

DEMOCRATS NAME DAVIS AND BRYAN

Longest Convention in Political History Finally Concludes Its Labors.

103 BALLOTS ARE CAST

Nomination of West Virginia Man Is Accomplished After Smith and McAdoo Give Up—Meeting Lasts 14 Days.

THE TICKET

FOR PRESIDENT
John W. Davis, of West Virginia
FOR VICE PRESIDENT
Chas. W. Bryan, of Nebraska

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
Convention Hall, New York.—After a convention battle unprecedented in its stubbornness and its length, the Democratic party presents to the voters of the United States the ticket that heads this column. The Presidential candidate was not selected until 103 ballots had been cast, exceeding the 1864 record, which was 57 ballots, by 46 ballots.

Day after day, night after night, the deadlock continued unbroken, with McAdoo leading and Smith a persistent second. They and their managers were determined, not to say obstinate, and repeated efforts to persuade them to quit and thus to bring about the nomination of a compromise candidate, were frustrated. The religious issue, which was forced upon the convention in a fight over the anti-Klan plank in the platform, played its part, and a big part, in keeping the delegates from getting together. Indeed, it must be admitted that the struggle between the Klan element and the Catholic contingent dominated the proceedings of the convention. Everyone deplored the introduction of such an issue into American national politics, but no one could deny that it had been introduced.

On the fourth day of balloting William Jennings Bryan, being granted the privilege of "explaining his vote" from the rostrum, tried to persuade the convention that McAdoo was its logical choice. The galleries booed him, angry delegates fired hot questions at him, and he accomplished nothing at that time for his favorite. Several state delegations and various individual delegates changed their votes from time to time without coming anywhere near breaking the deadlock. McAdoo's forces, though waxing and waning, in the main stood by him with extraordinary pertinacity, and the Smith legions were no less unyielding. Favorite sons and dark horses were given tryouts day by day, but all seemed unable to develop real strength. John W. Davis once climbed to 120 1/2 votes, and Senator Ralston got as far as 97.

Stick to It on Fourth

Independence day came and found the delegates still in session, weary-eyed, almost apathetic, but immovable. Not all immovable, to be sure, for by that time many were running short of both money and patience and several hundred delegates and alternates left for home on July 3. Some of these deserters were recalled by telegraph, and steps were taken to finance those who were "going broke."

The Fourth of July session opened with "The Star-Spangled Banner," and every candidate's banner continued to wave. Augustus Thomas read the Declaration of Independence, and almost every delegate seemed confirmed in the opinion that his life and liberty depended on his voting as he had voted, and that therein lay his pursuit of happiness. Through ballot after ballot the count displayed the same deadly monotony. Then Tom Taggart created a diversion by reading a telegram from Senator Ralston withdrawing from the race—at least for the time being. Indiana thereafter gave McAdoo 20 of her votes and Smith 10. During the sixty-fifth ballot came a telegram from James M. Cox turning loose the Ohio delegation. So the Buckeyes gave their 48 votes to Newton D. Baker, which didn't seem to help matters, since scarcely anyone else took the hint.

Friday evening the Smith forces brought forward two propositions, one that the candidates be invited to address the convention in executive session, the other that Smith, as governor of New York, be asked to come in and talk half an hour. Both were defeated by the McAdooites, a two-third vote being required. The same fate met various attempts, on Friday and Saturday, to cut off the low candidate on each successive ballot. One delegate moved that the convention adjourn to meet in Kansas City on July 21, but received little support.

Baker Dropped

Ohio dropped Baker Saturday and Smith's vote crawled slowly toward the 400-mark while McAdoo's totals as slowly declined. After the seventieth ballot almost the only persons who paid attention to the roll call were the women in the California and Texas delegations, who mechanically waved colored handkerchiefs every time a vote for McAdoo was recorded.

Late Saturday afternoon, when despair and disgust had seized upon all,



JOHN W. DAVIS

that master politician, Tom Taggart, stepped to the rostrum and presented the first plan that seemed to offer a chance to settle the convention's troubles. That was that the chairmen of the national committee and of the convention be authorized to call the representatives of the candidates into a conference for the purpose of arriving at a compromise agreement. With a glad shout the delegates approved of this scheme, and the convention was adjourned until 11 o'clock Monday morning.

Labor for Harmony

Saturday night and all day Sunday the harmony committee labored, but to its most promising plans Mr. McAdoo dissented. The failure to reach an agreement was reported to the convention Monday and the weary round of balloting was resumed. After the eighty-second ballot a resolution was adopted releasing all delegates from all pledges and instructions so far as lay in the power of the convention. McAdoo's strength already was dwindling and on the eighty-fifth ballot he was below Smith for the first time.

At the opening of the Tuesday night session the convention was told by Franklin Roosevelt that Smith would withdraw immediately after such action by McAdoo. The reply to this was an increase of the McAdoo vote to well over 400. Ralston was tried out but after his vote had reached nearly 200 he definitely withdrew. Then J. W. Davis was again boosted by the floating vote. Ninety-nine ballots had been taken when McAdoo sent to Chairman Walsh a message saying that he was loath to abandon his supporters by quitting the contest, but was now willing that they should act as their judgment dictated. All motions to adjourn had been defeated and the century ballot was taken. McAdoo fell off to 190. But the suspicious Smith forces stood firm. Just then W. J. Bryan showed signs of wishing to address the convention again, so, at 4 o'clock in the morning the delegates hurriedly adjourned for eight hours and staggered to their hotels.

The one hundred and first ballot Wednesday noon showed both Smith and McAdoo fast fading out of the picture and John W. Davis loomed up over three hundred. Underwood, with the support of New York, was a good second and Meredith showed up well. Senator Walsh, who wasn't eager for the nomination, received a respectable vote. Here was the making of another deadlock, with three or four bolts.

Despite Mr. Bryan's missionary trips through the delegations the vote for Davis mounted rapidly during the next two ballots, state after state climbing like what looked like the band wagon. Vote changes came fast and a veritable stampede resulted before the one hundred and third ballot was ended.

An so this most extraordinary of convention contests ended in the nomination of John W. Davis of West Virginia for President of the United States by acclamation at a night session. Gov. Charles W. Bryan, of Nebraska, was selected as his running mate, and the convention adjourned in the early hours of Thursday morning. The candidates of the Democratic party stand upon a platform which reaffirms the party's adherence and devotion to the cardinal principles of freedom of religion, freedom of the press, but does not denounce the Ku Klux Klan by name; which declares the ideals of world peace, the League of Nations and the had won by a margin of just four votes. Then the weary delegates returned to their hotels until Monday morning.

Pat Harrison, Keynote

Perhaps as good a way as any to tell of this convention is to relate the

chief incidents day by day. Of course Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi was the important figure on Tuesday, since he, one of Democracy's leading orators, was temporary chairman. Following the usual preliminaries and the beautiful singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by Anna Case, while thousands of tiny silk flags fluttered from the rafters, Senator Harrison was installed and proceeded to deliver his long keynote speech. It was to be expected that he would exhort the Republican party, and so he did. But somehow he did not arouse either the delegates or the galleries so much as one would have thought he might. Perhaps it was the heat. He was eloquent, however, and his language was inclusive, his assertions sharply pointed, his denunciations of what his party thinks the misdeeds and shortcomings of the Republican majority in congress forceful. He won laughing applause when he declared that what the country needed was not a sphinx, but a Paul Revere, and again when, poking a bit of fun at the Cleveland convention, he promised that this would be no cold-storage affair, but red hot, highly seasoned and well prepared. Toward the end of his speech the senator did bring his hearers to their feet, and started the first real demonstration of the convention. As may be guessed, it was at his first mention of Woodrow Wilson. Everyone was ready for it, and on the moment all rose with a tumult of cheering. One by one the delegation standards were uprooted, and a parade through the aisles started that lasted many minutes. In the midst of it the band struck up the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," and again the admirable Anna Case stepped forward and led the singing throng.

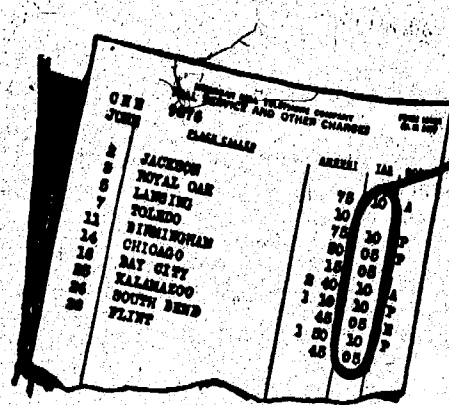
Walsh, the Investigator

On Wednesday, to prove that the women were being given their share of the work, Chairman Harrison introduced Mrs. Le Roy Springs of South Carolina, chairman of the committee on Credentials. Handsome, calm and cool in white silk, she took the platform, waved greetings to cheering friends and read her report in a fine, clear voice. Then the star of that day, Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, was presented to the convention as its permanent chairman. "He is a real Democrat and the greatest investigator this country as ever known," said Senator Harrison, and the crowd howled approval. And again the state standards danced about the aisles and were massed in front of the rostrum, for here was the man who had done more than any other to supply campaign material for his party this year, and whom that party gives credit for having done great service for the nation.

Walsh is known as one of the best speakers in the senate, and his address was well written and vigorously delivered, though again the heat served to lessen its effect with the audience. Not so sharply, perhaps, as Harrison, but quite as effectively, he, too, set forth at length what his fellow Democrats consider the delinquencies of the Republican majority in congress and the Republican administration, and especially what they look upon as Republican attempts at palliation of the offenses and moral turpitude that Senator Walsh declared had been brought to light through the recent investigations in Washington. He alluded to "the palpable falsehood" of the Republican platform in its assertion that those investigations exposed misdeeds by men of both parties, and dared his political opponents to name one Democratic officeholder who "has been involved by the investigators for anything he did while in office."

In his peroration Senator Walsh called on his countrymen to return to the ideals of "Mr. De la Wilson" and "to some of the things that we are doing for the people of this country." Which

Federal Tax on Telephone Toll Messages Removed



UNDER the provisions of the Federal Revenue Act of 1924, all telephone messages became free from tax at midnight, July 2, 1924. The taxes imposed under the previous law were as follows:

- On a telephone toll message for which the charge was more than fourteen cents and not more than fifty cents . . . 5 cents
- On a message for which the charge was more than fifty cents . . . 10 cents

These taxes were highest, in proportion to the charge for service, for toll messages over moderate distances, the tax in some cases amounting to one-third of the toll charge.

We have anticipated the increased use of toll facilities that will follow the removal of these taxes and are prepared to care for it.



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Lonesome

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"Indian Summer"

The period of almost summer midness that occurs about St. Martin's day, which is kept on November 11, is called in England St. Martin's summer. It corresponds to the delightful Indian summer in this country.

A Somebody

A somebody is one whose physician thinks a subpoena more dangerous than germs.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Not So Funny

An insurance salesman is looking for the practical joker who gave him a loaded cigar. The salesman doesn't smoke, so he treasured the cigar. Monday he gave it to a man who was about to sign a \$10,000 policy. The cigar burst like a bomb and the indignant prospective customer ordered the salesman out. He went, with the policy still unsigned.—Detroit News.

World's Oldest Volume

The oldest volume known to exist is the Egyptian papyrus known as Papyrus Prisse.

Motion Without Sound

"Would you call a smile the moving picture of a laugh?" asks T. C. B. Yes. We did—several years ago.—Boston Transcript.

Chocolate in Europe

Chocolate made its appearance in Europe just four hundred years ago. The Spaniards were the first to make the acquaintance of this nourishing food in Mexico. For a long time it was obtained in France; but Anne of Austria formed the habit of taking her cup of chocolate every morning; the court imitated the queen; the city imitated the court and the chocolate-drinking habit quickly spread.

It's Always Something

"How did you like my sermon Sunday?" asks the modern clergyman. "I couldn't get you," replies the radio churchgoer. "Too much theology?" asks the minister. "No," replies the radio lost sheep; "too much interference."—New York Sun and Globe.

VICTORIES that build



Firestone

LEADERSHIP

Firestone Leads on Speedway with Five Record Breakers

When the race driver selects his tires he does so realizing that his life and chances for success depend upon them. It is significant that all of the ten money winners in the Indianapolis race were Firestone shod. Firestone, using gum-dipping and other special processes, has developed tires to such a high degree of efficiency that at Indianapolis, May 30th, the following drivers broke the world's record for 500 miles over this brick track, making many rounds at over 100 miles per hour.

