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## Normal Bill Passes House

Chances Good for Northern Michigan State Normal.

A wire from State Representative Hon. J. M. Harris at Lansing to East Jordan citizens, received here Thursday noon, states that the bill for establishing a new State Normal School in the northern part of the lower peninsula had passed the House of Representatives Thursday morning. The bill will now go to the Senate, which body went on record two years ago as favoring such a measure.

The bill as voted on contains the tax clause. As first reported out by the Ways and Means Committee some errors were found and it was returned to the Committee who re-reported it out of committee first of the week, with corrections.

## Ranney School Wins In Christmas Seal Sale

After competing against every other school in Charlevoix county, the Ranney school located in District No. 3, South Arm Township, is now the possessor of the Christmas Seal Sale scale, offered annually by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association to the schoolroom in Charlevoix county having the largest per capita sale of Christmas Seals. J. W. Stallard of East Jordan is the teacher.

The per capita of the Ranney school was twenty plus with an enrollment of fourteen pupils. Besides this prize three copies of "Health Training in Schools" were awarded to schoolrooms in the county selling four dollars worth or more of Seals.

The scale, made especially for use in public schools, with measuring rod for determining height as well as weight of pupils will be an annual prize, to become the property of the first schoolroom which wins it three times in succession.

"The Michigan Tuberculosis Association feels that a scale in any schoolroom will do a great deal towards Better Health," says Miss Mary Maier, Seal Director. "Children who are underweight can keep weekly track of their gains and they will be much more willing to eat the foods that they should, if they, and their playmates, know they are underweight. The scales which are offered as prizes are very simple and durable, and can be operated by any child.

"Good health in children is the best known preventive against tuberculosis, since many more than one-half of them are known to be infected the germs of tuberculosis. Good health, which builds up the body resistance to disease will do more than anything else to keep a tuberculosis infection from becoming the disease itself."

## Sunday Schools Are Second to the Home

A Nation is great so far as she is righteous. When she loses her righteousness she loses her greatness. To keep and spread Christianity in our Nation, we must have citizens who have learned and are following the Truth.

No institution is more aid to this training—second to the home, than Sunday Schools, where the beautiful lessons of the Bible are carefully taught.

The Presbyterian Sunday School has out the "welcoming hand"—it wants and needs the youth of our city who are not attending elsewhere.

Let's boost the Sunday Schools and thereby boost our City, State and Nation.

### Record Hailstones

The maximum possible size of hailstones cannot be positively stated, but stones larger than a man's fist and weighing more than a pound have several times been reported. During a hailstorm in Natal, on April 17, 1874, stones fell that weighed one and one-half pounds. Hailstones 14 inches in circumference fell in New South Wales in February, 1847.

### Lees in Revolution

Four persons by the name of Lee took important parts in the American Revolution—Gen. Charles, dismissed by congress for disobedience, Richard Henry and his brothers, Arthur and Francis Lightfoot of Virginia.

## Farm Home Destroyed By Fire

The farm home of Jacob Robert and family—just east of East Jordan in Wilson township—was completely destroyed by fire about 5:00 o'clock last Thursday afternoon.

When discovered the fire had gained considerable headway on the roof. The East Jordan fire department was summoned, and through the efforts of the firemen and other citizens the adjoining buildings were saved from the flames by hard work.

Only a part of the household goods were saved.

## Wins Stenographers' Contest

Former East Jordan Girl Takes Second in World-wide Contest

"The Gregg Writer" for February contains the results of a Stenographer's Contest, in which contestants were entered from all parts of the United States and from eight foreign countries.

Miss Olga M. Wagbo of St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., was awarded second prize. Miss Wagbo is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob O. Wagbo of East Jordan, and received her training in the East Jordan Public School, under the direction of Miss Florence Filkins, Commercial Instructor. Miss Wagbo's success in her chosen profession is another attestation to the thorough training pupils in the East Jordan Public Schools receive.

First prize in the contest went to Hyman Deber of Brooklyn, N. Y. In commenting on the papers submitted The Gregg Writer says:

The pretty style of writing acquired by Miss Olga Wagbo, entitles her to second place. There is a certainty of sureness, of stroke in Miss Wagbo's writing that is pleasing to the eye. It is evident that she is one stenographer who can read her notes fluently.

While we managed to keep two prizes in this country, the third prize very rightly goes to England, to Miss Marie Bower. It was interesting to note that both Miss Bower and Miss Wagbo submitted specimens last year and were very high in the running for the prize. Their notes have improved considerably since then, and if they continue to practice they will be strong opponents in other shorthand writing contests. We had one criticism to make on each of these papers that only just missed getting first place—lack of proportion. This would be quite a serious handicap to one less skillful in shorthand writing and so it ought to be corrected. These two writers have fluency and good forms generally, just as Mr. Deber has, but their proportion is not as good as his.

### Cash Funds Lost in Mails

Buffalo—Postoffice inspectors have been investigating the loss of \$120,000 worth of \$10 bills en route from Washington to the Federal Reserve Bank in Detroit.

While it is likely, officials said, that the pouch was lost somewhere between Washington and Buffalo, there is a possibility it was stolen while being transferred here, as some of the bills have been passed in Buffalo.

### Tennessee Bans Evolution

Nashville, Tenn.—The teaching of evolution is barred in the public schools of Tennessee, under a bill signed by Gov. Austin Peay.

The governor in a message to the legislature accompanying the signed bill, declared evolution "at variance with the teachings of man's creation as related in the Bible."

### Girl Faints As Trial Opens

San Francisco—Dorothy Ellingson, 16-year-old "jazz baby," collapsed in a dead faint at the first session of her trial for the murder of her mother. The girl rose from her seat beside her counsel, took a step or two toward the exit from the courtroom and fell forward to her knees, limp.

### Forbes Stricken with Paralysis

Boston—Colonel Charles R. Forbes, former director of the United States Veterans bureau, was suddenly stricken with paralysis at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Judkins, and was in a serious condition at a local hospital, it was learned.

If you wish to understand the British aversion to submarines you have only to understand that the British Isles import food nine months of each year.

## About This Time of the Year



## Fair Dates Sept. 8-9-10-11

Executive Committee Make Plans for 1925 Exhibit.

Far-reaching plans for making the forty-first annual exhibit of the Charlevoix County Agricultural Society the banner year in its history were outlined by the Executive Committee in a meeting at East Jordan Wednesday afternoon.

The committee, consisting of Samuel E. Rogers, Horace B. Hipp, and Frank H. Wangeman of East Jordan, D. Vaughn of Boyne City and Frank F. Bird of Charlevoix, spent the entire afternoon making plans for the coming event at East Jordan.

Dates for 1925 Fair were set for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Sept. 8-9-10-11.

Secretary Bird will furnish the Herald with an article in the near future covering the Committee's work of Wednesday.

Little people imitate big people and little towns copy big towns.

There is absolutely no foundation for the rumor that the editor has made a fortune out of this paper and is about to retire.

## "The Great Divide" One of Year's Biggest Films

Reginald Barker directed "The Great Divide" which comes to the Temple on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, April 8-9-10. It is one of the outstanding successes of the American stage and is one of the largest productions on the 1924-25 Metro-Goldwyn program.

The picture for the most part was filmed in Arizona, the locale of the romance.

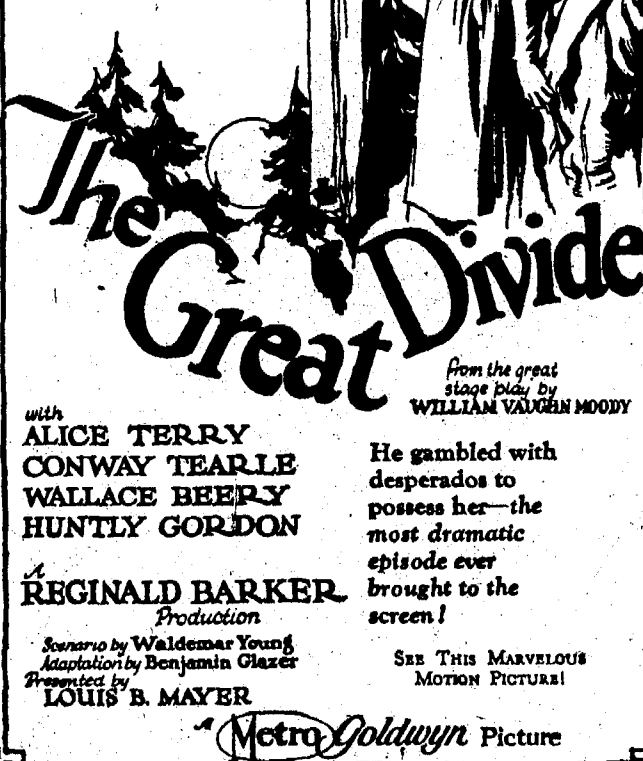
Mr. Barker was particularly pleased with the assignment, for he was stage director for Henry Miller when the latter triumphed in the William Vaughn Moody play, and ever since he entered motion pictures he has wanted to present it on the screen.

After considering a number of prominent men and women for the two leading roles, Alice Terry and Conway Terrie were selected. They represent the ideal types for the roles of Ruth Jorbon and Stephan Ghent, and are worthy of carrying successfully two such prominent and significant parts.

A man in Kansas City, Mo., killed his four minor children with a hatchet. He was worried over financial losses. This shows you the danger of financial losses.

## The Famous Romance of the West...

AMERICA'S most celebrated love story. It was one of the greatest theatrical successes of stage history. It has come to the screen in a blaze of glory—a drama of love and adventure in the great days of the old West.



with ALICE TERRY CONWAY TERRIE WALLACE BEERY HUNTLY GORDON

A REGINALD BARKER Production

Scenario by Waldemar Young Adaptation by Benjamin Glazer Presented by LOUIS B. MAYER

He gambled with desperados to possess her—the most dramatic episode ever brought to the screen!

SEE THIS MARVELOUS MOTION PICTURE!

Metro-Goldwyn Picture

TEMPLE NEXT WEEK Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, April 8-9-10

## East Jordan Hi at the State Tournament

Locals Fool Many of the Wise Ones and Easily Trim Harbor Springs—Northern Michigan Champions.

There are some old quotations the writer does not seem to be able to recall this fine April morning but I shall try one that may have some connections with the up set given our neighboring resort city to the north, in the Basket Ball Tournament at Ann Arbor. "A rolling stone is worth two in the bush" or something to that effect. If the above happens to be mixed, most of you will recall some of those old sayings about the cup and the lip, etc.

Any way East Jordan's High School basket ball team seems to have surprised quite a number basket ball enthusiasts by easily trouncing the Harbor Springs High basket ball team. The first half ended 12 to 4, and the locals showed such a superior brand of the court game that fans on the side lines wouldn't believe Harbor had ever won a game from East Jordan. It was not generally known that two of East Jordan's best men including Capt. Walker were under the doctor's care at Petoskey the crucial day of the tournament and largely accounts for the uncertain offense shown against Harbor in the last game.

In the game on the Waterman Gym floor at Ann Arbor the locals proved to be the better team. The whole team played a stately game. Their team work featured. The passing and floor work seemed to bewilder the larger Harbor men. Walker out played Jones at Center and Johnson heaved baskets in from all angles, getting five in all. Shaw was all over the floor and proved to be one of the speed merchants of the tournament. Palmer and Holstad showed to be among the best guards at the Ann Arbor tournament as they did at Petoskey. After the game was cinched and the locals 11 points to the good with a minute to play the locals with one or two subs in allowed Harbor three baskets, the final score being 20 to 15.

The next game which would put the locals into the finals was with St. Mary's of Jackson, who later on won the State title from Three Oaks, who defeated East Jordan 18 to 8, almost entirely through the luck and ability of a better Forward by the name of Hoeman. The night before he heaved long shot after long shot and didn't make one of them, against the locals he put four of them through from almost the middle of the floor in the first two minutes of play.

Getting such a lead so quickly seemed to unnervise some of the East Jordan men and they never got going once. The locals looked like the better team of the two, but were beaten by the sensational shooting of Hoeman single handed. In this game Walker and Holstad played very good games. Holstad at guard and Capt. Walker on the offense getting six points.

Quoting from the Ann Arbor paper would give you a very good idea of how the locals were eliminated from the championship.

"St. Mary's of Jackson earned the right to meet Three Oaks in the final for the Class C title by eliminating East Jordan last night in rather easy fashion 20 to 8. The basket shooting of Hoeman who tallied 13 points was largely responsible for the St. Mary's victory. The Jackson team got away to an early lead and was never in danger of being overtaken. East Jordan received many shots at the basket was unable to connect. The first half ended with St. Mary's leading, score 11 to 5 and East Jordan added but one point to its total in the second half. Walker at Center played a good game for the losers.

The summary:— St. Mary's of Jackson.

	B	F	M	P	Ts.
Hoeman, r. f.	5	3	4	0	13
Tobin, l. f.	2	0	2	4	4
Cavanaugh, l. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Rumler, l. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, c.	1	0	1	2	
Bidwell, r. g.	0	1	0	3	1
Howe, l. g.	0	0	1	2	0
	8	4	7	10	20

	B	F	M	P	Ts.
Shaw, r. f.	1	0	0	2	2
Johnson, l. f.	0	0	3	3	0
Benson, l. f.	0	0	1	0	0

Smith, l. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Walker, c.	2	2	2	0	6
Palmer, r. g.	0	0	3	1	0
Holstad, l. g.	0	0	2	1	0
	3	2	10	8	8

Referee—Stephenson. Umpire—Mitchell.

The boys had a wonderful trip. Receiving an inspiration they will not forget. And they are very grateful to the towns people and school friends in sending them. Saturday evening they saw Cornell and U. of M. battle on the track in the Yost field home, the largest institution of its kind in the world. 10,000 people saw this meet and Brooker and Hubbard performed in the pole vault and Hubbard in the dash. Some of the boys, 5,036 of them saw as many as eight of the state colleges. And all of them declared they were going on to school. The trip helped to put East Jordan on the map and the local enthusiasts money was well invested.

## Antrim County Loses Pioneer

Ephriam Evans Empey Died Thursday, March 19th.

Ephriam Evans Empey, a pioneer resident of Antrim county, and well known in Charlevoix county for more than a half century, passed away at the farm home of his son near Eastport last Thursday, March 19th.

Mr. Empey was born in Canada, February 4th, 1838 and came to Michigan with his wife and family in 1872 and landed at Antrim City where they lived with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beach, parents of Rex Beach, the first year, after which they settled on a farm in Banks township, about three miles east of Atwood, where they continued to live until about five years ago, when, with his son, who has always been with him, he moved to the farm near Eastport, where he died. Mrs. Empey passed away twenty-one years ago.

Mr. Empey was a brother of the late Fletcher and Joseph Empey of East Jordan, and is survived by two nephews—Charles of Lansing and Nelson, of Norwood. He is also survived by his son, Bert Empey, and three daughters, Mrs. Albert E. Mason, of this city; Mrs. John Carlisle, of Ironton, and Mrs. John Van Dam, of Detroit.

A private funeral service was held at the home at one o'clock Monday afternoon, and another service was at the Methodist church at Eastport at two o'clock. Rev. Amos Wagley of Central Lake, officiating. Interment at Antrim cemetery.—Charlevoix Sentinel.

