick Kenny. The bride wore a gown of white crepe satin, with veil, and carried a bouquet of white asters and baby breath.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, about thirty relatives and friends being present.

Following the festivities, the young couple left for Detroit where they will make their future home.

## EAST JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT CONTINUES INCREASE

This week 36 more have entered, making it seem almost absolutely necessary to make arrangements for at least one more room. For instance, there are 57 enrolled in the first grade, 45 in the second grade, 47 in the sixth grade, giving us 96 over last year's enrollment. However, we want every boy and girl between five and twenty in school. Those remaining out are being looked up just as fast as possible and I shall not hesitate a moment in getting a warrant out for the arrest of parents who will not send their children to school.

Any school patron or taxpayer should make it his or her business to report to me any boy or girl between five and twenty who is not in school. It is a good proposition financially for the taxpayers for each pupil enrolled gives us \$12 extra primary money and reduces our taxes a like amount. From a financial viewpoint it is mighty good business and they should be here for reasons evident to any good citizens, so we will consider it a real favor to notify the school authorities of any pupil not in school attendance.

A. J. DUNCANSON.

Thirty-five more have entered, thus making a total of 688 in the system this year, which as stated above is 96 more than last year, the largest attendance East Jordan has ever had by nearly a hundred.

The High School is the largest in its history. The greatest number of Juniors and Seniors in that room was 62 for the whole year. We already have 70.

What's Doing At Springfield

Illinois Builds Test Road of Many Different Kinds.

(Special to the Charlevoix Co. Herald.)

Not many people are aware that anything is happening at Springfield, Ill. But there is one very important thing going on there right now and day, which the newspapers in this part of the country have unfortunately, not given it the publicity that it deserves.

In future years the importance of this subject will be more appreciated, and we taxpayers will regret that it was not called to our attention sooner. But as an ounce of prevention is far better than a pound of cure, I will again tell you something about it now, although I have previously made mention of it.

Because the State of Illinois was going to build 5000 miles of highway and wishing to know which of the roads in use today were the best, they conceived the idea of building a test road of the many different kinds of roads that are now being built or used throughout the United States.

This they did and called it the "Bates Experimental Test Road." This road was made up of 63 different sections of pavement (22 of brick, 17 of asphalt and 24 of concrete) each 150 ft. in length and they were tested by actual truck traffic. These sections were all given the same test, being a continuous line of heavy army trucks, starting with the bare chassis and adding additional weights from time to time until the maximum legal load 16 tons, load and truck combined allowed by the State of Illinois was reached. This as you see is the hardest test that can be given any road.

On the completion of this test, the State of Illinois Highway Department gives out the following report: Of the 63 sections tested, 4% per cent of the brick, 17 and two-thirds per cent of the asphalt, and 41 and two-thirds per cent of the concrete sections successfully sustained all the imposed traffic. Thus you see that concrete sustains twice as much as all the others combined.

Now why should not the State of Michigan take advantage of this experimental test like the State of Ill., does. Charlevoix County should be willing to profit by the bitter lesson it had in building a million dollars worth of Gravel and Soft Stuff roads which we all know are next to worthless. We do not have to go to Springfield in order to see the advantage of concrete road, because we have concrete roads in each one of our three cities have already stood the test of 13 years with the expense of upkeep not exceeding \$1 per mile, and that for filling the cracks with soft stuff, and that about all the soft stuff is good for anyway. But nevertheless it might not be a bad

## Met Death in Auto Accident

Hugo J. Guerner Instantly Killed at Battle Creek.

Hugo J. Guerner met instant death at Battle Creek last Monday, Sept. 17, when the auto in which he was riding crashed into a through passenger train.

The head was severed from the body and thrown quite a distance, and the body was badly mutilated.

The young man was a former East Jordan resident, a son of Mrs. Catherine Guerner of this place. He was employed about this city for a number of years. His age was 33 years. Deceased is survived by his wife, his mother, and two brothers—Ed. of this city and Peter G. of Chicago.

Funeral services were held at Battle Creek. The remains were brought to East Jordan accompanied by the wife, the mother, Ed. Guerner, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter G. Guerner.

Interment was made at Sunset Hill, Thursday noon, Rev. C.W. Sidebotham having charge of the burial services.

idea to go.

No part of our county needs good permanent roads more than does the East Jordan section. Surely a good 20 ft. wide concrete road all around Pine Lake would bring people there and the beauty spots around East Jordan would soon be occupied by fine buildings and beautiful grounds. In order that you may more plainly see the mistake Charlevoix Co. has made in building so many miles of Gravel or Gravel and Soft Stuff roads, which as everybody knows have to be built over month after month and year after year. I here submit a portion of the report as given by the Bates Test Road News Bulletin No. 7, of Nov. 10, 1922. The report is as follows:

1. Bituminous Filled Brick on a Macadam Base—The different thickness of the base has no appreciable effect on the wearing qualities of the brick.

2. Asphaltic Concrete on Macadam Base—Apparently traffic carrying capacity increases with an increase of thickness of asphalt top, though the evidence supporting this point is not conclusive.

3. Asphaltic Concrete on a Concrete Base—It is only partially borne out that an asphaltic top of 1 inch will not bear the same load as an extra thickness of solid Concrete would.

4. Bituminous Filled Brick on Concrete Base—The old idea that Bituminous filled brick surface on a concrete base has a strength equal to a concrete slab was incorrect.

5. Monolithic Brick—It was clearly evident that the strength of a so called monolithic brick section was less than a concrete section of the same thickness.

6. Portland Cement Concrete—Plain concrete of same thickness has greater strength than when mixed with special cements or other chemicals. Sections having transverse and longitudinal joints with marginal steel showed greater strength than plain concrete sections of the same thickness. In the plain concrete sections, the strength of the concrete is proportional to the thickness of the road.

I fully recognize the fact that letters sent out broadcast—in the interest of permanent roads frequently fall on barren ground. But never the less when I find work to do, it has always been my plan to do it.

Yours truly,  
"Uncle" George H. Van Pelt.

P. S.—Let's make this the slogan for Charlevoix County:—"A 20 ft. wide reinforced concrete road all around Pine Lake in the next 10 years."

Grand Rapids—George W. Cook, of Flint, was elected president of the Michigan State Bar association, succeeding George E. Nichols, of Ionia.

Cadillac—The death by apoplexy in Seattle, of Aaron F. Anderson, one of the prominent early lumbermen of this city, was reported here. Mr. Anderson left Cadillac about 14 years ago.

Detroit—Captain Walter E. Campbell, president and general manager of the Detroit and Windsor Ferry company, and one of the most widely known sailors on the great lakes, died at his home on Peche Island.

Grand Rapids—The United States destroyer Chauncey, which piled up with other destroyers off Santa Barbara, California, was christened by Dorothy May Todd of this city, then a girl 15 years old, at the launching five years ago.

## Two Shutouts In One Day

East Jordan Blanks Both Boyne City and Traverse City.

East Jordan's Base Ball Team won for itself "a place in the sun," when, on the last day of the Charlevoix Co. Fair—Friday afternoon—it blanked both the fast teams of Boyne City and Traverse City.

Both the visiting teams came "loaded for bear," while East Jordan kept the same alignment it has maintained throughout the season. And this teamwork proved its superiority over any other base ball aggregation in Northern Michigan. An oddity for the base ball dopest lies in the fact that East Jordan's two pitchers—Gunderson and C. Johnson—each secured seventeen strikeouts.

How East Jordan won two shut-out victories:

EAST JORDAN

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Morgan, ss	4	1	0	0	0	0
Ward, 1b	4	0	0	0	7	0
H. Kamradt, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
S. Kamradt, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Gunderson, p	3	2	1	0	0	0
Covey, 2b	4	1	0	0	1	0
LaLonde, cf	3	1	0	0	2	0
P. Johnson, c	4	1	0	0	17	0
H. Reynolds, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
	33	7	1	0	27	0

BOYNE CITY

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
B. Ziegler, lf	4	0	0	0	2	0
McNally, 1b	4	0	0	0	15	0
Bradley, rf	4	1	0	0	2	0
Manglas, ss	4	0	0	0	1	0
Hanna, 2b	4	1	0	0	2	0
F. Ziegler, cf	3	2	0	0	1	0
McCraeken, 3b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Aldread, c	3	0	0	0	3	0
Miller, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
	32	5	0	0	27	1

Traverse City

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Culver, lf	4	2	0	0	2	0
Farrer, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Burden, ss	4	1	0	0	1	1
Wares, c	4	1	0	0	5	0
Muchenski, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Ott, cf	4	1	0	0	1	0
York, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Stepan, 1b	3	0	0	0	12	1
Masnick, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
	32	5	0	0	27	2

East Jordan 000 001 000 — 1  
Boyne City 000 000 000 — 0

Struck out, by Gunderson 17, by Miller 3. Bases on balls, off Gunderson 2, off Miller 1. Umpire, Cooper.

