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Chemical Company Has Bad Fire Loss

Acetic Acid Plant Badly Damaged, Friday Last.

East Jordan suffered its heaviest fire loss in years at an early hour Friday morning when the acetic acid plant of the Michigan Iron & Chemical Company was gutted by fire.

Origin of the blaze is unknown. It rapidly gained headway and spread to all parts of the structure.

The building, which is a unit by itself was a large brick structure about four stories in height. It contained much valuable machinery and a thorough inspection of this will have to be made before the total loss is determined. The four walls remain standing.

The building was erected and machinery installed a few years ago at a rough estimate cost of \$100,000. Partially covered by insurance.

The loss of the unit will not necessitate the closing down either the Chemical Plant or the Iron Furnace. Only a very few men will be thrown out of employment.

The East Jordan Fire Department, who worked faithfully to subdue the big blaze, suffered the loss of several hundred feet of fire hose by its coming in contact with the chemicals.

No Primary Election.

All nominating petitions having been filed, and there being no more than two candidates for any one office, no primary election will be held. Petitions were filed as follows:

Mayor—Howard P. Porter
Alderman 1st Ward—Robert G. Proctor.

Alderman 2nd Ward—Wm. L. Aldrich
Alderman 3rd Ward—Robert G. Watson.

OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk.

E. J. H. S. Agr. Bulletin

Farmers are in general busy men. Therefore why not let your own children or your neighbors children learn, with the use of home products. Your county agent asks that you take advantage of the low price of lime. Send in a few samples of soil. Of course you could test it at home but you may not have the necessary things with which to do so. Let the boys and girls learn, and while learning, do valuable work.

It's time to take care of your seed corn situation. If you wish new seed there will be a list of varieties and growers published as soon as they are available. Send a half pint of corn to school with the boys and girls. We will give you the percentage germination in a short time.

Of course you can do it yourself but why not let the students help while learning.

Pity the Preacher

The preacher has a great time. If his hair is gray, he is old. If he is a young man he hasn't had the experience. If he has ten children, he has too many. If he has none, he isn't setting a good example. If his wife sings in the choir, she is presuming. If she doesn't, she isn't interested in her husband's work. If a preacher reads from his notes, he is a bore. If he speaks extemporaneously, he isn't deep enough.

If he stays at home in his study, he doesn't mix enough with the people. If he is seen around the streets, he ought to be at home getting up a good sermon. If he calls on some poor family, he is playing to the grand stand. If he calls at the home of the wealthy, he is an aristocrat. Whatever he does, some one could have told him to do better.—Churchman.

SAFE FOR CHILDREN

Mothers everywhere demand a reliable cough remedy free from injurious narcotics. Supplying this demand for fifty years made FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND one of the Largest Selling Cough Medicines in the World. Children like it. Refuse substitutes. Insist upon Foley's.—Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Spraying Demonstration In Charlevoix County This Spring

Plans have been completed with the Horticulture Dep't. of M. A. C. to have an all day spraying demonstration some time in April in this County. The news will be of great interest to the fruit growers throughout this section as many are planning on taking better care of their orchards and thereby being able to market a more profitable product. The most important factor in securing good fruit is the matter of spraying and that is what Mr. Cardinell, Horticultural Specialist at M. A. C. who will be present at this Demonstration will discuss in detail. He will start in with the mixing of the spray material, the placing of the solution in the tank and personally apply the spray to the trees. It is thought that this will be the most effective way of demonstrating the proper methods to use the spray material. It is impossible to make a definite date for this demonstration as the time for the first spray application varies with the season and only is applied within a limited time. Watch for further announcements concerning this Demonstration.

Have you thought seriously about availing yourself of the opportunity of ordering your supply of Pyrotol? The price of this explosive is only \$9.75 per cwt. at Petoskey and is fully as good in all respects as Sodatal which has been exhausted. In every two hundred pounds, 100 caps will be furnished. Send your order with the money to the Agr'l. Agent at Boyne City and as soon as sufficient orders are received the car will arrive.

Also if you are in need of lime be sure to make your wants known to your local Co-op. Mgr. who is taking orders for a carload at \$2.50 per ton.
B. C. Mellenkamp
Co. Agr'l Agent.

High School Senior Play

"When A Feller Needs A Friend" Auditorium, Next Monday.

The Annual Senior Play of the East Jordan High School will be held in the High School Auditorium Monday evening, March 16, at 7:45 standard time.

The play is a modern, up to the minute production. Thomas Denker, Robert Mills and Dr. Jerry Smith, who are living in a second rate New York apartment house, are attempting to make a living by painting and writing. They have just been discharged from the army and are in very stringent circumstances. They have pawned all their furniture. When the play opens they are stealing the dog's milk and parrot's cracker in order that they might have something to eat. Their landlady, Mrs. Reese, who is a very deaf old lady, and her daughter Liz, along with Liz's beau, Bing Dickson, furnish the comedy. Tom has written his aunt that he is married, and his uncle that he is making lots of money. On the day the play opens, two letters arrive, one from the aunt and the other from the uncle, both of which declare the writer's intentions of making Tom a visit. The aunt states that she is bringing her niece, Elaine, with her. Then comes a mad scramble to get some furniture from Mrs. Reese and to secure Tom a wife. Further complications are secured by Elaine claiming Bob as her husband and causing a break between Bob and his fiancée, Angela Scott.

The Cast of characters is as follows:
Thomas Denker..... Alfred Smith
Robert Mills..... Richard Nachazel
Jerry Smith..... Carlton Bowen
Uncle William Denker..... Gordon Sweet
Aunt Alice King..... Grace Hudkins
Lizobel Higgins..... Dorothy Kitsman
Bing Dickson..... Thaxter Shaw
Mrs. Reese..... Leatha Cox
Angela Scott..... Anna Kowalski
Elaine Lynne..... Dorothea Malpass
There is no end to the fun, and the laughs follow in rapid succession. The curtain rings up at 7:45 sharp.

The A. E. Wells Orchestra will furnish entertainment between acts.

Father Sage Says

The modern young man calls a diamond a "chunk of ice," but he knows that there's nothin' like it to warm a young girl's heart.

Contribute!!



Charlevoix Is Beaten

East Jordan Wins Over Rivals By Decisive Score.

Last Friday night in the High School gym Charlevoix and East Jordan put on the best exhibition of basket ball seen in the local gym for years. Comments of old basket ball fans, one in particular, ran like this, "The fastest game I ever saw in my life." Anyway all those who saw the game could guess some of the other comments.

It looks very much now as though Coach Well's men have struck the stride. There is no cause for cocksureness about winning further games but in this particular instance they perhaps could have trimmed any team in northern Michigan. When a team can go on the floor and practically prevent an aggregation the calibre of Charlevoix's with practically no free chance to throw at the basket during the evening their guarding is par excellent.

We take our hats off to Charlevoix as having one of the best teams in northern Michigan. Their record alone proves this, having under their belts the scalps of Traverse City, the Soo, Harbor Springs, and Petoskey and this present week the Soo will play for the championship of the northern peninsula with Negaunee, so if the boys will just listen in to their coach's suggestions our chances of making a real showing at the tournament next week at Petoskey were never brighter, for the right combination seemed to be working Friday night.

Capt. Walker played the greatest game of his career, dropping three baskets from the center of the floor without touching the rim, while Holstad played a sensational guard for a man of his experience. Shaw and Palmer played an excellent game, Shaw musing up Charlevoix's two big six footers time and again although he looked like a bantam in comparison, while Johdson played his usual steller game, caging six points during the fracas.

The game was clean as it nearly always is with Charlevoix. The Charlevoix boys are a good clean bunch of fellows. Jones of Charlevoix always plays a fine clean game. Hallett and Dagwell seemed to be playing their usual game but apparently could not pierce the almost impenetrable defense of the East Jordan gang.

The wholesome yet keen rivalry between Charlevoix and East Jordan made the game an especially hard one to officiate yet Supt. Dumbrielle, Coach of the Bellaire High School team handled the game in an acceptable manner.

If the driving is good next week it would be a good chance for the fans to follow the team to Petoskey and see some real basket ball for northern Michigan has never had so many teams so evenly matched and yet of a very high class.

LINEUP	
East Jordan	Charlevoix
Johnson L. F.	Hallett
Shaw R. F.	Harrington
Walker C.	Dagwell
Palmer L. G.	Cunningham
Holstad R. G.	Jones

Score by quarters 1 2 3 4
Charlevoix 2 2 0 2-6
East Jordan 2 2 5 3-12

Substitutes: Brown for Harrington. Referee: Supt. Dumbrielle of Bellaire. Timeas: Kling, Aldred. Scorer: Swafford.

Beaver Island Exile Is Dead

Dr. Protar Passes After Nearly Fifty Years Near St. James

Dr. Protar, the man of mystery who for nearly fifty years resided alone at his small farm near St. James, Beaver Island, is dead.

The Russian exile passed his day in tending his few crops, garden, cow and chickens, and much of his nights in reading.

He was brilliantly educated and a physician who quickly responded to the call of the needy on the island. People came to love and respect him although his identity and his reason for leaving Russia and seeking asylum on the wooded island was never known to them.

For many years he is said to have received funds from his family in Russia. Then came the war and these funds were discontinued. The doctor then turned the tables and sent funds back to his relatives in Europe.

Dr. Protar was a traveler, having visited many parts of the world before finally settling down on the Lake Michigan island.

Battle Creek—Building inspectors and the board of education were investigating the collapse of part of the ceiling in the auditorium of the high school. Twenty of 360 seats in the room were demolished and had the collapse occurred a few hours later, many lives would have been lost. According to members of the school board, the collapse was due to defective workmanship.

Lansing—The Michigan commercial aviation association was formed at a meeting of airplane pilots and owners of commercial planes here. Fliers, operators and owners of airplanes are eligible to membership. The organization will parallel the work of the National Aeronautical association to a certain extent, although it will not take over the work of that body. It is planned to have the two work together.

Mt. Clemens—So far as George T. Smith, sheriff of Macomb County, is concerned, the metropolitan police, operating under township supervision, are all in Macomb County. In a communication addressed to Milan C. Bea and Charles W. Mackemson, of the citizens police, Sheriff Smith has revoked their appointment as deputy sheriffs, meaning that hereafter they shall operate, if at all, under the law governing township police alone.

Highland Park—The Ford Motor company was the highest taxpayer in Highland Park, paying the sum of \$2,249,738.38 in city, county and state taxes in 1924, according to the announcement of Robert M. Smith, city treasurer. This amount, which was paid on property assessed at \$104,445,500, constituted 58.07 per cent of Highland Park's total tax collection. Total wages paid by the Ford Motor company for 1924 were \$253,001,528.37.

Grand Rapids—Absence of a capital punishment law in Michigan was deplored by Circuit Judge M. L. Dunham when he sentenced to life imprisonment at the State Branch Prison at Marquette the three youthful slayers of Frank L. Kugler, 66-year-old North Park merchant, whom they shot as they attempted to hold him up in his store. "If it was the law in this State that a death sentence should follow offenses of this kind, I should be perfectly satisfied to sentence you three boys to death," said Judge Dunham.

Michigan Potatoes Staging Come-Back

Michigan Potatoes have staged a come-back on the principal consuming markets of the country. The 1924 crop regained much of the former prestige held by state tubers, taking preference in appearance over shipments from many other states to these big markets according to J. W. Weston, potato specialist with the crops department at M. A. C.

Weston recently completed a trip to the leading potato market centers of the country, studying market conditions and preference, with special reference to the reception of the Michigan crop, discriminated against in recent years on some markets.

"There is still a discount made on account of Michigan's recent reputation on the potato markets," says Weston, "the price offered per 150 pound bag being slightly less than that from such states as New York and Pennsylvania. This reputation, however, can be completely recovered by continuance of the better producing practices which have been started in the state, and by continuing the compulsory grading work which was put into operation by the State Department of Agriculture in 1923.

"There is generally an improved feeling and sentiment among the trade for Michigan potatoes this year."

Normal School Bill Is On Way

Educational Committee Turns It Over To Ways and Means Outfit.

Bills providing appropriations for the new normals in the south half and of the lower peninsula and in Gogebic county in the upper peninsula were favorably reported to the house last Friday by the committee on education. The bills now go to the committee on ways and means.

It has been learned that southern leaders will make a determined effort to see that the bills stay in committee and never get back to the floor of the house. They contend the appropriations asked, about \$500,000, cannot be met from present taxes.

It is possible, however, that united pressure of representatives whose districts are involved can force the bill out on the floor.

Regularity In Advertising

We would advise those merchants who care to notice our advice that a small advertisement in every issue of our paper will do more good than a large advertisement every two or three months.

This is not an article to try and persuade any one to spend more money in advertising. We want you to consider the best way to spend what you intend to expend. Think it over, and you will agree with us, that your name in our paper every issue will do a lot more good than your name in big type once in a blue moon.

Kalamazoo—A gift of \$50,000 has been made to the Young Women's Christian association of this city by Mrs. Anna Louise Raymond, of Chicago, a former resident of Kalamazoo. The donation is to be known as the Anna Louise Raymond endowment fund and is to be held in trust.

Hartford—Petition for authority to pay an additional five per cent to creditors of the Hartford exchange bank, conducted by the late George W. Merriam, has been filed by Trustee Stephen A. Doyle with Referee in Bankruptcy Willard J. Banlon. The creditors already have received 50 per cent.

Adrian—State health officials are investigating local conditions relative to the large number of scarlet fever or scarlet rash cases that have developed in this city during the past few months. An examination was made of all pupils in the public schools to determine if there were any cases not under quarantine.

