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Michigan Man's Heroism Cited

East Jordan Widow Gets Carnegie Award for Fatal Attempt

Pittsburgh, May 1.—(A. P.)—One Michigan man was among the select few whose heroism was recognized by the Carnegie hero fund commission today. He was William John Crawford, whose widow lives at East Jordan.

Crawford lost his life in a futile effort to save another from drowning.

The award of the commission is a bronze medal to the widow and death benefit to her at the rate of \$65 a month, with \$5 a month additional on account of each or three children.

Crawford 32, an iron worker, died attempting to save Lee M. Nowland, 21, a farmhand, from drowning at East Jordan June 27, 1924.

While wading in the south arm of Pine lake Nowland stepped into deep water 130 feet from shore. He could not swim. He called to Crawford and moved farther from shore.

The citation says Crawford swam 50 feet to Nowland. A struggle ensued and both sank and drowned.

Ladies Clothing Project Progressing Splendidly

The ladies of the Charlevoix County Clothing Project are having their regular lessons under the leadership of Miss Margaret Harris of M. S. C., the one group of ladies meeting at Boyne City and the other at East Jordan.

The weather conditions made it necessary to make some changes in the schedule, but by next week the group at East Jordan will have had all the back work and the two groups will be on the same lesson.

The original plan was to have one group meet at Charlevoix, but as a result of poor attendance and uncertain interest, it was transferred to East Jordan, where it is hoped that a greater success will be the result.

The second lesson for leaders will be held at East Jordan in the Presbyterian Church, Saturday the 8th of May, at 9:30 a. m. slow time

If interested in receiving the work enroll with your nearest leader and you will wonder how you missed it last year. The leaders for East Jordan districts are as follows:

Mrs. Effie Weldy—Boyne City
Miss Matilda Knop—Boyne City
Mrs. Leda Ruhling—East Jordan
Mrs. Rosetta Gunsolas—East Jordan
Mrs. Hattie Murphy—East Jordan
Mrs. Clara Liskum—East Jordan
Mrs. Flora Craig—East Jordan
Mrs. Wm. Severance—East Jordan
Mrs. LaVern McCann—Charlevoix
Mrs. Orton VanDuesan—Charlevoix
Mrs. Rawley Williams—Charlevoix
Mrs. R. C. Molet—Charlevoix

The leaders for the Boyne City group are as follows:

Deer Lake—Miss Raymond, Mrs. Reidal
Clarion—Mrs. Everts, Mrs. Palmer
Wallon Lake—Mrs. Matthews
Evangeline—Mrs. Ben Gardner, Mrs. Hosmer

Advance—Mrs. Chas. Fett
Group 1—Mrs. W. R. Earl, Mrs. Frank Derby

Group 2—Mrs. Kightlinger, Mrs. Dixon

Group 3—Mrs. Hutton, Mrs. Hartnell
Group 4—Mrs. Vern Ormsby, Mrs. Marian Alcott

The Boyne City group will meet for their third lesson on Tuesday, May 18, and the East Jordan group on Wednesday, May 19, for the same lesson.

B. C. MELLENCAMP,
Co. Agr'l Agent.

Notice To Contractors

Sealed bids for the widening of two blocks of the Main street pavement in the City of East Jordan will be received by the City Clerk until 8:00 o'clock p. m., standard time, May 24, 1926.

A certified check for 5 per cent of the bid must accompany each proposal. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The public seems willing to believe anything, especially if it promises fifty per cent.

Our extra slice of pie for this week, extra filler and too much crust, goes to the local farmer who does not believe that exchanges rob him.

Junior Hop Swell Affair

Annual Party One of the Finest Social Events in Years.

"Nothing but the best" seems to be quite an appropriate motto for East Jordan people in general. The young people of the Junior Class of the High School surely carried this motto out to the letter Friday night in staging without question the finest Junior Hop that East Jordan has ever given. True, it is a real social event in a small town but the boys and girls require a certain amount of wholesome amusement. It is, therefore, fair on occasions to give them deserved praise for their originality and ingenuity in putting on some of the social affairs, as well as athletic and scholarship programs, so the writer does not hesitate to take occasion to give the reaction toward the annual party given Friday night by the Juniors in honor of the Seniors. It has now developed into a time honored custom looked forward to each year with a good deal of zeal and anticipation by the young people as a sort of coming out occasion to their parents and friends who enjoy seeing them have a real good time. This surely was true Friday evening. Two hundred fifty parents and friends looked on from the High School auditorium with a great deal of satisfaction to see their boys and girls enjoying themselves in a wholesome and well regulated, selected party.