EAST JORDAN

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Morgan, ss	4	1	0	0	1	1
Ward, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	2
H. Kamradt, rf	4	1	1	0	1	0
S. Kamradt, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Gunderson, 1b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Covey, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
LaLonde, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0
P. Johnson, c	4	1	0	0	18	1
C. Johnson, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
	31	5	2	3	27	2

TRAVERSE CITY

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Culver, lf	4	2	0	0	2	0
Farrer, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Burden, ss	4	1	0	0	1	1
Wares, c	4	1	0	0	5	0
Muchenski, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Ott, cf	4	1	0	0	1	0
York, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Stepan, 1b	3	0	0	0	12	1
Masnick, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
	32	5	0	0	27	2

East Jordan 000 100 010 — 2  
Traverse City 000 000 000 — 0

Struck out, by Johnson 17, by Muchenski 3. Base on balls, off Johnson 1, off Muchenski 1. Hit by pitched ball, by Muchenski, C. Johnson. Two base hits, Morgan, Ott. Three base hits, S. Kamradt. Umpire, Cooper.

## SEARS SILVER BLACK FOX RANCH OPENS WITH THIRTY FOXES.

The Sears Silver Black Fox Ranch on the South Arm of Pine Lake, near Eveline Orchards, has opened with 30 fine Silver Black Foxes and will be enlarged in the spring to take care of 60 Foxes.

Foxes are fed twice a day, the food consisting of bread and milk or cereal meat or fish and sometimes a few vegetables. The young are produced once a year in numbers of from three to five.

The Sears Ranch is stocked with some of the finest specimens of Silver Black Fox possible to secure and breeding stock sold will be of the highest quality.

It is estimated that there is eight million dollars invested in the Fox industry in the United States.

This Ranch is of the most up-to-date construction, having double kennels, slanting walls to pens, an ice house and feed house in which a steam cooker is installed.

## COUNTY FAIR ASS'N ELECT OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR.

At the annual election of Officers and Directors of the Charlevoix County Agricultural Society which was held the last two days of the Fair held at East Jordan last week, the following were elected:

President—Samuel E. Rogers, East Jordan.

Treasurer—Kit Carson, East Jordan.

Director—Samuel E. Rogers, East Jordan.

Director—Nat Burns, Charlevoix.

Director—Frank Behling, Boyne City

Director—William J. Pearson, Boyne Falls.

## ALPENA DEFEATED ON THEIR HOME GROUNDS BY EAST JORDAN.

East Jordan's base ball machine drove to Alpena last Sunday where each and every member of the team proceeded to fatten their batting average. Ward evidently found Larson easy money, for he netted four hits and one sacrifice. Altogether our boys garnered twenty-one hits and four sacrifices against Alpena's five hits and one sacrifice. Gunderson again laid claim to the immortal seventeen for he once more fanned that number of opposing batters.

Going up:

EAST JORDAN

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Morgan, ss	6	2	2	0	2	2
Ward, 1b	5	4	2	1	7	1
H. Kamradt, rf	6	3	2	0	0	0
S. Kamradt, lf	5	3	1	0	0	0
Gunderson, p	5	3	3	0	0	0
Covey, 2b	3	1	0	1	0	1
LaLonde, cf	5	2	0	0	0	0
P. Johnson, c	5	2	0	0	18	0
C. Johnson, 3b	2	1	2	2	0	0
	42	21	12	4	27	4

ALPENA

	AB	H	R	SH	PO	E
Craighead, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0
Boat, 2b	5	0	0	0	4	0
DeAigle, c-p	5	1	1	0	3	0
Smith, 1b	4	1	0	0	5	0
Matthewson, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Leach, cf	3	1	1	1	3	0
Johnke, ss	3	0	1	0	4	1
Conley, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	1
Larson, p	4	1	0	0	3	0
	34	5	4	1	27	2

East Jordan 231 200 031 — 12  
Alpena 000 021 001 — 4

Struck out, by Gunderson 17, by Larson 3. Base on balls, off Gunderson 4, off Larson 2. Two base hits, Ward, Covey, P. Johnson. Three base hits, Ward, Conley. Umpire, Lund.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of East Jordan held at the council rooms Monday evening, Sept. 17, 1923.

Meeting was called to order by the Mayor. Present: Mayor Dicken, and Aldermen Farmer, Proctor and Watson. Absent: Aldermen Aldrich, Kowalske and Sedgman.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.



**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF**  
**The Peoples State Savings Bank**  
 at East Jordan, Michigan, at the close of business Sept. 14th, 1923, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, viz.:	Commercial	Savings
Secured by collateral	\$ 36,222.77	\$19,442.11
Unsecured	134,606.98	46,247.96
Totals	\$170,829.75	\$65,689.06
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, viz.:		
Real Estate Mortgages		\$34,235.89
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness Pledged		5,000.00
Other Bonds		8,435.00
Totals		\$47,670.89
Reserves, viz.:		
Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	\$ 9,217.73	
U. S. Bonds and Cert. of Indebtedness carried as legal reserve in Savings Dept. only		\$22,500.00
Total cash on hand	10,452.96	
Totals	\$ 19,670.71	\$22,500.00
Combined Accounts, viz.:		
Overdrafts		\$ 441.89
Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid exceeding earnings		126.41
Banking House		5,750.00
Furniture and Fixtures		1,250.00
Other Real Estate		3,650.52
Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping		8,250.00
Total		\$392,829.03
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock paid in		\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Commercial Deposits, viz.:		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check	\$ 88,672.61	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	46,217.31	
Certified Checks	44.00	
Cashier's Checks	8,929.18	
State Moneys on Deposit	2,500.00	
Totals	\$146,363.10	\$146,363.10
Savings Deposits, viz.:		
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws	\$185,901.93	
Totals	\$185,901.93	\$185,901.93
Bills Payable	\$ 15,000.00	
Customers' Bonds Deposited with Bank for Safekeeping	8,250.00	
Other Liabilities Res for Taxes and Interest	2,314.00	
Total		\$392,829.03

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Charlevoix—ss.  
 I, JOHN J. MIKULA, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the Bank.  
 JOHN J. MIKULA, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Sept. 1923.  
 ROSCOE MACKEY  
 W. A. STROEBEL  
 C. H. WHITTINGTON  
 Notary Public  
 My commission expires Oct. 20, 1925.

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**PENINSULAR**  
 (Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

F. D. Russell has had a new well made by the side of the old one, which gave out some months ago on his farm Ridgeway, north side.

Mrs. L. E. Phillips and daughter Grace went to East Jordan Saturday afternoon for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. D. A. McKinley.

Mrs. Joel Bennett visited in Boyne City from Wednesday to Saturday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weaver and family of Boyne City were dinner guests of Mrs. Weaver's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt in Three Belts, Dist. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnston and family were guests at supper with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt Sunday evening.

Derby Hayden and his landlady, Mrs. Bessie Newton, and her son, George, of Petoskey were guests to dinner of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hayden at Orchard Hill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Herring of Boyne City accompanied by some friends from Traverse City were making calls on the Peninsula, Sunday.

Quite a snow storm visited this section Sept. 10th. It will take a lot of thinking to remember an earlier snowfall.

Ferris Stone and a friend, Mr. Kaneback of Detroit visited at the J. P. Seiler home Saturday and Sunday, starting for Detroit Monday morning. They motored up the east side of the State and drove across from Alpena.

Jesse Wright who has drove team for Mr. Edison on the Co. road all summer quit last week and spent the week at the Fair, where he was employed.

The Mountain school did not begin Sept. 3, as planned, but opened Sept. 10th with an enrollment of 8 scholars, and Miss Hazel Mascho of Charlevoix as teacher. The schoolhouse has been replastered and painted on the inside and is very cozy.

J. P. Seiler threshed 94 bu. of sweet clover seed from 10 acres, Monday.

Lee-Hetrick and some young ladies from Wolverine were on the Peninsula Sunday enjoying the beautiful scenery. They had a Kodak and got some beautiful views.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben LaCroix of Advance Dist. were making calls on the Peninsula Sunday.

Quite a delegation from Peninsula attended the Grange Dance in Boyne Falls Saturday evening and report a good time.

Apple picking has begun.

Jesse Wright went to Grand Rapids Saturday and brought home his mother Mrs. W. J. Wright who will make her home with them in the future.

Mrs. F. B. Conyer of Kalamazoo arrived Saturday evening for a visit with her father, Geo. Jarman at Gravel Hill. Mr. Conyer will come when the hunting season opens.