## County Normals Plan Conference at M.A.C.

More than 350 future Michigan school teachers, representing 25 different county normal schools where they are now students, will gather at the Michigan Agricultural College on May 21 and 22 for a conference which is being sponsored by the State leaders of Boys and Girls Club work.

Rural teachers are considered vital units in the system of local leaders for Boys and Girls Clubs, and during the course of the conference considerable information on club work and opportunities open to the local leader will be brought into the program.

A series of county normal school "training classes," during which members of the state Boys and Girls Club staff spent a day and a half with students in 23 different county normal schools, has just been completed under the direction of A. G. Kettunen, head of the work in Michigan. The classes gave preliminary training in local leadership for club work in rural communities.

The county normal day is an annual event at M. A. C., social and entertainment features being planned for the conference.

If you can't read these items and laugh read 'em and weep.

Useless information: The Japanese say the pheasant crows before or during every slight earthquake.

There are so many amusements nowadays that a man keeps busy finding time to attend to his business.

If you want to know our idea of a useless question ask the next neighbor you see look at his watch what time it is.

Lawmakers have a hard time trying to figure out new taxes and the taxpayers have a hard time paying the new taxes.



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### Big Real Estate Deal

R. E. Olds, Lansing, Purchases Property on Round Lake.

A real estate deal of more than ordinary importance to Charlevoix was closed a few days ago, when property fronting on Round Lake lying between the John Roen property on the west and Pillsbury holdings on the east, was transferred to Mr. R. E. Olds, of Lansing. In view of the fact that Mr. Olds, some weeks ago, took over a tract of one hundred acres near Charlevoix, of water frontage on Pine Lake upon which extensive improvements are under contemplation including the building of a summer home and the further fact that his holdings on the south shore of Round Lake will be improved to its full extent and the erection of a boat house for housing his yacht, "Reoman III," one hundred feet in length, indicates that he is interested in Charlevoix, its environs, surroundings and advantages for yachting purposes, as well as ideal for a country estate and summer home.

In this regard Mr. Olds has made a splendid selection as there is no place in the entire great lakes section a location more favorable nor desirable for a summer home and yachting facilities than is Charlevoix, weather and climatic conditions are wholly agreeable and the expense of water for yachting purposes is limited only by the desire of all who enjoy marine methods of travel.

There are many points of interest easily reached, visited and the return trip made on a single day outing, with many others of beauty and historic interest at greater distances, while the water trip from Charlevoix to Sault Ste. Marie and return is considered one of the finest and most pleasurable from a scenic view point in the world.—Charlevoix Sentinel.

### Farmers Paying Too Much for New Clover

Reports that farmers in some sections of Michigan are paying too much for strains of sweet clover known as Early Crystal Dwarf have reached the crops department at M. A. C. recently. Prices for this seed are said to have ranged as high as \$30.00 a bushel in some instances.

"This seed may be obtained from reliable sources, in large quantities, at \$9.30 a bushel," says Prof. C. R. Megee of the M. A. C. crops staff, in discussing the reports of "thirty dollar" prices. "The ordinary strain is quoted at \$9.00 a bushel. Farmers should not pay more than fifty cents premium a bushel for Early Crystal Dwarf clover seed.

"This strain of sweet clover has been known for some time, having gained considerable prominence in Grundy County, Illinois. It has been tested here at the Michigan Experimental Station and under Michigan conditions has been found to be from ten days to two weeks earlier in maturity than the white or ordinary sweet clover. Due to its dwarf habit, it yields only from two-thirds to three-fourths as much forage per acre as common sweet clover. The stem is a little finer, however, and it may give a little better quality of hay. As a pasture crop, however, it is not likely to prove as popular as the ordinary sweet clover due to its earlier maturity.

"The Early Crystal Dwarf or Grundy County White Blossom Sweet Clover is an excellent seed producer. The seed ripens more uniformly; consequently larger yields may be secured. This sweet clover may well be used under Michigan conditions, but exorbitant prices should not be paid for the seed."

### A Day of Disaster

The newspaper of the world on one day last week heralded three widely separated disasters. Peru reported that its third largest city had "been completely destroyed by inundations caused by torrential rains." Japan reported that its capital, not yet rebuilt on the ruins of the late earthquake, suffered the loss of 3,000 buildings in a fire which left 20,000 people homeless. In our country a bouncing, twisting tornado, sweeping through three states wiped out towns and killed hundreds of people.

The average reader hardly realizes the tragic seriousness of such major disasters, blithely unconscious that his town may be next to suffer severely. Of all disasters mentioned above our heart goes out most to the victims unknown and terrifying power of the wind. Its suddenness, its appalling efficiency in destruction, and the inability of man to meet its blow with any counter-stroke combine to make it the most awesome of the terrors by which peaceful families are without warning swept into the great beyond.

### Small Crops Worth More

One of the things that has always interested farmers is the fact that when they make large crops they invariably get less money than when they make small crops. Former Governor Lowden, of Illinois, recently pointed out that a cotton crop, larger than that of the year before by 3,000,000 bales, brought to the growers \$95,000,000 less than the smaller crop. Growers of wheat and corn have witnessed the same fact.

Immediately an economic expert refers us to the law of supply and demand, saying that the price is fixed by well known laws, which is true enough. But, let the farmers of the country agitate for a reduction of crops and you hear a big howl about the world needing corn, wheat and cotton. You hear the experts tell the farmer that it is almost unholy for them to limit production because wealth depends upon the production of soil.

The farmers, of course, are largely to blame. Instead of organizing themselves thoroughly, with faith in each other, they prefer for the most part, independence of each other and dependence on the traders in their crops. It is almost impossible to get the farmers of the nation to stick together. Each man knows it all, and plants his own land, and gets what he can. He depends on a system of marketing that will never get him anything like the best available price for his product.

Most people sell commodities by offering them for sale and letting the prospective buyers make their bids, or pay the prices fixed. The farmer trots into the marketing center to sell, and fixes his offer accordingly. If the farmers of the nation would pool their products, fix the price, and let the world buy from their organizations, they would get better prices every year.

We are not arguing for any special organization. We want the farmer to line-up with modern competition and put himself in a position to get the best of present economic conditions and methods.

### Citizens Military Training Camp

The Citizens Military Training Camps have been so well attended by the young men and so well received by the public in general that they may be considered an established policy. Our people will not approve of a large standing Army nor universal service but the general public does approve of these camps and the more familiar the public is with the nature of the training the more they approve of the policy.

It is no longer a question of how many will attend but a question of how many the appropriations made by Congress will allow us to accept. Last year we were not allowed to receive applications after about the first of May due to the fact that the quota had been filled.

No good citizen can reasonably disapprove of the nature of this training. It is voluntary on the part of the student and is not an enlistment in the Army. Voluntary service has always been accepted by the public as one of the fundamental principles of our country.

Young boys attending these camps serve in an environment which encourages clean, wholesome living, a higher regard for the obligations of citizenship. They return to their homes with a better physique, from living outdoors, better fitted to take up arms should this country again become involved in war, and better citizens.

Any young man of good moral standing may apply by calling on Dr. Hugh Dicken at East Jordan with proper recommendations, as to his moral character. Social standing does not enter into the qualifications, for like West Point, boys of the most prominent families serve with and by the side of boys from the most humble families.

### Small Town Stuff

There is nothing quite as foolish as the senseless rivalry which very often is exhibited neighboring small towns.

The people of a little town will devote quite the major portion of their time, when they are bitten with the bug, to running down their sister town. And, a few miles up the pike the sister town will be wasting valuable hot air, telling the world what a bum town its neighboring village is, and how much better it is.

The inhabitants of both towns are foolish. Great sections are built, not through foolish striving to keep a neighboring village on an inferior plane, but by trying hard to pull all the towns to a higher status. No section builds itself when people are torn by dissension, even when the dissension is based on absurd, small town jealousy.

**Defy Approach of Age**  
Robert Louis Stevenson gives good advice when he says: "Cling to your youth; it is an artist's stock in trade; do not give up that you are aging and you won't age."

### NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

#### Governor Sidetracks Rapid Transit Measure As Being Unconstitutional

Lansing—Rapid transit legislation for Detroit has been sidetracked in the house of representatives. It was Governor Alex J. Groesbeck who pulled the switch turning the Detroit commission's enabling bill off the legislative right of way and back into committee.

The transit commission's bill was one of the first to be introduced at this session of the legislature. Twice it has been sent back to committee and amended to conform to ideas of manufacturers and business interests of Detroit. It was apparently acceptable to everybody interested, but the governor decided it was unconstitutional. He declared that if it came to him in its present form he would veto it. Its present form is fundamentally the same as the enabling act of 1923, which he signed.

#### No Vote Reform In Prospect

Governor Alex J. Groesbeck's opposition to any type of primary election reform, to party enrollment and to the pre-primary convention has made itself known. The hopeless election law tangle, which has only increased since the beginning of the session, reached a point where it is about certain no reforming legislation will be passed.

The senate passed the Wood election law bill on third reading. The bill passed, however, is not the Wood bill which was introduced, but a mere codification of the existing law. Still bearing Wood's name, but with all its party enrollment and election of delegates' teeth neatly drawn, the bill was brought out of the committee, passed on general orders, put on its immediate passage under suspension of the rules and shot through the senate.

#### House Wants Poet Laureate

The house of representatives has expressed a desire to honor Edgar A. Guest, whose verse has won him national renown.

The Howell bill providing for the appointment of a poet laureate for Michigan by the governor was passed by a vote of 87 to 5.

Representative Chester M. Howell, of Saginaw, the introducer, explained that the bill was sponsored by Michigan Kiwanians who are ready to petition the governor for the appointment of Guest in event the bill also passes the senate and is signed by the governor, as is expected.

The position is purely honorary. It carries with it no salary. According to Howell, it is just intended to reward Guest for the cheer that his rhyme has brought to many hearts.

#### Pollution Issue Evaded

After heated debate in which motives of sponsors and critics of the bill were attacked and the state department of health flayed as untrustworthy, the house of representatives voted to shunt the Smedley anti stream pollution bill off the calendar and back into committee. Many members believe that by so doing they succeeded in killing the bill.

#### U. of M. Denied Buildings

The University of Michigan appropriation bill, calling for an expenditure of \$3,192,700, was reported out of the House University committee without amendment. But, it is reported authoritatively, the Governor and House leaders have agreed to grant the university nothing in the way of funds for new buildings except \$900,000 for the proposed museum.

#### School Fund Amendments Lose

The members of the House who want the richer counties of the state to contribute toward the upkeep of schools in the needy counties, fought off two amendments to the Bohn Primary School Fund Bill, and sent it sailing on its way to a third reading. Wayne county will lose \$300,000 of its annual school funds if the bill becomes a law.

#### Sanitarium Bill Slashed

One of the bills passed by the House of Representatives would appropriate \$69,000 for the State Sanitarium at Howell. Originally this bill called for an appropriation of \$770,000, but the members of the Ways and Means Committee, with their eyes on the \$14,500,000 mark set by Gov. Alex. J. Groesbeck, had used their sharp axe.

#### Normal School Bill Returned

The Bryant Bill, proposing the establishment of a fifth State normal college in the northern part of the state, was sent back to the committee by the House. It had been reported out by the Ways and Means Committee with a minor error in the phraseology and was sent back for correction.

#### Forestry Tax Relief Passes

The Pearson Bill, to relieve lands held for reforestation from the burden of excessive taxes, passed the Senate, having encountered no serious obstacles since it was introduced. It has gone to the House. Enactment of this bill into law would make possible the reforestation of more than one-third of the State's total area of 26,000,000 acres. It is estimated by officials of the bureau of agricultural industry, state Department of Agriculture, who have just compiled results of a survey of 16 counties.

### Earl Sande in Saddle Again



Earl Sande up on T. E. Brown's saddle pony, "Pony Bill," the first time the greatest of all jockeys has been in the stirrups since the accident in which he was nearly killed last summer at Saratoga. Sande expects to ride some of the winners on the tracks this season.

### UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

#### More Aircraft Tests Planned

Washington—A series of anti-aircraft tests are to be carried out by the army and navy at different places during the spring and summer as a result of the Mitchell aircraft controversy and the recent Fort Monro tests which are officially considered inconclusive.

#### Red Cross Raises Storm Fund

Washington—National headquarters of the Red Cross has announced a campaign for money to aid in relief work among the middle west tornado sufferers. All large chapters of the organization were officially designated deposit areas of funds for relief of the tornado swept area.

#### U. of Chicago Gets Millions

Chicago—A gift of \$1,000,000 by Julius Rosenwald, chairman of the board of directors of the Sears, Roebuck & Co., to the University of Chicago development fund, was announced at a meeting called to formally open an alumni campaign to increase the fund by \$17,500,000 this year.

#### New York Bars Dempsey

New York—The New York State Athletic Commission has placed Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion and his manager, Jack Kearns, on the ineligible list in this state for their failure to reply satisfactorily to the commission's recent ultimatum that Dempsey accept a challenge from Harry Willis.

#### Shoals Survey Decided Upon

Washington—President Coolidge has determined upon a commission of six to investigate Muscle Shoals and report recommendations for its disposal to congress in December, it was learned. Secretaries Hoover and Weeks, two engineers and two men representing agricultural interest will compose the commission, it was said.

#### Hawaii Rejects Merger

Honolulu—The House of Representatives of the territorial legislature has tabled by the promptest action on record here a resolution proposing to make Hawaii an integral part of the state of California.

Rep. Ferreira, who introduced the resolution, said that Hawaii was not represented in Congress, was getting no proper recognition from the United States and therefore the only hope lay in joining the state of California.

**Father Sage Says:**  
Some people mistake frankness for originality.

### Republican Candidates on State Ticket, Election Monday, April 6



It is very apparent that Michigan Republicans believe that public servants at all times deserve to be rewarded for their faithful performance of duty, the entire state ticket at the April election being present incumbents of their respective positions. Supreme Court Justices John S. McDonald and George M. Clark are present members of that bench; then William L. Clements and James O. Murfin have each for a number of years been active on the Board of Regents having charge of the U. of M., while L. Whitney Watkins has served two terms and Mrs. Dora H. Stockman one on the State Board of Agriculture, the governing body of the M. A. C. Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, has held that office more than a dozen years and was connected with the same department since its creation in the present form. Thomas E. Johnson has been connected with the school work of Michigan since 1890 and was appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction to fill vacancy by Governor Sleeper. Frank Cody, who is superintendent of the public schools in Detroit, has been a member of the State Board of Education for the past twelve years and is now the Republican party nominee for a third term.

**Get Busy**  
You must select your work; you shall take what your brains can, and drop all the rest. Only so can that amount of vital force accumulate which can make the step from knowing to doing. No matter how much faculty of the idle seeing man has, the step from knowing to doing is rarely taken. It is a step out of a chalk circle of imbecility into fruitfulness.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

**CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY**  
Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 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.

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# 823 DEAD, 2,990 HURT BY TORNADO IN FIVE STATES

## Some Towns in Illinois and Indiana Totally Destroyed by Twister—Victims Being Aided by Relief Workers.

Chicago.—Following the organization of relief in the tornado-stricken area of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee, it was disclosed that about 823 persons had been killed and 2,990 injured. Several towns were completely obliterated and thousands were made homeless.