Ann Arbor—A gift of \$100,000 to the University of Michigan by a Detroit alumna was disclosed with the publication of the annual report of the president of the institution. The donor, whose name was not revealed, has directed the use of \$50,000 a year for two years by Professor E. T. Kelsey, who is conducting archeological research in the Near East.

Allotment of Candidates

For Citizens' Military Training Camps in Sixth Corps Area.

Brigadier General Benjamin A. Poore at Headquarters Sixth Corps Area announced today the allotment of candidates for the Citizens' Military Training Camps to be held in the Sixth Corps Area, which comprises the States of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Under instructions from the War Department 5800 applications must be secured from the states of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Two C. M. T. Camps will be established, one at Jefferson Barracks, Mo. for young men from southern and central Illinois, and one at Camp Custer, Mich., for young men from northern Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. Four thousand four hundred young men will be trained in these two camps.

The purpose of these camps is to bring together young men of high type from all sections of the country on a common basis of equality and under the most favorable conditions of outdoor life; to stimulate and promote citizenship, patriotism and Americanism; and, through expert physical training, to benefit the young men individually and bring them to realize their obligations to their country. Any healthy, normal young man between the ages of 17-24, who is of good moral character, may attend the camp. The government will pay expenses for young men attending camp, transportation from their home to camp and return, and will provide uniforms, food, medical attention, housing and laundry while at the camp.

This is the fifth year for the Citizens' Military Training Camps, which are becoming increasingly popular with young men and their parents, so much so, in fact, that even with the increase in numbers that can be trained, made possible by increased appropriations by Congress for this purpose, places for all applicants cannot be provided. It therefore behooves young men who wish to be assured of an opportunity to avail themselves of this privilege to make application at once.

The Commanding General, Sixth Corps Area, 1819 West Pershing Road, Chicago, Illinois, will gladly furnish further information about attendance and application blanks.

Why a Sunday School?

It is a well-known maxim that "character cannot be altered by law." Very true so far as it goes, but we realize that ignorance is a menace to our nation and have enacted laws making it compulsory for children between certain ages to attend school where they have the opportunity to secure an education and become an asset to our country.

One of the Proverbs reads, "Righteousness exalteth a nation" yet there is no law compelling attendance at any institution for religious education or instruction in the Bible and the Sunday School was founded to meet this need.

The child is rare indeed who studies reading, writing, arithmetic, history or any other study for the love of learning. They have to be taught to study and it is only after they become interested that they study for the love of it. So it is with the Bible. Give them the beautiful stories and its simplest lessons until they become interested, then they will read it because they love it.

It is true that parents should give their children religious instruction in the home, but many parents fail to do this and the children should not be denied a knowledge of the Bible because of their parents negligence and the Sunday School stands prepared and willing to aid and assist in this important branch of their education. We should not however look upon the Sunday School as an organization for children only, for it is worthy of the support and co-operation of all adults as well, and will return full value for any effort put forth in keeping it a power for good in the community.

If you are not a member of any other school, the Presbyterian Sunday School extends you a cordial invitation to join its membership.

A good running mate for the well known "English as spoken" is "muscle as played."

Advice to young men: You can't tell what the sweet young thing means by what she says.

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Highway and Tax Measures in Lime Light at Lansing

House Passes Ming Bill Turning Over Control of Trunk Lines To State.

INCOME TAX PROPOSED.

Lawmakers Get Busy in Earnest as Weather Hints of Early Spring.

Spurred on by the lash of rebukes from Lieut.-Gov. George W. Welsh, presiding officer of the Senate, and Fred B. Wells, speaker of the House, the Legislature is getting down to business in earnest. Each day sees real progress on some of the many important bills pending before the Senate and the House. Appropriation requests and bills relating to taxation, elections, highways and punishment of criminals are holding the center of the stage.

The McEachron capital punishment bill, which has already been the subject of heated and eloquent discussion, has been made a special order of business for Thursday afternoon, March 12, at 2:30, at which time it will come up for final action in the House.

Important progress has been made on the cut and dried program of highway legislation agreed upon by Senate and House leaders. The Senate has passed unanimously the bill by Senator Orville Atwood of Newaygo which authorizes the State Highway Department and State Administrative Board to lay out 500 miles of additional trunk line mileage. This blanket measure takes the place of the nearly 30 bills introduced to date providing for various sections of trunk lines.

Turn Over Trunk Lines to State.

Despite the out-spoken opposition of the highway officials of a few counties, the House passed by a 71 to 14 vote the bill by Rep. Fred Ming of Cheboygan which provides for the taking over of all trunk line construction and maintenance by the State on Jan. 1, 1926, and relieving the counties from any expense or responsibility in connection with trunk lines after that date. In case counties or townships have satisfactory engineers or equipment, the state could contract for their use either for the construction or maintenance of trunk lines.

Because of the oppressive tax burden in Michigan and the very oppressive load borne by real estate, bills proposing tax reform are attracting considerable attention. The most radical development in this direction has been the introduction by Rep. Wilbur B. Snow, of Comstock, of a proposal for a state income tax in Michigan. This measure would add a new section to Article X of the constitution to read as follows:

"The legislature shall provide by law for a tax upon or with respect to net gains, profits and incomes from whatever source derived, which tax may be graduated and progressive and which may provide for reasonable exemptions. For the purpose of such tax, property and persons, firms and corporations, upon which said tax may operate, may be classified." This measure would strike out six sections contained in Article X of the constitution. It would abolish the primary school interest fund and place the property of public utilities on the general property tax rolls.

Rep. Evans' bill giving the State Tax Commission power to pass upon the tax exemptions requested by the charitable homes of fraternal or secret societies, passed the House 85 to 2. Supporters of this bill declare that it will add about \$50,000,000 to the tax rolls of the state. Rep. William J. Thomas' bill, providing that the Board of State Tax Commissioners could increase valuations set by their field men, passed the House 94 to 0.

To Curb Bond Issues

Realizing the fact that many Michigan municipalities are plunging head over heels into bonded indebtedness, Sen. Howard F. Baxter of Grand Rapids has introduced a bill providing that only serial bonds be issued, except in cases where a sinking fund is established, into which payments are made amounting to as much as would be paid if serial bonds had been issued. The bill further provides for limiting to 6 mills the amount to be raised to retire bonds and sets 30 years as the limit that bonds may run. The state treasury will be given power to supervise the financial and tax condition of the various municipalities and would keep a record of the bonded indebtedness, assessed valuation and condition of the sinking fund of each municipality, and no bonds could be issued until the state treasurer had issued a statement certifying that the bonding conditions of the corporation were in compliance with the law.

Another tax bill has been introduced

by Rep. Philip O'Connell of McGregor. This measure would decrease the corporation tax rate from 2 1/2 mills to 2 mills on the capital and surplus of the corporation, but would increase the maximum tax which any corporation might pay from the present limit of \$50,000 to \$500,000. This is the same bill that Sen. Bernie L. Case introduced in the Senate some weeks ago, but this has never been reported out by the Senate Committee on Taxation.

At least two fights which were expected to come up during the past week have not materialized as yet. Neither the re-appointment bills nor the proposal to change the name of the Michigan Agricultural College have been reported out by the committees considering them.

By a vote of 81 to 11, the House passed Rep. Look's constitutional amendment which would permit sheriffs to hold office for more than two consecutive terms.

Among the more important new measures proposed are the following:—

By Rep. John E. Gillett of Rapid City a bill to repeal the present law requiring the cutting of noxious weeds.

By Rep. Philip O'Connell of McGregor a bill to entirely re-write the present dog license law. The tax would be \$2 for each male or unsexed dog and \$4 for each female dog which had not been unsexed. One of the strong features of this bill is the provision that any violation thereof would be a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of from \$5 to \$200, or up to 90 days in jail.

By Sen. Arthur E. Wood of Detroit a bill to protect evergreen trees against their wasteful cutting for Christmas purposes by requiring persons to obtain licenses for cutting, transporting or selling such trees, less than 4 inch in diameter at the butt.

By Rep. Lynn C. Gardner of Stockbridge a bill to limit the gross weight of trucks to ten tons, to prohibit a greater axle load than seven tons and to limit the gauge to 76 inches. Trucks over 30 feet in length would be required to drive 300 feet apart, and trucks over 30 feet in length, including trailers, or weighing more than 5,000 pounds, would be forbidden to drive faster than 15 miles per hour.

Boost Better Seed With Special Week

The importance of a safe seed supply for Michigan farmers, and the effect of such seed on the prosperity of agriculture in general, will be brought home to the state during the week of March 16 to 20, designated as official "Better Seed" week for Michigan.

During this week practically every farm interest in the state will join the campaign to bring out the importance of an adapted, guaranteed seed supply. Meetings will be held at local points over the state, an effort being made to reach a large percentage of the farmers of the state with informational material on seeds.

An outstanding feature of the Better Seed Week will be a series of radio lectures to be given over station WKAR the Michigan Agricultural College station. These lectures, which will be part of the regular extension radio school from the college station, will be given between 7:15 and 8:00 o'clock, eastern time, each evening of the week. Local groups throughout the state will organize radio parties where there are receiving sets, taking in the Better Seed Seed talks in this way.

"Michigan farmers will be sowing ten million dollars worth of seed within the next few days," says C. R. Megee, acting head of the farm crops department at M. A. C. "A two hundred and thirty million dollar crop will depend on the quality of this seed. The Better Seed week will aim to help in the efficient expenditure of this big agricultural investment."

Thousands To Attend M. A. C. Radio School

That thousands of Michigan farm people, in addition to other thousands from states scattered all over the country, will "attend" the special radio extension courses which started at M. A. C. on March 2, was indicated by enrollment this week for the first of the courses.

The idea of sitting at home in comfort and "taking in" educational programs along the technical lines of their business seems to appeal to the state's rural population. An actual count of those who listen to the lectures is an impossibility, according to college authorities in charge of the radio school only a relatively small percentage actually registering. It is certain, however, that the number will run well into the thousands for each of the courses to be given.

The five agricultural extension courses, registration in which is open to anybody in the state, are listed as follows: March 2-13, farm machinery and home conveniences; March 16-27, farm crops and soils; March 30—April 10, poultry and livestock; April 13-24, home gardens; and April 27—May 8, homemakers' course.

Going to church won't do any harm if you are sure you won't hurt anybody.

Legislative Bills A Menace

Charlevoix County Tax Payers Should Investigate Proposed Measures.

Watch your pocketbook! Charlevoix County is due to lose a lot of money if certain bills now before Legislature are allowed to pass.

The following information is given not alone as a warning but to solicit your aid in defeating the measures that would forever cripple education in our and the other counties of the state. Read this carefully and then write personally to your representative, Mr. J. M. Harris, and your senator, Mr. Wm. Pearson, Lansing, Michigan, that you are not in favor of a passage of these bills.

1. Last year Charlevoix County received from the state \$11,185.63 of library money which was distributed according to law.

House Joint Resolution No. 3 would divert this to the general fund and so deprive our libraries of this money.

Quick action on this resolution is necessary if we would save ourselves the above amount.

Last year the Primary School Interest Fund received from the state \$3,492,613.60 inheritance tax together with \$244,033.32 interest on the same.

House Bill No. 137, file 49, and Senate Bill No. 120 are identical. They would remove this tax from real estate and thus deprive Charlevoix County of nearly \$12,000 Primary money.

Now, let's hit where it will do the most good. Don't just talk about it. Cut this article out and mail it to the men named above together with a letter asking them to vote against these bills.

Yours for Charlevoix County's Educational Welfare,
A. C. BELDING

The Cost of Advertising

A million dollars was spent last year in advertising coffee. A lot of money but the average per capita consumption of coffee was increased 80 cups a year at an advertising cost of less than one cent per capita.

A famous soup canner's advertising expense runs to enormous figures. But before he started to advertise his sales cost 20 per cent. Today it is 5 per cent. A cent's worth of advertising sells him six cans of soup.

Advertising pays both buyer and seller—the buyer in smaller costs, the seller in increased production.

When Do People Die?

The belief often expressed in the sick room that the hours just before dawn are the dangerous ones, seems to be upheld by an interesting study of the deaths from natural causes in New York. This study was made by Mary McFadden, and the results are published in the Scientific American. More than 24,000 deaths occurred in the territory covered during 1923, and it was ascertained at what hour of the day or night the angel of death hovered over the patient.

It is surprising to note that the hour of twelve midnight, showed the least number of deaths, and that the hour of twelve noon the next lowest number. The peak was reached at one o'clock in the morning, and the next highest number of deaths occurred at five a. m. Between the hours was a consistent showing of more than average deaths.

Whether these figures mean anything or not we are frank to say we do not know, but they are interesting in suggestions, at any rate.

Begging Wives

If there are a set of creatures in this world who deserve the unalloyed sympathy of mankind it is begging wives of stingy, parsimonious, well to do men.

We presume that there are some of the type in this community, and we hope the husbands read this, and reflect upon the unfair partnership which they are continuing. Every wife should have an allowance and if her husband is unwilling to give her a reasonable one out of his income she ought to shut up the house and get out and make one.

There is the rub; Too many married women are unable to earn a living. The gratifying fact of the present brides is that the large majority of them can, if necessary, make their own living. It means that friend husband will not be able to lord it over his wife because he holds the purse strings.

A good way to test a new business venture is to talk it over with your wife.

About the quickest way to mortgage your house is to look at the new models.

The third month of the present year has arrived, and we suspect that there are many things undone that were resolved for January and February.