Mrs. Mercy Woerful is confined to her bed with a severe attack of asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hewitt and family of Charlevoix visited his sister, Mrs. Ernest Loomis at Maple Lawn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Sutton and family of Afton visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healey in Star Dist. Sunday.

The Boy's and Girl's Pig Club from this section made a very good showing at the Fair. Francis Russell got 6th place, Daniel Reich 8th and Kenneth 12th. Johnnie Healey had the largest pig, but neglected to take his records so could not get any credits.

**A L B A**

(Edited by Mrs. A. I. Ashbaugh)

Two new arrivals in town, both boys, one at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freymire, the other at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ellis, both doing well.

Ted Shepard who has been ill with tonsillitis was taken to Petoskey last week where he was operated on for appendicitis. Reports says he is doing as well as could be expected.

Joe Anderson and wife left last Friday for Detroit, where he will again enter the hospital for an operation and treatment.

Mr. Dean, pastor, has been attending the M. E. Conference at Grand Rapids.

Miss Bessie Corneil of Boyne City spent a few days last week with Miss Francis Osterout and other friends.

Mrs. J. D. Ashbaugh spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens at Manclona.

Sandy Harvey and family have moved into the Tobias house, where it is understood, they will make their home.

Mrs. Irene Ashbaugh who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Barber at Lansing, returned home Thursday.

The cold and snowy weather last week prevented some from here attending the Fair at Cadillac.

Edmund Saperston has gone to Ann Arbor to attend school.

Caro—Tuscola county road commissioners have sold \$102,000 of road bonds for the building of Covert act roads in the county. Bonds amounting to \$16,620 remain to be sold to cover the cost of the 1923 building program. This money is being raised for the Almer-Fairgrove townline road, Bradyville road, Dayton, Columbia corners road, the Wills township road reaching to East Dayton. Detroit Trust company and the Gleaners' organization were purchasers of the bonds. Tuscola county receives a premium of \$814 on this sale.



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

"A Church for Folks."  
 Sunday, Sept. 23, 1923.

10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
 11:15 a. m.—Sunday School. The offering will be for the Near East Relief.

8:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.  
 7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 7:15.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
 Rev. Henry Hulme, Pastor.

Sunday, September 23, 1923.

10:00 a. m.—Public Service.  
 11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.

6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.  
 7:00 p. m.—Gospel Service. The song service led by the Epworth Choir and Orchestra.

Thursday, 7:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting. A hearty welcome is extended to all people to attend the above services.

**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.

**Latter Day Saints Church.**  
 Leonard Dudley, Pastor.

10:00 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.

**Church of God.**

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.

**Afton School Notes.**  
 Edited by 8th Grade.

The boys had their first lesson in Manuel Training Friday.

Fred Martin received second prize in the Pig Contest receiving \$11 for reward.

Miss McCalmon read to us for morning exercise.

The 5, 6, 7, 8 grades have art class every Wednesday for one half hour.

Our last lesson we learned how to print.

We are to have a sewing room, made out of the girls cloak room. We were fortunate in securing a sewing machine. We would like to have all mothers visit on Friday afternoon when we get started.

Allegan—At a meeting of the Allegan County Milk Producers Association at Otsego, attended by 2,000 people, it was decided to build a condenser in that city. Otsego has agreed to furnish the building for the co-operative venture and the association will install the equipment, which will cost \$75,000.

Grand Rapids—Leaders of Michigan in the work with the foreign born will meet here September 27 and 28 under auspices of the Michigan State Council on Immigrant Education. About 400 representatives are expected from boards of education, boards of commerce and civic committees on Americanization.

**After Every Meal**

A universal custom that benefits every body.

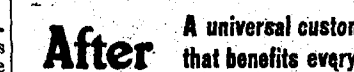
Aids digestion, cleanses the teeth, soothes the throat.

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a good thing to remember

Sealed in its Purify Package

**THE FLAVOR LASTS**



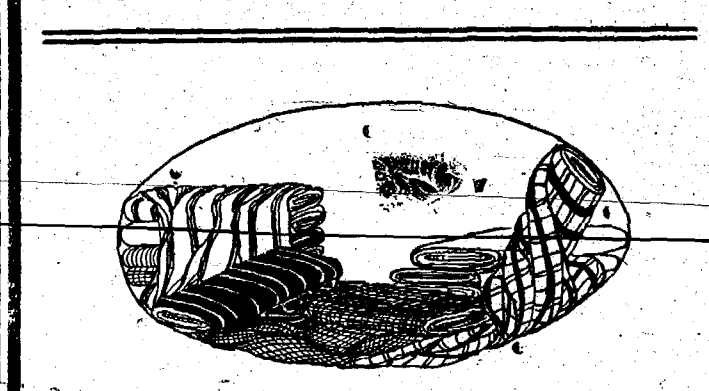
**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE**  
**STATE BANK OF EAST JORDAN**  
 at East Jordan, Michigan, at the close of business Sept. 14th, 1923, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, viz.:	Commercial	Savings
Secured by collateral	\$ 15,808.53	
Unsecured	339,777.90	1,250.00
Totals	\$355,586.43	\$1,250.00
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, viz.:		
Real Estate Mortgages		\$7,313.33
Municipal Bonds in Office	69,762.50	51,826.18
U. S. Bonds and Cert. of Indebtedness in Office		6,900.00
Other Bonds	28,280.69	7,000.00
Totals	\$ 98,043.19	\$163,039.48
Reserves, viz.:		
Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	\$ 61,336.59	\$ 24,644.38
U. S. Bonds and Cert. of Indebtedness carried as legal reserve in Savings Dept. only		15,000.00
Total cash on hand	15,126.86	5,000.00
Totals	\$ 76,463.45	\$ 44,644.38
Combined Accounts, viz.:		
Overdrafts		\$ 239.70
Banking House		5,925.49
Furniture and Fixtures		2,393.50
Other Real Estate		6,859.69
Total		\$742,445.21
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock paid in		\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		15,000.00
Undivided Profits, net		3,329.04
Dividends Unpaid		80.00
Commercial Deposits, viz.:		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check	\$387,468.95	
Certified Checks	390.54	
Cashier's Checks	14,001.16	
Time Commercial Certificates of Deposit	83,771.16	
Total	\$485,631.81	\$485,631.81
Savings Deposits, viz.:		
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws	\$188,362.28	
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws	22.08	
Totals	\$188,384.36	\$188,404.36
Total		\$742,445.21

State of Michigan, County of Charlevoix—ss.  
 I, A. J. SUFFERN, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the Bank.  
 A. J. SUFFERN, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Sept. 1923.  
 HAROLD E. VOICE  
 Notary Public.  
 My commission expires Dec. 18, 1926.

Mrs. Pete Johnson returned to Grayling, Tuesday.  
 Mrs. G. W. Kitzman and children are visiting relatives at Standish this week.  
 Thos. Gouahue, who has been here visiting friends and relatives, returned to Detroit Tuesday.  
 Miss Bertha Larson is home from Stoughton, Wis., for a visit.  
 Wise Child.  
 It's a wise child that pretends it can't understand the words its parents spell to one another.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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**Peoples' Wants**

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**Lost and Found**

ESTRAY—Red and White Yearling Heifer came to my farm near the Ranney School about two weeks ago. Owner may have same by paying for this adv. and costs for keep.—FRED NACHAZEL, East Jordan. 39-2.

LOST—While moving Saturday between the Pickle Factory and Fair Ground corners, a pair of Men's fine Shoes, and pair Soo Wool Pants and Cap. Finder please return to Herald Office and receive reward. 37x

**Wanted**

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

**For Sale—Real Estate**

FOR SALE—Seven PIGS, 4 weeks old. JOSEPH S. ZITKA, East Jordan, Route 4. 39x2.

COW FOR SALE—Color, black and white, seven years old. Fresh last May.—THOMAS ST. CHARLES, East Jordan. 38x1.

THREE BEAGLE PUPS For Sale. Ten weeks old. Inquire of BLAKE COLLINS, East Jordan. 37x

DWELLING FOR SALE—Seven-room house together with one and one-half blocks of land, located on Nettleton's Addition.—THOS. GAGNON, East Jordan. 37x2.

**For Sale—Miscellaneous**

FOR SALE—Horse, Wagon, Sleighs, and Harness, also a Cutter, Plow and Drag.—THOS. GAGNON, East Jordan. 37x2.

TRADE in your old Sewing Machine on a new Singer. Terms are easy. I have needles, oil and supplies for all sewing machines.—E. A. LEWIS. 37x2.

If you want to sell your Furniture or Stoves, call C. J. MALPASS. 8 ft.