The Illinois total of deaths is 645, Indiana 100, Missouri 27, Kentucky 18 and Tennessee about 33.

Following the wind in many cities and towns, fire broke out. In some cases the relief work already had been organized so well that the conflagrations were under control in a short time. In others scores of maimed and dead were burned almost beyond recognition.

### Illinois Suffers Most.

Murphysboro, West Frankfort and De Soto were the Illinois cities that suffered most from the terrific wind blast. Gorham also suffered heavily in dead and wounded. In Indiana, Griffin, Princeton and Owensville were hardest hit while in Missouri, Biehle suffered about ten deaths. Gallatin, Tenn., reported that about thirty had been killed there.

In a number of towns lighting systems were out of order and darkness hampered the workers at night. National Guard troops are protecting these places from possible looting. Pullman cars have arrived in many of the villages to provide sleeping places for the thousands of homeless while tent villages are arising rapidly.

In a few cities where there had been happiness, prosperity, and future, the tornado blasted all. In others it showed fiendish eccentricity by leveling and blackening portions, while sparing the rest.

### Towns Swept Away.

Nearly half of Princeton, Ind., was snuffed. A sister city, Griffin, was virtually carried away. De Soto, Ill., with 500 people, lost its existence. A neighbor, Gorham, of 300 souls, was wiped out. Murphysboro, Ill., lost nearly three square miles of its business and residential sections. Other hamlets are yet cut off from telling their story.

### Property Losses in Millions.

Those in charge speak in millions when asked to estimate material losses. The brief dispatches read: "\$100,000 in southwestern Kentucky," "\$2,000,000 at Princeton," "\$6,000,000 in southern Illinois," "\$100,000 in Missouri." At the other scenes no one yet ventures to estimate.

The tornado took its toll over a territory of 300 miles in five hours and within the same period of time outside aid was covering that distance to carry help and comfort to survivors. The Red Cross rushed supplies from St. Louis. Chicago offered \$500,000. The Illinois legislature appropriated a like amount and the Missouri legislature \$25,000.

### Toll of Dead Mounting.

In southern Illinois, where terrific havoc was wrought in four towns, Murphysboro, West Frankfort, De Soto and Gorham, all in coal mining territory within a twenty-five mile radius of Carbondale, the relief center, the toll of dead and injured continued to mount as additional bodies were taken from the ruins. The death list was above the 500 mark, while between 2,000 and 3,000 were injured and thousands were homeless. Relief workers said the loss of life might reach 1,000. The property damage in the area was estimated at \$7,000,000.

### Grim Story in Morgue.

It was at the morgue of southern Illinois' largest city where the story of West Frankfort's tragedy was briefly but grimly told. Ninety-one bodies lay stretched in long rows, and the first twenty-one were the forms of little children, ranging from eighteen months to four years in age.

They lay in a pitiful row on a long table, faces uncovered so some heart-broken mother or father or perhaps an older brother or sister might claim them. One by one the little bodies were tagged with a family name as identifications were made.

At a mine known as No. 18 twelve men went to their deaths when the plant above ground was demolished.

Terrible was the destruction vented on Murphysboro.

### Makes Kindling Wood of Homes.

More than half of it now is little more than kindling wood and smoldering ruins of hundreds of homes.

Hours of battering by field artillery could do no more to a town than the tornado did to the stricken area of Murphysboro. Brick buildings went with the weaker frames. Thirty-seven children were crushed to death in the collapse of two school buildings. Two square miles which contained 500 residences and 100 business houses were leveled.

One of the buildings destroyed was a new \$85,000 Baptist church, where a funeral was being held when the tornado struck. Another was a new \$207,000 addition to the high school.

Chief of Police Joe Boston found the body of his daughter in these

ruins. The dry grass on some of the lawns was actually uprooted.

Looting began early at West Frankfort and guards fired several shots in the darkness at prowlers in the ruins, but none were wounded or captured. West Frankfort is without water, except that hauled in.

Thirteen persons are said to have burned to death when they fled to the basement of a Murphysboro restaurant. A woman and her small twins were found side by side, dead, in a field near De Soto.

There the disaster fell largely on persons of limited means, some out of work because of the shut down of coal fields. Many women and children and a score of babies appeared on the death lists. Entire families were wiped out. One man, searching through a morgue for his wife and three children, found the bodies of his babes side by side in one room, his wife in another.

Identify Dead by Jewelry. Many of the bodies were mangled, scorched or buried, some beyond recognition. Identification in many instances had to be made by rings or other personal belongings.

The government, Red Cross, state troops, private institutions and individuals combined in the huge task of caring for the injured, giving shelter and haunting bodies.

In Murphysboro, where 147 bodies have been recovered, 8,000 persons, or two-thirds of the population, were homeless. One hundred city blocks were demolished there and the power plant wrecked. Seventeen students were killed in the destruction of school buildings.

Woman Blown into Trestle. Forty-five bodies had been recovered at De Soto, which virtually was obliterated. More than a dozen other Illinois towns reported from one to forty deaths. At De Soto a woman with a baby in her arms was blown to the top of a tree, where she clung until the storm passed, and then descended virtually, without injury.

Soldiers are everywhere on duty in the area of suffering and citizens have organized themselves and are digging in the ruins of their homes. Some who probe the wreckage are seeking to retrieve a little part of what were once their belongings.

Witnesses said the towns in the storm's path were wrecked in a few minutes. One described the deadly visitor as a greenish, black funnel, slanting at an angle of 45 degrees. A deluge of hail followed in its path.

While the storm started in Missouri shortly after one o'clock, it did not reach Illinois until around three o'clock, and it was nearly dusk before it took its last savage blow in Indiana.

### West Frankfort in Ruins.

Working under lights from automobiles and from bonfires built from wrecked framework of houses, hundreds of rescuers were searching for bodies of victims of the tornado which swept West Frankfort, Ill.

Public buildings, lodge halls, and churches were converted into temporary hospitals and morgues. Eighty-five bodies already have been recovered. The injured number 500, many of whom will die.

The town is a picture of ruin. Scores of buildings are demolished and the streets are strewn with wreckage. Tangled wires and splintered trees litter the streets. Naked walls from which the rest of the structure has been torn stand out as grim silhouettes.

And all of this thrown into fantastic contortions by the flames from a dozen fires which sprang up here and there among the ruins. Fire departments from surrounding towns aided the local department in checking the flames.

### Fire Follows Fire.

As they put down one blaze another sprang up in another section. And through it all the firemen were constantly called on to leave their work and help in rescue.

The picture after the storm was one of pathetic suffering. Dead and injured were strewn about the streets, and among them ran frantic men and women, or crying children, some almost unclothed, seeking their loved ones.

### Relief Work in Indiana.

In Indiana relief measures also were going forward rapidly under the direction of Gov. Ed. Jackson. Of five towns struck in that state, Griffin, a Posey county village, suffered most. With 47 bodies recovered, it was believed that the death list might mount to 125. Griffin virtually was wiped out, and systematic work at rescue was held up for a time because few were left uninjured in the village. Military lines have been drawn about the entire area.

### At Princeton, which counted 20 dead, the 2,000,000 shops of the Southern railway were destroyed, throwing 400 persons out of work. Most of the homes destroyed were those of workmen.

It was announced from Washington that national headquarters of the Red Cross, with its chief, President Coolidge, taking the initiative, had set in motion its entire machinery of mercy to the injured and homeless.

### Sees Children Die in School.

Centralia, Ill.—A dramatic eye-witness story of the death of a score or more of children in the school at De Soto and of the virtual destruction of the town was told here by Max Burton.

Burton is telegraph operator for the Illinois Central at Tamaroa, a few miles from De Soto, and on receiving a flash of the destruction he motored there, being the first outsider to arrive, and found the town a mass of debris, with dead and injured strewn in the streets.

At Houses Destroyed. "It seemed to me there was not an entire house in the town," Burton said.

### 823 Killed, 2,990 Hurt in Tornado

Reports from towns affected by the tornado announce 823 dead and 2,990 injured, as follows:

ILLINOIS	
Dead	Injured
Murphysboro	110
West Frankfort	107
De Soto	118
Gorham	20
McLeansboro	27
Parrish	20
Edgar	12
Leaton	12
Bafield	12
Thompsonville	8
Hurst	4
Bush	4
Akin	4
Carmi	2
Grossville	1
Totals	645

INDIANA	
Dead	Injured
Griffin	80
Princeton	20
Owensville	22
Poseyville	5
Elisabeth	3
Totals	100

TENNESSEE	
Dead	Injured
Gallatin	27
Shelbyville	2
Wartrace	2
Knockville	1
Kirkland	1
Totals	33

MISSOURI	
Dead	Injured
Biehle	11
Cape Girardeau	7
Perryville	6
Annapolis	2
Altenburg	1
Totals	27

KENTUCKY	
Dead	Injured
Beaumont	8
Holland	10
Springfield	1
Lexington	1
Bridgeport	1
Totals	21

Grand Totals	
Dead	Injured
Totals	823
Grand totals	2,990

"People were hurrying out on the road, north and south, with a few belongings clutched in their arms, more for protection against the storm than anything else, so far as I could see."

"I went directly to the schoolhouse, after running and walking two and a half miles, and the first thing I saw there was the bodies of about twenty little children laid out on mattresses and blankets. There was no one there to claim them, so I thought the people whom I had seen on the road were their parents, but I learned later that the children's parents had been killed or injured, and those who were not dead were being hurried by automobile, special relief train and ambulances to hospitals in Carbondale and Duquoin."

"The principal of the school was there trying to identify the bodies of the pupils. He also was worrying over the safety of two girl teachers who were unaccounted for. The principal was bloody from his injuries and staggered in his walk. He had barely escaped with his life."

### Carried Bodies From Ruins.

"About twenty-five bodies of school children were piled up just outside the playgrounds, and a search was being made for others in the ruins. While I stood there they took some of the bodies away and brought others out of the building, which by then was a mass of smoldering ruins, fire having destroyed what the cyclone did not."

"The hallway of the school had caved in, and what few rescuers were on hand were trying to uncover other bodies of pupils and locate the two missing teachers."

"I walked out beyond the school grounds and near the city limits I saw the bodies of two babies, apparently about six or eight months old. They were dead and their baby clothes had been torn from them."

### Sees People Fleeing Town.

"Every tree that was left standing and every fence had garments, bed-clothes and household goods hurled against the west side of them. This indicated the storm traveled eastward. I saw furniture, automobile tops and clothing scattered everywhere, and saw many people fleeing from the town with hardly any garments."

"The business section was practically destroyed by fire and wind and nearly every home was flat on the ground."

"I saw about forty automobiles piled up in one big pile and thought this was a garage that had been struck."

"Then I saw another car just outside of town that looked like the people were trying to get away, but had failed. The car had blown from the road over to the railroad right of way and was wrecked, but I could find no bodies."

### Firemen Aid in Rescue Work.

"I offered what help I could, and they told me the bodies were first taken south to Carbondale, but that the hospital there was soon filled and they then took the injured to the Duquoin hospital, north of De Soto."

"Automobiles were stretched along the hard roads north and south of De Soto for nearly three miles, a short time after the cyclone."

"The fire departments of Duquoin and Carbondale were sent to De Soto, but they were unable to do anything and the firemen pitched in to do rescue work. I could see them digging the bodies out of the schoolhouse and other buildings."

"I met two girls on the road on my way back to Tamaroa. Their faces were bleeding and their clothes were torn. One of them said: 'How did you get out, and the other answered, 'I climbed out of the window,' and said, 'how did you get out?' The first said, 'I don't know.' They were wandering up the road and seemed not to know where they were going."

## Fascinating Style Theme Is the Modern Sweater



Thanks to the knitted outerwear fashions, we are getting entirely away from the idea that just because a sweater is useful it must be dull, prosaic and ordinary. In its lovely colorings and intriguing design the modern sweater is achieving the poetry of things stylish rather than the prose.

The flattering sweater model in the picture is the sort of happy-looking affair we are reveling in these days. Irresistible charm is expressed in its every detail. The slashed collar and lower edge gives a fanciful touch and the lacing at the front opening is especially featured this season.

By the way, here's something more than interesting about knitted fashions—they are wearing stockings to match sweaters.

## Farm Hints

Legumes swell profits.

Don't overwork the hens with too much light.

Greens fed to the hens help put green-backs into the pocket.

Be sure to plant "certified" Irish potatoes next season, for safety and profit.

Denmark, one-third the size of New York, had 5,000 co-operative associations in 1920.

Weeds transpire moisture from the soil. Remove the weeds and so conserve moisture.

Jack Frost will provide much comfort next summer if you will provide a storage for his products now.

If we may judge from the trend of public sentiment, the time may not be far distant when those who will not grade their products will not sell them.

A large number of cattle die every year from cornstalk disease. Veterinarians say there is no treatment for the disease. They suggest that overly hungry cattle should not be turned into cornstalks because they are affected quicker. Feed the animals some hay every morning before they are turned out.

### Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Charlevoix County Road Commissioners, at their office in the Court House, Charlevoix, Michigan, until 10:00 o'clock April 9, 1925, for the construction of several pieces of roads or parts thereof as follows:

5100 feet of Class A 9 Ft. Gravel Road (Sta. 0 to Sta. 51) on Boyne Falls and Deer Lake Road Sec. A, in Boyne Valley Township.

6818 feet of Class A, 9 Ft. Gravel Road on the Wildwood Harbor Road Sec. C, in Evangeline and Melrose Townships; Also, Fine Grading and Class A, 9 Ft. Gravel on an additional 2970 feet of grade already built on this road.

13241 feet of Class A, 9 Ft. Gravel Road on the East Jordan and Peninsula Road Sec. B, in Eveline Township.

Bids on the above work, are to be divided into two parts as follows: The grading and drainage in one bid and Gravel, Fine Grading and Guard Rail in the other.

Certified Check for such amount as indicated in the Bidding Blank, must accompany the bids on each road.

All work on above pieces of road to be done according to plans on file in the office of the County Road Commission and in accordance with State Specifications.

Plans may be seen and bidding blanks obtained at the office of the County Road Commission.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part thereof.

FRANK D. THOMPSON, Chairman.

ERNEST PEASLEE, Deputy Clerk.

### 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 25th day of March A. D. 1925.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of John Cameron, Deceased.

Anna Ruhling having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Martin Ruhling or to some other suitable person.

## Election Notice

Biennial Spring Election and Annual City Election.

To the Qualified Electors of the City of East Jordan, State of Michigan, Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing Biennial Spring Election and Annual City Election will be held on

Monday, April 6, A. D. 1925

At the places in the several Wards or Precincts as indicated below, viz.:

First Ward—School House  
Second Ward—Town Hall  
Third Ward—Council Rooms

At which election the following officers are to be voted for, viz.:

STATE—Two Justices of the Supreme Court, full term; two Regents of the University; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one Member State Board of Education; two Members State Board of Agriculture; one State Highway Commissioner.

CITY—1 Mayor.