Nothing was left undone that would add to perhaps the finest Junior Hop ever given in the High School. The decorations far surpassed anything in past years, yet cost much less than a number of former parties, for the reason that they were able to get plenty of green boughs from Mr. Webster's swamp near by, where he was clearing a piece of land, since the evergreen boughs made up the largest part of the decorations and, at the same time, proved the best possible background for the hundred or so Japanese lanterns, rustic gates, fences, and arbors of climbing flowers, so that the effect was surely unique. The whole scheme in the decorating was carried out with the idea to represent a Japanese garden and, if this was the idea, it surely was a fine representation. The Japanese lanterns were lit by strings of Christmas extension cords of small colored bulbs, giving just enough light to make it appear as though the young people were really dancing in a Japanese garden, after the auditorium lights were turned off, also giving plenty of light so that everyone could be distinguished from the auditorium. The dancers showed every respect to the rather strict rules required by the school for dancing on this occasion, and the boys and girls are to be congratulated on the gentlemanly and lady like manner in which everyone conducted himself. Too great credit cannot be given to the decorating committee.

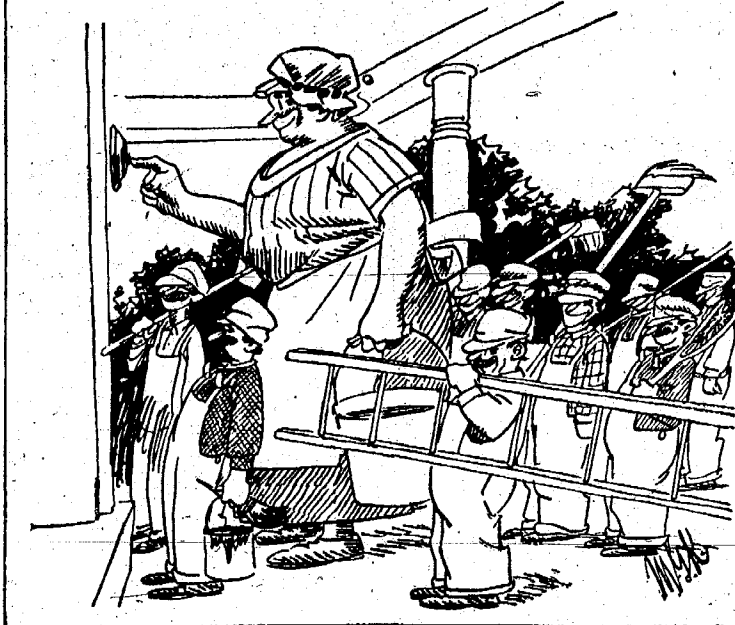
Miss Lintner, as Chairman, certainly should be proud of her committee which included among its members boys and girls who are well known for their ability to hustle and work, Edward Carr, Clayton Montroy, Vera Hipp and Dorothy Walton.

The Program Committee, made up of Margaret Bowen and Margaret Sherman coincided with the general scheme of the Japanese garden by having their programs in the class colors of green and gold, cut in form of a little Japanese lantern. They went even further having the dances designated by some Japanese name, such as "Nipponese Glide," "Tokyo Whirl," etc. It was also the work of the committee to help in the selection of the guests, and the writer takes occasion to say that this committee showed good taste and rare judgment in everything they did in connection with the party and cooperation with the school administration. It is quite a thing to provide light refreshments for occasions like the above and in this Viola Snyder, as Chairman of the Refreshment Committee, assisted by the Misses Leu, Anderson, Schultz, and Flannery, certainly did not fail them and distributed punch and wafers from two booths, at the side and at the end of the hall.

The Reception Committee was made up of Mildred Best, Chairman, and the Misses Beyer, and they did their part very well.

Miss Guderson, as Chairman of the Music Committee, assisted by the Misses Arnston and Best, surely used excellent judgment in the selection of their music, for Fuller's Charleston Orchestra from Traverse City did the finest piece of work in their line that

May and Her Cohorts



has been done in East Jordan in years. Time and again remarks were heard about the superior type of music produced by these gentlemen. Without a doubt, Fuller's Orchestra will get another call on a similar occasion, for they produced music to the entire satisfaction of everyone concerned. The results obtained by the above committee is comment enough for their ability and judgment.