Lansing—Claim of Representative James A. Richards, of the Second Calhoun county district, to continued membership in the state house of representatives will have to be decided by the house members, state officials declared. Representative Richards recently discovered he has never been a citizen of the United States. He came to Michigan many years ago from Canada and believed his father had taken out citizenship papers.

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# The Branding Iron

By Katharine Newlin Burt

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(Continued)

They were both silent for a long time and in the silence the idyll was revived. Spring came again with its crest of green along the canyon and the lake lay like a turquoise drawing the glittering peak down into its heart.

"My book—its success," Prosper began at last, "made me restless. You'll understand that now that you are an artist yourself. And one day there came a letter from that woman I had loved."

"It was a little square gray envelope," said Joan breathlessly. "I can see it now. You never rightly looked at me again."

"Ah!" said Prosper. He turned and hid his face.

"Tell me the rest," said Joan.

He went on without turning back to her, his head bent. "The woman wrote that her husband was dying, that I must come back to her at once."

The snow tapped and the fire crackled.

"And when you—went back?"

"Her husband did not die," said Prosper blankly; "he is still alive."

"And you still love her very much?"

"That's the worst of it, Joan," groaned Prosper. His groan changed into a desperate laugh. "I love you. Now truly I do love you. If I could marry you—if I could have you for my wife—"

He waited, breathing fast, then came and stood close before her. "I have never wanted a woman to be my wife till now. I want you. I want you to be the mother of my children."

Then Joan did look at him with all her eyes.

"I am Pierre's wife," she said. The liquid beauty had left her voice. It was hoarse and dry. "I am Pierre's wife and I have already been the mother of your child."

There was a long, rigid silence. "Joan—when?—where?" Prosper's throat clicked.

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# An Official Statement by the Governor of South Dakota

On August 29, Governor McMaster, of South Dakota, issued the following statement:—

"At a meeting with Colonel Stewart, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and other Standard Oil Officials, held in Pierre this morning, Mr. Stewart expressed unqualifiedly the willingness of Standard Oil to comply with the wishes of the consumers of the State of South Dakota in so far as those wishes could be expressed and interpreted by the governor of this state. These Standard officials, although they contend that the present prices do not properly reflect the costs of production, refining and distribution, plus a reasonable profit, were willing, at my request, to do one of two things—raise the price of gasoline immediately in the State of South Dakota where it would represent a six and six-tenths cent reduction over former prices, or maintain, for the time being, sixteen cent gasoline in the State of South Dakota, using Mitchell as a base.

"After due consideration, the Standard Oil officials were asked by the governor to maintain the present price of 16 cents for the time being. I wish to accept full responsibility for this situation and state that Standard Oil, by deed and act, is working in fullest co-operation with the governor of this state and therefore can in no respect be blamed for 16 cents gasoline from this date.

"I realize that the independents who have viciously assailed and attacked me will raise bitter complaint against this condition. However, after due consideration and investigation, I wish to say that if the former gasoline prices of this state were excessive, the independents of this state were just as responsible for that condition and were just as guilty of taking excess profits as was Standard Oil.

"At no time during the period which former gasoline prices prevailed did any independent of this state raise one objection or bring one complaint to this office in an effort to bring about any reduction in price but they were perfectly willing to profit to the fullest extent.

"I realize that all sorts of charges will be made against me because of this action, but in view of the fact that gasoline can be purchased at various refineries today for approximately seven cents a gallon, it will not work injury to the public cause if the Independents are forced for the time being to do business on a small margin of profit. There is no particular reason why the State Government should guarantee to the Independent Oil Dealers of this state, at least for the time being, fixed profits, especially in view of the fact that they were perfectly willing and were a party to take excessive profits from the people."

This clearly defines the position which the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has maintained throughout this controversy.

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was still complete; he was very gentle to the long-nosed youth; but the latter, had he been capable of seeing anything but himself, must have noticed that his listener's face was pale and faintly lined.

"Yes, my boy, of course, that's reasonable enough. I'll do what I can."

"I don't make extravagant demands, you see," the young man spread down and out his hands, quivering with exaggerated feeling; "I ask only for decent treatment, what my own self-respect ab-so-lute-ly demands."

Morena put a hand on his shoulder and walked beside him.

"Did you ever stop to think," he said with his charming smile, "that the other fellow is thinking and saying just the same thing? Now, this chap that has, as you put it, got your goat, why, he came to me himself this morning, and, word for word, he said of you just precisely what you have just said of him to me. Odd, isn't it?"

Again the young actor stopped for one of his gestures, hands up this time. "But, my G—d, sir! Is there such a thing as honesty? He couldn't accuse me of—"

"Well, he thought he could. However, I do get your point of view and I think we can fix it up for you so that you'll get off with your self-respect entirely intact. I'll talk to George tomorrow. You're worth the bother. Good afternoon."

The young man bowed, his air of tragic injury softened to one of tragic self-appreciation. Worth the bother. Indeed!

Morena left him at the top of the dingy stairs down which the manager fled to an alley at one side of the theater, where his car was waiting for him. He stood for a while with his foot on the step and his hand on the door, looking rather blankly at the gray, gold wall and the scurrying whirlwinds of dust and paper.

"Drop yourself at the garage, Ned," he said, "and I'll take the car."

He climbed in beside the wheel. He was very tired, but he had remembered that Jane West, when he had last seen her, had worn a look of profound discouragement. She never complained, but when he saw that particular expression he was frightened and the responsibility for her came heavily upon him. This wild thing he had brought to New York must not be allowed to beat its head dumbly against the bars.

When he had got rid of his driver, he turned the car northward, and a



The French Maid Chosen by Betty Opened the Door for Him.

few minutes later Mathilde, the French maid chosen by Betty, opened Jane's door to him.

While he took off his coat he looked along the hall and saw its owner sitting, her chin propped on a lattice-work of fingers. She was gazing out of the window. It was a beautiful, desperate silhouette; something fateful in the long, still pose and the fixed look. She was still dressed in street clothes as when she had left the theater, a blouse and skirt of dark gray, very plain. Her figure, now that it was trained to slight corseting, was less vigorous and more fine-drawn. She was very thin, but she had lost her worn and haggard look; the premature hard lines had almost disappeared; a softer climate, proper care, rest, food, luxury had given back her young, clear skin and the brightness of eyes and lips. Her hair, arranged very simply to frame her face in a broken setting of black, was glossy, and here and there, deeply waved. It was the arrangement chosen for her by Betty and copied from a Du-Maurier drawing of the duchess of Towers. It was hard to believe that this graceful woman was the virago Jane, harder for any one that had seen a heavy, handsome girl stride into Mrs. Upper's hotel and ask for work, to believe that she was here.

Morena clapped his hands in the eastern fashion of summons, and Jane looked toward him.

"Oh," she said, "I'm glad you came."

He strolled in and stood beside her shaking his head.

"I didn't like the look of you this afternoon, my dear."

"Well, sir," said Jane, "I don't like the look of you, either." She smiled her slow, unself-conscious smile. "You sit down and I'll make tea for you."

He knew that thought for some one else was the best tonic for her mood.

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"I Can't Talk Any More," said Joan faintly. "Won't You Please Go?"

In trouble and she'd be glad if she could 'help me out.' . . . It was what I was planning to live for . . . that child."

During the heavy stillness following Joan's dreadful, brief account of birth and death, Prosper went through a strange experience. It seemed to him that in his soul something was born and died. Always afterward there was a ~~part~~ in him—the father that might have been.

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## CHAPTER VII

Against the Bars. Jasper Morena had stood for an hour in a drafty passage of that dirty labyrinth known vaguely to the public as "behind the scenes," listening to the wearisome complaints of a long-nosed young actor. It was the sixth of such conversations that he had held that day; to begin with, there had been a difficulty between a director and the leading man. Morena's tact

**People You Dislike.**  
I never know which class inspires more horror in me—the people who tell you things you did know or the people who tell you things you didn't. The former insult one's intelligence, the latter one's lack of it.—From "Memories of the Future," by R. A. Knorr.

**The Term After Ego.**  
The first time the words alter ego were used in diplomatic sense, they were applied to the Spanish viceroys, when exercising the power of the king. They mean, "another" or "second I."

**New Device for Tempering Steel.**  
The steel for rock drills must be tempered with great accuracy and this is done automatically. The steel is held in the furnace by a magnet, against the tension of a spring, and when the required temperature is reached, the steel loses its magnetism and is withdrawn by the spring.

**Romance.**  
Even the most prosaic and dutiful wife, likes to believe she married her present husband over the wreck of another man.—London Opinion.

**Privilege in Friendship.**  
If ever a man is to be a real anything, the sense of privilege will be the sign. A physician to whom doctoring is not a privilege is no real physician. A teacher to whom teaching is not a privilege is no real teacher. A friend to whom friendship is not a privilege is no real friend.—Harry Emerson Fosdick.