1 Alderman, 1 Supervisor and 1 Constable for each of the 3 Wards.

RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS

Sec. 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, for as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Provided, That in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution adopted fifteen days prior to the election and published with the notice of the election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon, and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

The date of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated March 18, A. D. 1925.  
OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk

### 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 809, on the 25th day of March, 1910, and

WHEREAS by reason of said default there is now claimed to be due, and is due, upon said mortgage on the date of this notice, including principle, interest taxes and attorney fee, the sum of Three Hundred Ninety-three and 21/100 (\$393.21) Dollars, and that no suit or proceedings at law or equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage conferred and of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell the premises described in said mortgage at public auction for cash to the highest bidder on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, that being the building wherein the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows to-wit:

"Lot One (1) of Block three (3) of Bowen's Addition to Village of South Lake, more commonly known as East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Michigan," together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the debt and costs aforesaid.

Dated at East Jordan, Michigan, January 30, 1925.

STATE BANK OF EAST JORDAN, Mortgagee.

By—A. J. Sufferin, Cashier.

CLINK & WILLIAMS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address: East Jordan, Mich.

### MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made and executed by Fred Crowell and Frances Crowell, who joins both as wife and in her own right, of East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Michigan, to Amelia A. Lewis of Tecumseh, County of Lenawee, Michigan, which said mortgage bears date the 21st day of September, 1918, and was recorded on the 23rd day of September, 1918 in Liber 39 of Mortgages on page 631 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Charlevoix, Michigan. By reason of said default there is now claimed to be due, and is due, upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, including principal, interest and attorney fee, the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Five (\$1,050.00) Dollars, and that no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage conferred and of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 15th day of June, 1925, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, that being the building wherein the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held, the premises described in said mortgage which are as follows, to-wit:

"The South Half (S 1/2) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Thirty-six (36), Town Thirty-three (33) North, Range Seven (7) West, containing eighty (80) acres of land more or less, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the debt, costs and charges aforesaid."

AMELIA A. LEWIS, Mortgagee.

Jordan, Michigan, Mar.

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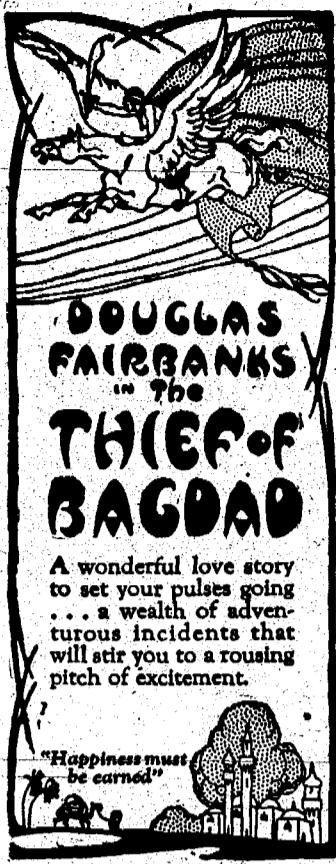
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### Dentist

Office Hours:  
8 to 12 a. m. 1 to





**Coming To The Temple Theatre**

Pontiac—Pontiac hunters killed a good sized timber wolf on the Edsel Ford country estate in White Lake township, Oakland county. Wolf tracks had been noticed in the vicinity of the log cabin that Mr. Ford is building on a knoll on the large estate. With the assistance of dogs, the hunters chased a female wolf to its den and killed it without difficulty.

Detroit—Percy L. Hudson, a customer in the Epworth boulevard branch of the American State Bank here, frustrated an attempted hold-up at the possible cost of his life when he grappled with a bandit who had pressed a pistol against his side. The gunman fired, wounding Hudson in the chest. With his companion, the gunman then fled to his car, making no effort to rob the bank.

Grand Haven—Fred T. Miles, of Holland, former Ottawa county prosecuting attorney who was appointed to prosecute the charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm against Sheriff Delbert Fortney, announced that the charge will be dismissed. No reason for this decision was given. The case was the result of Fortney's alleged fist attack up on former Mayor E. P. Stephan.

**TEACHER'S Examinations**

FOR  
**Charlevoix County**

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**Keep Flock Healthy Through Sanitation**

**Plan to Secure Eggs While Prices Are High.**

It is most important that the birds be kept in health during the winter months, not simply because we are anxious to secure a good production while prices are high but also because the condition of the birds now is going to materially affect the results of the breeding season next spring and the mortality for the whole coming year.

You have probably noticed how quickly the birds quit scratching when the litter becomes heavy or dirty and begin to spend much time sitting about. This reduces their circulation, makes them more subject to colds and also slows up digestion and appetite.

Dust has been shown to irritate the birds' lungs and makes them more subject to colds. Just how to keep this dust down on dirt floors is a problem. Oiling has been tried, but the oil is usually tracked onto the eggs, affecting their flavor and hatchability. Several inches of clean sand on the packed dirt with straw above this seems to be the best solution. Ashes or cinders should not be put in the house. The former makes an exceedingly fine and caustic dust, the latter are sharp and often result in injury to the feet. The writer has not seen a patented litter which proved entirely satisfactory.

Most hen houses need a much more frequent disinfecting than they usually get to destroy accumulations of bacteria causing roup and other contagious diseases. A fine spray is superior to painting because it is dark cracks which need the application most. The floor and nests should be thoroughly sprayed each time the litter is removed. Sheep dips diluted a pint to twelve quarts of water are satisfactory.—O. C. Krum, Poultry Specialist, Colorado Agricultural College.

**Ohio Potatoes Produce Higher Yields in 1924**

Ohio certified seed potatoes produce higher yields (at least in Ohio) than do the certified tubers from sister potato-growing states, says N. W. Gilnes, farm crops specialist at Ohio State university. He bases his assertion on results obtained at the Ohio experiment station at Wooster. Tests there showed average yields of 204 bushels an acre for Ohio Russet Rurals, 218 bushels for Ohio White Rurals, 147 bushels for Wisconsin White Rurals, 179 bushels for Michigan Russet Rurals and 122 bushels for New York White Rurals, the latter, however, only on the basis of one sample.

The Ohio samples were obtained by securing a peck from each grower whose seed was certified in 1923, this being one of the requirements for certification.

Mr. Gilnes reports an increasing interest throughout the state in certified seed. In 1924 there were 8,700 bushels of Ohio White Rurals and 2,530 bushels of Ohio Russet Rurals certified for seed.

**Better Live Stock and Improved Feed Methods**

In recent years various methods have been developed for encouraging the adoption of better live stock and improved methods of handling and feeding them. Five years ago the department started the better sire, better stock campaign and now there are more than 15,000 farmers throughout the country who have pledged themselves to use nothing but pure bred sires of any kind on their farms. Other factors in present-day live stock improvement are boys' and girls' clubs, demonstrations, exhibits, ton-litter clubs, thousand-pound calf clubs, country-sire-sales plan, cow-testing associations, stallion registry, co-operative bull associations, ram rages, poultry improvement activities and various other means. The United States Department of Agriculture is active in encouraging all of these various means of improvement.

**FARM NOTES**

- Paint makes machinery last longer.
- Good packing increases sales and reduces losses.
- On the farm as elsewhere, co-operation is safer than competition.
- Uncle Ab says the worst resolutions are the ones that are not kept.
- Large beets furnish excellent green food for poultry during the winter.
- The right sort of farm management by the right sort of farmer really does pay.
- This year, as never before, a farmer with a program will be a farmer with a profit.
- The first crop to be planted this year should be a crop of new thoughts about better farming.
- Planting is next to orderliness, orderliness is next to cleanliness, cleanliness—you know the rest.
- Sweet clover improves the soil much more rapidly than red clover, because it has a greater root system which penetrates the subsoil deeper than clover. The long roots

**Improvement in All Industries**

**Campaign for Eradication of Tuberculosis Is Given Credit for Stimulus.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The farmers of Hillsdale county, Mich., demonstrated their practical foresight when in 1921 they decided to rid the entire county of bovine tuberculosis. It was the first county in the country to be put on this free list, the work being done in co-operation with the United States Department of Agriculture and the Michigan College of Agriculture. Instead of sinking into their feather bed of laurels, the people of this community have gone ahead with other improvements, stimulated by the good results of their big venture in disease eradication which has increased their returns from dairy products and breeding stock.

**Economic Benefits.**  
Once the county had been freed of tuberculosis in its cattle herds, the economic benefits were so satisfactory that the farmers were stimulated to search for other ways of increasing the returns from their live stock. Next to the securing of healthy stock, the improvement in the quality of the animals appealed to them as being a logical step toward the realization of a better live stock industry. As a result there has been a noticeable increase in the quality of dairy stock through the use of better blood and the elimination of poor producers through keeping production records.

The most recent move, which may be said to have had its origin in the campaign against bovine tuberculosis, is a determined effort to improve the poultry flocks by the eradication of the same disease from feathered live stock and by culling out the poor producers.

**Increasing Returns.**  
The work of poultry improvement through these means was started the past summer in one township by a representative of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, and a poultry expert from the college of agriculture, the county paying all their expenses except salaries. The culling of the first 40 flocks revealed that the average farmer, in spite of a popular impression to the contrary, was losing money on his chickens. It was found that of these flocks a little more than 40 per cent had tuberculosis. This condition is looked upon as a plausible explanation of the fact that 22 per cent of the hogs shipped from the county are found to have the disease, as hogs are particularly susceptible to the avian type of tuberculosis.

At the same time that the prevalence of tuberculosis was disclosed among the poultry flocks, other conditions were revealed which help to account for the poor results obtained. Among them are poor stock or culls, improper feeding, having pullets hatched too late in the spring, and keeping old birds. The conclusion has been reached that it is advisable to keep the poultry stock fenced in away from contact with other live stock on the farm.

**Favor Oats Instead of Middlings for Fattening**

Wheat middlings, which many farmers buy to feed along with corn, tankage and pasture in fattening pigs, will be more expensive in the next few months than it has been before, because of the decrease in our production of cereals.

Oats can be used to replace wheat middlings to very good advantage, and are really worth more when price is considered, in making up a fattening ration for pigs. Tests made by the experiment station at the University of Illinois show that one pound of good oats is equal to one pound of wheat middlings in feeding value. R. J. Lalbie informs us that middlings are a valuable supplementary feed and many men feel they cannot get along without them for pigs that have recently been weaned.

For growing pigs and as a means of economy, oats can very well be used whole or ground and fed at the rate of one-half pound a day for each pig as a supplement to corn and tankage.

**Soy Beans May Be Grown to Improve Thin Soils**

Oats are not considered a big money crop, but they do furnish a variety as feed, and they fit in the rotation program, where some spring-sown crop is called for. Some farms where from one-quarter to one-third the acreage was formerly given to oats are changing over to soy beans, and the system seems to be meeting with wide favor. Spring wheat may be utilized as nurse for clovers, or clovers and grasses may be sown during February or March on fall-sown wheat. With this shift of nurse crops soy beans may be profitably grown in greater areas, and may be utilized in a way that will give maximum feeding value and at the same time give some aid to our thinner soils.

**Eggs for Hatching**

It is poor policy, says N. E. Chapman, poultry specialist with the extension division at University farm at St. Paul, Minn., to use hatching eggs that are more than two weeks old. Fresh eggs are the best. If it is regarded necessary to keep eggs for a longer period, they should be stored in a cool, dark place.

**PLANTING THE TULIP BULBS**

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

THE bulbs came late last fall. I had ordered them for the first week in October with the hope of getting them in early, but there was delay in shipping. Men from Holland, the florist said, or congestion of freight at a shipping port, or something that the railroad was responsible for. At any rate they did not come.

October passed, and no bulbs came; November was almost at an end, and I had given up all hope of the tulips. Winter was coming on, the ground would soon be frozen, and if they did not come immediately it would be useless for them to come at all, for they could not be planted.

Then one night, as I was coming from the office after dark, I stumbled up the porch steps and ran into a large box standing in front of the door. My bulbs had come. It was too late to begin work that night. I looked up the address of my boy who was to help with the work, but he had no telephone. I should have to wait until tomorrow to summon him.

I awakened early the next morning with an undefined feeling that there was something I ought to do immediately. The rising sun was shining in at my window, but there was a feeling in the air that suggested the oncoming winter. Then I remembered the tulips. Should I go up and plant them myself, or should I trust to luck and the uncertain boy? The bed felt mighty comfortable, and I have little enough time to sleep in the morning.

I remembered the legend that if you really want a thing done, the best way is to do it yourself, and I rolled out and got into my garden trousers.

The ground was still in good condition, late as it was, and by working hard I got them half in by breakfast time, and I came home early from the office in the evening and finished the job. That night the weather man got busy, the thermometer fell almost to zero, and the ground froze so that there was no more planting until spring. I had finished in the nick of time.

I have often remarked that in gardening as in other things there is a definite time when a thing should be done, and if it is not done then there is likely to be regret or failure. No matter at what sacrifice or discomfort it pays to do a thing at the right time. Sometimes, of course, one time may be as good as another, but usually there comes an hour when a task should be accomplished or it is never done so opportunely again.

Outside today the birds are singing the grass is turning green, and after a long, hard winter, there is a breath of spring in the air. New life and new opportunities are springing up within us. It is the time of the resurrection, when new hope is born and a new vision comes to us.

Through my open window I can see the crocuses in bloom, the lilac buds are swelling and showing a touch of tender green, and everywhere the tulips are sticking up their heads. Clumps of them are appearing in the shrubbery, and the long rows are showing in the buds. I know it will be only a matter of a few sunny days and a few gentle shivers until the garden will be a riot of color—of red and orange and violet and rose, and I shall be more than compensated for my early rising and my hours of unpleasant labor in November.

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EAST JORDAN, MICH.

**A L B A**  
(Edited by Mrs. A. I. Ashbaugh)

Miss Della Mayhew and sister, Rhea, of Mancelona were guests of Mrs. Saperston and Mrs. Sylvia Blain, attending the play "Mid-summer Eve" put on by the first to third grades. The children were excellently trained by their teachers and the play was enjoyed by many.

Mr. LaPratt who spent the past year in Detroit, has moved back here.

Mrs. Della Sheldon and daughter of Mackinaw, visited relatives in Alba for a few days.

Miss Alice Dean of Charlotte, is visiting her brother and family, R. H. Dean.

Mr. John Williams who has been ailing for a number of years, passed away at his home Sunday.

Among those home for a ten days vacation are Charles Osterout from Ypsilanti, Lynn Glidden from Albion, and Mrs. Fannie Anderson from Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. Wolsey of Detroit, visited at the home of his nephew, I. Saperston, Thursday.

Alba people were quite excited over one lone negro who tried to play deaf and dumb but was so intoxicated that he forgot his role and began talking. Harney Mitchell was called on and took him to Mancelona, where a night in jail brought him to his senses, (if he had any).

F. Freymire has a new Ford Sedan. Geo. Tobias has traded his old car for one which has been run for only one season, and Elmer Peterson is the owner of Mr. Freymire's old car. It is reported that R. C. Bennett has bought a new truck.

Mrs. J. Halstead, formerly of Alba, but now of Jackson, has a seven and a half pound boy, born a few days ago.

The Juniors held a box social at the school house Friday evening for the benefit of the Seniors.

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PENINSULAR

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

A. B. Nicloy and Elmer Faust returned Wednesday evening from Grand Rapids with Mr. Faust's household goods. While in Grand Rapids Mr. Nicloy visited his mother, Mrs. Clara Nicloy, and his sister, Mrs. Nettie Spofers, at whose home his mother is stopping. He reports both ladies are well.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nicloy, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald, attended the funeral of Mrs. Thos. Rice, a cousin of Mrs. McDonald and Mr. Nicloy, at Kalkaska Friday, returning the same evening. The trip was made in the Nicloy Sedan.