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Driver	Time	Miles per hour
Joe Boyer—L. L. Corum	5:06:38.51	96.94
Earl Cooper	5:08:47.18	97.59
Jimmy Murphy	5:08:25.33	97.97
Harry Hartz	5:10:44.30	96.59
Bennett Hill	5:11:07.00	96.48

Leadership in Everyday Service

Millions of motorists are profiting by the lengthened service of Firestone tires. Scores of unsolicited testimonials emphasize the long mileage Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords deliver—which builds leadership in service, safety and economy.

Leadership on Cabs, Buses and Trucks

The largest taxicab companies in the five largest cities in the United States use Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords exclusively. One fleet alone, the Yellow Cab Co. of Chicago, uses over one-half million tire miles per day.

Firestone for years has been first to develop tires and rims complete which would meet the heavy trucking loads, great strains and demand for traction. By originating and carrying forward the Ship by Truck movement, and establishing Ship by Truck bureaus in all large cities, Firestone helped to speed up highway transportation and reduce costs.

Balloon Tire Leadership

Firestone's latest contribution to motoring is the low air pressure or Balloon Tire. This, the original full-size Balloon, was made practical by the special Firestone Gum-Dipping process, insulating every fibre of each cord, adding great strength and stamina. Firestone has also simplified the application of full-size Balloon tires to your present car by designing a special unit consisting of tires, tubes, rims and spokes applied by any dealer at a very low cost.

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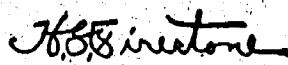
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CHARLES W. BRYAN

mention of their dead leader brought forth another demonstration, the pretty feature of which was the releasing of a white dove from a balcony.

About this time it developed that something had been "slipped over" on the women who are taking active part in the national affairs of the party. It had been decided that the gentler sex should be further recognized by creating a position of permanent vice chairman and giving it to Miss May Kennedy of the Bronx. The other women had not been consulted and the appointment was reported to the convention from the platform and approved. Miss Kennedy, not before known in national politics, is secretary to the sheriff here, and is an attractive and smart young woman who later demonstrated her ability to wield the gavel acceptably.

Ku Klux Klan Is Named

More formal business, including a resolution of thanks to "Our Pat," the temporary chairman, and then came the roll call of states for presentation of candidates. "Alabama," cried the clerk, and Alabama responded in the person of Forney Johnston, a business-like, snappy looking gentleman, who, in a business-like and snappy speech told the delegates why Senator Oscar Underwood was their ideal candidate. To him fell the honor of arousing the convention to the first really spontaneous demonstration so far. (That word "demonstration" is overworked, but it is the only one that fits.) Mr. Johnston said Mr. Underwood had asked him to place before the convention his views on a certain matter in unmistakable language. He did so, and when he named the Ku Klux Klan—the first outspoken mention of the organization—about half the delegates leaped to their feet with a wild war whoop that indicated they shared enthusiastically in the Alabamian's condemnatory attitude toward the "invisible government." The shouting ran like wildfire through the hall, and one after another state standards were wrenched from their sockets and carried into the procession that quickly formed. Not all of them, by any means, and there were bitter struggles over some that did not get into the parade. Most of the New England, northern and western states followed Alabama and New York into the anti-Klan demonstration. As a general thing the strong McAdoo delegations kept their seats and held their standards fast. In the Missouri section there was a squabble when John Keegan of St. Louis tried in vain to capture the standard. The women of the delegation uttered shrieks of protest, and Mrs. A. C. Parsons secured a hold on the staff that couldn't be loosened. In the Colorado delegation the row was more serious, and the state standard was badly mutilated before the police could quiet the excited delegates. It was to be noted that several standards in the parade were of states in which the Klan is especially strong, but in these instances, as in most of the demonstrations, the carrying of the standard did not mean necessarily that the entire delegation, or even the greater part of it, was in sympathy. Not until the band leader, showing unwanted tact, started up "America," which all could join in with good grace, was the tumult in the convention calmed. Characteristically, those in the hall who belonged to or sympathized with the Klan sat silent under the jeering cries of "kiangie" directed at them.

Big McAdoo Demonstration

Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas having been put in nomination by former Governor Brough, briefly, neatly and with little resulting fuss, the clerk called: "California." For this the McAdoo forces had been waiting on the edges of their

chairs and to the accompaniment of wild cheering a forest of California flags bearing the bear, sprang up where the McAdoo delegates were thickest, and smaller clumps wherever in the crowd were a few votes the Californian had corralled. To the front of the platform stepped former Senator Phelan, looking like a page from the history of 25 years ago, and presented at great length the claims of his candidate. Laying stress on McAdoo's record of good service rendered his country and the fact that he shared in the work and ideals of Woodrow Wilson, Mr. Phelan did his level best. His speech was full of good things, but he couldn't hold the attention of the overheated audience. Men and women wandered through the aisles and those who remained in their seats chatted with their neighbors until the hall was filled with a murmur that must have been rather dismaying to the speaker. However, he had the satisfaction of knowing that he was being listened to by hundreds of thousands of radio addicts throughout the country. Chairman Walsh finally grew angry and told the audience what he thought of their discourtesy, and then they relaxed into quietude for a few moments.

Even the McAdoo enthusiasts were glad to have Senator Phelan arrive at the culmination of his address, for it gave them the chance to "bust loose." They wanted to show the Smithites and all the others how numerous and how determined they were. California naturally led the dance, her men and women bedecked with gay colored handkerchiefs. In the van was carried a pretty young girl dressed as "Miss Columbia," and following her was a quartet of white-robed angels playing trumpets. Texas, Pennsylvania and a dozen other states helped on with the procession, and whenever the enthusiasm seemed to be dying down, the devices familiar to all who have seen such affairs served to revive it. Miss Columbia and the trumpeters, hot but tireless, were hoisted to the platform, and for just one hour they kept the demonstration going. All this time Mrs. McAdoo, laughing excitedly, stood in a box and looked down on the shouting delegates who hoped to put her husband in the White House.

Bigger Smith Demonstration

Al Smith's adherents now succeeded in bringing about adjournment until Thursday morning, and they spent the interval in perfecting the details of a demonstration that they intended should be more spectacular and longer than that for McAdoo. When the convention was called to order next day they were all ready. Beside Chairman Walsh sat a lady in white, who proved to be Miss May Kennedy, the permanent vice chairman. She was given the gavel after the invocation, and after a few pleasant words about the recognition accorded the women, she ordered that the roll call of the states be resumed. Governor Sweet of Colorado was first to arise, his intention being to second the nomination of Mr. McAdoo. But the Smith throng, which by this time had filled up all the available space in the hall, was impatient and rude. Shouts of "oil" arose from all the galleries and even from the floor and grew so numerous and loud that the speaker was unable to continue. Here Chairman Walsh again came to the front with a scathing rebuke to the hecklers that silenced them. "Connecticut yields to New York" said a delegate from the Nutmeg state a few moments later, and instantly there was tumultuous cheering and wild waving of a myriad flags. But the demonstration was premature and Franklin D. Roosevelt, on crutches, mounted the rostrum and quieted it, so that he might place in nomination New York's beloved governor, Al Smith. To the unbiased

listener Mr. Roosevelt's speech was the most satisfactory that had been made up to that time. His enunciation was perfect, his sentences clean cut. The vast audience hung upon his every word. It was a highly effective and impressive performance, and few speakers could have kept it in restraint as well as did the gentleman from New York. When he had set forth eloquently the virtues and qualities of Governor Smith which he believed made him the best man to head the Democratic ticket, Mr. Roosevelt gave "Al's" admirers their way, and they went to it with a will.

Now it was almost dinner time, and the secretary read an announcement from the committee on resolutions that it would not be ready to report before Friday morning. A motion to take a recess and hold an evening session brought on a controversy. New York strenuously objected because the municipality had planned evening entertainments for the visitors. Adjournment until the next morning was proposed as an amendment and for the first time it was necessary to poll the convention. The vote was very close—550 to 515—but those who preferred entertainment to business in the evening won out. All this seemed rather unimportant to the unposted onlooker, but in reality it was a test vote indicating the relative strength of the Smith and McAdoo forces. The managers for the Californian hoped that the nominating speeches could be finished and the balloting actually begun before the committee on resolutions was ready to report. They thought that this might insure the nomination of their candidate. The Smithites were determined their opponents should not have this advantage, if it existed, and they got their way.

More than six hours were devoted, on Friday, to completing the list of Presidential nominations and to seconding speeches, of which there were many. The additional names presented to the convention were: James M. Cox of Ohio, Gov. Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska, Gov. Fred W. Brown of New Hampshire, Gov. George S. Sizer of New Jersey, Senator Carter Glass of Virginia and John W. Davis of West Virginia. This made sixteen in all, and of course there were in addition a lot of dark horses and favorite sons who were not formally placed in nomination. During the seconding speeches there was a lot of howling from the gallery gods, who were tired of hearing talk and wanted action. Once the obnoxious fire sirens were started again, but Chairman Walsh announced that if their use was not stopped he would have them removed from the building.

Battle Over Two Planks

Saturday afternoon the worn-out, hollow-eyed committee on resolutions brought in the platform in the building of which it had been engaged, day and night, throughout the week. Chairman Homer Cummings told of the vain efforts to settle the Klan and League of Nations disputes without putting them up to the convention, saying that at the final session of the committee, so sincere were the desires of its members that one of them recited the Lord's Prayer and William Jennings Bryan, chairman of the subcommittee, asked Divine help. Newton D. Baker of Ohio, proposer of the minority resolution on the League, staggered to the speaker's desk, so weary he could scarcely stand, and delivered himself of the one great burst of real emotional oratory heard by the convention. In impassioned accents, with fervid, hoarse, often broken voice, he pleaded with the Democrats not to abandon the ideals of Woodrow Wilson but to stand firm in advocacy of immediate American membership in the League of Nations. It was a truly magnificent effort and as Mr. Baker was assisted to his seat the thousands in the hall gave him a real ovation. In the minds of all was the "Cross of Gold" speech that once made Bryan the nominee of the party.

Senator Key Pittman of Nevada replied for the majority of the committee, and though he was booted for a sarcastic allusion to Mr. Baker's emotionalism, his arguments prevailed, the committee's plank winning by a vote of 742 1/2 to 583 1/2.

Now came the battle over the Klan plank, to witness which most of the vast audience had sat through weary hours. The opening shot was fired by Senator Owen of Oklahoma, in behalf of the majority report, and was well directed. W. R. Pattangall of Maine, author of the proposed amendment explicitly naming the Klan, replied with equal effect. Several minor guns on either side were discharged, and then Bainbridge Colby, the big piece of ordinance in the anti-Klan forces, was turned loose. The former secretary of state made a corking good speech and aroused great enthusiasm. He was followed by William Jennings Bryan, who sought to pour oil on the troubled waters but was a determined opponent of the plank in which the Klan was named. Mr. Bryan was heard respectfully by the delegates, but was booted several times by the audience.

The taking of the vote was long drawn out and tedious. Finally at two o'clock in the morning the chair announced that the majority report had won by a margin of just four votes. Then the weary delegates returned to their hotels until Monday morning.

Father Klackerbocker was as proud as a peacock when the convention was awarded to him, and he set out to show the other convention cities how to take care of such a gathering. The result was astonishing to every veteran convention attendant.

SUCH IS LIFE
by Dan Zelm
THE KIND OF DOG THAT IS BOY IN A JEWELRY STORE

NOW, QUITY, YOU TH'AV RIGHT HERE BY MY WAGON TILL I COME BACK

GEE, THAT'S A NICE DOG—WHAT IS HE—A BULL DOG? NOPE

IS HE A FOX TERRIER? NOPE

IS HE A COLLIE? NOPE

— HE' TH A WATCH DOG?

STEPHENS' ROOM
By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

THERE was a note from Stephens in the morning mail asking me to come to his room for a few minutes; he was ill, and he wanted to see me. I was not intimately acquainted with Stephens. He had worked in my office for a year or so, I had known that he lived in a rather remote place, that he went out little, that he got no help from home, but I had given him little serious consideration. He was always immaculately clean, his clothes were carefully kept, though he never had anything new. He had never seemed to me particularly remarkable or especially interesting.

I got a new idea of him when I entered his room. He was seated by a table a little pale from his illness, and he rose as I came in.

"I'm ashamed to have taken so much of your time," he said, "but I've always wanted you to see my room."