Registration Notice

For Biennial Spring Election and Annual City Election April 8th, 1925. To the Qualified Electors of the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, as amended, I, the undersigned City Clerk, will upon any day except Sunday or a legal holiday, or the day of any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said City not already registered who may Apply To Me Personally for such registration, or who may make application for registration by mail or messenger, as provided by Act 7, Public Acts of 1919, as amended, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election.

March 28, 1925—Last Day for General Registration by Personal Application.

March 11, 1925—Last Day for Registration by Affidavit—See Below.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at my office under Postoffice on March 14 and March 21, 1925 From 8 o'clock a.m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said City as Shall Properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an Actual Resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

REGISTRATION BY AFFIDAVIT—MAIL OR MESSENGER

Under Act 7, Pub. Acts, 1919, as amended, the privilege of absent voters is extended to include registration. They can also register by Mail or Messenger whether absent or not but the affidavit must be received by the Clerk on or before the 10th Day preceding the Third Saturday before the election.

AFFIDAVIT FOR REGISTRATION

State of Michigan, ss
County of _____

I, _____ being duly sworn, depose and say that I am a citizen and a duly qualified elector of the _____ Precinct of the City of _____ in said County of _____ and State of Michigan; that my post-office address is _____ that I am not now registered as an elector therein and that I make this affidavit for the purpose of procuring my registration as an elector in accordance with the statute, and I solemnly swear or affirm to support the constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Michigan, and to defend the same against all enemies foreign and domestic.

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ A. D. 1925

Signed _____

Notary or Justice.

My commission expires _____ 1925.

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OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

Our idea of wasted energy is articles advising the lovers. What they need is a warning beforehand.

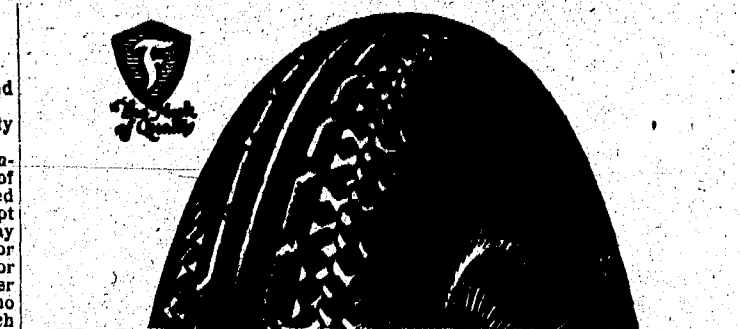
We may not need a new national anthem, but, at least, we ought to have somebody able to sing the one we have.

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King Tommy

By George A. Birmingham

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(Continued)

The managers of the Mascotte, having secured the services of a real princess, made the most of her, and gave her every chance of making the most of herself. The higher lights were extinguished all over the room. Only the small shaded lamps on the diners' tables still burned. A bright beam from some hidden lamp fell on the princess and followed her wherever she moved. The twitching of the viola strings grew faster. The players drew their bows across the strings and the music came loud and tempestuous. The girl on the carpet with the light on her looked younger, fresher, more beautiful than any of the others who had danced before her.

Unfortunately she could not dance. Her performance would scarcely have won applause in a second-rate theater. Her steps and attitudes were graceful enough but were easy of accomplishment. There was no kind of spirit or any delight in her dancing. Even Tommy, who knew nothing about the art, realized that this girl was greatly the inferior of those who had gone before her. Her dancing meant nothing, conveyed nothing except a feeling that she disliked doing it and despised the people she was doing it for. It seemed to Tommy that she was dancing specially for him and that she disliked and despised him more than she did the others.

The music rose to a climax of sound. The dance came suddenly to an end. The lights blazed out again. The girl sank to the ground in a low curtsy with her skirts spread out round her, right in front of Tommy's table, within a couple of feet from him. There was a burst of applause. Men stood up and shouted. It was not the dancing they approved. Not a Jewess among them, not a slant-eyed Russian lady, not a profiteer, or even an American but knew perfectly well that the girl could not dance. Their applause was for themselves, not for her. It was the new rich proclaiming their triumph over the old aristocracy, over royalty itself. Risen from the slime of the war period, they acclaimed themselves masters of the old order which was there, like Samson among the Philistines, to make sport for them.

The band blared into a noisy march. The girl remained crouched at Tommy's feet, flushed and panting, the fingers of her right hand twitching at the bodice of her dress. Suddenly she rose. With a quick nod and a little motion of her hand she flicked a note across to Tommy. It fell on the plate in front of him. The girl, without glancing at him again, looking neither to the right nor to the left, walked through the applauding people and disappeared.

CHAPTER IX

Tommy picked up the note. Before he could open it he was aware that Janet Church was standing beside him. In the excitement which followed the princess' dance she had managed to leave her humble table and make her way unhindered across the room.

"You promised," she said, "to introduce me to Count Casimir."

Tommy remembered the promise, remembered also the form the introduction was to take. In the midst of the fantastic unreality of all that was happening to him there seemed nothing absurd in introducing Janet precisely as he had promised. Casimir was sitting beside him smiling gently.

"This," said Tommy, "is my aunt. Allow me to introduce her to you." The count stood up, bowed, took

Janet's hand, and kissed it. He showed not the slightest sign of ever having seen her before, though he must have recollected the pink dressing gown and quilted slippers in the corridor in the morning. He did not seem to feel that Janet in her shabby frock was out of place at the Mascotte. By not so much as the tremble of an eyelid did he show his astonishment that Tommy had brought an aunt with him to Berlin.

"I'm very glad to meet you, Count Casimir," said Janet. "There's something I want you to do for me. I'm sure you can do it if you will. I am, as I dare say you know, acting as continental representative of the Federation for the Promotion of World Peace Through the Union of Christian Churches."

Casimir bowed again. Not even his knowledge of Shakespeare was sufficient for a quotation suitable to follow Janet's speech.

"The Patriarch of Lystria," said Janet, "is one of the leaders of the Christian churches whom we are most anxious to enlist in our movement. Unfortunately, our Foreign office—"

Casimir glanced appealingly at Tommy. The sudden appearance of this splinter aunt startled him. Her intention of interesting the patriarch in a matter of which he had never heard bewildered him.

Tommy made no reply to the unspoken appeal. He turned and walked away.

The entertainment at the Mascotte was evidently over. The men and women who had dined or supped there rose from their tables and passed out of the room. Tommy edged his way through the procession of departing people and found a quiet place where there was still light enough for reading. He opened the note which the princess had flicked onto his plate, and read:

"Go back to London and marry Viola Temple, Calypso."

Tommy stared at the words. He did not know any one called Viola Temple. He had certainly no intention of marrying any one of that name. Indeed, I do not think he ever heard the name before. Of course, it was well enough known in London, and since her friendship with Lord Norneys became notorious, the lady's picture had been in all the illustrated papers. But Tommy lived in a remote corner of Ireland. He heard no social or theatrical gossip, and seldom saw a paper except the Irish Times, which does not publish pictures of dancing girls.

Nor did he understand why the girl in the Mascotte—by far the prettiest of all he had seen—should have singled him out among the men present to be the recipient of this note and this odd command. If Viola Temple had to be married, there must surely be some one more suited for the job than he was. He remembered the scornful glances which the girl had cast at him while she danced and the mocking obsessions of her curtsies. He wondered why on earth she did these things and what she could possibly know about him.

Then slowly a little understanding, a mere glimmer, came to him.

Casimir had promised that he should meet a lady at the Mascotte, had indeed brought him there for the purpose. Well, he had met Calypso. Casimir, speaking to him just before the dance, had called her a princess, Princess Calypso. The title was no doubt a picturesque exaggeration intended as an advertisement. Tommy had heard of some one known as the "Queen of Song." Perhaps Calypso was the "Princess of Dancing," though he did not think that she deserved the title.

The whole thing was puzzling, confusing, utterly incomprehensible. Yet Tommy was glad that he had come to the Mascotte, very glad that he had seen the girl. She was—

Tommy always becomes incoherent when he tries to speak of his first feelings about Calypso. I do not wonder. He had all his life been accustomed to women like my sister Emily, some of them older than Emily, many of them of course younger. But all of them wise, sensible, respectable, like Jaeger underclothing, which though wholesome is not exciting. Calypso was utterly different. If I were to compare her to a garment—but I do not know enough about clothes to do that, and I am told that the best of these things are not exhibited in shop windows.

The fact is that Tommy, then and there, suddenly, abruptly, hopelessly, fell in love with Calypso. I do not profess to understand love at first sight. The six or seven love affairs I have experienced in life have all been gradual, a growth of feeling so slow that the lady had generally passed out of my reach—gone to Nice or Monte Carlo or somewhere for the winter before I found out that I was in love with her. But I am not a skeptic about the faculty of these sudden passions. No sensible man can be. Literature gives us the cases of Romeo falling in love with Juliet, of Fanny Squeers falling in love with Nicholas Nickleby, and many others. In real life—at the moment I can only recall Garibaldi and Anita, but that is good enough. He fell in love when he was looking at her for the first time at a great distance through a telescope. Tommy had a better excuse than that.

Casimir tapped Tommy on the arm.

"His majesty," he said, "wishes to speak to you."

Tommy looked round. The room was almost clear of visitors, who had streamed off to finish a night's pleasure in the Palais de Dance next door. Waiters were busy clearing away

the debris of meals from the tables. Most of the lights had been put out. Janet Church was standing by herself beside the table where she had been introduced to Casimir. Tommy saw no one whom he recognized except the little head waiter. He was seated by himself at a table in a corner of the room with a bottle of champagne in front of him. Thus, it may be supposed, head waiters relax themselves and recuperate after their toils are over.

"His majesty waits," said Casimir. He was standing very erect with his hands at his sides in a military attitude of attention. With a side glance he indicated the head waiter. Tommy felt that he was living through some confused and fantastic dream—dancing girls transformed into princesses and head waiters into kings. Or perhaps—it seemed wildly improbable—this might be part of the evening's entertainment at the Mascotte, an original kind of harlequinade.

He walked slowly over to the table at which the head waiter sat. He was greeted with friendly cordiality. "Sit down, my dear boy. Please sit down and have another glass of wine."

Tommy stared at him in amazement. Not at all in this familiar fashion had the head waiter treated him earlier in the evening. Then he glanced at Casimir who was standing stiffly to attention.

"There's such divinity doth hedge a king—"

"Explain, Casimir," said the head waiter. "Lord Norneys does not understand."

"Please," said Casimir, "you are in the presence of King Wladislaw of Lystria."

"But I don't keep up any pretense of etiquette here," said the king, "though Casimir insists on behaving as if we were still in Lystria. Do sit down."

Up to that moment Tommy had never heard the name of the king of Lystria. It was a very small state, and although it took the wrong side in the war, nobody paid much attention to it. He sat down.

"How did you like Calypso's dancing?" said the king. "Not much, eh? Well I don't think much of it myself. In fact, she wouldn't be dancing here if she wasn't a princess. That's what makes it worth while to employ her. These nouveaux riches are amazingly fond of royalty. In fact,"—he dropped his voice to a confidential whisper—"I should never have got the job of head waiter here if I hadn't agreed to Calypso's dancing. That's how it happens that she's here. Her salary isn't much. But my job as head waiter—However, we can talk of that later on. What I want to say to you now is that you'll have to be very careful with Calypso. She's got her knife into you about that other girl."

He chuckled pleasantly, and re-filled his own glass and Tommy's.

I don't mind a bit myself, of course," he said, "and Casimir doesn't mind. But Calypso! Why did you allow Miss Temple to write that letter to her? It's made things a bit difficult, you know. You'll have to reason with her a little. Pitch it strong. You might tell her perhaps that Miss Temple is over forty, and squints. That would soften things down a bit."

"I shall say," said Tommy, "that I never heard of Miss Temple in my life until this evening."

"If you can get her to believe that—"

"I don't know her," said Tommy, "so I can't tell."

The king looked at him with twinkling eyes.

"You do it very well," he said, "far better than ever I did."

"Before you say anything more," said Tommy, "I want to tell you that you're mistaken about who I am. I'm not Lord Norneys, or Lord anything else. I'm Reverend Thomas A. Norneys, a curate."

"That's good," said the king, "distinctly original. I never thought of it. But you'll have to be very careful. It's not only Calypso. There's the patriarch too. You don't know him yet. But you will. He used to worry the life out of me about—well, about any Miss Temple I happened to be interested in at the time. And Calypso says she'll tell him directly she sees him. But perhaps you know how to manage the clergy. I never could."

"I've just told you that I am a clergyman myself."

"Well," said the king, "that may be all right. In fact, the patriarch will be pleased about it. If he hears nothing about Miss Temple. But if Calypso tells him, then I am afraid your being a clergyman will only make it worse, from his point of view. Simply from—his point of view, of course. I don't mind a bit myself. In fact, I prefer clergymen with some little human failings. I'd have liked the patriarch better and got on better with him if there'd ever been—well, a Hagar, or some one of that sort. But there wasn't."

Janet Church, tired of standing by herself and very curious to know what was going on, edged slowly toward the table at which Tommy was

sitting. The king, who has very sharp eyes, noticed her.

"By the way," he said, "why did you bring your aunt with you? Casimir tells me that she's your aunt. I suppose she is your aunt? I used to say cousin myself sometimes, and occasionally sister—not that any one ever believed me—but I never thought of aunt. I suppose now that she isn't—but she can't be, can't possibly be. But still some men have queer fancies. I suppose she isn't Miss Temple, is she?"

"No, she's not," said Tommy.

"That's almost a pity," said the king. "I don't think Calypso would



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have objected to her. I don't think even the patriarch would have minded. However, if she isn't—"

He had to drop his voice at the last words, for Janet had come quite close to them. The king greeted her in the most friendly manner.