F. H. Wangeman and son, Lyle, and A. J. and Orval Bennett drove around by East Jordan Thursday, and bailed hay at the Harry Coblenz farm.

A mistake made in last weeks item, it should have read a petition to raise (\$2500) twenty five hundred dollars to build a Town Hall in Eveline Twp. It is up to us east siders to get out poll a full vote or loose our very able representative, F. H. Wangeman, on the Board of Review, also on the Whiting Park committee, and the County Road committee.

There is an exhibit at Ridgeway farm F. D. Russell's, a goose egg 8 1/2 inches in circumference, 5 inches long and weighs 10 ounces. Can you beat it?

The mud hole in the road between the Fred Wu place and the Star school house in which our mail carriers got stuck Friday, has been repaired so now all the cross roads on the Peninsula are in fairly good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Faust, and family who have spent the winter at Orchard Hill, are now nicely settled in Sid Cottage at Hayden Park, their phone No. is 24012.

A channel has been cut through the ice and the Ferry is now running.

There were 46 in attendance at the Star of Hope Sunday School March 29. Rev. Geo. Weaver of Petoskey, Sunday School Missionary, was there and delivered a splendid sermon. The Sunday School is preparing a splendid program for Easter Sunday.

Durby Hayden, who has spent six weeks at his home, Orchard Hill, went to Petoskey Thursday, where he visited friends until Monday, when he returned to his work in Grand Rapids.

MILES DISTRICT

(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles.)

Mr. F. D. Russell is able to be up again after being confined to his bed several days with a severe attack of lumbago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Burnett, and Mrs. Santos and daughter, Pauline, of Boyne City, called on the F. D. Russell family, Sunday.

Phyllis and Geo. Jarman of Boyne City are spending the spring vacation with their grand-father, Geo. Jarman, at Knoll Krest.

An inch of new ice formed Saturday night, the first hard freeze for some time.

The ice is breaking away around the shore in Pine Lake, here's hoping it may soon all be gone.

W. C. Howe is moving a family into the Arthur Gaunt house in Mountain Dist.

The Co. Road truck took a load of culverts toward the Ferry, also dragged the Lake Shore road Saturday.

At the Eveline Arbor Gleaner meeting Saturday evening it was voted to sell the organ and buy a new one.

Mrs. Nellie Evans and son, J. F. of Boyne City are spending the vacation with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bennett in Star Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Morrison of Boyne City are assisting Mrs. A. H. Nicloy with her house cleaning and paper hanging.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nicloy are expected to attend a party at the Curtis Hurd home at Horton Bay, Mrs. Nicloy's father, Wednesday April 1st. The occasion being his 75th birthday. Besides the children and grand children, there is expected a few intimate friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose LaLonde of Chaddock Dist. spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. F. D. Russell, and family.

A. Reich is now boarding at his home Lona Ash, and driving his car to and from his job at the Chemical Plant in East Jordan.

Farming began Monday, March 30. Geo. Jarman plowed at Knoll Krest as did Claud Stauley on his farm "below the hill".

Gaunts and Johnstons are buzzing round on the Johnston 20, across from the Wangeman farm.

NOWLAND HILL

(Edited by Mrs. C. M. Nowland)

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nowland are the proud parents of a son born March 27, called Cecil Emery.

Eugene Kurchinski and family moved to their farm here from Boyne City Saturday.

Mrs. Omar Scott spent Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. Emerson Collins of East Jordan. Mrs. Collins returned home with Mrs. Scott and spent Friday visiting.

Miss Esther Shepard of Afton visited at the homes of Albert and Sam Nowland Thursday.

Miss Sarah Sherman and Miss Marian Sedgman of East Jordan called on friends on the Hill Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquays and little daughter, Marian, returned home Saturday morning from their trip by motor to Louisiana and back. They spent a very enjoyable winter in Louisiana camping out.

Misses Fern Davis and Lila Ellis of Boyne City spent the week end with Mrs. Ray Nowland.

Miss Louise Snyder of Boyne City spent the week end with Miss Ooole Scott.

There was a dance at the Wilson Grange Hall Saturday night. Music was furnished by Brown's Orchestra of Boyne City. There is to be another dance next Saturday night.

Mrs. James Simmons and little daughter, Eleanor, spent the week end with husband and son at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Allen of Petoskey.

Arthur and Luther Brintnall have been drawing baled hay to Boyne City the past few days from the Chorpensing farm, where the former lives.

Miss Melba Sutton, Miss Ooole Scott and Conn Nowland are spending their Easter vacation at their homes from their high school work at Boyne City.

Anson Hull who makes his home at E. L. Nowlands is working for the Bricker Bros. of Brown's district.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Trojaneck and sons of Jordan township, his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trojaneck and Miss Jennie of East Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Len Henderson of Afton, Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquays and daughter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Nowland.

Now even Senate will be out of session for eight months.

The world's record for the greatest traction pull is held by a team of Canadian horses with 3,100 pounds to their credit. This doesn't compare with some of the average American political pulls.

Remarkable Remarks: Edward E. Gore, accountant says that "banks lose more than \$200,000,000 annually through forgery and embezzlement," and "bonding companies are more concerned with getting the money back than jailing the offenders."

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MARKETS

(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles.)

Miss Mabel Zoulek of Chaddock Dist. and Mrs. Esther LaLonde of East Jordan were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Addis.

Mr. McDonald of Fremont came last week and is moving on the Beckman-Cincinnati farm he purchased last fall.

Darius Shaw of East Jordan was a guest of Carl Moble Sunday.

G. Steenhagen cut wood for J. Ter-Wee and A. Medema last week.

Fred Bancroft is now driving a little "Henry."

Mrs. Mary Tillotson and son, John, of Ellsworth took dinner at the A. Miles home Monday.

The school has a new Flag and Clock which makes an improvement.

Our mailman, Mr. Patterson, made his first trip this spring with his car Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeForde of Ellsworth visited Sunday with Mrs. DeForde's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Donaldson.

Bert Mullen and little Frances LaLonde of Traverse City, motored up to the home of Frank Addis and spent the night. They with Mr. and Mrs. Addis, and two sons, and Mrs. Bert Mullen were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mullen and Mrs. Addis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Supley LaLonde.

Mrs. Bert Mullen returned to her home in Traverse City Sunday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Addis, and other relatives and friends.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Butter and egg markets irregular and unsettled. Prices 92 score butter No. 1 creamery in tubs, 43@47c per lb. Eggs, fresh receipts, 29@29.1-2c per dozen.

FEED

Feed demand light. Winter wheat bran, \$33; spring wheat bran, \$32; standard middlings, \$32; fine middlings, \$37; cracked corn, \$56; coarse cornmeal, \$44; chop, \$38 per ton in carlots.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Old potatoes generally lower. U. S. No. 1 Michigan, in carlots, \$1.50 per 100-lb sack. Apples slightly weaker. Greenings, \$2.25@2.50; Spys, \$3@3.50; Baldwins, \$2@2.25 per bu. Cabbage irregular at 90c@1 per bu. Onions sold firm at \$2.50@3 per 100-lb sack.

HAY AND STRAW

Hay and straw markets slightly easier. Hay, No. 1 timothy, \$16@16.50; standard, \$15.50@16; No. 2 light clover mixed, \$15.50@16; No. 2 timothy, \$14@15; No. 1 clover mixed, \$13@14; No. 1 clover, \$13@14; wheat and oat straw, \$10.50@11; rye straw, \$11.50@12 per ton in carlots.

GRAIN

Grain market nervous. May wheat futures higher with new crop futures firmer account drought in southwest. Corn and oats futures lower. Quoted Detroit: Wheat, Cash No. 1 red, \$1.78; \$1.77. Yellow Corn, ash No. 3, \$1.18; No. 2 red, No. 2 white and No. 2 mixed No. 4, \$1.13. White Oats, Cash No. 2, 53c; No. 3, 52c. Rye, Cash No. 2, \$1.22. Beans, Michigan choice hand picked, prompt shipment, \$5.70@5.75 per cwt. Barley, malting, 97c; feeding, 92c. Buckwheat, milling, \$2@2.05 per cwt. Seeds, prime red clover, \$16.50; October, \$13.10; alfalfa, \$13.90; timothy, \$2.80.

LIVESTOCK AND MEATS

Chicago and Detroit hog prices lower at \$13.80 for the top and \$13.25@13.75 for the bulk. Medium and good beef steers higher at \$6.50@11.60; butcher cows and heifers higher at \$4.35@11.40; feeder steers steady to lower at \$6@8.75, and light and medium weight veal calves lower at \$1@11; fat lambs lower at \$14.25@16.50; feeding lambs steady at \$15@16.75; yearlings lower at \$11.25@14 and fat ewes steady at \$6.25@9.75 Live Poultry, Detroit, Capons, over 7 lbs, 34@36c; spring chickens, fancy smooth legs, 31c; best hens, 5 lbs up 30c; old roosters, 18c; geese, 16@18c; ducks, large white, 33@34c; best turkeys, 35c per lb.

Boxed Over 50,000 Rounds

George Decker, boxing coach at the University of Pennsylvania, who has boxed over 50,000 rounds with the students who are followers of the pacifist.



NEWS DISPATCHES FROM EVERYWHERE

Rep. McLeod Injured As Plane Crashes While Enroute To Washington

Uniontown, Pa. — Representative Clarence J. McLeod, of Detroit, was critically injured here when the airplane in which he was flying to Washington crashed into a tree and rolled down a hillside at the Uniontown County club as the pilot, Lieut. R. J. Minty, attempted to take off. Lieut. Minty escaped with only a few scratches.

Representative McLeod was rushed to the Uniontown hospital, where doctors found he had suffered a sprained back, several fractured ribs, a fractured shoulder and severe cuts about the head. His condition was reported to be serious.

The representative and Lieutenant Minty in one plane and Lieutenant C. K. Rich and S. J. Peps, Representative McLeod's secretary, in another, "hopped off" from Selfridge Field, Michigan, for Washington.

Representative McLeod has been intensely interested in aviation, and has made flights in all kinds of weather. During the last session of Congress, together with Representative Robert Clancy, he was active in the fight for the maintenance of Selfridge flying field, and is the author of a bill to provide a subsidy of \$100,000,000 for manufacturing and experimenting with airplanes.

Wales Leaves on Long Trip

London—The Prince of Wales, Britain's ambassador at large, has sailed from Portsmouth on what probably will be his last trans-Atlantic tour as heir to the throne. Traveling with a vast entourage that includes a jazz band, His Royal Highness will visit Africa and South America, returning in September. This trip will add some 20,000 miles to the 100,000 or more he has traveled abroad during the past six years.

The prince's departure leaves Britain, for the first time in history, with the four leading members of its royal house, absent simultaneously. King George and Queen Mary are cruising in the Mediterranean, and the Duke of York is touring Africa and Egypt.

Fail To Hit Aerial Targets

San Pedro, Cal.—Forty-four anti-aircraft guns on the 11 dreadnaughts in 20 rounds of fire during force practice failed to hit the eight sleeve targets towed by airplanes at about 6,000 feet altitude, according to officers of the U. S. S. Arrostook, airplane tender.

Seventy miles off shore these mighty fortified floating cities, dashing in battle line at speed of 18 knots, cut loose with all the gunnery power they had. It was the supreme test of their effectiveness against an enemy air fleet.

Trade Outlook Is Healthy

Washington—A generally healthy business condition prevailing throughout the United States was reported to President Coolidge. Secretary of Labor Davis told the president that while some unemployment existed, it was only normal. Secretary of the Treasury Mellon reported that those industries which are regarded as barometers of the general condition showed a healthy state.

Prairie Fires Raging

Valentine, Neb.—Three prairie fires burning along the South Dakota border and swept by a high wind, have devastated an area estimated at 100,000 acres, largely lying in the Rosebud Indian reservation, and were still burning uncontrolled. A wind estimated at 40 to 50 miles an hour made it almost impossible to fight the fires, which seem to be increasing in number and ferocity.

Mussolini Returns To Labors

Rome—Premier Mussolini received an imposing ovation when, after an absence of 40 days, he reappeared in the chamber. Incidentally his return provoked disorders and a free-for-all fight between the premier's steam-roller majority and five communist deputies, culminating in the latter's ejection from the hall.

Landis Helps Legion Drive

Indianapolis—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, base ball arbiter, has informed the American Legion that he will make a week's speaking tour of the southern states in behalf of the Legion's \$5,000,000 endowment campaign for disabled veterans and World War orphans.

Whipping Post Retained

Dover, Del.—Delaware legislators, as in former years, have voted almost unanimously in favor of retaining the whipping post as punishment for certain classes of crime. There was only one vote in favor of its abolition against 30 for its retention.

Admiral Dewey's Body Moved

Washington—The transfer of the body of Admiral George Dewey from the mausoleum at Arlington to the Bethlehem Chapel of Washington Cathedral has been made. The body was placed on a horse-drawn caisson from Arlington to the cathedral.

Hardy Western Ewes Best for Beginners

Are Freer From Parasites Than Native Animals.

Because western ewes are hardier and freer from parasites than native ewes, they are recommended as foundation stock for the beginner in sheep husbandry by Phil A. Anderson of the division of animal husbandry, University farm at St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. Anderson explains that sheep that come to the market may be divided into two general classes—natives, or sheep of medium or long wool breeding, raised on small farms, and westerns, or sheep of fine wool or Merino breeding, raised under western range conditions.

Usually the natives come to the market in small lots. Buyers of large numbers, therefore, are likely to get sheep of different breeding. Often native ewes show poor breeding because poor sires were used on many farm flocks. Western ewes, on the other hand, come to the market in larger consignments. They are smaller in size than natives, but they have the advantage of hardiness and greater freedom from disease and, if mated with good rams of the medium-wooled or long-wooled breeds, they will produce very acceptable lambs.

If the beginner is in position to make a finer selection, Mr. Anderson advises him to pick ewes having broad firm backs, wide loins, full and plump legs of mutton, smooth shoulders and short necks. By saving the best ewe lambs each year, the farmer can cull the poorer stock and build up a flock worth while.

Handbook Prepared for Benefit of Cow Tester

A handbook for cow testers has been prepared and published by the United States Department of Agriculture which will be of considerable value and help to the men engaged in the work of testing cows for production in cow testing associations. Many testers are not especially trained for their particular work, but by following the suggestions of the handbook and the standard methods advised, they will make their records much more valuable to the dairymen, and also more useful in the various studies by the department based on such records. Every tester should have one of these handbooks; they are printed in a convenient size for carrying in the pocket.

The handbook not only informs the tester just how to do his work in the most valuable way, but also informs the owner of the herd just what he can expect of the tester. A thorough knowledge of the duties of the tester by both the tester and the owner of the herd should aid materially in promoting harmony and better co-operation in cow testing work.

A copy of the handbook, which is called Miscellaneous Circular No. 26, may be secured upon request, as long as the supply lasts, from the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Soy Beans Recommended as Emergency Hay Crop

The Pennsylvania agricultural experiment station has completed some feeding experiments comparing soy bean hay and clover hay with alfalfa when fed to dairy cows.