It was a cheap little room in the commonest house; it was heated by a soft coal stove, and lighted by a kerosene lamp; it was in every way old-fashioned and unmodern, but it had distinction and it told me more in a moment of Stephens' tastes and character than I had previously learned during all the months that I had known him. Everywhere there was order and everywhere from the books on the table and the cheap prints on the walls to the woven coverlet on the bed—it was one his mother had made as a girl Stephens told me—and the braided rugs on the floor, there was refinement and simple good taste. I had not thought before that a room could reveal so much of a man. He paid but four dollars a month for this room and he had no money to waste on decorations, but he had put himself into it; he had gloried in it, he had surrounded himself with the most beautiful things he had or could afford and these things gave him pleasure, they added to his self-respect, and they gave pleasure and satisfaction to all who came to visit him.

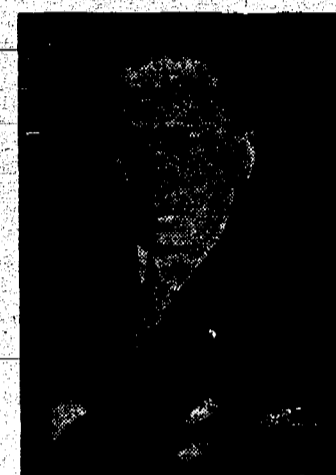
As I sat looking around at the simple, cheap, but satisfying appointments

of Stephens' room, my mind reverted instinctively to Mrs. Clayton. She is an impressive showy woman who dresses elegantly and almost tastefully and who lives in a pretentious house. When one talks to her she reveals the external signs of education and cultivation. She has traveled she talks easily, she goes with the best people in town. It is only when one enters her house that one sees how vulgar and commonplace her tastes are. Everywhere the fact is shrieked in one's ear from the ornate ugly furniture to the silly tawdry pictures on the wall; from the expensive glaring rugs on the floor to the clutter of bizarre bric-a-brac huddled together on every available table and mantel-piece. Everything in the little room in which Stephens lived cost less than one-half as much as the smallest of Mrs. Clayton's ugly rugs; he had no money, but he had taste.

Perhaps we should hesitate, many of us, to have our characters read or our tastes determined by a look into our closets or our bureau drawers, or a visit to the houses or the rooms in which we live, but all of these things like Stephens' room tell a vivid gripping tale of our ideals, our tastes and our real characters.

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Native of Japan Is Perfect In English



DR. YUTAKA MINAKUCHI

THERE is not an American who does not in some way show interest when mention is made of Japan.

Whatever your views concerning the Island Empire of the Far East, they are due for either change or confirmation after you hear Dr. Yutaka Minakuchi, native of Japan, although educated in this country. He speaks English far better than many of the persons who have heard him lecture.

He will tell of the problems, races and creeds of his native country and discuss the effect these may have on the world at large.

Some of the radical theories and arguments heard every day will be presented by him and their fallacies exposed.

Dr. Minakuchi is without question the foremost representative of his race in this country. He is a minister of the gospel and has had several charges as pastor in this country.

There is not a citizen of the community who should miss his lecture "The Borderland" on the fourth evening.

Beyond Shaw's Vision

A lifetime of happiness! No man alive could bear it; it would be hell on earth.—George B. Shaw.

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Simple Glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, helps any case gas on the stomach in TEN minutes. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes all gasses and poisons. Brings out matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for obstinate constipation. Guards against appendicitis.—GIDLEY & MAC, Druggists. adv.

Limitations of Sight

Even with good eyesight, it is impossible to recognize a person seen but once before, at a distance greater than 80 feet, says a German oculist.

Eliminating Echoes

A California architect rejects modern hard plaster in favor of the old soft variety, in order to eliminate echoes in auditoriums.

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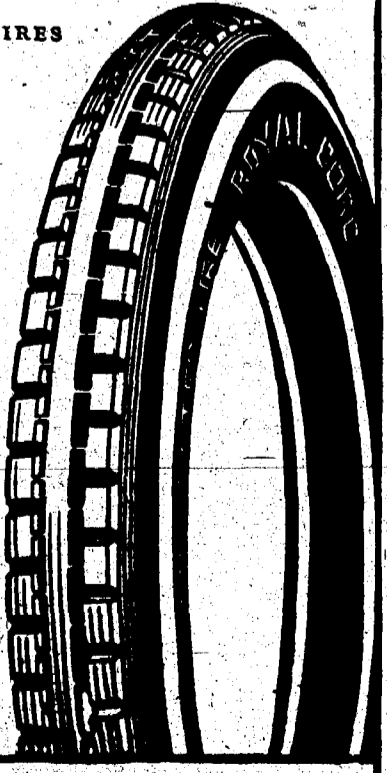
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*****Your Conversation*****
"PONTIFF"
"Pontiff" originally was applied to the chief priest of the Roman religion. It comes from "pons" and "facere," to make a bridge. The first pontiff was Anus Marcellus, credited with having built the Sublician bridge over the Tiber river at Rome. The name now is chiefly applied to the pope as the supreme pontiff of the Catholic church.

News of the Week

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Henry Hulme, Pastor.

Sunday, July 20, 1924.

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 Young People's Choir and Orchestra will furnish the music.
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting
We gladly welcome all people to attend our services.

Presbyterian Church Notes

Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.

"A Church for Folks."

Sunday, July 20, 1924.

10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the Pastor.
11:15 a. m. Sunday School.
The Young People's Meeting will be held on the Second lawn Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Autos will leave the Church at 3:30. This will be an echo meeting of the Conference held at Alma last week, which was attended by seven of our young people.

Catholic Church Notes.

Rev. Fr. D. M. Drinan Pastor.

First Sunday of the month:—Mass at Settlement 8:00 a. m., eastern standard East Jordan, 10:30 a. m.

Second Sunday:—Mass at East Jordan 8:00 a. m., at Settlement 10:30 a. m.

Third Sunday:—Mass at Settlement 8:00 a. m., at East Jordan 10:30 a. m.

Fourth Sunday:—Mass at East Jordan 8:00 a. m., at Settlement 10:30 a. m.

Fifth Sunday:—Mass at East Jordan, 8:00 a. m., at Settlement 10:30 a. m.

Devotions as announced.

The public always welcome.

Eastern standard or so called fast time used.

Latter Day Saints Church.

L. Dudley, Pastor.

Sunday, July 20, 1924.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:15 a. m.—Social Service.
7:00 p. m.—Preaching.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.
7:00 p. m.—Thursday, Religio.
All are welcome to attend these services.

Holiness Mission

(Located in the old Episcopal Church.)

Sunday, July 20, 1924.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
Every Wednesday night—Cottage Prayer Meeting.
All are cordially invited to attend.

Church of God.

S. J. Brooks, 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.

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A L B A

(Edited by Mrs. A. I. Ashbaugh)

Mrs. Ralph Anderson and children are visiting at Grand Rapids, White Pigeon and Flint for a few weeks.

Miss Audrey Parker came Wednesday from Flint to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen of Indiana came Tuesday and transacted business in Alba and Mancelona and are now visiting with Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Geo. Matthews at Idlewild.

Miss Myrtle Roy who has spent several months with her niece at Plainwell, returned to her home last week. Mrs. Jean Harwood and children came with her.

Miss Edna Holmes who has been visiting her parents the past two weeks returned to Three Rivers Friday.

Miss Lucy Rich of Chicago who is spending the summer at Idlewild, visited friends and transacted business in Alba Friday.

C. Campbell and wife entertained Mr. Campbell's sister and family from Alma several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McDougal of Denver, Colorado and Mrs. Anna Purchess and Clifford Rifenberg of Grand Rapids are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rifenberg.

Geo. Tobias, telephone manager and lineman had a stroke of apoplexy and fell from the pole which he was climbing and injured himself quite severely, breaking a rib close to the back bone.

The DeMoss concert given here Tuesday evening was a real musical treat to the people of Alba.

Ed. Blain and wife were Traverse City visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collard of Pellston were Alba visitors, as were also Merrill Sloat and Miss Lillis Hale of Gaylord.

Sandy Harvey is having a new porch built and several changes made on his house.

Favorite Entertainer



A. J. LEAKE

NOT only is Mr. Leake a musician, but he is an imitator of bird and animal calls and a monologist as well. For many seasons he was a favorite in vaudeville with his imitations. His popularity never wanes, for there are few if any entertainers who can equal his work. With his company, he will open the Chautauqua here.

Peoples' Wants

MUNNIMAKERS

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

Lost and Found

LOST—Auto License Plate 382 414 between East Jordan and Green River last week. Finder, please leave at Herald Office. 29-1

ESTRAY—Came into our pasture a small stray Steer, red, two-years-old. ED. KOWALSKIE, phone 162-F13, East Jordan. 29x2

Wanted

LADIES WORK AT HOME, pleasant, easy sewing on your machine. Whole or part time. Highest possible prices paid. For full information address L. JONES, Box 2, Olney, Ill. 29x1

For Sale—Miscellaneous

LITTLE PIGS for Sale. Inquire of A. W. BRINTNALL, Phone 164-F12, Route 4, East Jordan. 28-1.

SPRING PIGS For Sale—Call phone 54, East Jordan. 28-2

FOR SALE, cheap—C. G. Conn Tenor Horn. Also American Adding Machine. Inquire of C. G. ISAMAN at The People's Store. 28x3

FOR SALE—Eight Milch Cows. Also one span of Horses. ARCH LUECK, Route 1, Mancelona, Mich. 28-3

REGISTERED DUROC JERSEY BOAR For Sale. Call phone 54, East Jordan. 28-2

WANT TO TRADE—Bicycle for a good Row Boat. What have you? E. L. SMITH, phone 262-F12, East Jordan. 27x3

SELL your VEAL and CHICKENS to C. J. MALPASS. 141f

PENINSULAR

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Harlow Sweet of Advance is making hay on his farm in Star Dist.

Clarence Johnston of Three Bells Dist. had the misfortune to lose one of his work horses with the colic Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gaunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mead Benson of Boyne City, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaunt and daughter, Eloise, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnston and family made a party for supper at the David Gaunt home, Sunday.

Concrete walks are being made at Hayden Point. Bill Rolston and Don Sandborne of Boyne City are hauling the gravel from the Jarman pit at Gravel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richards of East Jordan visited the Charles Hopley family in Star Dist. Sunday.

A good many have quit work on the Golf Links since the cut in wages.

Bob Wilson of Mountain Dist. is putting up hay for Ed. Stollard in Star Dist.

Ruth Dow of Akron, Ohio, an old resident of Advance Dist. visited old friends on the Peninsula the week of the 4th and climbed the Fire Tower at Whiting Park.

The annual school meetings were held in the various Districts Monday evening July 14th. They all voted 8 months school and 9 mos. if they could get the State bonus. Mrs. Emma Arnott of Bonker Hill, N. S. was elected to succeed herself by acclamation in Star Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McGee and two sons of Grand Rapids are visiting Mrs. Ray Loomis and family at Gravel Hill, N. S. Mrs. McGee was formerly Miss Louella Sweet.

Miss Edith Papineau of Boyne City who spent last week with her sister Mrs. Orval Bennett returned to her home Saturday.

The Fire Tower at Whiting Park was equipped with a telephone Thursday. W. Scott of Mountain Dist. troubleman for the Pine Lake Telephone Co., did the work. It is connected with 67 Boyne City Ex.

Rev. and Mrs. Meade and little son were callers at Sunny Slope Farm Tuesday afternoon.

The Three Bells Social Club had their party Saturday evening at the Leu brothers home. An immense crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Russell of Ridge-way Farm Star Dist. and Mr. and Mrs. Mose LaLonde of Chaddock Dist. motored to Traverse City Sunday and visited relatives. The trip was made in the LaLonde car. They returned the same evening.

Peninsula Dist. escaped with only a hard shower Saturday evening when the destructive storm visited Charlevoix and Petoskey.

A letter recently received from Mrs. Jesse Wright from Detroit states they are domiciled in their own house now and like their new location very much, and all are well.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Healey of Star Dist. motored to East Jordan Sunday to visit Mrs. Chas. Webster of Ind. who is visiting there. Mrs. Webster was formerly Miss Laura Healey, and at one time lived at Whiting Park, locally known as the Doc. Smith place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones and Mrs. Jones two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Laury of Jones Dist., Mr. and Mrs. Will Hill of Boyne City, Mrs. and Mrs. A. J. Beers and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wange-man of Three Bells Dist. were guests at the Fred Wurn home in Star Dist. Sunday.

During The Many Years

since this bank was organized, it has seen times good and bad.

Throughout this period it has forged steadily ahead, always serving its depositors to the limit of safety.

On this record we invite your account.



"The Bank On The Corner"

"The Oldest and Largest State Bank in Charlevoix County"

NOWLAND HILL

(Edited by C. M. Nowland)

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Batterbee of East Jordan and children are spending a week or more on their farm here during haying.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Scott and family visited relatives in Vanderbilt Sunday.