"I'm just giving your nephew a little advice," he said. "I was talking about the financial position of Lystria. Low rate of exchange and all that, you know. But the worst of it is that the people simply won't pay their taxes. At least, they wouldn't in my time. Ever since I've been here I've been thinking things over and I see now that I went the wrong way about collecting taxes. All governments make the same mistake. They send round disagreeable men with large blue papers and threaten people who don't

pay up. That's the wrong way to get money. As head waiter in the Mascotte I make more in a single month than I ever got out of Lystria in a year. I don't threaten any one. I don't ask any one for a tip. A good waiter can make a man feel like a worm if he orders anything cheaper than champagne, and without speaking a word can see to it that he gets a ten per cent tip at least on every bill that's paid. I take fifty per cent of what the waiters get. That's revenue, collected without the slightest difficulty. What I'm advising your nephew to do is to try the same plan in Lystria. Fire all the existing tax collectors. They're an utterly worthless lot, and their methods are antiquated. Hire a staff of waiters from some place like this. Employ them on a fifty-fifty basis, and just see what you get in. Now what do you think of that plan, Miss Temple?"

"My name isn't Temple," said Janet. "It's—"

"Of course not," said the king. "Norneys told me it wasn't."

"It's Church, Miss Janet Church." She spoke stiffly. Her impression was that the king was a very drunk head waiter.

"Church," said the king. "How very ecclesiastical! And Norneys says he's a curate. You ought to be able to handle the patriarch between you."

"I'm going to Lystria," said Janet, "to enlist the patriarch's sympathies in the cause of World Peace Through the Union of Christian Churches."

The king looked at her for a moment with a little puzzled frown on his forehead. Then he turned to Tommy.

"I must say you're managing this uncommonly well," he said. "If you can start the patriarch arguing about religion, he'll forget—it's an extraordinarily ingenious plan. I wish I'd thought of it in my time. But then I never had an aunt who could have done it. I wish I could be there. Miss Church, I'd like to hear you and the patriarch at it together. But I can't go. They'd never let me cross the frontier. Besides, I must hold on to my job here. It's all I have to live on."

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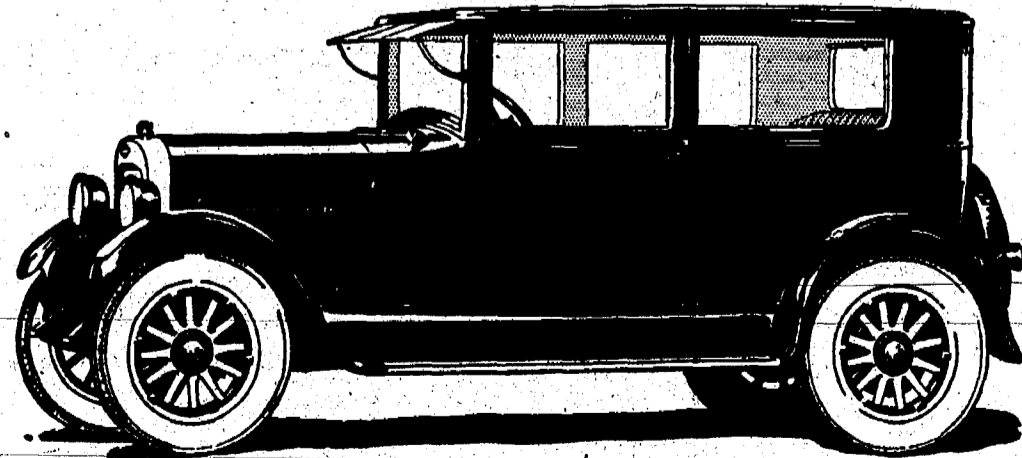
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WILSON

(Edited by Mrs. O. D. Smith)

Fine Spring weather.
We are glad to see Fred Holland out again after his serious illness.

Miss Ketha Barnetta of East Jordan was a caller at O. D. Smith's in Afton last Friday.

Mrs. Loyd Deahane visited her mother, Mrs. White in Boyne City the first of this week.

Mrs. Eugene Raymond has been quite poorly this winter, suffering with the Asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hott visited their daughter, Mrs. Will Crawford, one day last week.

Thos. Shepard has recently purchased a new horse to replace the one he lost the first of the winter.

Twp. Treas. Chas. Shepard made a trip to Charlevoix last Tuesday to make his returns to the County Treasurer.

Mrs. Rollin Holmes of East Jordan has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pearsall in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown and daughter, Thelma, and Miss Hazel Brown of Boyne City were Sunday visitors at Albert Todd's in this place.

Dear Lake Grange enjoyed a pot-luck supper last Saturday night, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hardy, who are spending a few weeks with relatives in this place.

Mr. Hardy has finished his Chiropractic course in Davenport, Iowa, and expects to locate in East Jordan for practise this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith returned home last Thursday from a 3 months sojourn in Southern Michigan. They report a fine winter where they resided.

About 80 voters were present at Wilson Twp. Caucus held last Tuesday afternoon. The following tickets were nominated for office. Ticket No. 1. Sup. Albert Trojaneck; Clerk, E. S. Brintnall; Treas.; Chas. Shepard, Highway Com.; Wilbert McGeorge, Justice full term, S. R. Nowland. To fill vacancy; Carl Bergman. Ticket No. 2. Clerk; Eugene Kurchinski, Highway Com.; A. R. Nowland, Treas. and Sup.

PENINSULAR

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Quite a severe thunder storm visited this section Saturday afternoon.

Cars are beginning to venture out again after the snow storm of two weeks ago.

Durby Hayden arrived home Saturday evening after spending a week with friends in Petoskey.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bogart and son, J. E. Clare, Mrs. Nellie Evans and son, J. E. of Boyne City made a house party at the Joel Bennett farm Saturday and Sunday.

Ed. Spence of Canada, an old resident of Peninsular visited old friends on the Peninsula several days last week.

A very nice social evening was spent at the Gleaner Temple Saturday. Ed. Spence an old resident of Peninsular was there and treated the "Young Bloods" to some fine violin music.

The Eveline Arbor of Gleaners are planning on producing a Play in the near future.

Henry Prine of Iron Mountain who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Healey and family for some weeks returned to his home last week Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis and daughter, Pauline, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Healey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Healey and sons, John and Clayton, attended the Star of Hope Sunday School at the Mountain school house Sunday.

Next Saturday is caucus and a good many are planning on going as there is to be a whole new Twp. Board nominated. Supervisor F. H. Wangeman is the only one of the Twp. Board to seek renomination.

George Lamb of Boyne City spent several days at the Fred Wurn home last week.

George Hanson made a trip from his farm near Ironton, West of the Ferry to Advance with his motor truck Monday.

The sleighing is now broken up.

Kenneth and Francis Russell of Ridgeway, and Daniel Reich of Lone Ash, Bunker Hill, rode horse back to the Star of Hope Sunday School Sunday. The James Arnot children also attended the same Sunday School, but they went with the sleigh.

The Star of Hope Sunday School, Mountain Dist. reports the splendid attendance of forty people last Sunday. An even larger attendance is expected next Sunday. Francis Gould will sing a solo, accompanied by Mrs. Sanderson. We don't ask you to send any one to our Sunday School, but rather bring them, and help make this hour of worship, a blessing to the community.

Political Notice

Vote For Wm. Sanderson, Supervisor. Robert Sherman, Treasurer at the Eveline Township Caucus.

MILES DISTRICT

(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles.)

Frances Evans spent the week end in Boyne City visiting his sister, Mrs. Laura Lindenau.

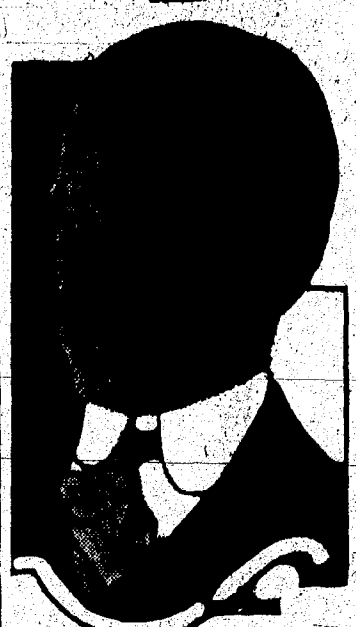
Mrs. C. L. Strong returned home after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Miles.

Mrs. Chas. Hillman went to East Jordan last Tuesday for an indefinite stay.

Albert Medema is drawing logs to East Jordan, his brother-in-law is helping him.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Slough and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bancroft.

CAPITAL MOVENS DEATH OF SENATOR MCCORMICK



SENATOR JOSEPH M. MCCORMICK

Washington—Medill McCormick senior United States senator from Illinois, died suddenly here Feb. 25.

He was found dead in bed in his apartment at the Hotel Hamilton. It was stated the senator had died of myocarditis, the contributory cause of which was acute dilation of the heart.

The tragic news shocked the capital. Although he was about to pass from the congressional scene with the retirement from the senate on March 4, next, he was not yet 48 years old.

New Dirigible Designed

London—Innovations in dirigible designs, making the airships faster and safer and more feasible for long distance flight, have been submitted to the government. Experts are quoted as saying it would be possible with the new ships to make the journey to New Zealand in nine days. The new designs, it is explained, eliminate the gondolas with the exception of those carrying the motors, thus reducing resistance. They provide space for the pilot, and navigating room in the ship's nose. The passenger salons are also within the ship's skeleton.

Bolting Senators Return

Indianapolis, Ind.—The Indiana Democratic senators who fled into Ohio tying up business in the upper branch state legislature in protest against attempts to pass a Gerrymander bill, have arrived here after an eventful trip to Dayton. The party left Dayton for Indianapolis after receiving assurance that the bill which would give the Republicans an advantage in the second congressional district would not be passed, it was said.

Crack Train In Crash

Brockville, Ont.—"The Canadian," crack Canadian Pacific passenger train No. 20, bound from Chicago to Montreal, was reported by long distance messages to this station to have crashed head on into a waiting freight train at Glen Bay, three miles west of Perth. Four trainmen and several passengers were injured, two perhaps fatally. The latter, both Canadians, were taken to a hospital in Perth.

Death Takes German President

Berlin—Fritz Ebert, socialist, sardier and first president of the German republic, died Feb. 28 of peritonitis following an appendix operation. Masses of mourners darkened the streets and flags were half masted.

There is much speculation as to who will be his successor but former Chancellor Marx is thought to be the likeliest candidate.

Collins Brothers Sue for Estate

Munfordsville, Ky.—Three brothers of Floyd Collins, the man a nation vainly sought to rescue from his cavern tomb, are seeking to take his estate from the father's hands. Their petitions were heard in court here. The brothers—Homer, Andy and Marshall—assert Lee Collins, the father, is mentally incapable of managing the estate due to age and grief over his son's death.

Founder of Elks Dead

Springfield, Mass.—Joseph L. Norcross, 81 years old, one of the founders of the Benevolent and Protective order of Elks, and charter member of New York lodge number one, died at his home here. He was an old time minstrel and up to a few months ago appeared on the vaudeville stage as "America's oldest minstrel."

Warship Runs Aground

San Francisco—The United States cruiser Huron, flagship of the Asiatic fleet, was aground in Malampya sound, island of Palawan, about 200 miles southeast of Manila, according to word received at the headquarters of the Twelfth naval district here. The ship is said to have been en route from Manila to Java.

Famine Menaces Korea

Tokio—Famine conditions are facing 150,000 Koreans as the result of the poor rice crop, according to word received here. Relief for the stricken population is being planned by the Tokio government.

NOWLAND HILL

(Edited by Mrs. C. M. Nowland)

Mrs. Alvira Manger returned to her home at Vassar, Saturday, after spending the past 5 months with her Nowland relatives here.

Mrs. James Simmons and daughter, Elenor, went to Petoskey last Tuesday, so that little Elenor could be with her sister, Mrs. Roy Allen on her fifth birthday.

Born March 4th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kent of Pleasant Valley, one mile north of Nowland Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Nowland and son and daughter, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hardy Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shepard of East Jordan visited at the home of Mrs. Shepard's sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nowland Thursday evening and Sunday.

On Wednesday, Feb. 24th Eugene Kurchinski had his cottage moved 140 rods by tractor power from the 40 acres, north of Clair Brook's farm on the main road to the 40 acre farm Mr. Kurchinski purchased last summer of Richard Lewis of East Jordan. He expects to move his family from Boyne City by the last of March or in April.

G. R. Short the McNess man called on the people here Monday.

Mrs. Ray Nowland visited friends in East Jordan this week end.

The only person here that felt the shock of the earthquake was Roy Nowland. His wife was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert LaClair of East Jordan for a few days. (So there was a reason, he was alone.)

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brintnall and children, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Todd's of Afton Sunday.

Charles Shepard of Afton went to Charlevoix Tuesday, to settle with the County Treasurer.

Roy Hardy made a business trip to Gaylord, Thursday.

Lem. Henderson and wife have moved back to their farm from the John Hott farm house.

If automobiles don't break us their upkeep will.

This is the time of the year that a young man's fancy, etc., etc.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY

Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2335 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a sample bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND for Coughs and Colds, and free sample packages of FOLEY PILLS and FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS. Try these good remedies. Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Your Savings Are Safe in a Bank

Whose Officers, Directors and Stockholders are among the representative business men of this community.

Whose reputation and standing as a safe, sound, conservative institution has never been questioned.

Whose facilities for handling your business are safe and modern, including a fire proof vault, a near as can be burglar proof time lock safe, heavy insurance against burglary and fire and whose active officers and employees are under heavy fidelity bonds.

Which uses every possible precaution to render its depositors safe.