The favors for the party in the form of hats and serpentine colored paper ribbons added greatly to the occasion, and were a huge success. The above committees had a very able and efficient administrator back of them in Gisdys Nelson, President of the Junior Class, who surely is to be congratulated and at the same time should be proud of her class and their accomplishments.

It is impossible to pass by without mentioning the power behind the throne, the person who put on the very successful play, "The Hoodoo" a week or so ago, the Junior Class advisor for the past year, and the person who was largely accountable for the whole idea of decoration, etc., A. E. Wells. No one has any idea of the amount of time and effort necessary to put over an occasion like the above, and Mr. Wells and the Junior Class are surely to be congratulated.

Chaperones—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoyt, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Dicken, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Pray. Guests of Honor—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Duncanson. Patron and Patroness—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wells.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of East Jordan held at the council rooms Monday evening, May 3, 1926.

Meeting was called to order by the mayor. Present: Mayor Dicken and Aldermen Ross, Gidley, Proctor, Aldrich and Sedgman. Absent: Alderman Watson.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Moved by Alderman Sedgman, supported by Alderman Gidley, that a fire hydrant be installed at the corner of Mill and Third streets. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Sedgman, that the water pipe taken from the lake be sold to the Traverse City Iron Works for the sum of \$850. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Aldrich, supported by Alderman Gidley, that the bond of John LaLonde as principal, and D. E. Goodman and Frank Phillips as sureties, be approved and accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Proctor, supported by Alderman Gidley, that the bond of G. W. Kitsman as principal, and C. A. Brabant and LeRoy Sherman as sureties, be approved and accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Aldrich, supported by Alderman Ross, that the bond of Gertrude E. Bennett as principal, and W. R. Barnett as sureties, be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

The mayor appointed Alderman Gidley, Sedgman and Ross as a committee of three to look into the advisability and cost of purchasing street signs and house numbers.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Gidley, who moved its adoption; seconded by Alderman Ross: Whereas, it is deemed expedient for public safety and convenience, to widen the Main street pavement from its intersection with Mill street to its

intersection with William street, therefore,

Resolved, that the said Main street pavement be widened according to plans and specifications submitted by E. A. Robinson, County Surveyor, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk;

Further Resolved, that the City Clerk be, and hereby is, authorized and instructed to advertise for bids for the completion of said street improvement.

Adopted by the council of the City of East Jordan on the third day of May, 1926, by aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes—Ross, Gidley, Proctor, Sedgman, Aldrich and Dicken.

Nays—None.

The mayor made appointments as follows: City Clerk, Otis J. Smith; City Treasurer, Grace E. Boswell; Chief of Police, Henry Cook; Chief of Fire Department, Lorenzo Bingham; Board of Review, Richard Lewis and W. R. Barnett.

Moved by Alderman Sedgman, supported by Alderman Proctor, that the above appointments be confirmed. Motion carried by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes—Ross, Gidley, Proctor, Sedgman, Aldrich and Dicken.

Nays—None.

Bills were presented for payment as follows:

John Flannery, team work.....	\$ 4.50
Standard Oil Co., gasoline.....	21.10
Ormand Winstone, labor.....	5.25
Howard Cook, labor.....	5.25
Henry Cook, salary.....	125.00
Northern Auto Co., repairing	
Tractor.....	79.15
Dep't of Public Safety, finger	
print outfit.....	3.62
Elec. Light & Power Co., light-	
ing streets.....	515.00
Elec. Light & Power Co.,	
pumping.....	159.40
E. A. Robinson, engineering	
services.....	69.30
Otis J. Smith, salary.....	35.00
Grace E. Boswell, salary.....	60.00
Joseph Trojaneck, cleaning streets	
40.25	
Ed. Kaley, street labor.....	4.38
Thos. St. Charles, street labor.....	42.00
G. A. Lisk, printing.....	25.55

On motion by Alderman Sedgman the bills were allowed by an aye and nay vote as follows:

Ayes—Ross, Gidley, Proctor, Sedgman, Aldrich and Dicken.

Nays—None.

On motion by Alderman Sedgman, meeting was adjourned.

OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

Board Of Review

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review for the City of East Jordan will be in session at the council rooms Monday, May 17, 1926, at 9:30 a. m. standard time, and will be in session each day thereafter for at least four days.

OTIS J. SMITH,
City Clerk.

Water Tax Notice

Water Tax will be due May 8th, and payable during month of May.

Office hours—9 to 11 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m. Evenings—Saturday and pay nights.