**Sins of Omission.**  
Doing nothing, is sometimes the worst kind of wrong doing.—New Haven Register.

**COUGHS DISTURB SCHOOL WORK**  
School teachers should give the same advice to children who have coughs as did this Florida teacher. "I recommended Foley's Honey and Tar to the children in my school who had the 'flu' and good results came whenever it was used," writes Mrs. L. Armstrong Okechobee, Fla.—Hite's Drug Store, adv.

**"Chop" Logic.**  
"Butchers.—Wanted, man must be able to cut up and serve customers."—Ad in London Chronicle.



# The Branding Iron

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so he dropped, with his usual limp grace, into the nearest chair, put back his head and half-closed his eyes.

"I'm used up," he said; "I haven't a word—not one to throw at a dog."

"Please don't throw one at me, then. I surely wouldn't take it as a compliment." She made the tea gravely, as absorbed in the work as a little girl who makes tea for her dolls. She brought him his cup and went back to her place and again her face settled into that look. She had evidently forgotten him and her eyes held a vision as of distances.

He put a hand up to break her fixed gaze. "What is it, Jane? What do you see?"

To his astonishment she hid her face in her hands. "It's awful to live like this," she moaned; and it frightened him to see her move her head from side to side like an imprisoned beast, shifting before bars.

He looked about the pretty room and repeated, "Like this?" half-reproachfully.

"I hate it!" She spoke through her teeth. "I hate it! And, oh, the sounds, the noises, grinding into your ears."

Here the hands came to her ears and framed a white, desperate face in which the lids had fallen over sick eyes.

Jasper sat listening to the hum and roar and clatter of the street. To him it was a pleasant sound, and here it was subdued and remote enough. Her face was like that of some one maddened by noise.

"You don't smell anything fresh?" her chest lifted—"you don't get air. I can't breathe. Everything presses in." She opened her eyes, bright and desperate. "What am I doing here, Mr. Morena?"

He had put down his cup quietly, for he was really half-afraid of her. "Why did you come, Jane?"

"Because I was afraid of some one. I was running away, Mr. Morena. There's some one that mustn't ever find me now, and to run away from him—that was the business of my life. And it kept my heart full of him and the dread of his coming. You see, that was my happiness. I hoped he was taking after me so I could run away." She laughed apologetically. "Does that sound crazy to you?"

"No, I think I understand. And here?"

"He'll never come here. He'll never find me. It's been four years. And I'm so changed. This—she gave herself a downward look—"this isn't the 'gal' he wants. . . . Probably by now he's given me up. Maybe he's found another. Everything that's bad and hateful can find me out here. Bad things can find you out and try to clutch after you anywhere. But when something wild and clean comes hunting for you, something out of the big lonely places—why, it would be scared to follow into this city."

"You're lonely, Jane. I've told you a hundred times that you ought to make friends for yourself."

"Oh, I don't care for that. I don't want friends, not many friends. These acting people, they're not real folks. I don't savvy their ways and they don't savvy mine. They always end by delinking me because I'm queer and different from them. You have been my friend, and your wife—that is, she used to be." Suddenly Jane became more her usual self and spoke with childlike wistfulness. "She doesn't come to see me any more, Mr. Morena. And I could love her. She's so like a little girl with those round eyes—" Jane held up two circles made by forefingers and thumbs to represent Betty's round eyes. "Oh, dear!" she said; "isn't she awfully winning! Seems as if you must be taking care of her. She's so small and fine."

Jasper laughed with some bitterness. "She doesn't like me now," sighed Jane, but the feelings Betty had hurt were connected with a later development so that they turned her mood and brought her to a more normal dejection. She was no longer a caged beast, she had temporarily forgotten her bars.

"I think you're wrong," said Jasper doubtfully. "Betty does like you. She's merely busy and preoccupied. I've been neglected myself."

Jane gave him a far too expressive look. It was as though she had said, "You don't fancy that she cares for you?"

Jasper flushed and blinked his long, Oriental eyes.

"It's a pity you haven't a lover, Jane," he said.

She had walked over to the window, and his speech, purposely a trifle cruel and insulting, did not make her turn. "You're angry," she said. "You'd better go home. I'm not in good humor myself."

At which he laughed his murmuring, musical laugh and prepared to leave her.

"I have a great deal of courage," he said, getting into his coat, "to bring a wildcat here, chain her up, and tease her—eh?"

"You think you have me chained?" Her tone was enraged and scornful. "I can snap your flimsy little tether and go."

She wheeled upon him. She looked tall and fierce and free.

"No, no," he cried with deprecating voice and gesture. "You are making Mr. Luck's fortune and mine, not to mention your own. You mustn't break your chains. Get used to them. We

all have to, you know. It's much the best method."

"I shall never get used to this life, never. It just—somehow—isn't mine." "Perhaps when you meet Mr. Luck he'll be able to reconcile you."

Her expressive face darkened. "When shall I meet Mr. Luck?"

"Soon, I hope."

"I hate Mr. Luck more than any one in the world," she said in a low, quiet voice.

Jasper stared. "Hate him! Why, in the name of savagery, should you hate him?"

"Oh, I can't explain. But you'd better keep us apart. How came he to write 'The Leopardess'?"

"I shall leave him to tell you that. Good night."

CHAPTER VIII

Gray Envelopes.

It was with more than the usual sinking of heart that Jasper let himself that evening into the beautiful house which Betty and he called their home. Joan's too expressive look had stung the old soreness of his disillusionment. He knew that the house was empty of welcome. He took off his hat and coat dejectedly. There were footsteps of his man who came from the far end of the hall.

While he stood waiting, Jasper noticed the absence of a familiar fragrance. For the first time in years Betty had forgotten to order flowers. The red roses which Jasper always caressed with a long, appreciative finger as he went by the table in the hall, were missing. Their absence gave him a faint sensation of alarm.

"Mr. Kane, Mrs. Morena's brother, has called to see you, sir. He is waiting."

Jasper's eyebrows rose. "To see me? Is he with Mrs. Morena now?"

"No, sir. Mrs. Morena went out this morning and has not yet returned. Mr. Kane has been here since five o'clock, sir."

"Very well."

It was a mechanical speech of dismissal. The footman went off. Jasper stood tapping his chin with his finger. Woodward Kane came to see him during Betty's absence! Woodward had not spoken more than three or four icy words of necessity to him since the marriage. After a stiff, ungracious fashion this brother had befriended Betty, but to his Jewish brother-in-law he had shown only a slightly disguised distaste. The Jew was well used to such a manner. He treated it with light bitterness, but he did not love to receive the users of it in his own house. It was with heightened color and bent brows that he pushed apart the long, crimson hangings and came into the immense drawing-room.

It was softly lighted and pleasantly warmed. A fire burned. The tall, fair visitor rose from a seat near the blaze and turned all in one rigid piece toward his advancing host. Jasper was perfectly conscious that his own gesture and speech of greeting were too eager, too ingratiating, that they had a touch of servility. He hated them himself, but they were inherited with his blood, as instinctive as the wagging of a dog's tail. They were met by a precise bow, no smile, no taking of his outstretched hand.

Jasper drew himself up at once, put the slightest hand on the back of a tall, crimson-damask chair, and looked his stateliest and most handsome self.

"Betty hasn't come in yet," he said.

"You've been waiting for her?"

Woodward Kane pulled at his short, yellow mustache and stared at Jasper with his large blank, blue eyes. "As a matter of fact I didn't call to see my sister, but to see you. I have just come from Elizabeth. She is at my house. She came to me this morning."

Jasper's fingers tightened on the chair. "She is sick?"

"No." There was a pause—during which the blank, blue eyes staring at him slowly gathered a look of cold pleasure. Jasper was aware that this man who hated him was enjoying his present mission.

"Shall we sit down? I shall have to take a good deal of your time, I am afraid. There is rather a good deal to be gone over."

Jasper sat down in the chair the back of which he had been holding. "Will you smoke?" he asked, and smiled his charming smile.

There was now not a trace of embarrassment, anger, or anxiety about him. His eyes were quiet, his voice flexible. Woodward declined to smoke, crossed his legs and drew a small gray envelope from his pocket. Jasper's eyes fastened upon it at once. It was Betty's paper and her angular, boyish writing marched across it. Evidently the note was addressed to him. He waited while Woodward turned it about in his long, stiff, white fingers.

"About two months ago Betty came to me one evening in great distress of mind. She asked for my advice and to the best of my ability I gave it to her. I wish that she had asked for it ten years ago. She might have saved herself a great deal. This time she has not only asked for it, but she has been following it, and, in following it, she has now left your house and come to mine. This, of course, will not surprise you."