Clair Brooks of Boyne City is doing his haying on his farm this week.

Andrew John Nowland who was called home by the death of his brother, Lee Marion Nowland two weeks ago, returned to Milwaukee, Wis., Monday.

Frank Jaquays of Ohio is visiting his cousin, George Jaquays and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nowland and sons spent Sunday recently at Burt Lake with James Simmons and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shepard were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nowland.

Misses Fern Davis, Louis Snyder, and Caroline House hiked from their homes in Boyne City and spent a few days last week with their school mate Miss Ocole Scott.

George Stocker of Grand Rapids was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Nowland last week.

WILSON

(Edited by Mrs. O. D. Smith)

Haying is the order of the day.

A. R. Nowland and son Roy are cutting O. D. Smith's hay on shares this year.

Web. Hott and family of Detroit were

visitors at John Hotts in Afton last Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Hayner and son Harold, spent Monday at the home of her sister Mrs. Robert Atkinson in East Jordan.

Ralph Green of East Jordan, is spending a few weeks with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hott in Afton.

Miss Zola Barber of Deer Lake spent a week recently with her sister, Mrs. Ploughman in Belding.

A party of young ladies from East Jordan are "Tenting on the old camp ground," in the Afton school grounds this week.

A good crowd at the annual school meeting held in Afton last Monday night. Mrs. Omar Scott was re-elected for the ensuing three years.

Charlevoix Co. Farm Bureau gave a play at the Wilson Grange Hall last Tuesday evening. A large crowd was in attendance.

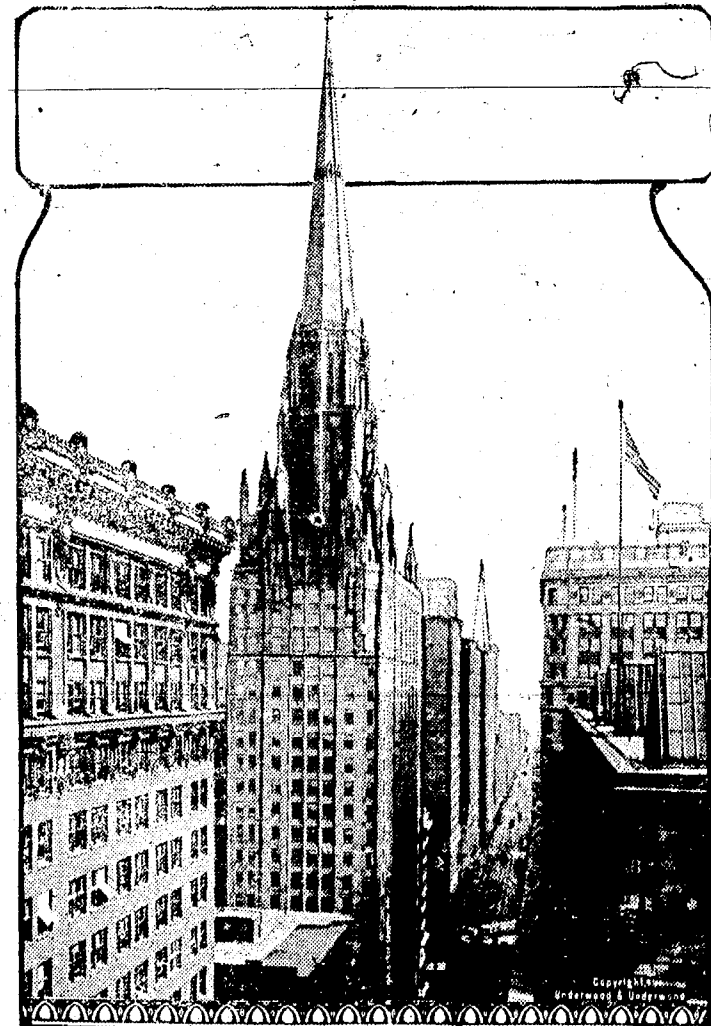
Elmer Hayner who has been spending the past week at his home in this place started for Cass City on Tuesday night. His mother accompanied him for a short visit with relatives and friends in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith returned recently from an auto trip to Coldwater Mich. While absent they attended a reunion of relatives held in the Grange Hall in Bethel. About twenty members of the Scofield families were present and the total attendance was 125. They report a very pleasant trip.

It's a great life, if you can keep your supporters from weakening.

The average man thinks that the two sides to every question are my side and our side.

Tallest Church Building



The Methodist Episcopal temple, in the heart of Chicago's loop, is the tallest church building in the world. The auditorium of the church is on the main floor and seats about 1,500 persons. The remainder of the building is occupied by business offices.

Base Ball Game TODAY!



Port Huron Colored Stars vs. East Jordan N. M. League Champs at County Fair Grounds, East Jordan FRIDAY, JULY 18th

THIS GAME will afford a lot of fun, as these colored boys from Port Huron are not only ball players but comedians. The East Jordan Club have fortified their team with Mugsy Milligan behind the bat. Milligan has had years of experience in various leagues and has been catching Eddie Cicotte the past two years with the Detroit Stags. Game called at 3:00 p. m. The business places and mills in East Jordan will close in time for this game.

Briefs of the Week

Lawrence LaLonde of Detroit is here for a visit.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Griffin a daughter, Eleanor Charlotte, July 7.
Two good used mowing machines for sale. C. J. Malpass Hardware Co. adv.

Mrs. J. J. Allen, Jr. of Frankfort, Ky. is guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Swafford.

Dance at the Workmen's Hall in the Bohemian Settlement, Saturday night, July 19th. adv.

Carl Martinson and family are moving to Iron Mountain where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilkins and son, of Detroit, are visiting her mother, Mrs. George Palmer.

Isadore Kling left Tuesday for Fort Thomas, Kentucky, where he plans to remain for some time.

East Jordan's Chautauque starts next Sunday, July 20th continuing to Thursday night, July 24th.

Next week is Twenty-five Cent Week at the East Jordan Lumber Co. Store. See adv. elsewhere. adv.

Base Ball today—Friday. Port Huron Colored Stars vs. East Jordan. Game called at 3:00 p. m. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ruhling with daughters Margaret and Jeannette of Detroit are visiting at the home of Ida M. Price.

Born to Mrs. William Crawford a son—William John—Wednesday, July 9th. The husband and father lost his life from drowning near Moproe Creek, June 27th.

Next week is Henderson Week at the Temple Theatre. We have enlarged the show and lowered the price. "One Girl's Experience," Monday night and the price is 10 cents. adv.

Mrs. Geo. A. Bell and daughter, Mrs. Geo. Miller, accompanied the latter's son, Joe, to the Y. M. C. A. Camp at Tawas City. The ladies visit friends in a number of cities in Southern Michigan.

Bert Gothro has rented the Loveday office building on Main st., formerly occupied by E. A. Lewis, and will open a barber shop. The second floor office will be occupied by Loveday Real Estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Webster are entertaining Mrs. Charles A. Webster and son and daughter, also Mrs. Harley Robinson of South Bend, Ind. On Saturday, Chas. A. Webster will arrive by auto accompanied by Harley Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Webster of Big Rapids.

W. Asa Loveday, member of the State and National Realtors Ass'n and well known to the older residents of East Jordan and of Charlevoix County, has opened a branch office for the summer in the Loveday Bldg (2nd floor) which will be in charge of his son, Fred H. Loveday, who is a licensed salesman.

Klone Smith and friends at Sparta first of the week.

Mrs. Maude Bigelow is home from Muskegon for a visit.

Mrs. A. K. Hill is home from Detroit, where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Virginia Ward who has been home for a visit, returned to Lansing, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McKinnon of Detroit are here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Webster left Tuesday for Chicago, called there by the illness of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sloan made an auto trip to Sault Ste Marie and other points this week.

Farm Machinery or Ford Car on easy payments or will trade for Cattle. C. J. Malpass. adv.

Miss Dorothy McKinnon returned home first of the week from a visit with friends at Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hertel and daughter of Memphis, Tenn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Asa Loveday.

See what you can buy for only twenty five cents at the East Jordan Lumber Co. Store next week. adv.

Mrs. Fred Bennett and children of Mancelona are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Bigelow.

Mrs. Thomas Locke left last Friday, for Sandusky, Ohio, to join her husband, who has employment there.

The Henderson's never brought East Jordan a bad show, its bigger and better this year and only 10 cents. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Berg left Saturday for a two weeks visit with their daughter, Mrs. L. C. Monroe at Muskegon.

Port Huron Colored Stars vs. East Jordan at the Fair Grounds, this Friday afternoon, July 18. Game called at 3:00. adv.

Mrs. Oscar Miller and children returned to Lansing, Tuesday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Trjaneck.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Pray with daughter, Miss Virginia, and son, Robert, left Wednesday by auto for a month's visit with relatives in Southern Michigan and Independence, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Gruber returned to Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday, after a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. George Gruber at Cherryvale.

The power plant and dam of the Bellaire municipal electric plant which is located on Cedar river near Bellaire was washed out last week Thursday, due to the heavy rainfall in this region. The loss will be \$40,000. When the dam broke the heavy rush of water endangered the Charlevoix plant, located about two miles farther down stream. Superintendent Bridge said that Charlevoix having two spillways saved the city's plant. Bellaire will use electric current supplied by the Charlevoix plant.

Alber Behre, who has been here for a visit, went to Frankfort, Monday.

Twenty-five Cent Week at the East Jordan Lumber Co. Store next week. See adv. adv.

Repairs for all makes of mowers, blenders and rakes at C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Spring Chickens For Sale. Weight from two to four pounds.—Mrs. W. H. Roy. adv. 25-2.

Mrs. Henry Hulme, and son John Wesley left last Monday for Minneapolis, Minn. to visit her parents.

Some nice furniture, stoves and ranges for sale on easy payments at C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Call Phone 24 for Expert Storage Battery and Electrical Service.—The Battery Shop, L. Miles. adv. 27ff.

Miss Irene Bashaw left Saturday for Grand Rapids, where she will attend a Music Teacher's Normal for three weeks.

Mrs. Clara Smith of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ada Stephen of Mobile, Alabama, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Asa Loveday and son, Fred, and Mrs. Loveday's sister, Mrs. H. E. Thomas, of Lansing, are here to spend the summer.

All business places and the mills will be closed this Friday afternoon during the ball game between the Port Huron Colored Stars and East Jordan at the Fair Grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turpester of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bell and children of Muskegon were here this week visiting at the home of Mrs. Turpester's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrington.

The young people from East Jordan who attended the Conference at Alma last week were the Misses Dorothea Malpass, Leatha Cox, Grace Ellson, Petrina Hegerberg, Lucile Bartlett, Ardith Richardson and Elizabeth Sidebotham.

Mrs. Laura Seofield Thompson, an old pioneer of Charlevoix County and former resident of South Arm is visiting friends and relatives in the vicinity. Accompanying her are her two daughters, Eva Thompson Timmer and Mary Thompson Alwin of Jersey City, N. J., and Hackensack, N. J., respectively.

Their object was the erection of a monument at the graves of Rev. H. C. Scofield and wife, parents of Mrs. Thompson, at Jones Cemetery, also two monuments at Lewis Cemetery at the graves of her husband and daughter, J. N. and Alice A. Thompson. Although Mrs. Thompson has made several visits to East Jordan since her residence, this is the most pleasant, as the party motored through from New York City via the Lincoln highway, and leave shortly for the return trip, visiting Detroit, Buffalo and Finger Lake region in Central New York on the way.

Some nice Engines for sale at low prices on easy payments at C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

A friend is one who lies to you to save your feeling even when you know and he knows you know he is lying.

Nobody is half as important as a little man in a little job who thinks he is a big man in a big job.

Your Conversation

"HARD SHELL"

With all due respect to members of the Baptist church, it can be proved that they are somewhat "crabby" about their religion. Most of them are proud to be known as "hard-shell Baptists." The reference is to the "hard-shell crab," which has not molted recently and thus is known by its tough shell in distinction to the "soft-shelled crab," which is minus the advantages of a thick jacket. The term thus has come to stand for that which is unyielding.

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Various Shapes, Designs and colorings
Regular Price.....75c
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Saturday, July 19
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PALMITER'S
Jewelry Store
See Window Display

Michigan paid income taxes into the federal treasury for the calendar year 1923 of \$34,568,000, according to announcement by the commissioner of internal revenue. The total net income was \$798,411,946. Out of a total population in the state of 3,889,418 there were 267,953 personal returns, or 3.5 per cent of the state's population. The report shows that Detroit furnished nearly one-half of the personal returns, or a total of 127,750. Grand Rapids stands next with 19,050 and Highland Park third with 6,705.