G. E. BOSWELL,
Treasurer.

Thrilling disclosure; Work is not the ambition of the average man. It is a pity that the best fighters are never in the army during a war.

Club Leader Visits County

Charlevoix County, Winter Clubs Hold Achievement Days

Mr. A. G. Kettunen, State Boys and Girls Club Leader and Mrs. Buckhart of the same department judged the work completed by the County Clothing and Handicraft Clubs and selected the local champions at the achievement days held on April 27th and 28th.

These Clubs were organized by County Agent Melencamp, with assistance from M. S. C. last fall in several of the rural schools of the County and instructed by their local teacher. During the winter these clubs have met every week or two weeks and have had some rousing good times, besides learning how to sew and how to make handy articles for the house and farm.

In order to complete the club project, each member of the clothing club had to make at least three articles of clothing, in addition to darning and patching, and in the case of the handicraft clubs, each member had to complete at least five articles. In addition each member had to keep an accurate report of the cost of materials used, as well as the time spent and to write a story of their club work. Surely this is a real achievement and the members are to be congratulated in completing this valuable work as well as the teachers who so splendidly devoted their time and efforts toward instructing these young boys and girls.

At the completion of the project the local champions for each club were selected by Mr. Kettunen and Mrs. Buckhart. These local champions will now compete with each other for the honor of Charlevoix County Champion, the lucky one will then compete for the state championship, which means so much. Also each member received an award called "Certificate of Achievement."

(Winter Clubs)
The following are the various clubs, members and leaders.

Clothing Clubs

1. Leader—Miss Mamie Peebles
Club—Bay Shore Jolly Sewers
Members—Doris Anderson—Local Champion

Edith Speigle—Reserve Champion
Dorothy Furguson, Dorothy Sky Eagle.

2. Leader—Miss Theima Crandall
Club—Boyne Falls Club
Members—Germaine Yell—Local Champion

Bernice Goff—Reserve Champion
Bernice Jerramen, Martha Bauman, Irene McDonald, Frances Bauman.

3. Leader—Miss Vera Belding
Club—Clarion Eight Needles
Members—Dorothy Barkley—Local Champion

Geneva Ceyer—Reserve Champion
Dorene Banks Vera Belding, Cakhum Baumgardner.

4. Leader—Miss Mildred Wangeman
Club—Seven Merry Maidens
Members—Clara Leu—Local Champion

Katherine Wangeman—Reserve Champion
Dorothy Lem, Marie Johnston, Gertrude Looze.

Handicraft Clubs

5. Leader—Galo Chew
Club—Bay Shore Busy Bees Handicraft Club
Members—Willard Minier—Local Champion

George Sneathen, Lee Sneathen, Franklin Sneathen, Thomas Wightman

6. Leader—W. C. Palmer
Club—Clarion Hammerfast Club
Members—Arthur Lloyd, Lester Strickland, James Griswold, Lowell Banks, Clifford Hankins, George Fine, Stanley Stricker, Donald Geyer, Billie Hankins, Dell Lloyd, Chas. Kleinhaus, Lewis Kleinhaus.

Local Champion will be selected at a later date.

Scout Orders

Orders for May 12th.
Troop and Cubs will meet sharp at 6:30.

6:30-6:50 Roll call. Drill and Setting-ups.

6:50 Further discussion of plans for summer sports. All officers and boys are requested to be present.

HENRY HILES,
Scoutmaster.

Advertising is fishing for the successful merchant.
The man who borrows this paper from his neighbor might as well come in and subscribe although we don't blame him for getting it somehow.

"Old Cabin Home Minstrels"

Entertainment Sponsored by the O. E. S., a Success.

The East Jordan Order Eastern Star, are to be congratulated on the success of their minstrel entertainment, "Old Cabin Home Minstrels," staged at the High School auditorium Tuesday evening. According to remarks from many people, the entertainment surpassed expectations, and one heard from all sources the same reaction that everybody certainly got their money's worth, from the time the curtain rose on a typical southern colored home of days gone by (a log cabin surprisingly real in its appearance in the background, with Aunt Dilly in the doorway nervously calling her lazy husband to his task of getting a little wood for the noon meal) until the chorus closed with "Dem Golden Slippers," the audience was in uproarious laughter. In fact, they were taken unawares so many times that it was hardly possible to know just when to applaud.

It would be utterly impossible to call attention to every individual because of the number taking part. Many of the characters, especially those in some of the leading roles, were so absolutely real and acted their parts so typical of southern ladies and gentlemen that it would be impossible to leave them out.