"It does, however, surprise me greatly." It was still the gentle murmur, but Jasper's cigarette smoke veiled his face.

"I cannot understand that. However, it's not my business. Betty has asked me to interview you today so that she may be spared the humiliation. After this, you must address your communications to her lawyers. In a short time Rogers and Darling will serve you with notice of divorce."

Jasper sat perfectly still, tapping his right hand on his chair with his fingers.

"So-o!" he said after a long silence. Then he held out his hand. "I may have Betty's letter?"

Woodward Kane withheld it and again that look of pleasure was visible in his eyes. "Just a moment, please. I should like to have my own say out first. I shall have to be brutal, I am afraid. In these matters there is nothing for it but frankness. Your infidelity has been common talk for some time. The story of it first came to Betty's ears on the evening when she came to me two months ago. Since then there has been but one possible course."

Jasper kept another silence, more difficult, however, than his last. His pallor was noticeable. "You say my infidelity is common talk. There has been a name used?"

"Your protegee from Wyoming—Jane West."

Jasper was on his feet, and Woodward, too, rose, jerkily holding up a hand. "No excitement, please," he



"Let Us Conduct This Unfortunate Interview Like Gentlemen, If Possible."

begged. "Let us conduct this unfortunate interview like gentlemen, if possible."

Jasper laughed. "As you say—if possible. Why, man, it was Betty who helped me to install her here. It was Betty who chose the furnishings for her apartment, who helped her buy her clothes, who engaged her maid, who gave her most of her training. This is the most preposterous, the most filthy perversion of the truth. Betty must know it better than any one else. Come, now, Woodward, there's something more in it than this!" Jasper had himself in hand, but it was easy now to see the effort it cost him. The veins of his forehead were swollen.

"I shall not discuss the matter with you, Betty has excellent evidence, unimpeachable witnesses. There is no doubt in my mind, nor in the minds of her lawyers, that she will win her suit and get her divorce, her release. Of course, you will not contest."

Jasper stopped in his pacing which had begun to take the curious, circling, weaving form characteristic of him, and, standing now with his head thrown back, he spoke sonorously.

"Do you imagine for one instant, Kane—does Betty imagine for one instant—that I shall not contest?"

This changed the look of cold pleasure in Woodward's eyes, which grew blank again. "Do you mean me to understand—Naturally, I took it for granted that you would act as most gentlemen act under the circumstances."

"Then you have taken too much for granted, you and Betty. Ten years ago your sister gave herself to me. She is mine. I will not for a whim, for a passion, for a temporary attention, let her go. Neither will I have my good name and the name of a good woman besmirched for the sake of this impertinent desire for a release. I love my wife!"—his voice was especially Hebraic and especially abhorrent to the other—"and as a husband I mean to keep her from the ruin this divorce would mean to her."

"Far from being her ruin, Morena, it would be the saving of her. Her ruin was as nearly as possible brought about ten years ago, when against the advice, against the wishes of every one who loved her, she made her insane marriage with an underbred, commercial, and licentious Jew. She was seventeen and you seized your opportunity."

Jasper had stepped close. He was a head taller and several inches broader of shoulder than his brother-in-law. "As long as you are in my house, don't insult me. I am, as you say, a Jew, and I am, as you say, of a commercial family. But I am not, I have never been licentious. Is it necessary to use such language? You suggested that this interview be conducted by us like gentlemen."

"The man who refuses to give her liberty to a wife that loathes him, scarcely comes under the definition."

"My ideas on the matter are different. We need not discuss them. If you will let me read my wife's letter. I think that we can come to an end of this."

Woodward unwillingly surrendered the small, gray envelope to a quiver-

ing hand. Jasper turned away and stood near the lamp. But his excitement prevented him from reading. The angular writing jumped before his eyes. At last the words straightened themselves.

"I am glad that you have given me this opportunity to escape from a life that for a long time has been dreadful to me. Ten years ago I made a disaster of my life and yours. Forgive me if you can and let me escape. I will not see you again. Whatever you may have to say, please say it to Woodward. From now on he is my protector. In other matters there are my lawyers. It is absolutely not to be thought of that I should speak to you. I hope never to see you alone. I want you to hate me and this note ought to make it easy for you."

"BETTY."

Jasper stared at the name. He was utterly bewildered, utterly staggered, by the amazing dissimulation practiced by this small, soft-lipped, round-eyed girl who had lived with him for so long, sufficiently pliable, sufficiently agreeable. What was back of it all? Another man, of course. In imagination he was examining the faces of his acquaintances, narrowing his lids as though the real men passed in review before him.

"Perhaps you understand the situation better now?" asked Woodward cruelly.

Jasper's intense pain and humiliation gave him a sort of calm. He seemed curiously cool when he moved back toward his brother-in-law; his eyes were clear, the heat had gone from his temples. He was even smiling a little, though there was a white, even frame to his lips.

"I shall not write to Betty nor attempt to see her," he said quietly. "But I shall ask you to take a message to her."

Woodward assented.

"Tell her she shall have her release, but to get it she will have to walk through the mire and there will be no one waiting for her on the other side. Can you remember that? Not even you will be there." He was entirely self-assured so that Woodward felt a chill of dismay.

"I shall contest the suit," went on Jasper, "and I believe that I shall win it. You may tell Betty so if you like or she can wait to hear it from my lawyer." He put the envelope into his pocket, crossed the room, and held back one of the crimson curtains of the door.

"If you have nothing more to say," he smiled, "neither have I. Goodby."

He bowed slightly, and Woodward

found himself standing before him in silence and some confusion. He stood for a moment in the hall and, having stammered his way to a cold "Good-afternoon," he put on his hat and went out.

Jasper returned to the empty drawing room and began his weeping march.

Before he could begin his spinning which he hoped would entangle Betty and leave her powerless for him to hold or to release at will, he must go to Jane West and tell her what trick life with his help had played upon her. The prospect was bitterly distasteful. Jasper accused himself of selfishness. Because she cared nothing for the world, was a creature apart, he had let the world think what it would. He knew that an askance look would not hurt her; for himself, secure in innocence, he did not care; for Betty, he had thought her cruelly certain of him.

He went to Jane the day after his interview with Woodward Kane. It was Sunday afternoon. She was out, but came in very soon, and he stood up to meet her with an air of confusion and guilt.

"What's the matter with you?" she asked, pulling her gloves from her long hands.

Her quickly observant eyes swept him. She walked to him and stood near. The frosty air was still about her and her face was lightly stung to color with exercise. Her wild eyes were startling under the brim of her smart, tailored hat.

Jasper put a hand on either of her shoulders and bent his head before her. "My poor child—if I'd only left you in your kitchen!"

Joan tightened her lips, then smiled uncertainly. "You've got me scared," she said, stepped back and sat down, her hands in her muff. "What is it?" she asked; and in that moment of waiting she was sickly reminded of other moments in her life—of the nearing sound of Pierre's webs on a crystal winter night, of the sound of Prosper's footsteps going away from her up the mountain trail on a sword-like, autumn morning.

Jasper began his pacing. Feeling carefully for delicate phrases, he told her Betty's accusation, of her purpose.

Joan took off her hat, pushed back the hair from her forehead; then, as she came to the end, she looked up at him. Her pupils were larger than usual and the light, frosty tint of rose had left her cheeks.

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G. M. Stanhope went to Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Elmer Reed returned to Muskegon, Tuesday, after a week's visit here with his family.

Mrs. Edith Cummings left Tuesday on a business trip to Lansing.

Richard Malpass left Tuesday to attend the Marquette University at Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Phoebe Weston left Monday for her home at Bend, Oregon, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Healey.

**Briefs of the Week**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habel, a son—Bruce Robert—Sept. 15th.

Manuel Bartholomew went to Detroit, Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kiley, a daughter—Margaret Matilda—Sept. 14.

Stanley McKinney went to Grand Rapids this Friday.

Miss Rosabelle Dante left Thursday to resume her studies at Madison, Wis.

Frederick Kenny left Tuesday for Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Verne Barnett now has a position at the Peoples State Savings Bank in this city.

Miss Mary Brown went to Mt. Pleasant Normal, Wednesday.

John Howell returned to Detroit, Saturday, after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Edd Barrie who was home for a visit returned to Flint, Saturday.

Mrs. Owen Carpenter and son, Arthur, returned home Saturday from a visit at Flint.

Mrs. Samuel Ramsey visited her son at Cadillac first of the week.

Mrs. H. J. Dye returned to Plymouth Tuesday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Sutton.

Thomas Wiggins is at Flint and other points on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dagforth of Mt. Morris were here last week visiting friends and relatives.

Alfred Quinn left this Friday for a visit with relatives at Ludington.