Two barns on the farm of Ferdinand Palma, one-half mile south of Ypsilanti, were burned to the ground, with a loss of more than \$50,000. The origin of the fire is not known. It started in the cattle barn, which had just been remodeled at a cost of \$5,000. The barn was plastered and white-enamelled, with running water and electric lights. The ice-house also was burned and 20 tons of cattle feed destroyed. The city fire department saved four other smaller barns. All the cattle and horses were unharmed.

The loan of Henry Ford to the city of Detroit of \$5,000,000 has been renewed at a rate of 3 per cent interest, as compared to the old rate of 4 per cent. This announcement was made by Richard W. Reading, city controller, who has been negotiating for some time with the Ford company. Reading also has succeeded in renewing loans made by banks at a lower rate of interest. The city has been receiving short term loans from the banks at 4 1/2 per cent, but the new rate is set at 3 1/2 per cent.

Leonard T. Hands, state insurance commissioner and receiver for the defunct United States Automobile Insurance company, of Bay City, filed suits in circuit court against four more Shiawassee county automobile owners who had policies with the company. There are now about 20 of the suits pending in this county. Assessments totaling \$164,000 were levied on all policyholders to pay the company's debts and liquidate the organization, and those who have not paid are being sued.

Charles Affeldt, resigned cashier of the Lansing city electric light and water board, who pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of \$5,000 of city funds, was sentenced to three to ten years in the State Prison at Jackson by Judge Leland Carr, in the Ingham Circuit Court. Shortages in Affeldt's accounts were disclosed some time ago, following an audit of the books. His indictment followed a grand jury investigation.

Arthur E. Silvernall, 41 years old, aeronaut of Grand Rapids, died recently of injuries received when struck by a beam supporting a balloon he was inflating at Green Lake. Seized with a premonition of death, Silvernall declined to make the ascent and engaged a substitute, for whom he was making the balloon ready. He came here six years ago from Stanton.

A show-down on the state's latest efforts to obtain the appointment of a receiver for the House of David was again put into the future when Judge Charles E. White, of the Berrien county circuit court, ruled that no hearing on the colony's plea for dismissal would be heard by him until the attorney general's office has had formal notice of such motion and consulted as to a date for argument.

Mail between Pentwater, Hart, Shelby, Montague, Whitehall and Muskegon is to be carried by bus in the future. Recently the train service on the Pentwater branch was curtailed by the Pere Marquette and arrangements were made by the Government for the handling of mail from Muskegon by bus twice a day.

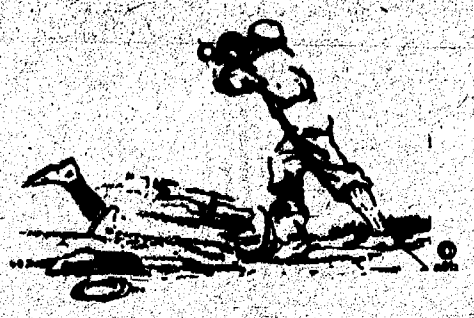
To facilitate the preparation of federal bonus applications by ex-marines of Detroit and vicinity, arrangements have been made for the distribution of bonus blanks at a dancing party for marines, July 29, at the Knights of Pythias temple, Cass and Temple avenues. Instructions also will be given the marines at this time.

With the completion of the Washtenaw avenue section at Ann Arbor of M-17 the highway will be paved from Detroit to Jackson. It was announced here by the Washtenaw county road commission. It is expected that the last bit of work on M-17 will be completed so that traffic will be open soon.

Injuries received when she was kicked by a horse proved fatal for Florence Allis, 6-year-old daughter of E. D. Allis, farmer living near Howell. The child was helping her father catch horses in a field when kicked in the head.

Louis St. Andre, 10 years old, and his brother, Emil, aged 14, sons of Adelord St. Andre, of North Lake, were drowned in Rock lake when they fell off a raft in six feet of water.

John Fekete, 40 years old, an ardent base ball fan, witnessed a game at Muskegon Heights. The team upon which his three sons played was defeated. Fekete disappeared and a fisherman found his boy in Mona Lake.



SAFE!

No matter how easily you pass first, second and third base, your efforts won't count unless you reach home plate.

In the same way, three-quarters of one's life may be completed successfully, but the last quarter may be spent with regret and bitterness.

Make the first three-quarters of your life insure the safety of the last—and let us help you do it.

The Bank With the Chime Clock Peoples State Savings Bank



<p>General Failing "Everybody," said Uncle Eben, "feels de need of all de money he kin git honest. An' at de same time everybody thinks mos' everybody else has more money dan he ought to require."—Washington Star.</p>	<p>Knows Better "Holtz toity!" exclaimed a woman in an English county court. "Indeed! I quarrel with my husband, do I? It takes two to make a quarrel, and he has not dared to start yet."</p>
<p>Just Like Him! "That is so like a man! I believe you all regard woman's passion as something like electric light, to be switched on and off as you want it."—From "The Ladies of Lyndon," by Margaret Kennedy.</p>	<p>Numerical Order The order of numbers follows: Units, tens, hundreds, thousands, millions, billions, trillions, quadrillions, quintillions, sextillions, septillions, octillions, nonillions, decillions.</p>
<p>Eliminating Echoes A California architect rejects modern hard plaster in favor of the old soft variety, in order to eliminate echoes in auditoriums.</p>	<p>Airplane Photographs By means of a planimeter, the United States Department of Agriculture measures irregular areas in photographs from airplanes. With this instrument land is surveyed at the rate of a mile a minute.</p>

EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

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3 papers Safety Pins.....	25c
3 papers Dress Snap.....	25c
6 Handkerchiefs.....	25c
1 pair Childs Hose.....	25c
1 package Tooth Paste.....	25c
1 package Spiro.....	25c
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1 Stamped Buffet Set.....	25c
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1 yard Chally.....	25c
2 Hair Nets D. M.....	25c
1 yard Dress Gingham.....	25c
1 yard Twill Outing (white).....	25c
2 Balls C. Cotton.....	25c
1 Whisk Broom.....	25c
2 packages Linen Envelopes.....	25c
1 package Sanitary Paper Diapers.....	25c
3 packages Bone Hairpins.....	25c
2 Bias Binding.....	25c
3 packages "Hump" Hairpins.....	25c
1 Bathing Cap.....	25c
Assortment of Collars.....	25c
Windsor Ties.....	25c
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2 Powder Puffs.....	25c
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CALVIN COOLIDGE BURIED IN VERMONT

BRIEF SIMPLE SERVICE MARKS BURIAL OF PRESIDENT'S SON AT OLD HOMESTEAD.

DRIVING RAIN CEASES EARLY

Party Turns Back From Grave As Marine Bugler Sounds "Taps." Boy Scouts Attend.

Plymouth, Vt.—Calvin Coolidge, Jr., 16-year-old son of the president, was buried here in the family lot of the Plymouth cemetery.

A driving rain which overtook the presidential train on the way from Northampton, Mass., where funeral services were held, vanished before Ludlow was reached.

The funeral party drove direct to the cemetery on the edge of Plymouth, from Ludlow, where the special train had carried them from Washington and Northampton.

Accompanying the president's family on the funeral journey were close friends both of Washington and Northampton and members of the president's official family.

Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge were escorted by naval and military aides, Boy Scouts, of which organization Calvin was a member, lined the road to the cemetery and as the family departed each passed the grave and dropped flowers on the casket.

Following a time-honored custom, not without its touch of pathos, the president took his son John out to the front veranda and there on the floor post-marked his right and the date. Then, a little below, the president drew a second line and marked at "C. C.," the night that Calvin would have been. The post was marked many times, each apparently on some new occasion of the visit of the boys to the homestead.

RUSSIAN GRAIN STORE ROBBED

Starving Peasants Break Into 18 Warehouses, Steal 1,500,000 Bushels

Riga—Eighteen warehouses containing 1,500,000 bushels of grain belonging to the Saratov government were robbed by peasants during the past fortnight, according to the Moscow Isvestia.

A fortnight ago the government halted the sales and the peasants began holding meetings in the vicinity of the elevators where the majority of the robberies occurred.

REBELLION RAGES IN BRAZIL

Sao Paulo Bombarded, War Waged by Federal Troops Against Rebels.

Buenos Aires—News from both Brazilian official and unofficial sources indicates that the situation in Sao Paulo, scene of the insurrectionary outbreak, is very serious and that there is a great deal of unrest in other parts of Brazil.

Official statements disclose for the first time that the operations against the rebels are being directed by the general staff of the federal army from headquarters outside Sao Paulo.

There appears little doubt that the resistance of the rebels supposed to have been overcome, has assumed formidable proportions.

Detroit Building Gains \$22,193,000. New York—Building permits issued in 322 principal cities during the first semester of 1924, amounted to more than \$1,959,459,659, a gain of eight per cent over the same period last year.

MARKET REPORT

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

Live Stock and Meats. Chicago hog prices advanced 25¢ for the week, closing at \$7.55 top and \$6.30 for the bulk.

Prices good grades meat: Beef \$13.30 @17.50; veal \$16@18; lamb \$22@23; mutton \$12@17; high pork loins \$15@20; heavy loins \$12@17.

Fruits and Vegetables. Easter Shore Virginia Irish cobbler potatoes slightly weaker at \$2.75@3.75 per bushel in eastern cities.

Hay market little changed. Light receipts held prices steady. First arrivals new timothy Chicago and Cincinnati first new alfalfa at Omaha.

Wheat millfeeds generally easier. Buying is for immediate needs only. Very little pressure to sell offerings from mills and jobbers small, demand very light.

Flour markets continue to be unsettled and nervous, reacting quickly to immediate market influences.

Grain market firm. Wheat prices advanced from midweek decline. Improved weather halts advance in corn.

East Buffalo Live Stock. EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Steady. Hogs: Steady. Sheep: Steady.

WHEAT—Cash No. 1 red, \$1.10; No. 2 red, \$1.18; No. 3 red, \$1.15; No. 2 white, \$1.20; No. 2 mixed, \$1.15.

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Here's a Man Who Will Make You Laugh



WILLIE MACK

WILLIE MACK, one of the most popular entertainers on the Chautauqua circuits, will be with The Black and White Male Chorus and Minstrels when that great musical organization comes to the local Assembly.

He is one of the end men in the minstrel show with which they will close their entertainment and he will have an active part in both programs, afternoon and evening.

Last season he was with The Davies Opera Company having the principal comedy role in the opera "Olivette."

In the winter season he played successful vaudeville engagements in the larger cities. He is one of the youngest comedians in the profession, being but slightly over 20 years of age.

Mack has a smile that is infectious. You are almost sure to smile every time he has something to say for he has a wonderful sense of humor and knows how to express it.

He will be at Chautauqua on the last day.

Sleeveless Knicker Suit Is Ideal for Sportswoman



We were not all in favor of knicker suits some few years ago. However, that is ancient history, today the knicker suit is the ideal garb of the sportswoman.

Nemesis of Fakers



Benedict W. Holden of Hartford, Conn., who was the foreman of the grand jury in Connecticut that investigated fake doctors.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage, made and executed by Frank M. and Edna E. House, husband and wife, of Hartlet A. E. Dodd as a lien upon the east half of the south east quarter of Section thirty-six, Township thirty-three, North, Range five, East, dated October 7, 1912, recorded in Office of Register of Deeds of Charlevoix County, Michigan, October 15, 1912, in Liber 47 of mortgages, on Page 439, duly assigned by the administratrix of the Estate of said mortgagee by assignment dated May 10, 1917, recorded in Liber 49, on Page 636 to Gertrude T. Willison. The said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the above described premises, at front door of the Court House, in the City of Charlevoix, Michigan, at two o'clock p. m., September 20, 1924, for Two Hundred Twenty Dollars, the amount claimed to be due at this date, together with nineteen and 7-100 dollars for taxes paid on said premises and interest thereon, with interest on the whole amount from this date at seven per cent. per annum, and including the costs and expenses allowed by law.

Dated June 1, A. D. 1924. GERTRUDE T. WILLISON, Mortgagee.

GUY M. WILSON, Attorney for Mortgagee, Flint, Mich.