During the winter of 1923-24 ten Holstein cows were used in a nine-weeks' duration trial. The soy bean and alfalfa hay used was of good quality. The cows were all in a high state of lactation.

The cows receiving soy bean hay produced 8.3 per cent less milk than those receiving alfalfa hay. As an emergency hay crop for dairy farms soy beans are highly recommended.

A feeding trial of six weeks' duration was conducted comparing red clover hay with alfalfa hay for milk production.

The cows receiving the clover hay produced 6.5 per cent less milk than those receiving alfalfa.—Pennsylvania Experiment Station Bulletin No. 188.

FARM FACTS

Repair machinery for spring operations.

Cabbages keep well in a barrel buried in the ground.

Watch your seed corn, peas, etc., and fumigate promptly if weevils appear.

Between 1918 and 1924 the plantings of lettuce rose from 16,800 acres to 68,000 acres.

The most successful pure bred live stock raising in the future will be a community enterprise.

The exceedingly slow and over-cautious man may seldom make mistakes, or accomplish anything.

Even if machinery did not rust out when exposed to winter weather, it's an eyesore lying around the premises.

High-grade manure gives about the same results as limestone in making clover grow, if used in the same quantity to the acre.

Don't go into debt to buy feed for poor cows. Investigators find that one ton of every eight purchased by feeders is unwisely used and is therefore an economic waste.

Ruth Van Sant



Pretty and popular Ruth Van Sant of St. Augustine, Fla., who is favored for queen of the Ponce de Leon celebration to be held in St. Augustine early in April. Many in the pageant will be garbed in gorgeous Spanish costumes.

"MAN FRIDAY"

Man Friday was handy man and chief flunky to Robinson Crusoe, of desert island fame. Friday was of a submissive nature and cheerfully washed all the dishes, or at least whatever they used as substitutes, in their bachelor quarters. Consequently anyone who is of a servile disposition and submits readily to the will of others is known as a "man Friday."

When you help this town you help yourself.

We would like to call the attention of the scientific world to the following problem: Which melts the faster, a ton of coal in winter or a block of ice in summer.

Our extra slice of pie for this week—winner's choice—is awarded to the automobile owner who bought his car out of his salary, and operated it a year without going into debt.

Beware Of Coughs That Hang On

Pneumonia and serious lung trouble usually start with a cough. So if you have a cold or cough—stop it at once with a few doses of that fine old medicine, Kemp's Balsam. This famous Balsam soothes the nerves of the throat, stops the tickling cough and nature does the rest. No form of cough syrup so good for children's coughs. 50 cents at all stores.

For that Cough! KEMP'S BALSAM

Advertisement for N-R-TO-NIGHT TOMORROW ALRIGHT. Includes text: "Be Well And Happy", "and you have Nature's greatest gift, Nature's Remedy (N-R Tablets) a vegetable laxative to ease the organs and relieve Constipation, Biliouness, Sick Headaches, renewing that vigor and good feeling necessary to being well and happy. Used for Over 30 Years". Includes image of N-R Tablets box.

IS EVERY DAY A BACKACHE DAY?

East Jordan Folks Have Found the Cause and Corrected It.

Is your back lame and aching? Are you tortured with sharp, rheumatic pains; miserable with headaches, dizzy spells and kidney irregularities? No wonder, then, you feel worn-out and discouraged. But have you given any thought to your kidneys? You should! Weak kidneys cause just such troubles. Don't risk neglect! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Here's an East Jordan case:

Harry Carpenter, stationary fireman, says: "I had a severe lameness across my back and when I first got up in the morning I could scarcely straighten. My kidneys acted irregularly and I felt all out of sorts. One box of Doan's Pills from Gidley & Mac's Drug Store was all that was needed to cure me." Co., Mrs., Buffalo, N. Y. \$6. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn

AWAY FROM HOME?

Imagine how welcome would be your voice to mother and dad, to the wife and little ones—the joy it would bring them.

For your voice is your.

Long Distance will take your voice—YOU—back to the loved ones.

A call home is comforting, personal, inexpensive.

MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO.



WRIGLEY'S "after every meal"

Parents—encourage the children to care for their teeth!

Give them Wrigley's. It removes food particles from the teeth. Strengthens the gums. Combats acid mouth.

Refreshing and beneficial!

SEALED TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

THE FAMOUS LASTY





# Peoples' Wants

## MUNNIMAKERS

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

## Lost and Found

FOUND—Key to Ford Car—No. 53. Owner may have same by paying for this notice.—HERALD OFFICE. 14x

## Wanted

WANTED—Girl would like work in a small family. Inquire of Win Nichols, Route 3, East Jordan. 14x

## Help Wanted

WANTED—A maid for general housework.—MRS. W. W. MITCHELL, 101 Park Ave., Charlevoix. 14x

SALESMAN WANTED for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Excellent opportunity. Salary or Commission. THE JED OIL AND PAINT CO., Cleveland, Ohio. 14x1

## For Sale—Real Estate

FOR SALE—Five-room Cottage, small barn, good water, about 1/2 acres, land A-1 garden. Small payment down, balance same as rent. H. A. GOODMAN, phone 232. 14t.f.

FOR SALE—A six-room Cottage within a block of High School. Sold on easy terms. Inquire of E. A. LEWIS, phone 85. 12-t. f.

FARM FOR SALE or RENT—4 1/2 miles from East Jordan on Charlevoix Stone Road. Inquire of H. ENSIGN at Shingle Mill, East Jordan. 12-4

FOR SALE at \$10 per acre; about half cash, time for balance; good soil, mostly level, on good road near good school about 5 miles to East Jordan. 40 acres fenced with woven wire, 30 rods of woven wire cross fence; about 10 acres cleared. 40 acres adjoining, about 20 acres cleared, some good wood timber on each 40. See E. A. LEWIS, East Jordan, Mich., or write E. W. LANE Comstock Park, Mich. 6t.f.

FOR SALE or Will Trade For City Property—My 80-acre Farm located three miles south-west of East Jordan known as the Alex Mayville farm Buildings in first class condition, 65 acres cleared. Inquire of H. A. GOODMAN. MRS. JULIA MAYVILLE East Jordan. 5t.x3

FOR SALE—An outside party that owns a 12-room house and two terris lots in best location in East Jordan has written me to sell; and for quick sale offers it for \$1000. This property rents for \$13 a month (which is better than 20 per cent on the investment) and it would cost at least \$3000 to build today. Act quick. See E. A. Lewis, the Real Estate man of East Jordan, Mich. 5 t.f.

FOR SALE—I have just received the best bargain on the market today. A 10-Acre poultry and fruit farm, fully equipped. Good Poultry House and runs all fenced with 6 foot poultry wire. Good six-room House, good small barn, wood shed and the best well of water in Michigan. This choice buy is located just one and a half miles from the Postoffice, on State Road. The owner is living in California and says the place must be sold at once. The price is right. Can be had for a small down pay-

ment and the balance at monthly payments to suit the buyer. This won't last long, so see me at once.—H. A. GOODMAN, Real Estate Agency 11-t.f.

## For Sale—Miscellaneous

TWO HEAVEY TEAMS—Will sell one or trade for cattle. C. W. HEFLIN, Elmira, Mich. 14x2

FOR SALE—Studebaker Special Four-passenger Roadster; five Card Tires and Extras. O. K. in every way. \$300.00. LOUIS BOOTHBY, Route 1, Elmira, Mich. 14x2

FOR SALE—BABY CHICKS—Barré Rocks and White Leghorns; pedigreed stock. Also Commercial Hatching. CHERRYVALE HATCHERY, Al Wanda, Prop'r, Phone 168F2, East Jordan, Mich. 14t.f.

FOR SALE—Plumbers Gas Furnace. A 5 x 7 Senega Camera and finishing outfit for Camera. For information write to LEO M. SKINNER, Route 1, Box 112, East Jordan. 14t.f.

FOR SALE—Black Gelding, weight 1600, 8 yrs. old. Heavy Work Harness, nearly new. Quantity of Loose Hay.—CLAUDE PEARSALL, Route 4, East Jordan. 14x4

FOR SALE—Maple Syrup by the gallon FRANK LENOSKY, Route 5, phone 167-F13. 13x3

FOR SALE—REV-O-NOC VACUUM SWEEPER. In good condition, Sold Cheap if taken at once. V. D. BARNETT, Peoples State Savings Bank. 13-3.

FERTILE EGGS For Sale—White Plymouth Rocks, R. C. R. I. Reds, R. C. White Leghorns, Pecan Ducks, Turkeys.—JOHN ADDIS, Route 1, Box 22, East Jordan, Mich. 12-7

THOROUGHbred Milking short-horns For Sale—Two Bull Calves, One Heifer Calf, One Yearling Heifer. All subject to registration. B. E. WATERMAN, Route 5, East Jordan. 11 t.f.

People who spend their money are the ones who know how easy it is to save it.

## AGAIN Demonstrating

Our Leadership in Style and value 200 Easter models the newest Fashions—the smart trimmings turbins—small hats, peaked hats, cloches, pinched crowns—Gloria pokes, large head sizes Hats.

We are happy, indeed to be able to offer this beautiful line at this opportune moment—with Easter so close at hand at a price that means a real saving to the women of East Jordan

Special Prices During Easter Week

Mrs. C. Walsh  
Place of Business 2nd Floor Over Hite's Drug Store.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Pontiac—Oakland county supervisors will convene here March 27, to conclude the business of buying a site for a proposed county tuberculosis hospital. The hospital will probably be built in Waterford township.

Owosso—Owosso's City commission has held its last meeting in the city hall that has served since 1884, and all city officials are now occupying the new city hall, just completed at a cost of \$110,000. The old building will be sold.

Jackson—Eight hundred prison inmates will be employed on the state highways this summer, according to plans announced by State Parole Commissioner Fred E. Janette. At present 200 are so employed in Wash-tenaw county.

Lansing—The attendance at the evening sessions of the Lansing free public evening schools this year was 2,902, a new record for the branch of educational work here. One of the most popular courses this year has been the instruction offered in different branches of radio.

Owosso—Plans are under way by the Bible Holiness Seminary here to expand the two year Junior College course now taught into a full four years course, it is announced by Charles Price, the principal. A building to cost \$45,000 is being erected to provide increased facilities.

Newberry—One man is dead and another is missing, following a fire that destroyed one of the cottages of the Newberry State hospital here. The charred body of John Crave, about 40 years old, who was sent to the hospital from Houghton county, was found in the ruins of the building.

Owosso—The Ann Arbor Railroad has spent more than \$2,000,000 in the last seven years for improvements, according to Owosso officials, in confirming a Washington report that permission has been asked of the Interstate Commerce Commission to issue \$1,000,000 in six per cent notes, to pay for improvements already made.

Mlle. Irene Laurent



Mlle. Irene Laurent, fifteen-year-old daughter of a Paris chemist, who has discovered a substitute for explosive oils, a discovery considered of great economic importance for France in decreasing her dependency on outside sources for explosive oils.

Next Sunday is a good Sunday to go to church.

You can go where you please if you can pay the fare.

Almost any man can tell you the greatest man in the world.

Some people can't tell the difference between emotion and religion.

The citizen in jail usually has a respect for the power of the law, at least.

Chippewa county farmers are discussing the raising of flax as a cash crop. It is said that flax can be raised in northern Michigan on a commercial basis. Flax may replace hay as one of the main crops for the farmers of the Sault Ste. Marie region.

The Charlevoix association of commerce has offered a reward of \$25 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone violating the game laws in respect to fishing in the waters of Pine Lake or tributary waters. Complaints have come to the association that nets are being used in the lakes.

August 13, 14 and 15 are the dates set for the Western Michigan tennis tournament to be held at Charlevoix. Players for nearly every state university will take part in the games as the tournaments is in the height of the resort season.

Rev. W. C. Rogers, pastor of the Mackinaw City Presbyterian church, was badly injured Friday afternoon when he drove his Ford sedan into a ditch, about a mile south of Levering, to avoid striking a small boy who leaped in front of his machine. The lad stood in the road waving his arms and in attempting to leap to safety dodged in front of the car. The pastor had his back and neck badly injured and is believed to have received internal injuries. The front of his car was considerably damaged.

## News of the Week

### Presbyterian Church Notes

Rev. C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.

"A Church for Folks."  
Sunday, April 5, 1925.

10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.  
Subj.—"God is not Dumb."

11:15 a. m. Sunday School.

6:30 p. m.—Evening Service.

Next Thursday evening at 7 o'clock there will be the celebration of the Lord's Supper in commemoration of the institution of the Lord's supper the Thursday evening before Christ's crucifixion.

### First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Henry Hiles, Pastor.  
"The Friendly Church."

### Thought for the week:—

Our time here is too short to be wasted in petty living; we ought to fill up "the unforgiving minute," with the best thoughts, words and deeds that are ours to give.

Sunday, April 5, 1925.

10:00 a. m.—Morning Service. Subj: "God's Faithfulness."

11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.

6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.

7:00 p. m.—Evening Service. Subj: "The Unchanging Christ."

Monday, 6:00 p. m. Note change of time. Girl Scouts will meet for hike. Every girl to bring raw meat, and two uncooked potatoes in order to pass cooking test.

Tuesday, 6:15—Men's Fellowship Club.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., Boy Scouts. Every boy present on time, as hike is being planned.

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.

### 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.

### 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.

B. C. Shankland, principal of the high school at Cadillac, has been elected superintendent of schools of that city to succeed C. W. Crandell, whose resignation will take effect at the close of the present school year. After serving for two years in the U. S. coast artillery he joined the teaching staff at Cadillac as instructor in mathematics and in 1920 was made principal. He is an active worker in the Cadillac Baptist church and the Cadillac Rotary club. Superintendent Crandell will become superintendent of schools at Monroe, Mich., next fall.

# EVERY BIG BUSINESS

maintains a Checking Account.

Granting this to be true, does it not follow that there is a good reason why the small firms and farmers, also individuals in all vocations should do likewise?

If a Checking Account helps a "big business" it will help you.

Your Account Invited, be it large or small.



"The Bank On The Corner"

### Various Mourning Colors

Black is not universally used as a sign of mourning. The South sea Islanders use black and white stripes, indicating sorrow and hope, while in Ethiopia a grayish brown, the color of the earth, is worn. In Persia the mourning color is light brown, and in Syria and Armenia sky blue, an indicative of heaven. In Turkey it is violet, and in China white, as an emblem of hope.

### To The Voters of South

#### Arm Township

I am a candidate on Ticket No. 2 at the April Election. If elected I promise you the most satisfactory service.

I wish to thank the voters of South Arm Twp. for the support they gave me March 14, 1925, also for the support you will give me at election on April 6. WM. G. MURPHY

# SPECIALS!

On Every Day Needs  
Friday and Saturday

- 2 lb. Sunsweet Cal. Prunes.....25c
- Quaker Tomatoes No. 3 cans.....20c
- Canned Fruits—No. 10 Cans
- Blackberries.....90c
- Strawberries.....\$1.05
- Logan Berries.....85c
- Yellow Peaches.....75c
- Apples.....60c

## For Your Hardware Needs

Brown's and Rice's Garden Seeds  
Black Dinah Stove Enamel, Qts. Pts. 1/2 Pt.  
**Lowe Bros. and Belle Isle Paints**  
The Paints you have used for years. Their Time Tested Durability is well known to East Jordan people.  
All Kinds of House Cleaning Amunition

## EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

# EASTER FLOWERS

## —AT— PALMITER'S

Brighten the Eastertide with Flowers  
M. W. Sparks, Boyne Ave. Green House, Boyne City, Will stock a full supply of Easter Flowers.