Aunt Dilly, taken by Miss Shaw, and Uncle Toby, represented by Mr. Seiler, playing the leading roles in the minstrel, surely took their parts well and acted like true southern folks. It is difficult to say who did the better of the two. Miss Shaw's southern drawl in her voice certainly suited to the part of Aunt Dilly, both in the acting and singing. Uncle Toby surely was a lazy colored gemmen, as well as his three boys, Gen'l Pusching, impersonated by Mr. Sloan; Rastus, by Mr. Watson, and Geo'ge Washington, by Mr. Bechtold. All made admirable lazy colored gemmen. They sang a number of very pleasing old time colored songs, among others "In de Morning by de Bright Light," "Dev's One Moah Ribbaw to Cross," "Old Uncle Ned," etc., which were very effective with the audience and called to mind old familiar southern scenes. This was followed by Aunt Dilly and the girls, singing "Way Ovah Jordan," and "Take Me Home." This included the following, the Mesdames, Porter, Sloan, Mikula, Bechtold, Waggoner, and Duncanson. The first act closed by the chorus singing "Hear Dem Bells." In the above group the ladies all displayed acting of a high order, Mrs. Maude Porter proving to be a real interpreter of southern colored characteristics. She not only looked the part but even to the shaking of her feet in the excitement of the musical swing to "Hear Dem Bells" was a real cullied lady. The song itself had a pure southern swing to it and was given especially well. Ten or twelve little pickaninnies, led by Mrs. Bechtold added greatly to this scene, each of them dressed in typical pickaninny style with their hair done up in poppy, etc. The youngsters were one of the big hits of the evening. Many remarked that the feature of the whole program was the chorus singing, both the mixed and the ladies chorus. In fact, the singing of the ladies as a whole was a revelation to the large audience.

The second act, a camp meeting scene, opened by the chorus singing, "One Day, One Day," and if there has been a more typical looking bunch of cullied ladies and gemmen than those who entered the camp meeting, we would like to see them. It would be impossible to give the order in which they entered but everyone created a storm of laughter. First, the singing master, impersonated by Mr. Snelberger, entered, quietly taking his place at the altar, followed by a number of the younger generation, then by others in rapid succession, each one exemplifying as good colored characteristics as could be found on the stage anywhere.

Mrs. Bechtold, with her dress of approved southern style from head to foot, and acting the part, was followed by another southern cullied lady, in the person of Aunt Calline, impersonated by Mrs. Duncanson, who seemed to be filled with the rhythmic spirit of the southern lady enthusiastic over religion, allowing it to crop out in the song she sang "Wintah'll Soon be Ovah, children," giving the effect she was about to fly to the colored promised land by the way she flapped her wings. The above was followed by a gentle

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MILES DISTRICT

(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles.)
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Strong of East Jordan spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miles.
Mr. and Mrs. G. LaClair and Carl Moblo of East Jordan spent Thursday evening at the Jerry Moblo home.

Chas. Murphy of Ranney Dist. was a caller at the A. Miles home Monday morning.
Gerratt Steenhagen attended the J. Hop in East Jordan Friday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Kinner and daughter Mary of Ellsworth, took dinner with Mrs. Fred Bancroft Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lindenau of Boyne City visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dett Evans.

Our nice May Day caught cold.
Fred Hancock bought hay of Mr. Secord in Rock Elm Dist. last week.
Mrs. Herman Lindenau of Boyne City and Mrs. Dett Evans called on Mrs. Fred Bancroft Sunday.

Miss Mable Maddock motored to Petoskey Saturday evening.
One disadvantage that an editor has is that he says his say in a permanent form, and when an argument comes he can't laugh or lie off what he wrote.

BOHEMIAN SETTLEMENT

(Edited by Archie E. Bussa)
Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Stanek and children spent Sunday with relatives in Elmira.
John Kotalik is working for Adam Skroski this spring.
Miss Rosie Cibak spent Saturday with her sister, Anna, of East Jordan.
Don't forget the dance, Saturday night, May 8th.
Bohumil Cibak is on the sick list this week.
Albert Chanda and Frank Rebec are having telephones installed this week.
John Pesek is working for Francis Nemecek this week.

Spring is the time of the year that all of us think the outdoor inviting and the first of the month is the day that we wish we were living there.
One joke: Father, who can hardly meet his checks at the bank, telling son, who has dropped a dime in toy bank, "now son, be sure and leave it there."