Notice to Destroy Noxious Weeds

To owners, occupiers or possessors of lands, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state:

Notice is hereby given that it shall be the duty of every owner, possessor or occupier of land or of every person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state to cut or cause to be cut down and destroyed all Canada thistle, milk weed (asclepias cornutus), wild carrots, ox-eye daisies, or other noxious weeds growing thereon, at least once in each year, before the 15th day of July, 1924, and as much oftener as may be necessary to prevent them going to seed, and if any owner, possessor or occupier of land, or any person or persons, firm or corporation having charge of any lands in this state shall, knowingly, suffer any Canada thistles, milkweed, wild carrots or other noxious weeds to grow thereon or shall suffer the seeds to ripen, so as to cause or endanger the spread thereof, he or they shall, on conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction be liable to a fine of ten dollars, together with cost of prosecution for every such offense and he or they shall pay the cost of destroying such weeds.

Failure to comply with notice on or before the date mentioned or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing liable for the costs of cutting same to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

Dated the 30th day of June, 1924. HENRY W. COOK, Chief of Police of the City of East Jordan, Michigan 27-2

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Dated this 30th day June, 1924. ELMER JENSEN, Commissioner of Highways of the Township of South Arm, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan. 27-2

Silence may be golden, but what could a jazz orchestra do with it?

MICKIE SAYS—HEY, JESSEN! WE LIKE 'I BE SOCIABLE AND ALL THAT, BUT OUR READERS ARE PAYIN' US GOOD MONEY TO GET OUT A NEWSY PAPER 'N WE CAN'T DO 'T 'N ENTERTAIN A GANG O' LOAFERS BOTH, SEE?



MORTGAGE SALE

By a mortgage dated the 28th day of December, A. D. 1917, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1917, in Liber 40 of Mortgages, on page 305, Albert Beckman and wife, Lillian Beckman, of the Township of South Arm, Charlevoix County, Michigan, did duly mortgage to Albert Wesselink and Harmelina Wesselink, of Reeman, Michigan, the lands, premises and property situated in the Township of South Arm, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4), and lot number two (2), all of Township thirty-two (32) north, Range seven (7) west, containing 90.88 acres, more or less, according to Government Survey thereof. Default having occurred in the conditions of said mortgage by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the amount due on said mortgage with interest at the rate of six per cent. (6 per cent) per annum and all other legal costs, including an attorney fee of thirty-five and no-100 Dollars as provided by said mortgage, at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, said Court House being the place of holding the circuit court for said county.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Fourteen Hundred Twenty-five and 40-100 Dollars (\$1425.40).

Dated April 28, A. D. 1924. ALBERT WESSELINK and HARMEINA WESSELINK, Mortgagees.

WHITE & REBER, Attorneys for the Mortgagee, Business Address, Fremont, Michigan.

MORTGAGE SALE

By a mortgage dated the sixth day of August, A. D. 1921, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1921, in Liber 40 of Mortgages, on Page 427, Albert Beckman and Lillian Beckman, his wife, of East Jordan, Michigan, did duly mortgage to Albert Wesselink of Reeman, Michigan, the lands, premises and property situated in the Township of South Arm, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The west half (W 1/2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of Section twenty (20), of Township thirty-two (32) north, Range seven (7) west, except a part of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4), and part of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of said section twenty (20), being a strip of land four (4) rods wide lying two (2) rods on either side of center line, commencing at a point on the north boundary of said section twenty (20), six hundred seven and nine tenths (607.9) feet east of the quarter post on the north side of said section, running thence on a twelve degree curve to right (E. ward) four hundred forty-five (445) feet to a point tangent; thence south thirty-five degrees forty minutes east (magnetic course) on tangent four hundred thirty-four and two tenths (434.2) feet to a point curve, thence on thirty-eight degree two minute curve to left (E. ward) eighty-seven (87) feet to a point on the east eighth line five hundred ninety-two and eight tenths (592.8) feet south of the section line embracing 1.380 acres of land, as nearly as may be, in said section twenty (20).

Default having occurred in the conditions of said mortgage by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the amount due on said mortgage with interest at the rate of six per cent. (6 per cent) per annum and all other legal costs, including an attorney fee of twenty-five and no-100 Dollars as provided by said mortgage, at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, said Court House being the place of holding the circuit court for said county.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Thirty-four Hundred Twenty-four and 50-100 Dollars (\$3424.50).

Dated, April 26, A. D. 1924. ALBERT WESSELINK, Mortgagee.

WHITE & REBER, Attorneys for the Mortgagee, Business Address, Fremont, Michigan.

One of the world's saddest sights is a bright man's dull finish.

Frank Phillips

Tonsorial Artist. When in need of anything in my line call in and see me.

R. G. Watson

FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 244 Phone 66 EAST JORDAN



HANDS OFF!

TAXES and rising costs haven't yet robbed the BEECH-NUT Chewing Tobacco of quality and quantity. Just as much and just as good in 1924 as in 1915.

Recent years of higher revenue, State and Federal taxes, mounting labor and raw material costs, we've kept BEECH-NUT tight sealed against a reduction in weight and a rise in price.

Still the best and the most best chewing tobacco 10c. ever bought.

That's why sales exceed 250 million packages annually. That's why every third tobacco chewer in America ten-centibly protests against any substitute.

Makes your 10c. do its duty too.

L. Lorillard Company



Valuable Advice
While thou livest, keep a good tongue in thy head.—Shakespeare.

ARE YOU GUILTY OF MOTOR-SLAUGHTER

A well-known used car dealer said to us the other day "Some of the guys driving cars these days ought to be jailed for motor-slaughter."

Then he went on to tell us some interesting things about the used car business. Among others, he said "When I'm offered a car which has been kept well doped and oiled I can pay a third more money for it."

Then we talked with his appraiser, the foreman of his shop, "What's your thought about this changing oil every so often?" we asked him. "The man who keeps good oil in his car and changes it every 500 miles adds 50% to the life of his motor."

Said this man, who overhauls many cars a week of every sort shape and condition.

Good oil is your best motor investment. There are several good oils, but we honestly believe

Staroline
MOTOR OIL
is the best for your car.
WHITE STAR REFINING CO.,
DETROIT, MICH.

Northern Auto Co.

Nerves All Unstrung?

East Jordan Folks Should Find the Cause and Correct It.

Are you all worn out? Feel tired, nervous, half-sick? Do you have a constant headache; sharp twinges of pain, too; with dizzy spells and annoying urinary disorders? Then there's cause for worry and more cause to give your weakened kidneys prompt help. Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

East Jordan folks recommend Doan's for just such troubles. Mrs. Henry Ribble, Bridge St., East Jordan, says: "Many a morning I felt miserable with lameness in my back. When I straightened out from stooping, terrible, knife-like pains caught me in my back. I didn't rest at all and was tired out. I became nervous and depressed and was often irritable. I suffered from headaches, too. Doan's Pills, from Gldley & Mac's Drug Store, cured me of the trouble."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mrs. Ribble had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs. Buffalo, N. Y.

MAN, WIFE DROWN IN RESCUE ATTEMPT

SONS WATCH PARENTS LOSE LIVES IN EFFORT TO SAVE PLAYMATES FROM DEATH.

BOYS STEP INTO DEEP HOLE

Man Leaps In After Neighbors Boys Cannot Swim, Then Wife Answers His Call for Help.

Mt. Clemens—Paul Roy, 39 years old, and his wife, Cecella, were drowned in the Clinton river at Mt. Clemens when they plunged into deep water in a futile attempt to rescue Walter and Leonard Brooks, 10 and 8 years respectively, who went beyond their depth and perished. Ralph and Gordon Roy, sons of the couple, watched their parents and playmates go to their deaths.

Paul Roy and his family lived on a farm on the Town Hall road near Roseville. The Brooks family lives across the road.

Roy and his wife took their two sons and the Brooks boys to Mt. Clemens Sunday for an outing.

While their elders stood on the shore at the bathing beach at the foot of Kibble street, the four boys departed themselves in the water.

Walter and Leonard Brooks waded about, keeping close together. They screamed in unison as they stepped off the edge of a hole into deep water.

Although he could not swim and without waiting to remove even his shoes, Roy plunged into the water. He reached one of the boys and grappled with him, but was unable to keep his head above the surface. As he sank he called for help.

Mrs. Roy, who had stood watching the efforts of her husband to effect a rescue, answered his cry. She waded out and strove to grasp her husband's clothing, but getting beyond her depth she, too, sank.

SLAYERS INSANITY TEST JULY 21

Plea to Dodge Trial for Franks Murderers to Bring First Clash.

Chicago—The first clash between the state and the costly array of legal and medical talent employed by the parents of Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, murderers of little Robert Franks, will come Monday, July 21, and both sides are feverishly working to be in preparation for the fray.

The defense hopes to get the murderers before a commission to test their sanity and, if this commission can be convinced the slayers are insane, the murderers will dodge trial for their crime and be committed to some institution. The defense admits the youths committed the murder and the entire fight will be an effort to have them shown of unsound mind and therefore not responsible.

WILBUR APPROVES SUB PLAN

Speediest Mine Layer to Cost \$6,000,000 Equipped.

Washington—Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has approved plans for the construction of the new mine-laying submarine authorized in the naval appropriation act passed at the last session.

The new submarine will be more speedy than its predecessors, with a wide cruising radius and will cost not to exceed \$5,300,000 for construction and machinery and \$850,000 to armament.

During the recent week the first of three new fleet submarines will be launched and should be ready for her trials in the autumn. The other two will follow at five or six month intervals.

STATE SELLS \$3,000,000 BONDS

State Nears \$50,000,000 Limit Approved in 1920.

Lansing—Three million dollars in state highway bonds have been awarded to a syndicate of bankers, headed by the Equitable Trust company, of New York, on a bid of \$3,000,000.

The bonds will be as follows: \$1,750,000 at four per cent and \$1,250,000 at 4 1/4 per cent, to mature in 1944. This is the best bid ever received for state bonds, with the exception of one issue sold by the state of New York, it was brought out.

The Equitable Trust company bid was the most favorable among seven sealed offers submitted to the state administrative board.

Lorain, Ohio, Again Hit By Wind

Lorain, O.—Another terrific wind storm swept the devastated district of Lorain injuring seven persons, blowing automobiles from the roads and crumbling walls of buildings left standing after the tornado which struck the city 10 days before. Five persons were injured when the wind hurled an automobile against an iron pole. A partially wrecked wall of the Peoples' Savings bank toppled into Broadway under the force of the gust and two firemen were injured.

SCHOOL DAYS



Mother's Cook Book

Flowers have an expression of countenance as much as men or animals. Some seem to smile; some have a sad expression; some are pensive and diffident; others again are plain, honest and upright, like the broad-faced sunflower and the hollyhock.—Henry Ward Beecher.

THE LUSCIOUS PEACH

PEACHES are called the children's fruit, as they agree with most of the little people. The ripe, juicy fruit, sliced and served on the breakfast food, makes a dish which will appeal to almost any child's appetite.

Peaches with cream and hot-biscuits is a dish to satisfy the most exacting. He is indeed favored who may pick and eat the ripe juicy fruit right from the tree; then its melting sweetness is at its best.

One of the most delicious frozen dishes is:

Peach Ice Cream.
Cut up ripe, peeled peaches and put through a potato ricer enough to fill a pint measure; add the juice of a lemon and one and three-quarters cupfuls of sugar, turn into a freezer with three cupfuls of thin cream, or rich milk will do. Freeze as usual, remove and pack in a brick mold. Serve unmolded, sprinkled with chopped pistachio nuts and garnished with sliced peaches.

Peaches are delicious baked and served with sugar and cream as well as baked in dumplings.

Delicious Sauce.

Ripe fresh peaches put through a sieve and sweetened to make them like preserves may be canned and kept in a cold place. Used as a sauce for ice cream, or as a sauce for a plain pudding, it is delicious.

Peach Canape.

Cut rounds from sponge cake, place on small plates and put a halved peach on each; cover with whipped cream, sweetened and flavored with almond. Sprinkle with chopped, blanched almonds and serve.

Peach Pie.

Bake a rich pastry shell and fill with sweetened, sliced peaches. Cover with a meringue and dot with halves of marshmallows. Brown in the oven. One may use sweetened whipped cream in place of the meringue if desired.

Another fine dessert is sponge cake cut in diamonds or oblongs, covered with sliced peaches sweetened; top with a meringue and marshmallow. Brown in the oven.

Nellie Maxwell

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Has Anyone Laughed At You Because—

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You squabble over bills? Looking a bill "twice in the eye" is a mighty good habit. It means that you are a careful spender and that you spend with sense as well as cents. You may be thought to "squabble" just because you analyze the bill. (The chap that laughs may think it beneath him to question a bill, so the dubs you a squabbler. Keep up your good work of knowing exactly what you pay for: it is a splendid habit and you will often find that you are paying for some one else's goods, and sometimes you will find that you are being undercharged. However, in any case, you will be an intelligent spender, and the U. S. A. needs such peopling!)