Orders Taken for Cut Flowers

Flowers for Sale Beginning  
**Saturday, April 4th**

Continuing Until After Easter  
Express Easter Greetings to Your Loved Ones  
With Flowers



## PALMITER'S JEWELRY STORE

Main Street

East Jordan, Mich.



Temple Theatre  
Saturday Only Matinee and Evening  
April 4th

## Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nowland of Wilson township, a son—Cecl Emery—March 27th.

Dance and Warm Sugar Social at the South Arm Grange Hall this Saturday night, April 4th. adv.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howell of this city, a daughter—Betty Ernestine—March 26th, at the Charlevoix Hospital.

Elder Allen Schurer of Gaylord will be the speaker at the L. D. S. Church, Sunday night, April 6th, at 7:00 o'clock standard time.

Mrs. M. Muina was taken to the Charlevoix hospital first of the week where she underwent another operation for cancer.

Mrs. Nelson Holton returned to Bellaire, Tuesday, after being here several weeks, caring for her daughter, Mrs. Thomas St. Charles, who has been ill.

The Maxwell barber shop and pool room at Boyne Falls was destroyed by fire at about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning. The fire caught in the basement and soon the entire lower floor was in flames. There was some insurance.

The fire department was called out last Thursday afternoon to stop a grass fire that had started in the fields near the city water tank. On Sunday afternoon the department was called to the home of Mrs. Harriet Empey to quench a small blaze that had started in the roof from sparks from the chimney. Not much damage.

Highways in every direction out of East Jordan are unusually well settled for so early in the spring. Practically every highway is now open to travel, even the poorer country roads. There are still many banks of snow but not enough to halt travel by automobile, except far back in the hills where some of the roads run through deep, well shadowed cuts. With a few more warm days these will soon be melted down.

James Martin was discovered lifeless by his daughter Mrs. Clyde Argetsinger at 3:30 p. m. Monday afternoon at their home on Poplar street. She gave the alarm immediately but when help came it was too late. The deceased was 84 years of age. He has lived in this vicinity for many years and had many friends. Of late he had been despondent but he had been splitting wood for the home which was presided over by his daughter, above mentioned, when she started down town to trade on the eventful afternoon. A wire had been run through the roof of the woodshed and around a timber, into this wire was placed a rope which hung down until it was near a ladder. Evidently the victim of the tragedy had climbed the ladder, fitted the nose of his own construction, then kicked the ladder out of reach thus carrying his plan. His relatives have the sympathy of the community in their sorrow.—Boyne Citizen

Mrs. Marion Jackson visited friends at Bellaire over Sunday.

Miss Eunice Shaw left Wednesday for a visit at Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. John McKinnon and daughter, Eunice, are visiting friends at Grayling.

Miss Grace Whitten of Traverse City is visiting her sister, Mrs. Claude Beals.

The Study Club meets at the home of Mrs. Blount Tuesday evening, April 9.

Paint Demonstration at R. G. Watson's, April 9-10-11. See display adv. elsewhere. adv.

Mrs. Herbert Holland and son, who have been visiting at Traverse City, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. A. J. Hite entered the Charlevoix hospital, Monday last, to take a two-week's rest-treatment for goiter.

Miss June Pickel went to Traverse City, Tuesday, where she will take up study as a Nurse at the State Hospital.

Mrs. George Ramsey with son Howard and daughter, Miss Lucile, are here from Cadillac this week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mouton and children drove up from Muskegon Saturday and are visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walton and children, and her mother, Mrs. George Hall, left by auto, Tuesday, to locate at Lansing.

Miss Dorothy Bilow who has been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kamradt for several months, has returned to Charlevoix.

Don't forget the Easter Sale and Tea to be held in the Church Parlors, Wednesday afternoon, April 8th; 2:00 o'clock. adv.

Two popular novels will be shown in pictures at the Temple this week—Zane Grey's "Last of the Duanees" and Bert Hart's "Tennessee's Partner." See program. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roy of Flint are here for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roy. John Roy of Pontiac accompanied them for a visit with his brother, Henry.

Having been convicted three times for being drunk and disorderly, Elmer Crapsey, of Boyne Falls, was sentenced to 15 months at Ionia by Judge P. C. Gilbert in Charlevoix county circuit court.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoyt returned home Monday afternoon from an auto trip through Southern Michigan. Their daughter, Miss June, who is teaching in Saginaw, returned home with them for the spring vacation.

Heavier steel rails for the Petoskey division of the Pere Marquette will be delivered along the right of way north of Traverse City this week. Work will start from that city and the crew of trackmen gradually work their way north to Petoskey. The P. M. is rebuilding its entire line north of Grand Rapids, repairing roadbeds and putting in heavy steel. New ties will be used.

Miss Ernestine Smith is spending the week at Traverse City.

Glenn Barrick left last Friday for his home at Huntington, Ind.

Miss Betty Kuffman is visiting friends at Bellaire this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carr are visiting their daughter at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Will Swoboda was at Traverse City on business first of the week.

Mrs. Chas. Murphy left last Saturday for a two weeks visit at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McPherson were Grand Rapids visitors first of the week.

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

Miss Eleanor McBride is home this week from her duties as teacher at Kalamazoo.

Miss Ruth Gregory, who is teaching at Grayling is home this week for spring vacation.

Charles J. McNamara of the Gidley & Mac Drug Co. was up from Grayling on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Baker of Frankfort is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Johnson.

Dance and Warm Sugar Social at the South Arm Grange Hall this Saturday night, April 4th. adv.

Rumors that I have withdrawn as a candidate for Supervisor are untrue. Emil Nasson, Eveline Twp. adv.

Clyde W. Hipp returned home latter part of last week from Grand Rapids, where he served on the Grand Jury.

Mrs. Joe Conway and children of Grayling are here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gorman.

Buy Easter Flowers and Sweets at the Presbyterian Ladies Easter Sale, Wednesday, April 8th, 2:00 p. m. adv.

Mrs. R. O. Bisbee and children of Jackson are here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Porter.

A Rummage Sale will be given by the Lady Maccabees, Monday afternoon and evening, April 6th, in the Odd Fellow hall over Bulow Bros. adv.

Miss Pearl Lewis, who is teaching at Grand Rapids, is home this week for spring vacation. She was accompanied by Miss Blanche Lamereaux of that city.

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Archie Lalonde and Misses Mabel Maddock, Alma Anderson, Evelyn Nelson and Aura McBride are home this week from their studies at Western State Normal at Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Will Wirges of West Branch and Mrs. W. S. Chambers of Detroit, returned to their homes, Saturday, after a month's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias W. Giles.

Opal, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Deshane of Wilson township was taken to the Charlevoix hospital, Monday, where she was operated upon for a deformity of the leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Lewis and children returned to Akron, Ohio, Thursday, after a three weeks' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Porter.

Studebaker Agent, John W. Lalonde left Saturday last for South Bend, Ind., returning home Tuesday with a couple of Studebaker cars. Mrs. Lalonde and children accompanied him as far as Muskegon where they visited relatives over Sunday, returning home with him Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquays returned home last Saturday from a several month's auto trip through the South, their main stops being in Florida and Louisiana. In the latter state they took in the Mardi Gras festivities at New Orleans. They traveled some 5000 miles by auto without a breakdown of any kind.

On April 30, 1925, the Federal Government Land Office, at Marquette, Michigan, will be discontinued, and after that date, all business relating to public lands in this State, formerly handled through the Marquette office, will be transacted through the office of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Washington, D. C.

The conservation department of Michigan through Ed Deuell planted on Thursday last 80 thousand trout in the south branch of the Boyne. On Friday 52 thousand in Bear River, Springbrook Haymarsh Creek and South Arm Creek. On Saturday 80 thousand near Ellsworth and Central Lake. He planted 80 thousand on the head waters of the Jordan river and in Warner's Creek and these are not all, we are assured, and the plant hereafter will appear in the Citizen.—Boyne Citizen.

The search for gold in this vicinity of Stinson gravel pit some 80 miles East of Boyne City is being rushed. Men with drills are arriving from everywhere and are camped along the line of the B. C. G. & A. R. R. One crowd has been operating more than a year and have invested we are advised more than \$100,000.00 up to this time. One witness claims to have handled of the gold and is quite "sold" on the proposition. Some of the traidmen will vouch for the camps along the track.—Boyne Citizen.

Mrs. Delbert Hale was operated on for appendicitis at the Charlevoix hospital, Monday.

Dance and Warm Sugar Social at the South Arm Grange Hall this Saturday night, April 4th. adv.

Miss Dorothy McDonald underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Charlevoix hospital Tuesday.

Miss Elsie Johnson, who is teaching in the Niles public schools, was home for spring vacation the past week.

A card from Mr. and Mrs. John Tooley states that they plan to leave St. Augustine, Fla., for their home in Petoskey.

C. H. McKinnon leaves this Friday for Independence, Mo., as a delegate to General Conference of the Latter Day Saints Church.

The ten-year-old son of Harvey Hill of this city was operated upon for a deformity of the foot, at the Charlevoix hospital, Monday.

A new line of checked and plaid Gingham House Aprons, well trimmed, \$1.50 value for only 91 cents. One apron to each customer.—At Danto's. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Goodman, who have been residing in the apartment over Bartlett's Store during the winter months, moved to their home on Second street, Monday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Burbank last Friday, the little one passing away Sunday. Funeral was held from the Catholic church, Monday, conducted by Fr. Drian.

Hubert Bearas recently purchased a purebred Jersey bull from the Highland Farm at Shelby, Mich. This bull comes from some of the best in the Jersey breed, his granddam making 1043 lbs. butterfat, and is a full brother to one used at the M. A. C. farm for senior herd sire.

S. Ulvund and family have moved onto the St. Johns farm in South Arm. Robert Carson and family have moved from the Ulvund farm to their home in Jordan township. Dop Hott and family are moving into the S. Ulvund farm residence, Sam Ulvund, and family occupy the tenant residence on the Ulvund farm. Clyde Hollingshead and family moved to their own farm, Monday.

George Rowe, owner of the Traverse City steam laundry and a prominent businessman of that city, has been held for trial in circuit court in Grand Traverse county on charge of moonshining. Officers in making a raid on the laundry found one of the largest stills ever taken in that city, and a traveling bag especially fitted with a five-gallon jug. John Hollingsworth, an employe of Rowe, gave the officers the information on which they based their request for a search warrant. Rowe claims the still belongs to Hollingsworth.

# Palmer Coats And Dresses

There is no doubt as to the Quality and Full Value of Every Garment. Their Slogan is "QUALITY FIRST".



## OUR SPECIAL NEXT WEEK

White Dress Goods For The House and Street the Prices Range from 35c to \$1

Still Selling Shoes at.....79c

## EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

### Misquoted With Effect

A hard-worked Georgia editor got Scripture mixed, to suit his own case, in thiswise: "Let us not be weary in well-doing, for in due season we shall faint if we reap not."

### The Greater Deed

He who sows the ground with care and diligence acquires a greater store of religious merit than he could gain by the repetition of ten thousand prayers.—Zoroaster.



## Where Is Your U. S. Compensation Policy?

IS IT SAFE—where it will not be lost or misplaced between now and the date of maturity? Or is it stuck away in some desk or closet or other drawer—where it is likely to be forgotten in the years to come?

WE WILL KEEP IT SAFE FOR YOU

Without charge, of course. You can avail yourself of the protection of our vault, with its fire-proof doors and walls.

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## "The Bank With The Chime Clock" Peoples State Savings Bank East Jordan, Mich.

We will be glad to help you make out your application for Compensation Insurance if you have not already done so.

## TEMPLE THEATRE

Program Starting Saturday, April 4th

Saturday Only April 4th—Matinee 1:30 Evening 7:00 & 9:00

### 'THE LAST OF THE DUANES'

STARRING

Tom Mix—Marion Nixon—and "Tony"

Zane Grey's most popular novel—Thrilling story of the Texas Rangers brought to the screen with three eminent stars, under the personal supervision of Zane Grey.

ADDED "The Unreal News Reel" A Farce On The Leading News Items of The Country

SUNDAY and MONDAY APRIL 5th and 6th

### 'CHU CHIN CHOW'

With Betty Blythe Starring

"Chu Chin Chow" is the spectacular production that broke all records history for consecutive runs, 5 years in London, 3 years in America.

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**King Tommy**

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**CHAPTER XII**

Casimir spent a harassed and trying time for the rest of the day. He was convinced, and the king agreed with him, that Von Steinfeldt meant to play a trick of some kind. It was conceivable—indeed, likely enough—that the German would have accepted a bribe. That he had allowed Lord Norheys to go free before he was bribed was a thing which neither the king nor Casimir could believe. But they did not know and could not guess what kind of a trick Von Steinfeldt meant to play, or what trick he could play. The simplest thing to do was to send the princess and Tommy off to Lystria at once. Unfortunately, this was not possible.

The arrangements for crossing the frontier and their reception in the Schloss Ambray were not yet complete. The plan which Casimir had made was that the patriarch and the leading notables of Lystria should be waiting at the Schloss to celebrate the wedding and the coronation immediately after the princess and Lord Norheys arrived. But the patriarch was not there, and nothing could be done without him. Only a few of the nobility were actually in the Schloss. Casimir required three days to have everything ready.

But if Von Steinfeldt had any card in his hand and meant to play it, it was plainly unwise to keep the princess and Lord Norheys in Berlin. He and the king decided to send them to Breslau. There they would be within easy reach of the frontier, and when they crossed it would be at once among the mountains of Lystria. If they stayed there quietly, Von Steinfeldt might not guess where they were, and they would, at worst, be farther out of his reach than if they stayed in Berlin.

Casimir's original plan had been that his sister, the Countess Olga, should accompany the princess as lady-in-waiting. Neither he nor the king could go with her. They would be closely watched and stopped at the frontier. But he had every hope that, with the passports he meant to provide, the princess, Lord Norheys and the Countess Olga would be able to get into Lystria.

That part of the plan was spoiled by the unexpected appearance of Janet Church. She insisted on going to Lystria, and when he came to think it over, Casimir was not altogether sorry. The Countess Olga might be suspected. Janet Church, a wandering English spinster of a type perfectly well known all over Europe, was as safe a traveling companion as could be found for a pair of political conspirators.

Casimir and the king agreed that the party should start for Breslau next morning. Then Casimir's work began. He engaged seats in the train. He telegraphed for rooms at the best hotel in Breslau. He sent long telegrams in code to the patriarch, to his cousin Count Albert Casimir and to several other people in Lystria. He warned his sister that Colonel Heard's passports must be secured during the day. If by some unfortunate chance the Colonel had not left his keys lying about, the Countess Olga would have to cut open a suitcase or a dispatch box. If necessary she could go to

prison for a while as a dishonest housemaid, but the passports must be got. Then he tried to find Tommy in order to warn him to be ready. He came on Janet Church having her afternoon tea in the hall of the Adlon hotel, but she knew nothing about Tommy. She had not seen him since he left the hotel in the morning to go to the police office. She very willingly agreed to help Casimir to find him. They went out and searched Berlin. Janet made a round of all the picture galleries, museums and churches, a long business, and entirely futile. All public buildings in Berlin are shut in the afternoon and by six o'clock it is not possible to enter even a church. Casimir, who knew Berlin better than Janet did, rushed round the chief picture palaces and a number of likely restaurants. He failed to find Tommy.