Which guarantees generous, liberal, courteous treatment to all worthy patrons.

Whose customes have never lost a penny through poor advice given by any of its officers.

Which gives the same welcome to the small depositor as it does the larger one.

All these qualifications you will find at the



"The Bank On The Corner"

W. P. Porter, President Fred Smith, Vice Pres. A. J. Suffern, Cashier.

Directors:—C. A. Brabant, George Carr, W. J. Ellson, W. E. Malpass, W. P. Porter, Dr. C. H. Pray, Fred Smith.

Hermit Crab's Protection

The hermit crab, says Nature Magazine, protects itself by inserting its abdomen into some empty shell which it carries about in all of its wanderings.

High Engine Speed

The highest engine revolution known is alleged to have been reached by a new design of internal spindle grindstone used to grind cylinders. The shaft revolves 80,000 times a minute.

BIFF! BANG!

We Are Remodeling! The Leader Dept. Store Under New System

After fourteen years doing business I come to the conclusion that a new system must take place.

I am to bring to you; "Our Patrons," A CITY STORE, CITY SYSTEMS and ADVANCE STYLES. Our store will run on a one price basis. "ONE PRICE TO ALL," and "UNCOMPETABLE PRICES."

We are making room for more displays; which you will find more to your convenience. Everything in the store will be ticketed and selling price on same. I have also added several new lines. Our Ready-to-wear department will be enlarged and properly lighted.

I feel confident that before Easter you will be able to find all the New and Up-To-Date Spring Showings. We hope to make you feel at home this Spring and to see you a SATISFIED CUSTOMER.

I have found the way to LOWER PRICES with careful study and shopping, without sacrificing QUALITY. It is much easier to look over a wide variety of articles with varying prices and select just what suits the need and pocket and to see what you are buying than to run chances of taking what you get and not getting it when you want it.

We are to always prove COURTEOUS and STRICTLY RELIABLE in every way. I am to Treat You Fair and Square at All Times and to save you money on goods that are dependable.

Buying reliable goods, is not easy to-day. Merchandise requires everlasting watchfulness and hard work. I have searched the markets to buy where quality is best and prices lowest and in this I have SUCCEEDED, which I am sure will meet with your entire satisfaction this spring.

H. ROSENTHAL
East Jordan, Mich.

Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Ruckle, a son—Harold LeRoy—March 6th.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Wilbon, a daughter—Alta Clara—March 5.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Simmerman at Muskegon Heights, Mich., on Feb'y 25th, a son—Lloyd George.
 Another Heart Party will be given by the K. of P. Lodge next Thursday evening, March 19th. You are invited. adv.

Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brintnall at Dinsmore, Sask., on Feb'y 17th.

Russell Barnett has purchased the Carl Stroebel residence on Second St. through the H. A. Goodman, real estate agency.

Bake Sale at East Jordan Lumber Co. Store this Saturday afternoon, commencing 1:30 standard. Given by Cooking Class, E. J. H. S. adv.

Ella, 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilkerson, who underwent an operation at the Reycraft Hospital, Petoskey, a few weeks ago, returned home Tuesday, and is very much improved in health.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Miss Marie Smith to Mr. Meryl J. Jones on Saturday Feb'y 28, at Flint, Michigan. The young people are well known in our city and have the best wishes of their many friends.

The U. S. Supreme Court ruled Monday that federal prohibition agents may lawfully stop an automobile for the purpose of searching it for liquor when there is reasonable cause to believe that liquor is being transported. The case went up from Michigan.

A justice who forgot to pay the tax on his dog was the first victim of the sheriff and county treasurer when they began making arrests over in Kalkaska county, last week. Kalkaska county intends to collect that dog tax, which is delinquent over a thousand dollars.

Vieno Pollander, aged 19 years, was taken to Reycraft Hospital, Petoskey, Sunday, where he underwent an operation for ruptured appendix. The young man passed away Tuesday afternoon. The remains were taken to his home near Hitchcock, Wednesday. He was formerly a resident of this city.

Fire in the dwelling of Vincent Flannery on the West Side caused considerable damage last Tuesday morning about 6:00 o'clock. The fire evidently originated from the kitchen stove and before being extinguished had gutted both the kitchen and dining room and destroyed some of the other household effects.

Candidates for City offices this year seem rather scarce and as a result there will be no City Primary this Spring and probably no contests at the regular April election. On first page of this issue will be found City Clerk Smith's announcement of no primary and list of Candidates. Republican Ward Caucuses for nomination of Supervisor and Constable for each ward will probably be called for March 23rd.



Regular Communication of East Jordan Lodge No. 379 F. & A. M. this Saturday night, March 14th, at 7:30.

Are We Going?
 Well I Guess.
Where?
 Knights of Pythias Hall
When?
 Thursday Evening, March 19,
What for?
 Another Heart Party given by the Knights of Pythias Lodge
SPECIAL PRIZES
 Admission 25c to all Refreshments Served

Mrs. Della Robinson left Thursday for a visit at Cadillac.

Mrs. Ernest Howell was taken to the Charlevoix Hospital, Thursday.

Fred Blahaw left Thursday for Toledo to sail on the Str. Thos. Lynch.

Mrs. Ellen Wilson of Central Lake visited friends here the past week.

Mrs. Ida Hayner left Thursday for a visit with her son at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Harry Keaton of Flint is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Sedgman.

John J. Kraemer has rented the dwelling in this city belonging to James Nicholls.

Thomas McCary, who has been employed at Ozark, Mich., returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Vet Newson left Thursday for Lansing, where she will cook at a Hospital there.

See Knights of Pythias adv. elsewhere in this issue. You are invited to the party. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ostrom went to Charlevoix, Tuesday, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Anna Lalonde and daughter, Miss Agnes, went to Charlevoix, Thursday, to visit the former's daughter.

Clifford LaClair has opened a Barber Shop in the Gus Kitsman store building on State st. and invites your patronage. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell returned to Pontiac, Wednesday, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Breaker.

Spring Millinery opening Friday and Saturday, March 20-21, of Mrs. C. Walsh's Millinery Parlors. Located over Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Don't miss the Bake Sale at East Jordan Lumber Co. Store, given by the Cooking Class of E. J. High School. Saturday afternoon, commencing 1:30 standard. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicholls have rented a dwelling in Central Lake and plan to make that village their home for the coming summer. Mrs. Nicholls left for that place, Thursday.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society will meet at the home of W. P. Porter on Friday afternoon, March 20th, commencing at 2:00 o'clock. Mrs. Porter and Mrs. W. H. Parks will entertain.

Mrs. L. Teigenhoff and children of Huntspur, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCary. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Dorothy McCary, who has been there for a visit.

B. E. Waterman received word, Tuesday, of the death of a cousin, Charles Waterman, at Toledo, Ohio, Monday night. The deceased gentleman was guest at the home of his cousin here several times in the past.

Walter Nessner, residing near Petoskey, received a straight 60-day jail term in justice court in that city, Monday. He was driving an auto, Sunday, while under the influence of liquor and crashed into another auto, both cars being badly damaged.

Boyne City has had murder brought close home to some of her citizens. Kenneth Martin, self convicted murderer of Grand Rapids, formerly resided at Boyne City and attended school there. Daniel Broughton, of Detroit, who was slain recently, was an uncle of Charles Jubenville, of Boyne City.

For the remainder of the season East Jordan's two star debaters will captain the affirmative and negative teams of the Western Normal squad at Kalamazoo. Coach Carrol Lahman this week picked Paul Franseth, to captain the affirmative team and Arthur Seord to captain the negative team on the question of congressional veto over the supreme court. These two boys are the pick of the Normal squad and their work has turned more than one debate in the Teachers' favor this year and last.

Bernard Jones, eight year old Sault Ste Marie boy proved himself worthy of honor when he rescued his playmate, Wayne Erickson, nine year old, from Portage lake where he had skied too far from shore and broken through. The other boys became frightened, but Bernard ran to shore and got a plank which he slid along the ice to the boy in the water and then assisted him to crawl out and helped him back to shore. It was a dangerous job but Bernard proved himself equal to the task. Neither suffered from the accident.

Charlevoix high school basket ball team which has maintained a high place in the sun during the scheduled season of northern games, took a sudden and most unexpected tumble Friday night at East Jordan, being defeated 10 to 4 by the fast little outfit from the south arm of Pine Lake. Previously Charlevoix had lost but one game—to Petoskey on Petoskey's court and won games from all strong teams in the north on her home floor. Harbor Springs team had a close call at East Jordan some days ago but managed to get going in the last half and bring home a fine victory.—Petoskey News.

Mrs. Ed. Ager left Monday for a visit at Grand Rapids.

Miss Eva Patterson left Tuesday for a visit at Detroit.

Donald Porter was home from Grand Rapids over Sunday.

Mrs. R. P. Maddock visited her sister at Bellaire this week.

You can trade your stove or range for a better one at C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Mrs. Grace Jupe of Flint was called here this week by the illness of her father, Joseph Parks.

Mrs. E. A. Lewis and daughter, Miss Eva, left Monday on a trip to Los Angeles, Calif.

Ed. Sandel left Thursday for Fairport Ohio, where he will sail on the Str. Wm. Corey during the navigation season.

About twenty friends gave a surprise and farewell party on Mr. and Mrs. Archie McArthur at their home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Anna Heinbecker left Tuesday for St. Thomas, Ont., and San Diego, Calif., after spending the past two years here with her sister, Mrs. George Gruber.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McArthur left Thursday for Toledo, Ohio, where they will be employed on the Str. Thomas Lynch during the 1925 Great Lakes navigation season.

Mrs. Julia Martin, aged 75 years, passed away at her home in Bellaire, Wednesday, March 3rd. She had been ill for some time, and suffered several paralytic strokes. Deceased was an aunt of Mrs. B. E. Waterman of this city.

Assemblies at the High School

Much Interest Being Taken In These Weekly Exercises.

On Wednesday afternoon of each week from 12:15 to 1:00 standard time, an assembly is held in the High School Auditorium. These exercises are, for the most part, put on by the students, under the direction of the teachers. They are very interesting as well as very instructive occasions and are attended by numerous towns people. More are invited.

The program of last Wednesday consisted of a debate. The question was, "Resolved that the Philippine Islands should be given an immediate and complete independence." The affirmative team was composed of three members from the tenth grade English Class, Edwin White, Edward Carr and Chester Amberg. The negative team was composed of three members from the eleventh grade English class, Elizabeth Sidebotham, Eva McBride and Marguerite Rogers. Three of the faculty, Supt. A. J. Duncanson, J. H. Jacklin, and Clyde Snellenberger acted as judges and gave a two to one decision in favor of the negative.

On Wednesday March 18, the Freshman class, under the direction of Mr. Snellenberger will have charge of assembly and this combination has never failed to produce an interesting and profitable entertainment.

The High School administration aims to give each student a chance for self expression. The work seems to be progressing very satisfactorily indeed and the parents and friends are urged to attend.

Following the example and advise of the leading educators of the day, Mr. Duncanson has introduced Bible reading into these meetings. Each assembly is now opened by the reading of some appropriate passage of scripture.

After much legislative wrangling it looks like the Muscle Shoals' bill will be no bill.

Millinery Opening March 20-21

A cluster of beauty in the New Spring Millinery—the magnificence of the Spring Hat Styles defies attempt to picture it in mere words. Our array is so utterly charming and individual that only a personal examination can convey to you its beauty and originality. Prices to fit every purse.

Mrs. C. Walsh
 Place of business, Second Floor, over Hite's Store.

News of the Week

Presbyterian Church Notes

Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.
 "A Church for Folks."
 Sunday, March 15, 1925.
 10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
 Subj:—"The Faith of an Evangelical Christian."
 11:15 a. m. Sunday School.
 6:30 p. m.—Evening Service.
 7:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting.
 Topic:—"The Practical Value of a Vital Faith in the Resurrection."

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Henry Hiles, Pastor.
 "The Friendly Church."
 Thought for the week:—
 To live well in one's place in the world, adorning one's calling, however lowly, doing one's work diligently and honestly, and dwelling in love and unselfishness with all men, is to live grandly.
 Sunday, March 15, 1925.
 10:00 a. m.—"The Fullness of Life."
 11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
 6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.
 7:00 p. m.—"The Charitable Spirit."
 Tuesday, 7:00 p. m., Girl Scouts.
 Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., Boy Scouts.
 6:00 p. m. Thursday—Choir Practice.
 7:00 p. m., Thursday—Prayer Meeting.

Pilgrim Holiness Church

Leon Brown, Pastor
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service. Subj: 6:30 p. m.—Evening Service. Subj: 7:00 p. m. Wednesday—Cottage Prayer Meeting.
 All are cordially invited to attend.

Church of God.

L. L. Rawlings, Pastor.
 Central Standard Time
 Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
 Preaching—11:00 a. m.
 General Service—6:30 p. m.
 Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday—7:00 p. m.
 The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Generally in Agreement

I am apt to think that men find their simple ideas agree, though in discourse they confound one another with different names.—Locke.

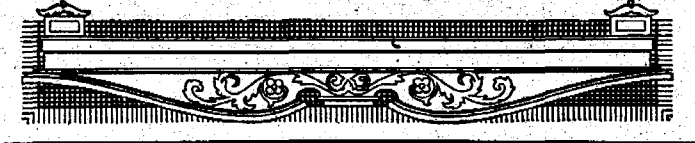


YOU— AND YOUR COMMUNITY
 A man's prosperity and happiness are by-products of his relations with other people. Those who serve their community most reap the greatest reward. That principle is the back-bone of our working creed. We are for this community first, last, and all the time.