Mrs. Walter Jenney and son, of Detroit were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Miss Agnes Vogel left Saturday for Lansing, where she has a position.

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Miss Nellie and William Raymond came home from Detroit, Saturday.

Mrs. L. Helms of Ludington was here over Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McPherson.

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Miss Catherine Wright First Grade teacher, was called to Kalamazoo, Monday, by the death of her father.

Bert Bennett returned to Detroit, Saturday, after a week's visit here.

School children in need of Glasses, see J. Leahy, the Optometrist when he comes Sept. 25th and 26th. adv.

J. Leahy the Optometrist will be here again Sept. 25th and 26th. adv.

Mrs. Lucy Curtis returned to Riverside, Monday, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gunsofus.

Miss Marie Nemecek left this Friday for Mt. Pleasant to attend the State Normal.

Regular meeting of Soronian Hive next Monday night, Sept. 24th. Election of officers, and pot luck supper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Packard of Monroe are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Secord.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds returned to Grayling, Saturday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reynolds.

Mrs. Ed. Borland is here from Flint, preparing to move their household goods to that city.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church wish to thank the many friends who so kindly contributed to the Dining Hall at the County Fair.

Mrs. Harry Kling and children returned home this Friday from a visit at Bay City and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Howard announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Gladys, to C. G. Mills. The wedding took place at Newport, Ky., Sunday, Sept. 16th.

Mrs. Clayton Kent and children came from Traverse City, Wednesday, to join her husband here.

The first meeting of the Improvement Club for this fall will be held Tuesday, Sept. 25th, at the home of Mrs. Howard Porter, instead of Mrs. Lorraine, as previously arranged. Everybody come.

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A farewell party was given to Mrs. Margaret Bowman Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bowman. About 27 guests were present, and a pot luck supper served. Mrs. Bowman leaves next week for Ontario, Calif.

Mrs. Mary Hill returned to Davison, this Friday, after a two weeks' visit at the home of her son, Henry C. Clark.

The body of Charles H. Hayne of Boyne City was discovered Tuesday afternoon floating in Pine Lake near the city dock. Evidence showed that he had had either a stroke or heart failure and fell into the water. The body was still limp when found, which indicated that he had not died from drowning. Deceased was 74 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sturgill, who have been here visiting relatives, returned to Greenup, Ky., Wednesday.

A new time table goes into effect on the East Jordan & Southern Railroad commencing next Monday, Sept. 24th. Trains will then leave East Jordan at 8:00 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Trains arrive at East Jordan 10:50 a. m. and 3:40 p. m. Pere Marquette trains arrive at Bellaire as follows:—North-bound, 9:52 a. m. and 2:42 p. m. South-bound, 9:06 a. m. and 2:42 p. m.

Earl Sumner, Paul Fransech and Arthur Secord left this week to attend the Western State Normal at Kalamazoo. Call Phone 24 for Expert Storage Battery and Electrical Service.—The Battery Shop, L. Miles. adv. 27th.

The Herald received this week the 1923-1924 Michigan Manual or "Red Book." This volume is published by the State under the direction of Chas. J. DeLand, Secretary of State. It is the official directory and legislative manual and contains a fund of information relative to Michigan. Anyone desiring to refer to it are invited to call at this office.

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Very few changes were made in ministerial appointments for the Grand Traverse District of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Grand Rapids the past week. Rev. Hulme returns to East Jordan; Rev. Lamport to Central Lake; Rev. Merrill of Boyne City has been transferred to Alma; Boyne City to be supplied later. Rev. M. E. Hoyt is appointed to Augusta.

Mrs. George Pringle returned home this Friday from Flint, where she was called by the illness and death of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kowalske were Manistee visitors first of the week. They were accompanied by Michael Kowalske, who remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. F. G. Fallis and daughter, Charlene, who have spent the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Brabant, left Thursday for their home at Ontario, Calif.

Robert Mackey left Monday to attend the St. John's Military School at Delaware, Wis. His father, Roscoe Mackey accompanied him there, returning home Wednesday.

The residence of Neil Summerville on the West Side was badly damaged by fire, smoke and water last Monday afternoon. The fire was confined to the second floor, and that part of the building and contents were badly damaged. Most of the household effects on the first floor were saved. The fire evidently originated from a heating stove, no one being at home at the time.

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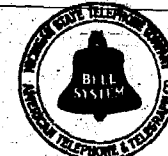
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We have a nice line of the latest folders and frames coming. Will be on display about Oct. 15th. Remember that 12 photos make 12 Christmas presents.

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Ernest Vitra, age 16 years, was the victim of a horrible accident last Tuesday, at the Boyne City Lumber Co's Mill. In attempting to replace a feed belt, both arms were caught in the belt and were wrenched from his body above the elbows. Surgical attention was given him at Boyne City and he was later removed to a Petoskey hospital.

Regular Communication of East Jordan Lodge No. 379 F. & A. M. Saturday evening, Sept. 22nd. Work in the E. A. degree.

Buy your Rugs at Watson's. A fine assortment for you to select from. adv

Wm. Harrington was at Benare on business, Monday.

Miss Mary Berry left Monday for Chicago, where she has a position.

Miss Ellagene French who was here visiting friends, returned to Grand Rapids, Monday.

Miss Julia Supernaw left Monday to resume her studies at the U. of M., Ann Arbor.



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WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS

Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day, worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use. Ask your neighbor!

Union—On her way home from church, Mrs. Isabelle O'Gibbie, 84 years old, deaf and with poor sight, literally walked into the side of a Michigan Central passenger train at a crossing here and received injuries from which she died.

Kalamazoo—After living about nine weeks with a fractured neck, Eben Cronkrite, Lawton farmer, died at the home of a daughter here. His neck was broken when a \$5 horse he had just brought home kicked him as he was attempting to nail a new shoe on its hoof.

Albion—Mrs. E. J. Mallory, wife of the Albion postmaster, has received a personal letter of appreciation from Mrs. Warren G. Harding, wife of the late president, in reply to a communication of sympathy sent at the time of the Harding memorial services held here August 10.

Charlevoix—Mrs. Ellen Jane Smith, widow of the late Captain Timothy Smith, sailor and merchant, died here. Mrs. Smith resided on Beaver Island and also on Hog Island during a part of the time that King Strang and his pirates held full sway over the islanders. She moved to Charlevoix nearly 50 years ago.

The Answer. How much money does the average woman want? The answer is always "more."—London Opinion.

Advertisement for Nature's Remedy for Liver Ills. Includes an illustration of a man and a box of the medicine.

Advertisement for Hugh W. Dicken, Physician and Surgeon. Located at East Jordan, Mich. Phone No. 128.

Advertisement for Dr. F. P. Ramsey, Physician and Surgeon. Graduate of College of Physicians and Surgeons of the University of Illinois.

Advertisement for Dr. W. H. Parks, Physician and Surgeon. Office second floor Kimball Bldg., next to Peoples Bank.

Advertisement for John E. Campbell, Doctor of Veterinary Science. Graduate and Registered Veterinarian, Dentistry a Specialty.

OKLAHOMA HAS MARTIAL LAW

GOVERNOR WALTON ISSUES EDICT IN WAR ON KLAN AND MOB FLOGGINGS.

CENSORSHIP OF NEWSPAPERS

General Orders Embodying the Regulations Under Martial Law Issued.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Martial law for the entire state of Oklahoma was declared at midnight Saturday in Gov. J. C. Walton's war on the Ku Klux Klan and mob floggers. The executive was in conference with advisers at his home and a new martial law order was issued before the night passed.

It was understood the governor contemplated placing all the state under the rule of the military, occupying with troops such counties as he considers hostile to his actions. Muskogee and Oklahoma City, it was believed, would be the first to fall under martial law.

Machine guns were mounted around the city hall, the police station and the county courthouse. General orders embodying the regulations under which the state capital will live during the suspension of civil authority, were issued by Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Key, in command of local troops.

Streets and highways of Oklahoma county must be cleared between midnight and 5 a. m., according to the orders. Perhaps whose employment makes it necessary for them to be abroad during the interval between these hours must obtain passes. Carrying of firearms is forbidden, unless by permission of the commanding officer.

Sale of firearms and ammunition prohibited. Public assemblages called for the "purpose of creating opposition to the enforcement of martial law" are banned, as is also publication of articles having a tendency "to incite to riot or violence, or obstruction of the military."

With the exception of Oklahoma City, the entire state awaited the first evidences of the coming of military rule.

Only newspapers that by editorials and news stories incite "masked marauders to insurrection against constituted authority," will be subject to censorship, Gov. Walton said in a telegram to the Baltimore Evening Sun.

PLANS WORLD CRIME BUREAU

Leading Nations to Combine for Protection Against Felons.