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Your get-away here is: Bill makers are as prone to errors as you and I—So why take chances? (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

MEN YOU MAY MARRY

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a man like this proposed to you?

Symptoms: Looks like a fair-haired giant. At first you fear to shake hands with him, he seems so "miffed." In the summer he dresses to slim off his form. Loves his "miffed" waist—his broad shoulders. Talks continually of his "morning exercises, his tub, his endurance, the beds that hotels have to buy for him and his discomfort in the sleeping car berths.

IN FACT
He needs a wide berth everywhere.

Prescription to bride:
Invite small men as well as tall—he likes to prescribe to the puny. Develop your muscles; he takes pride in them.

Absorb This:
GIANTS CAN AFFORD TO BE GENTLE MEN.
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Something to Think About
By F. A. WALKER

PROMOTING GOOD WILL

THE many good souls of both sexes, who with more or less solicitude have been considering the ill-nature of old Mother Earth, have reached the conclusion that her offspring are sadly in need of a spiritual elixir.

Looking at our case of irritability seriously, it is found that we have forgotten our good neighbors and the pleasant art of promoting good will.

In the struggle for existence and especially as we get older and more cranky, we seem to move about in our professions and avocations in a state of mind that borders on enmity toward all mankind. We may be able to number an infinite of acquaintances, but not find one among them upon whom we can look as a friend.

We seem to be in an ugly mood, ready at the drop of a thoughtless word to open battle and fly at one another with clinched fists.

Our tempers are on edge in our homes, on the streets and in our offices. We are churlish, selfish and childish, having lost the polish of manners and charming courtesies of our smiling-faced grandparents.

Our inordinate ambitions and wandering fancies keep up continually in turmoil, while in our innermost souls, we are longing for contentment, a quiet nook where we may smoke, read, reflect, or at least find good fellowship.

When away from the treadmill we fall at the fates, drop our good neighbors on the gridiron, scold our servants wage, wordy wars with our wives and husbands, and work ourselves up to an absurd pitch. And we do these obviously gross things because we are at variance with the kindly spirit of good will.

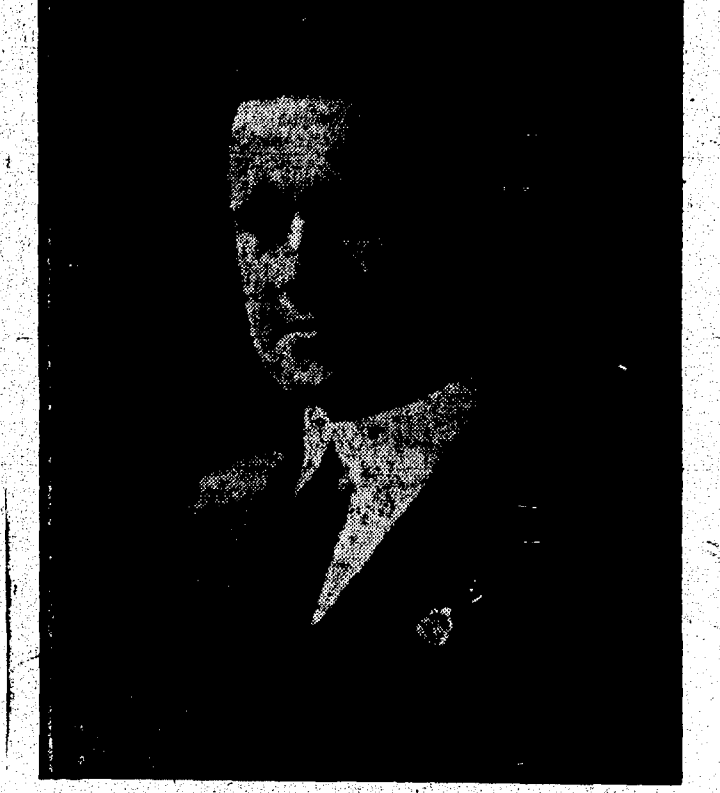
Our chafed and raw dispositions permit us no rest. In spite of our supposedly good breeding and intelligence, we continue our intimacies with greed, jealousy, pride and selfishness.

It is observed, too, that in our lucid moments, after we have had a sniff of pure air, we dare a smile and venture forth into discourses touching pleasantly upon the value of amity and the worthlessness of discord.

The next day, perhaps we are at a Doneybrook Fair, playing in the old game! And now, all of a sudden, what are we going to do about it? Let us play the noble part and foster good will.

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A clothing button has been invented that folds on a hinge along its center for easy insertion through stiff button-holes.

WILL THRILL WITH HIS LECTURE



CAPTAIN KILROY HARRIS

WHEN a man has traveled thousands of miles in a little-known land he generally has a thrilling story to tell. When he has had adventure after adventure during his travels, his story bristles with excitement.

Such a story is brought back by Captain Kilroy Harris from Australia where he spent many months in travel afoot and on horseback.

He will tell his story in his lecture on the second day of our Chautauqua. It will be illustrated with slides made from photographs taken by himself.

Captain Harris has had many exciting experiences during his explorations and travels. These scenes are brought vividly before his audience through his masterful powers as a speaker. The Aborigines of Australia will actually live before your very eyes as he describes them in their native haunts and customs. You will be amused, instructed, inspired and given a broader outlook on life when you have heard Captain Harris in "Through Unknown Australia."

Pietro, Famous Accordionist
Coming For Chautauqua



PIETRO MORDELIA AND COMPANY

THE next morning after you have heard Pietro Mordeia and his company of musicians, you will be humming or whistling the melodies the remarkable Pietro brings out of his piano-accordion.

You have heard of Pietro, for he is the famous accordion player who has played in practically every section of the land, and of whom it is said, "you may close your eyes, and when he plays you can easily imagine yourself listening to a full band of music."

Pietro plays just the music you want him to play. He has that happy faculty of knowing what is good for his audiences, and many hands will be weary from applauding him.

With Mordeia are Miss Edna Pollay, soprano, and Miss Margaret Lybarger, violinist and pianist. Both are well known as Chautauqua entertainers.

Pietro and his company will give a program which includes operatic, patriotic, sacred and popular numbers aside from a great many novelties and specialties. He never tires of responding to encores. Don't forget, on the second day.

The afternoon and evening programs will be entirely different. If you miss either of the concerts you will be depriving yourself of a great deal of pleasure.

At East Jordan, July 20th-24th inclusive.

King's Unlucky Day

May 1 is the anniversary of Charles I's order restraining emigration from England in 1638. On board boats ready to sail were Oliver Cromwell and John Hampden. To these two men Charles owed the loss of his life and his kingdom.

Grief Ahead

When science has made all the women ravishingly beautiful who will darn a homely man's socks?—Chicago News.

Old American Fort

The fort known as Chef Menteur has figured fairly extensively in Louisiana history. In regard to the naming of the fort, the following legend is told: The Choctaws were conspicuous for their love of truth, but one of the chiefs was known to prevaricate frequently. He was exiled and settled on an isthmus projecting into Lake Pontchartrain, which therefore was called "Chef Menteur," which is French for "Lying Chief."

"Straw Vote"

There is an old saying, "Straws show which way the wind blows," meaning that a small thing may indicate which way a larger event will turn. A vote, therefore, entirely unofficial and taken by an individual or company, often shows which way an official vote will go.

Attire Counts

Any man may be in good spirits and good temper when he's well dressed. There ain't much credit in that.—Charles Dickens.

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Among the Candidates.

Announcement

I wish to announce to the voters of Charlevoix County that I am a candidate for the office of Representative of Charlevoix County District Primaries Sept. 9, 1924. Your support will be appreciated.

Dated July 16, 1924.
Signed,
F. D. THOMPSON

For Register of Deeds

I am a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County on the Republican Ticket at the September Primary, and will appreciate your support.

FRANK F. BIRD

For County Road Commissioner

I respectfully announce my candidacy for the office of County Road Commissioner of Charlevoix County on the Republican Ticket at the September Primary.

Your consideration will be appreciated.

SAMUEL E. ROGERS

Political Announcement

I am a candidate for the office of County Road Commissioner of Charlevoix County on the Republican Ticket at the September Primary, and respectfully solicit your consideration.

HORACE B. HIPP

Political Announcement

To the Electors of Charlevoix County: I am a candidate for nomination at the September primary for the office of County Treasurer and as such will fully appreciate the support of the Republican electors of the county.

My place of residence for nearly thirty years has been in Eveline township, following an occupation of an agriculturist. During my residence I have held the office of Township Clerk, and have such knowledge of business affairs and what is due to the public as an official as warrants my seeking your support in my candidacy.

JOSEPH WM. FLANDERS

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Political Announcement

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for member of the House of Representatives for Charlevoix County at the coming Primary election to be held on September 9th 1924.

I have had for many years more than usual interest in State Legislation and if nominated and elected will give the State and this District diligent effort and attention.

I will appreciate the support of the electors for the nomination.

Dated Boyne City, July 9th 1924.

J. M. HARRIS

Political Announcement

I respectfully submit to the Republican Electors of Charlevoix County that I am a Candidate for nomination at the September Primary for the office of Register of Deeds.

Dated Boyne City, July 9th 1924.

DARWIN F. MEECH

Ty Cobb, Jr., Plays Tennis



Ty Cobb, Jr., who plays pretty good baseball, has forsaken that game for tennis but so far hasn't succeeded in that sport as his dad did in ball. The son of the world's greatest baseball player is shown in a tournament in which he took part recently in Atlanta. He was beaten in his second match.

Boys, Girls, Earn Chautauqua Money

START NOW—A nickle a day, saved for 20 days before the Chautauqua opens will get your ticket. By starting 10 days ahead of the opening, a dime daily will make the dollar that will pay for the season ticket.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Mother Has Fourth Set of Twins at 34.
Centerville, Md.—Mr. and Mrs. James Dorrell, of Centerville Landing, are rejoicing over the arrival of their fourth set of twins. The youngsters make a total of 18 children in the Dorrell home. Ten are living Mrs. Dorrell is only 33 years old.

Antelope Stock in U. S. Decreases.
Washington—Antelope game animals are decreasing in the United States at an alarming rate, a recent census shows. There are only approximately 22,000 antelopes left in 16 of the western states, it has been reported. Special protective measures are to be adopted.

Withhold News of Russian Famine.
Berlin—The Moscow Soviets have established strict censorship on all press news to prevent the public from finding out the facts of the new famine. The newspapers must not mention the famine except official famine stories which the government gives out.

Soldier Bonus Law Invalid Court Says.
Philadelphia—The Pennsylvania state supreme court unanimously declared unconstitutional a proposed \$35,000,000 soldier bonus amendment to the state constitution. The court based its opinion on the ground that the constitution cannot be amended of tenor than once in five years. Under this ruling, 1928 would be the next date at which an amendment could legally be made.

Bridge Collapse Injures 25 Persons.
Brownsville, Pa.—Twenty-five persons were injured here when a foot-bridge, on the banks of the Monongahela River collapsed. Pedestrians were hurled 30 feet to a hard brick pavement below. About 150 persons had gathered on the bridge, a light wooden structure, to watch an automobile hauled from the Monongahela River into which earlier in the evening, it had skidded.

Wheat Lack Boosts Bread and Flour.
Toronto, Ont.—There is little hope for cheaper bread. Pastry flour, which a month ago was quoted at \$4.50, is \$6.30 a barrel, while patents have soared to \$6.50, or an advance of \$1 a barrel in the same length of time. The explanation of this is given in the shortage of Ontario winter wheat, caused by heavy exports to the United States last fall, and in the spring at 95 cents a bushel and in the high price of corn.

Asbestos Deposit on Indian Land Phenix.
A large deposit of low grade asbestos has been uncovered on the San Carlos Indian reservation out of Globe, and only three miles from the railroad. The fibre is from three to six inches long and, though lacking in tensile strength, is said to be adapted to supply Pacific coast manufacturers with fibre for stucco, wall board, asbestos paper flooring and roofing material. The property is being developed.

America Recalls Bucharest Envoy.
Washington—Peter Augustus Jay, the American minister at Bucharest, has been recalled to Washington for a conference with Secretary Hughes on the Rumanian oil situation, it was announced at the state department recently. The United States has protested to the Rumanian government against the confiscation of American oil properties. In some quarters the recall of Minister Jay was interpreted as an additional form of protest.