"The Bank With The Chime Clock"

Peoples State Savings Bank

East Jordan, Mich.



Latter Day Saints Church.

L. Dudley, Pastor.
 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.

Self-Help

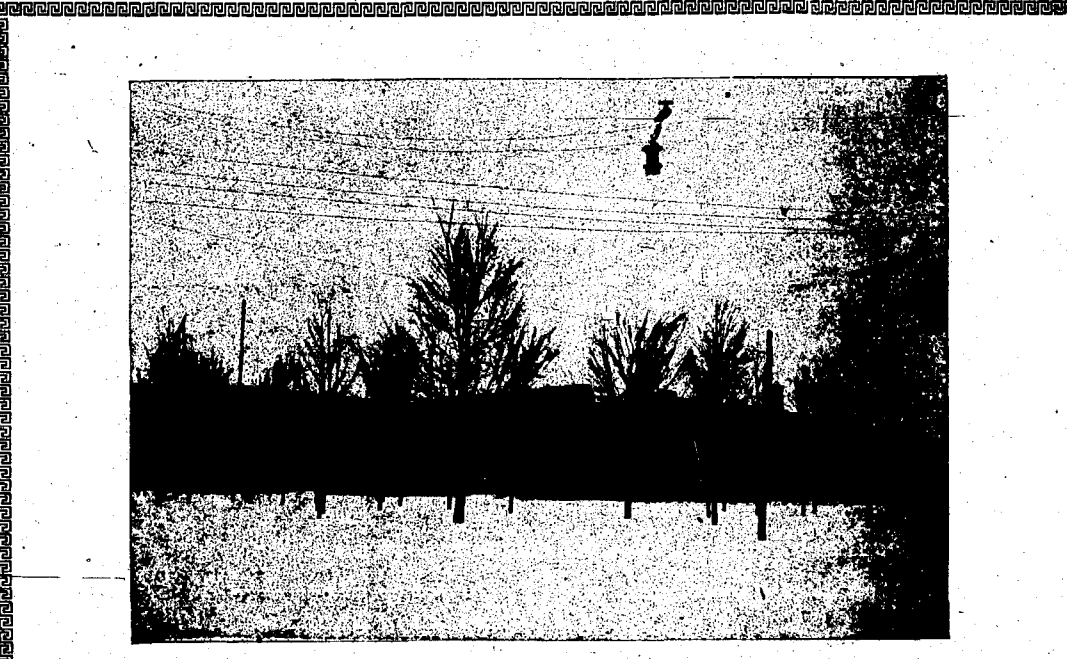
Self-help is a great virtue, provided one only helps oneself to a fair share. The ideal of independence is to acquire as little service as possible from others, while being ready to give to others as much service as lies within one's capacity.

Asking Too Much of Fox

She was in Alaska looking over a fox farm. After admiring a beautiful silver specimen she asked her guide: "Just how many times can the fox be skinned for his fur?" "Three times, madam," said the guide gravely. "Any more than that would spoil his temper."


A COUGH REMEDY WITHOUT OPIATES

Many cough preparations contain some one or more harmful drugs which are added to take the place of opiates. None of these narcotic substitutes have ever been used in FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR COMPOUND. The name of every ingredient is plainly printed on every carton.—Hite's Drug Store. adv.



ANNUAL SENIOR PLAY
"When A Feller Needs A Friend"
HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Monday, March 16th
 7:30 p. m. Standard
A Three Act Play **Music Between Acts**
Two Hours Of Solid Fun
 25c And 35c

"Hello Daddy - don't forget my Wrigleys"



Slip a package in your pocket when you go home to-night.

Give the youngsters this wholesome, long lasting sweet - for pleasure and health.

Use it yourself after smoking or when work drags. It's a great little freshener!

WRIGLEYS

After every meal!

WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT

SEAL TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed With Sulphur It Brings Back Its Beautiful Lustre At Once

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

RED PEPPERS END RHEUMATIC PAINS

When you are suffering with rheumatism so you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Frees the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and the old rheumatism torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Use it for lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, colds in chest. Almost instant relief awaits you. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Rub Rheumatism or Sore, Aching Joints

Rub Pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only. Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints and muscles, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappears and cannot burn the skin.

Linger up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" has relieved millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains.

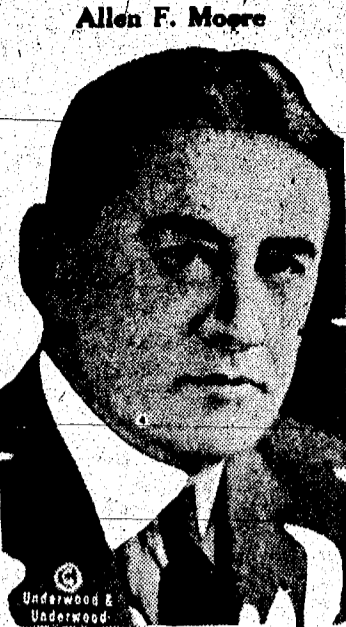
CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.



Allen F. Moore
Congressman Allen F. Moore of Monticello, Ill., who was elected Republican national committeeman from Illinois to succeed the late Frederic W. Upham. Mr. Moore is well known and has held various political offices in southern Illinois.

THE RAINY DAY
By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

I DO not know why I have always liked a rainy day. Nothing else so calms my nerves, nothing else so soothing and so restful, nothing else puts me in so amiable and kindly a mood toward humanity in general. I am not usually affected by the weather; cold or heat, sunshine or clouds are equally pleasant to me. Only the windy day with stray paper and flying straw and dirt in the air gets on my nerves; but the rainy day brings quiet and contentment, placidity of mind, and eagerness to work. I like to read or write before the open fire on such a day, but I enjoy almost as much being out in the storm. I like to draw the moist air into my lungs. I do not know how it happens but I some way never get uncomfortably wet when I am out in the rain. I come into the house on a rainy day cheerful and exhilarated and quite fit.

Perhaps it is because my ancestor's came from England where it seldom does anything else but rain, that I am so happy and so satisfied with the rainy day; perhaps it is because as a young boy I lived on a farm where the rainy day meant leisure and release from the toil and grinding routine of the days of sunshine.

What a joy it was when I awoke in the morning with the rain coming down steadily outside, to feel that after my chores were done, I could curl up in a warm corner with a delightful book without danger of interruption or annoyance. It was on such days that I followed D'Artagnan and his three glorious musketeers through their varied and thrilling adventures; it was then that I tramped with Jeanie Deans on the long road from Edinburgh to London; it was then that I made the acquaintance of Tom Sawyer, and the Marchioness, and Bill Sykes, and Jean Valjean, and Sarle Gump, and Rob Roy, and trailed through the American forest without treading upon a single twig behind those incomparable and impossible Indians of Cooper.

Very likely we were mistaken, but we were quite convinced, when I was a boy, that the only time to go fishing was on a rainy day. The fish were not so shy then, they bit harder and more persistently, we thought, and there was greater likelihood of catching the big ones. Safely covered with father's old rubber coat, I would sit on the bank of the creek throughout a rainy afternoon quite happy and comfortable so long as the bait held out. All through the spring I would watch the sky with eagerness for signs of the gathering clouds and a glorious rainy day. Most of my love of sport and most of my mechanical skill were developed on rainy days, and the old barn and haymow was the arena of contest.

It has always seemed to me that the person who disliked a rainy day lacked resourcefulness and imagination. Was there ever such a time for recounting the past; was there ever such a time for planning the future. If I have ever accomplished anything, I am sure it is because the idea came to me on some peaceful rainy day. It was then, in my imagination, that I performed my bravest acts, wrote my most appealing tales, was the most heroic and aggressive, and showed the strongest powers of leadership.

***** Your Conversation *****
"FRENCH LEAVE"
Eighteenth century books of French etiquette warned the social struggler against taking formal leave of his host or hostess. The guest who enjoyed the party wasn't supposed to stick around for the final handshaking. Only those who wished to register complaints remained. Consequently, taking "French leave" came to mean a hurried departure. "French leave" today is usually taken by cooks, second-story men and unwary politicians.

MARKETS

Butter and Eggs.
Butter markets firm and active. Prices of 88 score butter, No. 1 creamery in tubs, 39@43c per lb. Eggs lower at 28@28 1-2c per doz.

Feed
Mill feed markets slightly easier. Quoted Detroit: Winter wheat bran, 383; spring wheat bran, 433; standard middlings, 333; fine middlings, 339; cracked corn, 357; coarse cornmeal, 355; chop, 341 per ton in carlots.

Hay and Straw
Hay and straw market firmer. Quoted Detroit: Hay, No. 1 timothy, 116@16.50; standard, 115.50@16; No. 1 light clover mixed, 115.50@16; No. 2 timothy, 114@15; No. 1 clover mixed 114@15; No. 1 clover, 114@15; wheat and oat straw, 110.50@11; rye straw, 112.50@13 per ton in carlots.

Fruits and Vegetables
Potatoes irregular in city markets. Firm at shipping points. U. S. No. 1 Michigan in carlots \$1.70 per 150-lb sack f. o. b. Detroit. Apples weakened slightly, Greenings \$2.50@2.75; Spys \$3.00@3.50; Baldwins, \$2@2.25 per bu. Cabbage higher at \$1@1.25. Onions steady at \$3@3.50 per 100-lb sack.

Grain
Grain market develops weakness. Wheat futures lower and corn futures lower with wheat and draggy cash market. Oats lower with corn. Quoted Detroit: Wheat, Cash No. 1 red, 1.94; No. 2 red, No. 2 white and No. 2 mixed, 1.93. Yellow Corn, Cash No. 3, 1.28; No. 4, 1.23; No. 5, 1.18. White Oats, Cash No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 59c. Rye, Cash No. 2, 1.55. Beans: Michigan choice hand picked, prompt shipment, \$6.20@6.25 per cwt. Barley, Maltng, \$1.08; feeding, \$1.01. Buckwheat, Milling, \$2.15@2.20 per cwt. Seeds, Prime red clover, \$18.75; Oatber, \$13.75; alsike, \$13.50; timothy, \$3.10.

Livestock and Meats
Chicago and Detroit hog prices higher at \$13.85 for the top and \$13.10@13.85 for the bulk; medium and good beef steers higher to lower at \$6.25@11.60; butcher cows and heifers higher at \$4.25@10.65; feeder steers higher at \$5.25@8.50; light and medium wt veal calves higher at \$10.50@16; fat lambs, higher at \$15.50@18.25; feeding lambs higher at \$15.75@17.60; yearlings steady to higher at \$12.50@15.75, and fat ewes higher at \$6.50@10.50. Live Poultry, Detroit: Capons, over 7 lbs, 36@37c; spring chickens, fancy, 4-12 lbs, 31c; medium chickens, 31c; leghorns, 27c; best hens, 5 lbs up, 31c; leghorns and small, 27c; old roosters, 18c; geese, 18@20c; ducks, large white, 32@33c; small dark, 32@33c; best turkeys, 35c.

Gay Band Embroidery Latest Trimming Vogue



If you are wondering what shall be the "finishing touch" to glorify your new spring frock, go to the dress-trimming department and ask to see the latest embroidery handings. Such a bewilderment of loveliness as will greet your eye! Be sure to have a sample of your costume "to be" with you, for it does not matter how difficult the shade, it will find its affinity there, or else a fetching contrast in the way of embroidery bands to be purchased by the yard.

There are such exquisite ideas as apple-green three-inch flat crepe bands in silver, gold and flower shades, navy crepe with Chinese stitchery and colors, also a plentiful showing of black and white.

The effectiveness of embroidery and trimming is demonstrated in the costume pictured. This ensemble is carried out in wood shades and russet, crepe and suede finished cloth is the fabric combination.

Overnight Mail Planned
Washington—An overnight air mail service between New York and Chicago will be inaugurated by the post office department before June 1, it is announced. Tentative plans called for a plane to leave New York at 9:30 p. m., arriving at Chicago the next morning at 5:30 a. m. The Chicago plane will leave at 8:30 p. m., arriving in New York at 6:30 a. m. Stops for re-fueling the planes will be made at Cleveland, Bryan, O., and Bellefont, Pa.

Air Service Memorial Model



Mme. Marie Apel, New York sculptress, putting the finishing touches on her model for the national memorial to the men of the air services of the army, navy, marine corps and coast guard killed in the war.

One of the snappiest ways to win an argument is to slap your adversary's face with a brick.

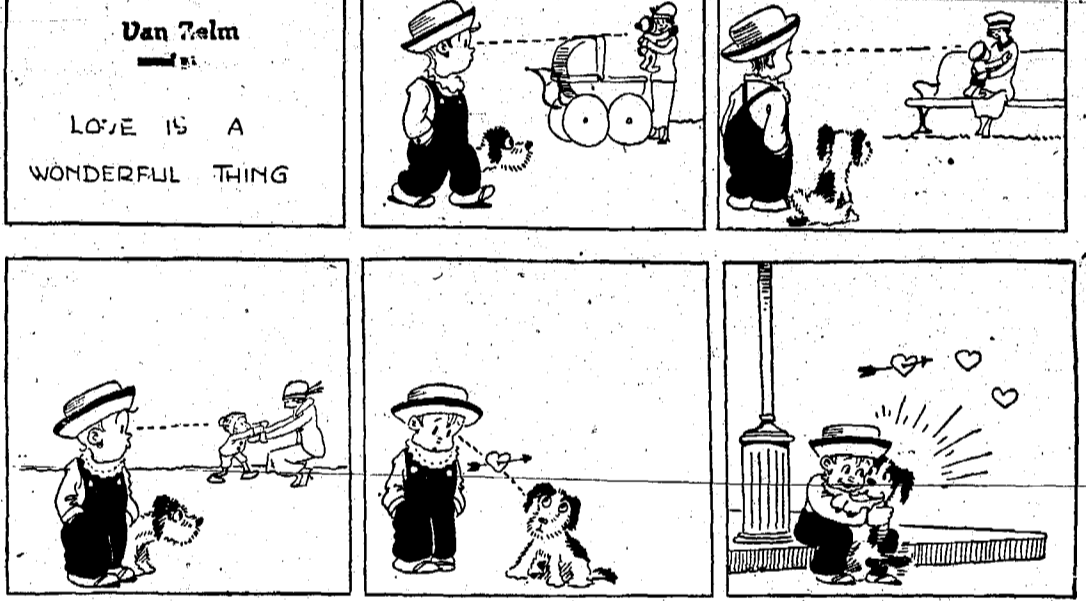
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Money is a great commodity, according to those who have been able to try it out.