SURE HELP FOR STIFF, ACHING BACK
An aching back may not mean anything serious, but it certainly does not mean anything good. It usually grows worse with neglect. FOLEY PILLS, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, promote the healthful action that clears both blood and body of the lurking poisons which cause the distressing ache. A reliable, valuable medicine, constantly used for over 25 years, costs little, contains no harmful ingredients. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask your druggist for Foley Pills.—Hite's Drug Store.

PENINSULAR

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)
Mrs. Lee Chambers accompanied her brother, Perry Looze, up from Detroit Monday, and will spend a short time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Looze, in Three Bells Dist.
Harry Flora came up from Grand Rapids Wednesday, for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Flora in Mountain Dist. He returned to Grand Rapids Sunday, accompanied by his brother, Howard.
Joel Johnston, former owner of Grand View, Dahlia Farm at Holly Hill, was on the Peninsula Thursday.
Fire Warden, Omar Scott, took up his duty at the Whiting Park Fire Tower Saturday, May 1st.
The Jolly Reading Club was entertained at the Ray Loomis home Friday evening, April 30th, 28 were present. The next meeting will be held at Orchard Hill, May 7th.
There were 37 at the Star of Hope Sunday School, May 2nd, and some got wet.
Miss Sadie Murphy, Mountain Dist. teacher, came down with the measles Sunday, so there was no school Monday, but Miss Bernice Courier of East Jordan has been employed to substitute so school opened again Tuesday.
Mrs. Laura Staley of Boyne City is spending a few days at her farm in Mountain Dist.
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Nowland were horrified to hear of the death of their little son by being run over by a truck Saturday near their home in Charlevoix Saturday. Mrs. Charles Coblenz of Mountain Dist. went to Charlevoix Sunday to be with her daughter for a few days.
Marion Russell of Ridgeway is working for F. H. Wangeman.
Pine lake cleared of ice May 2nd, but there are quantities of snow yet.
Mr. Griffin of Boyne City was on the Peninsula last week writing up oil leases.
Jack Heaphy of East Jordan was renewing old acquaintances on the Peninsula last week.
Mrs. James Arnot, Maple Row, and Mrs. Ray Loomis of Gravel Hill were in Boyne City Thursday attending the Clothing Project meeting. Their next school of instruction will be held at the Gleaner Temple this week Thursday.
Frogs sounded their first notes Thursday, April 28 in the Whiting Park and have already frozen up three times so we hope it may be the last.
Highway Com. Wm. Looze of Three Bells Dist. got his son, Perry, Richard Russell of Ridgeway and Frank Hayden of Orchard Hill to help on some road work South of Advance, Monday and Tuesday.
A much needed rain storm visited this section Sunday; also we hope the last snow storm came Monday, May 3.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hitchcock and son Burton, of East Jordan, and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Russell and son, Francis, and daughters Alice and Doris of Ridgeway farm were guests at Orchard Hill Sunday afternoon and evening.
A Reich of Lone Ash farm returned to his job in East Jordan Monday, after being ill Saturday and Sunday.
John A. Reich of Lone Ash farm visited his uncle, Robert C. Hayden, from Saturday to Monday.
Bills are out for an auction sale at the John Dunlap farm, Mountain Dist., Friday, May 7th.
Bob Wilson of Mountain Dist. is sporting a new Ford run-about.
Farm work which was well begun during the pleasant weather of the last week of April received a knock out by the storm and freeze of Sunday and Monday.
Trout season opened Saturday with one of those glorious days, and a great many took the day off and went fishing.
Wells Wildy of Boyne City visited his farm in Star Dist. one day last week.
Miss Mamie Gaunt of Three Bells Dist. is visiting her brothers, Arthur, Will and Ralph, in Detroit.
Mrs. Caroline Severance came from Detroit some time ago and stopped some time with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnston in Three Bells Dist.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nicoloy of Sunny Slope farm entertained the Rev. Burley from Kalkaska, Presiding Elder of the Free Methodist Church, who conducted a meeting in Boyne City last week.
Robert Myers of Mountain Dist. is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Rose Sheldon and Mrs. Hazel Provost in Flint this week.
Mrs. Walter Wurn entertained her sister, Miss Miller of Boyne City over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Mose LaLonde of Chaddock Dist. visited their daughter, Mrs. F. D. Russell and family of Ridgeway farm Sunday.
Mrs. L. E. Phillips of Boyne City was on his farm several days last week.