U. S. Seeks 4-Year Postal Supply Bid.
Washington—Almost 11,000,000,000 stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers will be required by the postal service in the four years beginning January 1 next, and Postmaster-General New announced that bids would be received until Aug. 7. The four-year supply will average about 100 envelopes and wrappers for every person in the country for the period. The department spends \$5,000,000 a year for these accessories.

Missionary Uses Plane in Liberia.
New York—For the first time in the missionary activities in Africa, an air plane will be used by a missionary in covering his territory, it has been announced. The missionary who will employ this means of transportation, is Dr. E. A. Late, who, with his wife and son, sailed recently on the Aquitania for his post in Liberia. The Lutheran foreign mission board of Baltimore, which is sending Dr. Late abroad, will send the airplane at an early date.

Detroit Police Fight Dope Evil.
Detroit—Drastic steps to check the "dope evil" in Detroit is being taken by the police department. This action is a result of a conference in the mayor's office at which the commissioner, Acting Mayor Joseph A. Martin and Tom May, foreman of the recent federal grand jury which recommended action to curb the drug traffic were present. The conditions were exposed months ago, but the city heads refrained from drastic action until the federal grand jury took its stand.

Michigan Happenings

Mrs. Etta Hoadley, 40 years old, Dowagiac, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed their farm home, five miles west of Dowagiac. Mrs. Hoadley poured kerosene into a kitchen stove, causing an explosion. She rushed to a bedroom where rescue was out off by spreading flames. Rescue workers who pulled the bed to the door found the body of a newly born child lying dead beside the mother. December 9, 1906, a brother and sister of Mrs. Hoadley were burned to death when trapped in an upstairs room of their home.

The new county jail at Fremont has been completed at a cost of \$14,478.18, which is \$21.82 less than the amount of the bond issue voted by the county for that purpose. The lowest bid from outside parties was for \$21,000. Sheriff Noble McKisley, who is a contractor and builder, agreed to build it within the bond issue and was allowed by the board of supervisors to go ahead with the job. The building was recently inspected by a member of the board of corrections and charities and the work was very satisfactory.

The waterways committee of the Bay City Chamber of Commerce has announced the opening of another boat line out of Bay City. The second line will run to Alpena and Rogers City. Elwald Hanson, of Alpena, has purchased the C. and M., a government boat that has been a relief ship in the lighthouse service. She has capacity of 300 tons dead weight. The owner of the boat is now conditioning her in the Clute slip at the Third street bridge. She has already been rated by the American shipping bureau.

Petitions placed in circulation by the Merchants' bureau of Lansing, ask that a special election be called to vote on a bond issue to provide for the paving of Michigan and Washington avenues. The paving is asked at this time to provide employment for several hundred men out of work through the closing of factories. The proposal for the paving was lost at the spring election, but city officials claim this was because it was on the ballot with a number of outlying streets.

John Quarter, speed officer, is reported, was discharged recently from the Grand Rapids police department for speeding. On the night of July 4, while off duty, he is said to have driven a borrowed automobile at a rate of nearly 80 miles an hour and escaped a pursuing motorcycle officer by driving through a sandy stretch of road several miles from this city. His identity was established through the license number of the car.

Forty delegates, appointed by their respective communities in counties interested in the formation of metropolitan areas, met at the Board of Commerce, Detroit, recently and organized themselves as the Michigan Metropolitan Conference. Permanent officers were named to set about the immediate preparation of a constitutional amendment to be submitted to the State Legislature.

Fred Southcombe, former treasurer of the Capital City Lodge, No. 45, I. O. O. F., who left Lansing last January with his funds \$1,300 short, waived examination in Justice Court and was bound over to Circuit Court for trial. Southcombe went west after leaving notes indicating that he had ended his life. He was recognized by a friend and his arrest followed.

William Bodkin, 15, is dead near Unionville, victim of a rifle bullet fired accidentally during a "wild west" show which he and his brothers were staging in a barn on their father's farm. The boys were imitating a western picture which they had seen recently at a Unionville motion picture house. William was shot through the abdomen and bled to death.

W. A. Blake, 92 years old, one of the oldest Masons in Michigan, is dead at his home in Galesburg, nine miles east of Kalamazoo. He was a pioneer hardware dealer and served one term in the state House of Representatives, 1890-92. He was initiated into the Masonic order at Climax, Oct. 15, 1853.

Separated from their mother 20 years, Melvin M. Brush, of Kalamazoo and his brother, William A. Sweet, of Detroit, have appealed to the sheriff here for assistance in finding their missing parent.

Clifford Falcove, 3 years old, fell from a third floor window of his home in Detroit, while his mother was in another part of the house. He was taken to Receiving Hospital where it was found his skull, three ribs and his right arm were fractured. It was believed he would recover.

Two persons were injured when a south bound D. U. R. interurban collided with a heavy gravel truck on Woodward avenue, south of Bloomfield Highlands, near Pontiac.

Costs of Producing Wheat Vary Widely

Man and Horse Labor Found to Be Largest Items.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Man and horse labor have been found by the United States Department of Agriculture to be the largest single items of cost in producing wheat, constituting about 80 per cent of the total cost. Materials such as seed, binder (wheat, manure and fertilizer comprised about 10 per cent and threshing about 9 per cent of the total cost, in the department's survey. Interest on land and machinery represented about 20 per cent, and "other costs," including taxes and insurance, use of equipment and miscellaneous costs made up the remaining 22 per cent.

The department's survey dealt with the 1920 wheat crop on 407 farms in Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma, and was made primarily to aid farmers by indicating how basic cost data may be used in calculating production costs. The average man-labor requirement for all districts was 8.8 hours per acre with a corresponding horse-power requirement of 23.6 hours per acre. It was learned that for most operations somewhat less man labor was required where tractor power was used.

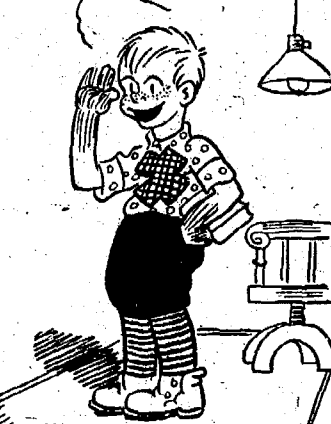
Costs of producing wheat vary so widely on different farms that an average cost figure is likely to be misleading, declares the department. Net costs per bushel to owners operating their own farms were found to vary from 90 cents to over \$3 per bushel, and on rented farms the variation to tenants was from 40 cents to over \$10 a bushel. The average cost to owners was \$1.80 a bushel, and to tenants \$1.83 a bushel.

Yield per acre is the factor largely responsible for these wide differences in cost, the department found. Yields to owners having costs of \$1.20 to 31 bushels per acre, whereas owners having a cost of \$4 or more per bushel had yields ranging from slightly less than 3 to 7 bushels per acre. Seventy per cent of the farmers visited obtained wheat yields ranging from 7 to 19 bushels per acre; 6 per cent had yields of less than 7 bushels, and 24 per cent had yields of over 19 bushels per acre.

Full details of the department's wheat cost study are contained in Department Bulletin 1198, Cost of Producing Winter Wheat in the Central Great Plains Region of the United States, copies of which may be obtained, as long as the supply lasts, free upon request to the department at Washington.

MICKIE SAYS—

IN 'TH' DAYS OF LONG AGO, WHILE 'OLE DOBBIN' DRUG 'TH' BUGGY OVER 'TH' ROAD AT A SNAIL'S PACE, 'TH' PASSENGERS HAD AMPLE LEISURE TO READ ALL 'TH' ADS ON 'TREES, BARNS AND FENCES. NOWADAYS, WITH FOLKS DASHIN' UP 'TH' ROAD FORTY MILES AN HOUR, ROADSIDE ADS ARE N. G.



Highland Park—Another step toward a new public library was taken by Highland Park, when the city council approved a contract with New York architects for the submitting of plans and specifications for the library, which will occupy the present building site on Woodward avenue, between Massachusetts and Rhode Island avenues. The proposed structure is to cost \$500,000. A bond issue for that amount was approved by the people several months ago.

Detroit—Detroit's City tax rate for the fiscal year will be \$20.96529809 for each \$1,000 of assessed valuation, according to final figures announced Saturday by the Board of Assessors. As compared with the 1923-24 tax rate, \$22.468893, the new rate is \$1,5036 less on each \$1,000 of the new total assessed valuation, \$2,455,939,000, which is a total saving to taxpayers of \$3,692,830.06. The new assessed valuation is \$345,999,590 greater than the 1923-24 assessment, an increase of approximately 14 per cent.

Father Sage Says

"Some men figure that women are angels an' others figure that they're hell cats fer fair. With out goin' further in the matter, I s'pose the difference lies in the way the men are treated by 'em."

Report of Annual School Meeting

East Jordan, Michigan, July 9, 1923

Minutes of Annual School Meeting of Dist. No. 4, South Arm Township, Charlevoix County.

Minutes of Annual Meeting of July 10, 1922, read and approved. Annual Financial Statement and Estimated Expenditures of 1922-23 read and approved. Report of L. A. Hoyt read and approved. The term of Ira D. Bartlett and C. H. Pray having expired, Ira D. Bartlett and C. H. Pray being nominated, it was moved that rules be suspended, Secretary cast unanimous vote for Ira D. Bartlett and C. H. Pray. Carried.

Moved that school year be nine (9) and one-half (½) months. Carried.

Moved that school should be called at 8:00 o'clock Standard time. Carried.

Motion to adjourn. Carried.

ROY E. WEBSTER, Acting Secretary

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SCHOOL DIST. NO. 4, FRL., SOUTH ARM TOWNSHIP FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 14, 1924

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand.....	\$ 56.37
General Taxes.....	47,347.88
Delinquent.....	4,060.90
Primary.....	10,143.00
Library.....	125.42
State.....	969.27
John Porter, Boiler.....	75.00
W. P. Porter, Medals and Play Ground Equipment.....	203.50
Returned Insurance.....	12.65
Tuition.....	1,696.69
Sale of Books.....	1,466.23
Loans.....	8,000.00
	\$74,150.96

DISBURSEMENTS	
Loans Paid.....	\$ 15,000.00
GENERAL CONTROL:	
Board of Education, Supt. Salary, Office Supplies, Office Hire, Etc.....	3,688.00
INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES:	
Teachers' Salaries, Text Books and Supplies.....	34,747.13
OPERATION OF PLANT:	
Janitor's Wages, Fuel, Lights, Transportation of Pupils, Care of Buildings and Grounds.....	5,684.31
MAINTENANCE:	
Repairs and Upkeep of Buildings, Office Equipment, Fixtures, Etc.....	828.57
CAPITOL OUTLAY:	
Bonds, Interest, Equipment of New Buildings & Upkeep of all Buildings and Grounds, etc.....	11,074.34
AUXILIARY AGENCIES:	
Library, Health, Insurance, etc.....	2,074.81
	\$73,097.16
Cash on Hand.....	1,053.80
	\$74,150.96

Financial Condition of District July 14, 1924			
ASSETS:	LIABILITIES:		
School Property.....	\$130,000.00	Bonded Indebtedness.....	\$ 35,000.00
Text Books.....	678.80	Short Term Loans.....	8,000.00
Cash on Hand.....	1,053.80	Net Balance.....	88,732.60
	\$131,732.60		\$131,732.60

Estimated Expenditures for 1924-25	
Coal.....	\$ 1,800.00
Bonds and Interest.....	13,500.00
Teachers' Salaries.....	28,000.00
Incidentals.....	1,000.00
Janitors wages, Transportation of Pupils.....	2,760.00
Electric Lights.....	400.00
Secretary's Salary.....	250.00
	\$47,710.00

IRA D. BARTLETT, President
CHAS. H. PRAY, Secretary

Musical Company To Open Chautauqua



LEAKE'S ORCHESTRAL ENTERTAINERS
NO better selection for an opener for our Chautauqua Course could have been made than Leake's Orchestral Entertainers. There is always a great demand for them in view of the fact they are musicians of the type generally styled "diamond cut diamond." Their programs do not consist of instrumental or vocal music, solely, but there is a great variety of both. The four members of the company play half a dozen or more different musical instruments.
Among these are drums, saxophone, marimbaphone, piano, cornet, violin, clarinet. Mr. Leake is an imitator of bird and animal calls and in his "Barnyard Imitations," every person who has ever resided in the country will recognize the old familiar sounds that are heard around four o'clock in the morning. Mr. Leake gave these imitations in Keith vaudeville for a number of seasons. Readings of humorous nature and other novel features contribute to the interest of the snappy program.

At East Jordan, July 20th-24th inclusive.