SUCH IS LIFE

By Dan Talm

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

For the City of East Jordan For the Month of Jan'y 1925.

General Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan'y	1	Balance on hand	\$ 8322.03
		City Clerk	8.25
		Delinquent Taxes	504.50
		Total	\$ 8834.78

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.		Henry Cook	\$ 125.00
		Josiah St. John	6.00
		Reid-Sherman	48.00
		Bert Lorraine	16.75
		W. J. Olson	125.00
		State Bank of East Jordan	300.00
		Ole Hegerberg	3.30
		Northern Auto Co.	17.50
		Peoples State Sav. Bank	240.00
		E. J. Hose Co.	63.00
		Hite Drug Co.	10.45
		F. H. Crowell	7.75
		Grace E. Boswell	63.25
		Otis J. Smith	36.00
		State Bank of East Jordan	62.93
		Mich. State Tel. Co.	4.00
		G. A. Lisk	46.80
		Neitzel Hdwe. Co.	13.08
		Elec. Light Co.	20.00
31		Balance on hand	7666.62
		Total	\$ 8834.78

Street and Sewer Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan.	1	Balance on hand	\$1391.64
		Delinquent Taxes	53.89
		Total	\$1475.53

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.		Howard Cook	\$ 2.80
		Floyd Harrington	3.60
		Joseph Kenny	16.40
		Anton Waistad	6.00
31		Balance on hand	1446.73
		Total	\$1475.53

Water Works Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan.	31	Overdrawn	\$ 389.34
		Total	\$ 389.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.	1	Overdrawn	\$ 176.78
		Reid-Sherman	3.60
		Peoples Bank	100.00
		Elec. Light Co.	103.05
		Hite Drug Co.	1.49
		E. J. & S. R. R. Co.	4.42
		Total	\$ 389.34

Interest and Sinking Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan.	1	Balance on hand	\$ 471.64
		Delinquent Taxes	56.22
		Total	\$ 527.86

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.	31	Balance on hand	\$ 527.86
		Total	\$ 527.86

Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan.	1	Balance on hand	\$ 370.35
		Delinquent Taxes	.88
		Total	\$ 371.23

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.	31	Balance on hand	371.23
		Total	\$ 371.23

Paving Fund, Dist. No. 4.

RECEIPTS

Jan.	31	Overdrawn	\$1754.38
		Total	\$1754.38

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.	1	Overdrawn	\$1754.38
		Total	\$1754.38

Cemetery Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan.	1	Balance on hand	\$ 228.85
		City Clerk	137.50
		Total	\$ 366.35

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan.		Neitzel Hdwe. Co.	\$ 1.15
		John Whiteford	8.50
31		Balance on hand	356.70
		Total	\$ 366.35

Recapitulation.

Balance		
General Fund	\$ 7666.62	
Street Fund	1446.73	
Interest and Sinking Fund	527.86	
Bridge Fund	371.23	
Cemetery Fund	356.70	
Total	\$10,369.14	
Overdrawn		
Water Works Fund	\$ 389.34	
Paving Fund, Dist. No. 4.	1754.38	
Total	\$ 2143.72	
	\$10369.14	
Less Overdrafts	2143.72	
Total	\$ 8225.42	
Outstanding Orders	4.42	
Cash on hand at end of Month	\$ 8529.84	
-OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk		

Remarkable remarks: Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps: "Serious differences are brewing with England over shipping policies. These differences can be prevented from developing into a conflict by a strong navy."

OLD REMEDY STOPS COUGH
"I had tried quite a few cough remedies," writes Mrs. R. Morgan of Home-wood, Illinois, "but they did not help me. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND checked my cough quickly." It has stood the test of time. The largest selling cough medicine in the world.—Hite's Drug Store, adv.

COOLIDGE FOR LOWER TAXES, WORLD PEACE

Purposes Outlined by the President in His Inaugural Address.

Washington.—Clothed with a direct mandate from the people, Calvin Coolidge dedicated himself and his administration to the lightening of the tax burden at home and to the promotion of peace through mutual understandings with the nations of the world. These two purposes were outlined by Mr. Coolidge in his inaugural address, delivered from a simply decorated stand at the east entrance of the Capitol just after he had taken his second oath of office as President of the United States.

Text of Inaugural Address.

Following is the text of President Coolidge's inaugural address: My Countrymen: No one can contemplate current conditions without finding much that is satisfactory and still more that is encouraging. Our own country is leading the world in the general readjustment to the results of the great conflict. Many of its burdens will bear heavily upon us for years and the secondary and indirect effects we must expect to experience for some time. But we are beginning to comprehend more definitely what course should be pursued, what remedies ought to be applied, what actions should be clearly manifesting a determined will faithfully and conscientiously to adopt these methods of relief.

Already we have sufficiently rearranged our domestic affairs so that confidence has returned, business has revived, and we appear to be entering an era of prosperity which is gradually reaching into every part of the nation. Realizing that we cannot live unto ourselves alone, we have contributed to the relief of the suffering and the settlement of the disputes among the European nations. Because of what America is and what America has done, a firmer courage, a higher hope, inspires the heart of all humanity.

Birth of the Nation.

The old sentiment of detached and dependent colonies disappeared in the new sentiment of a united and independent nation. Men began to discard the narrow confines of a local charter for the broader opportunities of a National Constitution. Under the eternal urge of freedom we became an independent nation.

We made freedom a birthright.

We extended our domain over distant islands in order to safeguard our own interests and accepted the consequent obligations to bestow justice and liberty upon less favored peoples.

In the defense of our own ideals and in the general cause of liberty we entered the great war.

When victory had been fully secured, we withdrew to our own shores, unrecompensed save in the consciousness of duty done.

First of All American.

Throughout all these experiences, we have enlarged our freedom, we have strengthened our independence. We have been, and propose to be, more and more American.

But if we wish to continue to be distinctively American, we must continue to make that term comprehensive enough to embrace the legitimate desires of a civilized and enlightened people determined in all their relations to pursue a conscientious and religious life.

Forces for Defense.

The physical configuration of the earth has separated us from all of the old world, but the common brotherhood of man, the highest law of all our being, has united us by inseparable bonds with all humanity.

Our country represents nothing but peaceful intentions toward all the earth, but it ought not to fail to maintain such a military force as comports with the dignity and security of a great people. It ought to be a balanced force, intensely modern, capable of defense by sea and land, beneath the surface and in the air. But it should be so conducted that all the world may see in it, not a menace, but an instrument of security and peace.

In common with other nations, it is now more determined than ever to promote peace through friendliness and good will, through mutual understandings and mutual forbearance.

Policy of Disarmament.

We have never practiced the policy of competitive armaments. We have recently committed ourselves by covenants with the other great nations to a limitation of our sea power. As one result of this, our navy ranks larger, in comparison, than it ever did before.

Has Faith in Parliaments.

If we are to judge by past experience, there is much to be hoped for in international relations from frequent conferences and consultations. I am strongly in favor of a continuation of this policy, whenever conditions are such that there is even a promise that practical and favorable results might be secured. We cannot barter away our independence or our sovereignty, but we

ought to engage in no refinements of logic, no sophistries, and no subterfuges to argue away the undoubted duty of this country by reason of the might of its numbers, the power of its resources, and its position of leadership in the world, actively and comprehensively to signify its approval and to bear its full share of the responsibility of a candid and disinterested attempt at the establishment of a tribunal for the administration of even-handed justice between nation and nation.

The weight of our enormous influence must be cast upon the side of a reign, not of force, but of law, and trial, not by battle, but by reason.

Peace will come when there is realization that only under a reign of law, based on righteousness and supported by the religious conviction of the brotherhood of man, can there be any hope of a complete and satisfying life. Parham will fall, the sword will fall; it is only the spiritual nature of man that can be triumphant.

It seems altogether probable that we can contribute most to these important objects by maintaining our position of political detachment and independence.

While we can look with a great deal of pleasure upon what we have done abroad, we must remember that our continued success in that direction depends upon what we do at home.

No one would deny that there should be full and free expression and an opportunity for independence of action within the party. There is no salvation in a narrow and bigoted partisanship. But if there is to be responsible party government, the party label must be something more than a mere device for securing office.

Hits Party Disloyalty.

Common honesty and good faith with the people who support a party at the polls require that party, when it enters office, to assume the control of that portion of the government to which it has been elected. Any other course is bad faith and a violation of the party pledges.

This administration has come into power with a very clear and definite mandate from the people. The expression of the popular will in favor of maintaining our constitutional guarantees was overwhelming and decisive.

There was a manifestation of such faith in the integrity of the courts that we can consider that issue rejected for some time to come.

Likewise, the policy of public ownership of railroads and certain electric utilities met with unmistakable defeat.

The people declared that they wanted their rights to have, not a political, but a judicial, determination, and their independence and freedom continued and supported by having the ownership and control of their property, not in the government, but in their own hands. As they always do when they have a fair chance, the people demonstrated that they are sound, and are determined to have a sound government.

When we turn from what was rejected to inquire what was accepted, the policy that stands out with the greatest clearness is that of economy in public expenditure with reduction and reform of taxation.

The principle involved in this effort is that of conservation. The resources of this country are almost beyond computation. No mind can comprehend them. But the cost of our combined governments is likewise almost beyond definition.

Not only those who are now making their tax returns, but those who meet the enhanced cost of existence in their monthly bills, know by hard experience what this great burden is and what it does. No matter what others may want, these people want a drastic economy. They are opposed to waste. They know that extravagance lengthens the hours and diminishes the rewards of their labor.

I favor the policy of economy, not because I wish to save money, but because I wish to save people. The men and women of this country who toil are the ones who bear the cost of the government. Every dollar that we carelessly waste means that their life will be so much the more meager. Every dollar that we prudently save means that their life will be so much the more abundant. Economy is idealism in its most practical form.

America's Problem Simple.

If extravagance were not reflected in taxation, and through taxation both directly and indirectly injuriously affecting the people, it would not be of so much consequence. The wisest and soundest method of solving our tax problem is through economy.

Fortunately, of all the great nations this country is best in a position to adopt that simple remedy. We do not any longer need wartime revenues. The collection of any taxes which are not absolutely required, which do not beyond reasonable doubt contribute to the public welfare, is only a species of legalized larceny.

Under this republic, the rewards of industry belong to those who earn them. The only constitutional tax is the tax which ministers to public necessity.

Further Tax Reduction.

The time is arising when we can have further tax reduction, when, unless we wish to hamper the people in their right to earn a living, we must have tax reform.

The method of raising revenue ought not to impede the transaction of business; it ought to encourage it.

I am opposed to extremely high rates, because they produce little or no revenue, because they are bad for the country, and, finally, because they are wrong.

We cannot fix the country, we

cannot improve social conditions, through any system of injustice, even if we attempt to inflict it upon the rich. Those who suffer the most harm will be the poor.

This country believes in prosperity. It is absurd to suppose that it is envious of those who are already prosperous.

The wise and correct course to follow in taxation and all other economic legislation is, not to destroy those who have already secured success, but to create conditions under which everyone will have a better chance to be successful.

The verdict of the country has been given on this question. That verdict stands. We shall do well to heed it.

Moral Issues Involved.

These questions involve moral issues. We need not concern ourselves much about the rights of property if we will faithfully observe the rights of persons. Under our institutions, their rights are supreme.

It is not property, but the right to hold property, both great and small, which our Constitution guarantees. All owners of property are charged with a service. These rights and duties have been revealed, through the conscience of society, to have a divine sanction.

The very stability of our society rests upon production and conservation. For individuals or for governments to waste and squander their resources is to deny these rights and disregard these obligations. The result of economic dissipation to a nation is always moral decay.

These policies of better international understanding, greater economy and lower taxes have contributed largely to peaceful and prosperous industrial relations.

Under the helpful influence of restrictive immigration and a protective tariff, employment is plentiful, the rate of pay is high, and wage earners are in a state of contentment seldom before seen. Our transportation systems have been gradually recovering and have been able to meet all the requirements of the service. Agriculture has been very slow in reviving, but the price of cereals at last indicates that the day of its deliverance is at hand.

Nation's Chief Problem.

We are not without our problems, but our most important problem is, not to secure new advantages, but to maintain those which we already possess.

Our system of government, made up of three separate and independent departments; our divided sovereignty, composed of nation and state; the matchless wisdom that is enshrined in our Constitution—all these need constant efforts and tireless vigilance for their protection and support.

The essence of a republic is representative government. Our congress represents the people and the states. In all legislative affairs it is the natural collaborator with the President. In spite of all that criticism which often falls to its lot, I do not hesitate to say that there is no more independent and effective legislative body in the world: it is, and should be, jealous of its prerogative. I welcome its co-operation, and expect to share with it, not only the responsibility, but the credit, for our common effort to secure beneficial legislation.