It won't be long before the candidates will be taking politics seriously. There are some people so much worried over the origin of the world that they don't care anything about it. Correspondents are invited to send in news items. There are many interesting things that escape notice because they have press agent.

Simple Mixture Makes Stomach Feel Fine
Simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, often helps stomach trouble in TEN minutes by removing GAS. Brings out a surprising amount of old waste matter you never thought was in your system. Stops that full, bloated feeling and makes you happy and cheerful. Excellent for chronic constipation. Adlerika works QUICK and delightfully easy. GIDLEY & MAC, Druggists, adv.

Report of The Charlevoix County Co-operative Cow Testing Ass'n.

For the month of April 1926. Edgar Miteen Cow Tester. No. of Cows Tested 261. No. of Cows Dry 61.

Cows Over 50 Pounds Fat

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Arthur Shepard	Tootsie	Gr. H.	1503	3.6
Wm. Murphy	Molly	Gr. G.	900	5.8
S. Ulvund	Baldy	Gr. H.	1434	4.1
S. Ulvund	Addy	Gr. H.	1254	4.0
Orchard Bay	185	P. B. H.	1608	3.4
Orchard Bay	135	P. B. H.	1647	3.2
Orchard Bay	171	P. B. H.	1830	3.2
Orchard Bay	138	P. B. H.	1941	3.4
Orchard Bay	162	P. B. H.	2199	3.0
Orchard Bay	137	P. B. H.	1860	2.8
Geo. Meggison	Fraunie	Gr. J.	1419	4.5
Geo. Meggison	Topsy	Gr. J.	1479	4.4
Geo. Meggison	Short Horns	Gr. J.	852	6.4
Geo. Meggison	Agness	Gr. J.	960	5.4
Elmer Murray	Lottie	Gr. G.	1461	4.7
Elmer Murray	Nig	Gr. H.	1686	3.9
Loeb Farm	Finderland	P. B. H.	1440	3.5
Loeb Farm	Signet	P. B. H.	1566	3.5
Loeb Farm	Maple Lane	P. B. H.	1794	2.8
Loeb Farm	Queen	P. B. H.	2073	3.0

Cows Over 1250 Pounds Milk

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Arthur Shepard	Shoop	Gr. H.	1341	3.5
Arthur Shepard	Lootie	Gr. H.	1503	3.6
S. Ulvund	Baldy	Gr. H.	1434	4.0
S. Ulvund	Addy	Gr. H.	1254	4.0
S. Ulvund	Princess	Gr. H.	1299	3.8
S. Ulvund	Ruby	Gr. H.	1278	3.3
Orchard Bay	56	P. B. H.	1413	3.2
Orchard Bay	185	P. B. H.	1608	3.4
Orchard Bay	139	P. B. H.	1506	3.0
Orchard Bay	135	P. B. H.	1647	3.2
Orchard Bay	171	P. B. H.	1830	3.2
Orchard Bay	138	P. B. H.	1941	3.4
Orchard Bay	162	P. B. H.	2199	3.0
Orchard Bay	191	P. B. H.	1339	3.2
Orchard Bay	189	P. B. H.	1464	2.9
Orchard Bay	137	P. B. H.	1860	2.8
Orchard Bay	190	P. B. H.	1554	2.8
Orchard Bay	200	P. B. H.	1281	3.4
Orchard Bay	197	P. B. H.	1275	2.8
Wm. Withers	Oak Leaf	P. B. H.	1689	2.8
Wm. Withers	Mary	P. B. H.	1329	3.4
Wm. Withers	Princess	P. B. H.	1299	2.9
Geo. Meggison	Fannie	Gr. J.	1419	4.5
Geo. Meggison	Topsy	Gr. J.	1479	4.4
Elmer Murray	Lottie	Gr. G.	1461	4.7
Elmer Murray	Nig	Gr. H.	1686	3.9
Loeb Farm	Kary	P. B. H.	1251	3.1
Loeb Farm	Deane	P. B. H.	1287	3.2
Loeb Farm	Marbury	P. B. H.	1296	3.3
Loeb Farm	Calista	P. B. H.	1293	2.8
Loeb Farm	Finderland	P. B. H.	1440	3.5
Loeb Farm	Signet	P. B. H.	1566	3.5
Loeb Farm	Maple Lane	P. B. H.	1794	2.8
Loeb Farm	Oberland	P. B. H.	1470	2.8
Loeb Farm	Queen	P. B. H.	2073	3.0
Loeb Farm	Evelyn	P. B. H.	1530	2.8
Loeb Farm	Marian	P. B. H.	1587	2.8
Loeb Farm	Marjorie	P. B. H.	1419	3.0