I asked Tommy afterward how he spent that afternoon. He told me that after lunching comfortably in a restaurant, he determined to see the city in a simple and inexpensive way. He got into the first street car he saw, went in it till it stopped and came back again to the place from which he started. Then took another car and did the same thing. Altogether he seems to have worked over the course of fourteen different cars. I cannot imagine a better way of eluding a pursuer. I shall certainly try it if I ever want to keep out of the clutches of the police for a few hours. At nine o'clock Tommy went back to the hotel, changed his clothes and took a taxi to the Mascotte. He was determined to see Calypso again, and that was the only place he could think of where he was likely to meet her. He did not meet her there, for she



The Princess and Janet Church. Traveled Together.

was at home packing her clothes. He did not even meet the king, who had taken an evening's holiday, no doubt in order to give some final advice to his daughter. Tommy, seated by himself at a table in a corner of the great room, was glad to see Casimir when he came in. Casimir was tired after his long search through Berlin, and was so pleased at finding Tommy that he ordered two bottles of champagne. I dare say he drank too much of it. Tommy did not. He remained perfectly clear-headed and he thoroughly understood what Casimir said to him. He agreed to go to Breslau and from there to Lystria. He would have promised quite as readily to go to Timbuctoo and thence to the Fiji Islands in company with Calypso. But he insisted that he must explain to Calypso, to the king, and, at once, to Casimir, that he was not Lord Norheys. On that point he was absolutely determined. He refused to go adventuring under another man's name. If he was to marry Calypso, which he very much wanted to do, it must be as Rev. T. A. Norheys; not as a marquis or any one else.

Casimir was tired, worried, over-excited and was drinking too much champagne. In his soberest senses he does not understand English very well. He certainly did not understand what was said to him then. But he readily promised that Tommy should have every opportunity of explaining himself to the king and Calypso. The king, so he said, meant to travel with the party as far as Breslau. Tommy could talk to him in the train. He would have several hours in which to say all he wanted. Afterward he could talk to the princess, all day long if he chose, for three whole days. It would be at least three days before they could leave Breslau.

Next morning Tommy and Janet Church went to the Friedrich Strasse station in good time for the train to Breslau. They found the king and Calypso waiting for them. Casimir arrived a few minutes later and saw them off.

The princess and Janet Church traveled together. The king and Tommy took their places in a smoking compartment. Fortunately they had it to themselves. As soon as the train started Tommy braced himself in an effort. He wanted to get an explanation of what was happening, and he was quite determined to make his own position clear.

It was the king who began the conversation. "I'm glad," he said, "that we have this carriage to ourselves. I want to have a little talk with you."

"And I want to talk to you," said Tommy.

By way of showing that this talk was going to be of a very serious kind he stood up and set his back against

the door of the compartment. The king settled down in a corner and lit a cigar.

"Are you, or are you not really a king?"

The king turned his cigar over between his fingers thoughtfully.

"That," he said, "is rather a hard question to answer. I certainly was a king once. If you asked Casimir he'd say I am king still, since I haven't abdicated. On the other hand, the statesmen of the Entente powers, if you ask them, would say that I am not a king, because they have definitely turned me out. However—here he smiled pleasantly—"It doesn't really matter, does it? As I told you last night, I don't keep up any kind of state now. You needn't remain standing up. I'd much rather you sat down and were comfortable. Have a cigar."

Tommy sat down and took a cigar. "Now," said the king, "let's talk about this unlucky Miss Temple business. I'm sorry to tell you that Calypso feels very strongly about it, absurdly strongly. In fact, I had the greatest difficulty in getting her to start this morning. If I hadn't come with her myself, which I didn't particularly want to do, I shouldn't have been able to get her into the train."

Tommy felt that his opportunity had come. He stood up again. He felt firmer and more determined when he was standing up.

"I want to make it perfectly clear to you," he said, "that I am not Lord Norheys. I know that you've somehow mixed me up with him, you and Count Casimir. But it's a mistake. It really is. I AM NOT LORD NORHEYS."

"That," said the king, "is exactly what I told Calypso. You said as much to me last night, and I've been repeating it to her all day. I told her that you knew nothing about Miss Temple, that you'd never seen the girl, that you'd never even heard of her, that, in fact, YOU ARE NOT LORD NORHEYS."

The king gave a pleasant and smiling imitation of Tommy's emphatic assertion.

"I don't think you quite understand me even now. I really am not Lord Norheys."

The king waved his hand airily.

"That's a tremendous comfort to me," he said. "It gets us out of the Miss Temple difficulty, and, to tell the truth, that affair was becoming serious."

"Who on earth is Miss Temple?" asked Tommy, desperately.



"Are You, or Are You Not Really a King?"

"Oh, an actress, I believe," said the king, smiling. "Or a dancer. But it doesn't matter, does it? Lord Norheys, it seems, has foolishly promised to marry her. Even that wouldn't really have mattered. You could have kept her in the background."

"Don't say 'you,'" said Tommy. "I've told you over and over again that I am not Lord Norheys."

"Of course you're not. I know that and I'm very glad of it. It simplifies things immensely, for though Lord Norheys might have married Calypso in spite of Miss Temple, I'm afraid Calypso wouldn't have married him. Miss Temple wrote a letter to my daughter, a most pathetic letter, begging her not to take Lord Norheys away from her. It affected Calypso greatly. There was something in it about a 'ewe lamb,' and Calypso, having lots of flocks and herds, it seemed to me rather an odd description of a young man. The patriarch used to quote that parable to me, but then it always was—well, a 'ewe' lamb. That stuff never made much impression on me, but Calypso wept when she read it. She said that if you'd promised to marry Miss Temple—"

"But I haven't."

"So I told Calypso. I told her that she must not mix you up with Lord Norheys. She said that even if you hadn't actually promised to marry her, you had certainly stolen away her young affections."

"I haven't," said Tommy.

"Of course not. Their affections are seldom as young as all that. At least, that's my experience. Those ewe lambs are generally pretty well able to take care of themselves. But, of course, it would have been no good saying that to Calypso, or for the matter of that, to the patriarch. The patriarch is a very simple-minded old man. He believes in young affections and broken hearts and all that sort of thing. However, fortunately, we haven't got to argue with him and Calypso along those lines. All we've got to do is make them believe that

you are not Lord Norheys. Once they believe that, all our difficulties vanish. The marriage can go on."

"Do you mean to say," said Tommy, "that you're still willing to allow me to marry your daughter?"

"Of course I am," said the king. "I always was. I never took that Miss Temple business in the least seriously. These things will happen. Everybody except Calypso and the patriarch knows that."

"But it hasn't happened," said Tommy. "At least, it hasn't happened to me. It may possibly have happened to Lord Norheys. I don't know anything about that."

"Just what I said to Calypso, and just what you will have to say to the patriarch. Then the only obstacle to the marriage vanishes."

"No, it doesn't," said Tommy. "At least, that one may. But there's another obstacle, a much worse one."

"If there's another," said the king, "for heaven's sake don't let her write to Calypso. Who is she? Don't say it's Miss Church. If it is, we're done."

"I never saw Miss Church in my life till yesterday," said Tommy.

"I thought it could hardly be her. She really is rather too old for that sort of thing. But if it had been her, it would have been awkward, very awkward indeed. She'd have gone in person to the patriarch, and nothing you could have said would have straightened things out. However, if it isn't her, it doesn't really matter, so long as the other one doesn't telegraph or write."

"There isn't another one."

"You've just told me there is," said the king. "You said, 'another and a much worse one.'"

"I said another obstacle," said Tommy, "not another girl. As a matter of fact, there's no girl at all and never was. The obstacle I mean is far worse than any girl."

"Couldn't possibly be worse," said the king, "from the point of view of the patriarch."

"The obstacle is this," said Tommy. "I'm only a curate."

"I don't regard that as an obstacle at all," said the king. "Our patriarch doesn't believe in the celibacy of the clergy. He isn't married himself, but lots of our priests are, and the patriarch hasn't the slightest objection to it."

"That's not my point at all. As a matter of fact, I'm not a Roman Catholic curate and I'm perfectly free to marry if I like."

"That wouldn't have mattered, anyhow," said the king. "The patriarch would have absolved you from any vow you might have made. He's terrifically powerful in that sort of way and can give you absolution for practically anything. The trouble about him isn't that he can't give absolution; but that sometimes he won't."

"How can a curate marry a princess?" said Tommy. "That's my point. If she really is a princess—"

"She is," said the king. "From the point of view of any one who accepts legitimate theories, she's most certainly a royal princess. But I hope I needn't say that I don't attach any importance to the fact. We are living in a world that has been made safe for democracy and nobody cares a pin for those old-fashioned ideas. There's nothing to prevent any princess from marrying an English marquis."

"But I'm not an English marquis," said Tommy. "I keep on telling you that and you won't believe me."

"It isn't that I don't believe you," said the king. "It's simply that I find it very hard to remember. However, the main thing is not to let any old-fashioned ideas about disparity of rank trouble you. The whole matter has been arranged."

"I wish I knew what you meant," said Tommy.

"Well," said the king, "there were several people in it. I was one."

"Why?" said Tommy. "Why do you make such an extraordinary arrangement?"

"There were a good many reasons," said the king. "I couldn't go back to Lystria myself. The League of Nations wouldn't let me. I'm not sure that I want to even if they would. I'm earning much more in the Mascotte than you'll ever get out of Lystria. But I'd be glad to see Calypso back on her ancestral throne. It'll be some sort of provision for her, poor girl, and she hates dancing in the Mascotte. You may think I ought to provide for her; but I can't. At least, I'd much rather not. I'm earning a good enough salary, but the cost of living is terrific. We middle-class professional men—that's the class I belong to now—are being squeezed out of existence everywhere in Europe. That's the reason I want to see Calypso so safely married and on a throne."

"But why did you choose me?"

"I didn't choose you. The fact is that the Lystrians knew very well that they couldn't get a king at all unless he was an Englishman. The Entente powers would have turned down any one else. And the Lystrians wanted a king, all of them. There's the patriarch, for instance. He hates playing second fiddle to a Megalian man who's merely an archbishop, but has taken to wearing a gold chain round his neck much thicker than our patriarch's. Of course, as soon as Lystria gets back into the position of an independent kingdom, our patriarch will be top dog of the two. Then there are the Casimirs. There are eight or ten Casimirs, all counts, and there's the rest of the aristocracy. They're nobodies in a large republic like Megalia, but they're very important people in Lystria. Besides, they like having a court to hang about. You can't imagine how those fellows love dressing up in uniforms, putting on swords and attending state balls. And the way they eat! I assure you that a billock roasted whole and a couple of pigs go no distance at a sup-

per table in Lystria. It used to be a frightful expense to me. I needn't tell you the Megalian President doesn't do that kind of thing. He can't, poor fellow. His salary won't run to it. That's another example of the straitened circumstances of the middle classes."

"I still don't see why the Lystrians chose me," said Tommy. "If they did—"

"Strictly speaking," said the king, "they didn't choose you. Lord Edmund Troyte did that, and Procopius Cable between them. There had to be a revolution, of course, and our aristocracy couldn't afford to pay for it. Nor could the patriarch. Revolutions are appallingly expensive things, far more expensive than you'd think. Cable had the money and I'm bound to say he spent it generously. He flooded Lystria with English money to such an extent that the Megalian rate of exchange went up, which of course enraged the Megalians, who had been making a very good thing out of the valuta by paying off their debts in depreciated currency. The Lystrians are becoming actually rich. But neither Cable nor the patriarch nor any of the rest of us could have managed without Lord Edmund Troyte. Without his help we couldn't have got any one to recognize the new king, and then of course we couldn't have had any monarchy."

"I suppose not," said Tommy. "But even yet I don't quite see—"

"That gave Lord Edmund Troyte a sort of right to nominate the king, and—"

"But really they ought to have explained all this to you before you left London."

"Nobody explained anything to me," said Tommy.

"Well, I've explained it all now," said the king. "Lord Edmund Troyte nominated you."

"I'm perfectly certain he didn't. If he nominated any one, it must have been Lord Norheys, and I keep on telling you that I'm not Lord Norheys."

"And I keep on forgetting," said the king. "But that doesn't really matter when we're alone, does it?"

Tommy sat silent for a while. The king had at last made the position clear to him. He saw exactly what Casimir's original mistake had been. He realized that for some reason—very likely because of Miss Temple—the real marquis of Norheys had not arrived in Berlin. But even if he had arrived, he could not have married the princess. Miss Temple's letter had settled that point. Calypso was perfectly determined, and behind her was the terrifying figure of the puritan patriarch.

Why should he not step into Lord Norheys' empty position? Casimir was apparently quite ready to accept any one as king who would seat the princess on the throne beside him. The patriarch had no objection to a curate, so long as he was a respectable curate. And Tommy was perfectly respectable. The head waiter ex-king was delighted to accept him as a son-in-law. So long as he was perfectly straightforward and made his position plain to every one, Tommy did not see that he could be blamed afterward if he accepted a bride and a throne which were almost forced upon him. And, besides—in judging him we must always remember this—he had fallen in love with Calypso.

"The only person who doesn't seem to have been consulted," said Tommy, "is the princess herself."

"Calypso won't raise any objections," said the king, "once the Miss Temple difficulty is removed. She's a good girl, always was. Takes after her mother. You didn't know the late queen, did you?"

"No."

"A thoroughly good woman," said the king. "In fact, the only objection to her was that she was too good, certainly much too good for me. She brought up Calypso with very strict ideas, she and the patriarch between them."

"But I've no reason to suppose she'll marry me," said Tommy.

"Oh, she will," said the king. "The only down she ever had on you was that little muddle-up with Miss Temple. Until she heard of that she hadn't any objection to you at all."

"But that isn't an objection to me," said Tommy. "It's an objection to Lord Norheys."

"Exactly," said the king. "That's what I'm saying. And now that you've cleared up this Miss Temple scandal, there's nothing at all against you that I can see. And I must say that you've cleared it up thoroughly and completely. There's not the smallest vestige of a stain left on your character. I couldn't have believed beforehand that you could have cleared it up so well. I don't see how either Calypso or the patriarch can have a word left to say about it."

"All the same," said Tommy, "I'd like to ask her myself."

"So you shall," said the king. "And you needn't be a bit nervous. Once you've convinced her that you never had anything to do with Miss Temple, she'll be perfectly ready to marry you."

"But I should like to ask her before we get to Lystria. I suppose we're on our way there now."

"You are," said the king. "I'm not going to see you into your hotel at Breslau and then take the night mail back to Berlin. You will be there for two days at least. Casimir is doing his best, but he can't have arrangements at the Schloss made any sooner. You can spend the whole time asking Calypso to marry you if necessary. But I don't expect you'll require more than half an hour."

"Of course, I must see her privately," said Tommy.

"Ah," said the king. "I see your difficulty. That aunt of yours."

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