These are some of the principles which America represents. We have not by any means put them fully into practice, but we have strongly signified our belief in them.

America seeks no earthly empire built on blood and force. No ambition, no temptation, lures her to thought of foreign dominions.

The legions which she sends forth are armed, not with the sword, but with the cross. The higher state to which she seeks the allegiance of all mankind is not of human, but of divine origin. She cherishes no purpose save to merit the favor of Almighty God.

Norse Veterans Will Be Coolidge Guard on June 8

Minneapolis.—Twenty Norsemen who fought in the Civil war and a similar number who saw service during the World war will comprise the body-guard for President Coolidge when he visits Minneapolis and St. Paul June 8, on the occasion of the Norse-American centennial celebration, according to S. H. Holstad of Minneapolis, managing director.

Presidential guard will be recruited by Oley Nelson, Civil war veteran, who is now sergeant-at-arms in the lower house of the Iowa legislature, and Edwin L. Lindell, Minnesota commander of the American Legion. More than 4,000 Norsemen fought for the Union in the Civil war and Nelson, now eighty-one, was among those who enlisted as a private. Nelson is president of the Scandinavian Veterans' association, a national organization.

The centennial committee is expecting the official party from Washington to arrive some time Sunday, June 7. Among those to be here at the time of the President's visit will be members of the Norwegian cabinet and parliament, said Mr. Holstad. He does not expect members of the royal family, although the suggestion has been made that an invitation be extended Crown Prince Olaf.

Frank B. Kellogg, the new secretary of state in President Coolidge's cabinet, is expected to be in Minnesota June or will accompany the official party here.

It is about time for the youngsters to be preparing their April fool jokes. Every time we suspect that spring is on the threshold we run out of coal.

Stop That Backache!

Many East Jordan Folks Have Found the Way.

Is a dull, nerve-racking backache wearing you out? Do you feel older and slower than you should? Are you tired, weak and nervous; find it impossible to be happy, or enjoy the good times around you? Then there's something wrong and likely it's your kidneys. Why not get at the cause? Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Your neighbors recommend Doan's. Read what this East Jordan resident says: Mrs. Sam Williamson says: "I had bearing down pains through the small of my back which kept me in misery. My back was lame and sore and as time passed, began to feel dull and all out of sorts. My kidneys failed to act regularly but after using Doan's Pills which I bought at the Hite Drug Co. I was relieved."

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

Money in the bank is worth more than amounts due.

Following the example of the Republican senators of the state of New Jersey, who left their state to avoid legislative sessions, a party of Democratic senators in Indiana moved into Ohio last week.

City Primary Election

To the Qualified Electors of the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan. Notice is hereby given, That a City Primary Election will be held in the several Wards or Precincts of said City at the places herein below designated, viz:

Monday, March 23, A. D. 1925

For the purpose of nominating by direct vote candidates for the following officers, viz:

1 Mayor
3 Aldermen, 1 for each Ward.
The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m.

Notice, in case there are not more than two candidates for any one office, this primary will not be held.

OTIS J. SMITH,
Clerk of the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan.
Dated Feb'y 23, A. D. 1925.

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 20th day of February A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. Servetus A. Correll, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Matthew Thorsen, Deceased.
Christina Thorsen having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 19th day of March A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

SERVETUS A. CORRELL,
Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by William Atkinson and wife, Ellen Atkinson, of the Town of South Arm, now incorporated as the City of East Jordan County of Charlevoix, Michigan, in favor of the State Bank of East Jordan, said mortgage bearing date the 1st day of March, 1910, and being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix, Michigan, in Liber 35 of Mortgages, on page 609, on the 2nd day of March, 1910, and

Primary Notice So. Arm Twp.

There will be a Primary Election for the nomination of Township Officers **Saturday, March 14th** from 1:00 to 5:00 o'clock p. m., at the South Arm Town Hall.

All those wishing to be Candidates should file their application with S. E. Rogers on or before March 12th. Those receiving the largest number of votes will be placed on Ticket No. 1 and the next largest on Ticket No. 2. Dated Feb'y 28, 1925.

S. E. ROGERS,
Township Clerk.

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I am a candidate for Supervisor. If nominated and elected will try to give an efficient administration.

10x2 CHARLES P. MURPHY

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I am a candidate for the office of Treasurer, at the Primary held March 14, 1925.

Your support will be appreciated.
10x2 JOHN L. ZOULEK

To the Voters of South Arm Township

I am a candidate for the office of Township Clerk of South Arm Township.

If nominated and elected I assure you the most satisfactory service.
WM. G. MURPHY

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I am a candidate for nomination to the office of Treasurer.

10x2 ARTHUR SHEPARD.

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the office of Treasurer. Your vote will be appreciated.

10-2 PETER UMLOR.

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I will be a candidate for Highway Commissioner at the Primary March 14th, and will appreciate your support.

10-2 ROSCOE SMITH

To the Electors of South Arm Township.

I will be a candidate for the office of Supervisor at the Primary Election to be held March 14th. Your support will be appreciated.

10x2 CHARLES C. CARSON

To the Electors of South Arm Township

I am a candidate for nomination to the office of Township Clerk of South Arm Township at the Primary to be held March 14th, 1925.

If nominated and elected I assure you the same efficient service as rendered in the past. Thanking you for past and continued support.

Very Sincerely
S. E. ROGERS.

To the Voters of South Arm Township

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Treasurer.

I am an experienced bookkeeper and, if elected, will render courteous and efficient service.

MABEL E. SECORD

Quite a front page rivalry exists between the scolded red peril and the alleged yellow peril.

The other day a man said he could be funnier than our notes on miscellaneous subject. He is.

First Quiets—Then Ends A Cough

That terrible "hack", "hack", "hack" that almost drives you frantic and strains your whole body can be quieted in a jiffy by taking a swallow now and then of that fine old medicine, Kemp's Baisam. It cuts the phlegm, soothes the inflamed membrane and takes away that constant desire to cough, cough, cough. Only 30 cents at all stores.

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NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

State Will Assume Trunk Line Costs According to Bill Passed By House

Lansing—The Ming proposal for the assumption by the state of all responsibility and cost of construction and maintenance of trunk line highway, has been passed by the house by a vote of 71 to 14. The counties have been paying half of the cost, and it is estimated that the Ming scheme will save between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 for the various counties, and saddle that amount, as Ming described it, on the automobiles of the state, where it belongs.

All the work would be done by the state highway department, which operates under the administrative board.

Before the Ming bill passed an attempt was made to amend it. Representative George Watson, of St. Clair county, proposed that the counties be required to pay 10 per cent of the costs of construction of the highways, simply, he said, so that the counties would be able to have a voice in the state highway commission's operations in their individual cases. Several Wayne county members favored this amendment, which was lost by a vote of 78 to 19.

Handbook Bill Reported Out

The Bahorski Anti-Gambling Bill was voted out of the Senate Judiciary Committee with the recommendation that the bill pass.

No opposition to the bill has developed in the Senate and it is expected to ride through to final passage without interruption. In 1923, practically the same measure was adopted unanimously, and there is no reason to believe there has been any serious change in sentiment.

As the bill comes from committee it is unchanged even in verbiage. When it came up in the Judiciary Committee several suggestions for improving it were made, but in each instance Senator Joseph Bahorski, sponsor of the bill and co-author with Detroit judges and other persons interested in stamping out the gambling evil, was able to show that the original wording excelled the suggestions.

School District Bill Passes

Relief for the congestion of Redford Union school districts is seen in the passage by the House of the Bristow bill providing for the exempting of rural agricultural school districts from the bonding limitation of 8 per cent on districts with from 15,000 to 100,000 population. The bill, introduced by Rep. Fred W. Bristow, of Highland Park, passed unanimously.

The population of this district is now 18,000. Two years ago it was 5,000. Its school facilities consist of an eight-room building erected in 1922, and twice remodeled. The bond limitation, according to Rep. Bristow, precluded the building of more schools. Under his bill if it becomes law, the district may issue bonds in amounts to provide sufficient schools.

Agree On Transit Bill

William M. Donnelly, attorney for the Detroit Rapid Transit Commission; John L. Lovett, secretary of the Michigan Manufacturers Association, and Rep. Sherman D. Callender, of Detroit, met here and agreed to the amendments that the Callender Rapid Transit Bill will carry when it is brought up before the House Committee on City Corporations. Most of the amendments were suggested by Mr. Lovett who was responsible for tying up the bill when it seemed that it might be reported out of committee in its original form.

Would Revoke Driver's Licenses

A bill introduced by Rep. Sherman D. Callender, of Detroit, would make it mandatory on the secretary of state to revoke automobile operators' licenses upon conviction of any felony in which a motor car figured, of driving while drunk, or under the influence of drugs, or of leaving the scene of an accident without reporting name and address.

To Limit Christmas Trees

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Stockholders May Lose Rights

Stockholders in trust, security and deposit companies would be shorn of their present rights to vote for directors under the so-called cumulative plan, if a bill introduced in the House by Rep. Charles J. Culver, of Detroit, is passed. Mr. Culver said that the bill was sent to him by an official of a Detroit trust company, but he declined to divulge the name of the official or of the company. The cumulative plan was created for the small stockholder.

ROOSEVELT'S SONS HEAD MUSEUM EXPEDITION



THEODORE ROOSEVELT JR.

Chicago—Theodore and Kermit Roosevelt, sons of the late president, will sail from New York next month at the head of a Field Museum expedition to explore and hunt rare animals in Pamirs, known as the "roof of the world," in Central Asia, it was announced here by D. C. Davies, director of the museum.

The expedition, which will penetrate one of the most inaccessible and strangest parts of the world, will be financed by James Simpson, president of Marshall Field and company. It will be known as the "James Simpson-Roosevelt Central Asiatic expedition for the Field Museum."

Mussolini Has Influenza

Rome—Continued serious illness has compelled Premier Benito Mussolini to hand over the helm of the Italian state to Federazoni, who now is in fact Prime Minister of Italy. Optimistic bulletins concerning Mussolini's health have been forthcoming daily for the last fortnight, but are unable to conceal the fact the malady seriously threatens his future efficiency. The truth appears to be as follows: Mussolini suffered an attack of influenza in the middle of February. This in itself was not serious, but his constitution was already weakened by overwork.

Flyers Saved By Parachutes

San Antonio, Tex.—Parachutes saved the lives of Lieutenant C. D. McCallister and Cadet Charles Linberg, Kelly Field aviators, when their planes collided in mid-air a mile above ground. Both escaped with minor bruises.

The planes were flying in formation with eight others, practicing attack work on a plane piloted by Lieut. Russell Maughan, transcontinental flyer.

Labor Members Leave In Huff

London—The entire labor delegation in the House of Commons, led by former Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald walked out of the House when the speaker ordered David Kirkwood, Scotch Labor member, to leave the chamber after having interrupted the speech Foreign Secretary Austin Chamberlain was delivering. The ministerial benches cheered as the Labor members left the House.

Congress Ends Tame

Washington—The sixty-eighth congress, which came in two years ago like a roaring wind, passed out with one of the tamest windups in recent history. Neither house was in session on the eve of adjournment sine die, and except for final action on the second deficiency bill, there was little for either to do in the two hours they were in session before the inaugural proceedings.

Cars Burned In Huge Fire

New York—A five alarm fire in the Long Island railroad plant at Morris Park, Long Island, caused damage estimated at \$1,500,000. Thirty railroad cars were destroyed or ruined. Series of explosions of air tanks in cars hindered firemen in fighting the flames. Smoke from the fire drove 300 persons from their homes in the vicinity.

Indians Revolt In Panama

Panama—John Glover South, American minister to Panama, has agreed to act as mediator between the Panamanian government and the San Blas Indians. The latter had revolted and a number of Panamanians were killed during the fighting.

Indiana Kills Blue Law

Indianapolis—The Indiana house killed a "blue Sunday" bill by a vote of 48 to 44. The measure was sponsored by the Lords Day Alliance and provided board restrictions against Sunday amusements.

Study English By Radio

Rio Janeiro—The newest international angle in Brazilian radio is the study of English. Half-hour lessons are given twice a week and are very popular. It is estimated the student number 10,000.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Rob St. Louis Bank
St. Louis—Three bandits held up the Mound City Trust company in North St. Louis and escaped with loot estimated at \$30,000 in currency. The bandits ransacked the bank of its entire cash deposit.

Women Seek Honors
Des Moines, Ia.—The Iowa Senate passed a resolution submitting to the people in the 1926 election a constitutional amendment to permit women to sit in the legislature. The legislature is the only state office for which women are not now eligible.

Italian Troops In Egypt
London—Italian troops have crossed the Egyptian border and attacked a Bedouin caravan, killing 15 Bedouins and capturing the others, according to dispatches from Cairo. Forces from Tripoli were reported active and according to the dispatch had inflicted defeats on the Italians near Benghazi.

Investigate Forest Service
Washington—Investigation of the federal administration of national forests has been ordered by the senate in the passage of the Cameron resolution. The investigation will be conducted by the public lands committee and will involve grazing lands, forest reserves and other public lands.

Kellogg Is Sworn In
Washington—Frank B. Kellogg, former United States senator from Minnesota, and late ambassador at the court of St. James, has become secretary of state in succession to Charles Evans Hughes, who retires to private life after four years at the helm of the ship of state under the late President Harding and President Coolidge.

Father Sage Says:
Well, with movies, and radios, and automobiles, all we need now is for someone to invent something to do our work for us.

Wisdom of Maturity
As we grow older we doubt the wisdom of working hard to let the children have an easier time.—Birmingham News.

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Some Others--

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