Washington—The United States, in co-operation with the principal European nations, is planning the establishment of an international system for the location and identification of criminals and fugitives.

Preliminary plans for the international criminal detection system, it was learned, have been completed by Assistant Attorney General Rush L. Holland, who has just returned from an extensive European trip, and the state department is expected soon to open formal negotiations for a definite agreement of international co-operation.

Exchange of information regarding crimes and criminals, including fingerprints, measurements and other identification data between the nations entering the agreement is contemplated. Extradition of criminals will be conducted formally by the state department as in the past, but the new plan for exchange of information between heads of the national crime detection agencies is expected to be of great assistance to all of the nations involved.

BERLIN SPEECH PEEVES FRENCH

Stresemann Proposal of Ruhr Evacuation Declared Impossible.

Paris—French newspapers declared Thursday that Chancellor Stresemann's proposal that the Franco-Belgian troops evacuate the Ruhr could not be accepted by France. They added that the reparations situation had not been changed at all by the German chancellor's speech, replying to Premier Poincare's speech of last week.

Foreign office officials believe that Chancellor Stresemann is attempting to use passive resistance for diplomatic bartering before "it dies out of its own accord." It was formally stated that France will not consider evacuation from the Ruhr until paid.

Waits 34 Years for Praise.

Altoona, Pa.—Thirty-four years after he saved a passenger and two freight trains from being wrecked on the mountain west of Altoona, Dum-inlock A. Reagon, retired Pennsylvania locomotive engineer received a letter of commendation from Superintendent Robert T. Morrow, of the Pittsburgh division. At personal risk he climbed down from his cab, and hanging on the step, he notified a conductor not to open a switch leading to a siding on which a freight was standing.

Washington Elm Dead.

Cambridge, Mass. The Washington elm is dead. The official demise of the famed tree beneath which Washington took command of the continental army was announced by Dr. C. S. Sargeant, director of the Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University, in a letter to Mayor Edward W. Quinn of Cambridge. "All signs of life have now gone from the Washington elm," Dr. Sargeant wrote, "and there is no chance of keeping it alive until the autumn."

ITALY ORDERED TO QUIT CORFU

ALLIED COUNCIL FIXES DATE OF EVACUATION OF ISLAND AS OCTOBER 1st.

BULGARIAN RAIDERS REPULSED

Flume Arbitration Refused as Ultimatum Limit Nears—Five Raiders Killed.

Paris—The Allied Council of Ambassadors Thursday fixed the date for evacuation of Corfu by Italian forces. From Italian sources it is learned that evacuation will take place before October 1.

Up to almost the last moment in the meeting of the council of ambassadors the Italians insisted that the powers ought to take Premier Mussolini's word as to the evacuation, and leave it to him to fix the exact date after the reparations measures had been carried out.

The Allies assured the Italian ambassador that the greatest diligence would be exercised in pursuing the inquiry into the assassination of General Tellini and the other members of the Italian boundary commission and pleaded with him to urge Rome to accept the desire of Great Britain and fix a precise date for the evacuation of Greek territory, so as to relieve the world of anxiety.

It is also understood the council agreed that if on the date of evacuation the Allied commission of inquiry reports that Greece has not done all possible to discover and punish the assassins of the Italian members of the Greco-Albanian boundary mission, the 50,000,000 lire deposited by the Greek government shall be paid over to the Italian government as reparations.

Athens—The Balkan war cloud darkened Thursday as a result of depredations by Bulgarian irregulars upon Jugo-Slav territory.

Activity by the irregulars has increased the tension among Jugo-Slavia, Bulgaria and Greece. The frontier guards are being strengthened. One band of Bulgarians assassinated the police sub-prefect of Serminjaka. The inhabitants armed themselves and gave chase, killing five of the raiders.

It was rumored that the Jugo-Slavs had closed their frontier on the Bulgarian side, but this is doubted.

Geneva—Italy has notified Switzerland that she cannot accept the designation of the Swiss president as arbitrator of her dispute with Jugo-Slav over Fiume, believing that such a step might unfavorably affect the pleasant relations between Italy and the Swiss confederation.

Italy's stand apparently brings an impasse in the issue with Jugo-Slavia, as the 15-day time limit given by Italy to the Jugo-Slavs nears.

NAVY REFUSED IN DRY CRISIS

Daugherty Rules President Can Not Order Out Armed Forces.

Washington—Except in an emergency rendering civil processes of enforcement impotent, which he held did not exist, the Navy can not be used in enforcing prohibition, without express authority from Congress, Atty-Gen. Harry M. Daugherty has ruled in an opinion submitted to President Coolidge.

The Attorney-General's opinion thus negatives both questions submitted by Warren G. Harding last spring. These were: Whether the executive had power to use the Navy in prohibition in the absence of an emergency and, if not, whether an emergency existed, authorizing its use.

The opinion held there was no authorizing emergency, because, although there have been numerous violations of the Prohibition Laws, and "unfriendly public opinion" has made enforcement difficult in places, there has been no unlawful obstruction to the functions of the courts, or the executive agencies, in enforcing the law.

All departments of the Government, the opinion added, are "functioning and making a steady advance against lawless elements." While some special statutes exist authorizing the President to use the Navy for specific purposes, none of these, the opinion held, confer authority for the use of naval forces to enforce "ordinary civil and criminal statutes."

Power to determine when, and for what purpose, the naval forces may be used, is vested in Congress by the Constitution, it was held.

Large advertisement for Studebaker 1924 Model Light-Six Towing Car. Price \$995. Includes an image of the car and a table of 1924 models and prices.

Advertisement for 'BE PRETTY! TURN GRAY HAIR DARK' using Grandmother's Old Favorite Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Advertisement for 'NAVY REFUSED IN DRY CRISIS' discussing Daugherty's ruling on the use of the Navy in enforcing prohibition.

Advertisement for Frank Phillips, Tonsorial Artist, located at East Jordan, Mich.

Advertisement for Dr. C. H. Parky, Dentist, located at East Jordan, Mich.

Advertisement for Dr. G. W. Bechtold, Dentist, located at East Jordan, Mich.

ORDINANCE NO. 49.

AN ORDINANCE to Authorize the Cutting Down of Certain Shade Trees within the Limits of the City of East Jordan, and to Provide for the Proper Pruning of Others.

The City of East Jordan Ordains: Section 1. All poplar trees, now growing or hereafter planted, within the corporate limits of the City of East Jordan, the roots of which shall become a menace to the sidewalks and sewers of said city, shall, upon orders from the City Council, be condemned and cut down.

Section 2. Any and all shade trees within the limits of the said City of East Jordan, the branches of which shall project over any sidewalk, shall be pruned so that the overhanging branches shall be at least eight feet above the said sidewalk.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances contravening the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed. Adopted by the Council of the City of East Jordan on the 17th day of Sept. 1923, by an aye and nay vote as follows: Ayes—Farmer, Proctor, Watson and Dicken.

Nays—None. H. W. DICKEN, Mayor. OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk.

Here, Fanny, is the Answer. Fanny—in answer to your question "When is a primary winding?" the answer is, "When it's circuitous."

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 6th day of September A. D. 1923.

Present: Servetus A. Correll, Probate Judge. In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Toonier, Deceased. The above estate having been admitted to probate and Clyde E. Hollingshead appointed administrator thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 15th day of January A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the probate office in the city of Charlevoix.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to the day of hearing in the Charlevoix County Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in this county. SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.

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Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten-cent bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar for Coughs and Colds, and free sample packages of Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Try these wonderful remedies.—Hite's Drug Store, adv.

Thought for the Day. The man who does not recognize his moral obligation will seldom recognize his legal obligation unless compelled to do so.

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Ira McKee and wife, Jennie McKee of the township of East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Michigan, in favor of the State Bank of East Jordan, said mortgage bearing date the 17th day of April, 1918, and being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, in liber 59 of mortgages on page 69, on the 19th day of April, 1918, and, whereas, by reason of said default there is now claimed to be due and is due upon said mortgage on the date of this notice, including principal, interest, and attorney fee, the sum of Twelve Hundred Sixty-five and 69/100 (\$1265.69) Dollars, and that no suit or proceeding at law or equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the Statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell the premises described in said mortgage at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the 2nd day of October, 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Charlevoix, county of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, that being the building wherein the circuit court for the county of Charlevoix is held. The premises described in said mortgage are as follows, to-wit: "The West half (1/2) of the Northeast quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty-three (23) of Township Thirty-three (33) North, Range Seven (7) West," together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the debt, and costs aforesaid. Dated, East Jordan, Michigan, June, 29th, 1923.

STATE BANK OF EAST JORDAN, Mortgagee.

By A. J. Buffers, Cashier. CLINK & WILLIAMS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, East Jordan, Michigan.