Three High Cows In B. F., Under 3 Years Old

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Elmer Murray	Lottie	Gr. G.	1461	4.7
Orchard Bay	185	P. B. H.	1608	3.4
Orchard Bay	190	P. B. H.	1554	2.8

Three High Cows In B. F., Under 4 Years Old

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Loeb Farm	Queen	P. B. H.	2073	3.0
Orchard Bay	171	P. B. H.	1830	3.2
Elmer Murray	Speck	Gr. J.	1065	4.4

Three High Cows In B. F., Under 5 Years Old

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Orchard Bay	162	P. B. H.	2199	3.0
Wm. Withers	Oak Leaf	P. B. H.	1689	2.8
Bert Elliott	Bell	Gr. G.	798	4.9

Three High Cows In B. F., Above 5 Years Old

Owner	Name of Cow	Breed	Lbs. of Milk Test	Lbs. of Fat
Orchard Bay	138	P. B. H.	1941	3.4
Elmer Murray	Nig	Gr. H.	1686	3.9
Geo. Meggison	Topsy	Gr. J.	1479	4.4

Two High Herds In B. F. Average

Number of Cows In Herd	Owner	Average Milk Production	Average Butter Fat Production
6	Arthur Shepard	1136	41.3
7	Ben Smalls	1015	40.1

Two High Herds In Average Milk Production

Number of Cows	Owner	Average Milk Production	Average Butter Fat Production
20	Orchard Bay	1154	36.8
6	Arthur Shepard	1136	41.3

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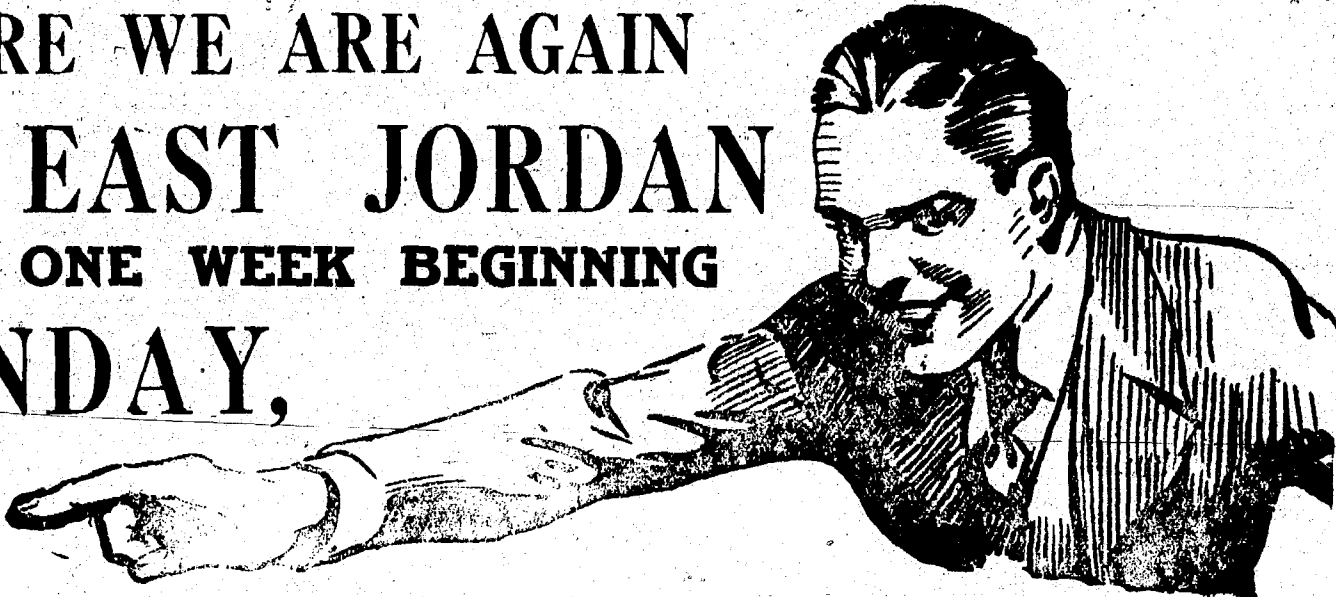
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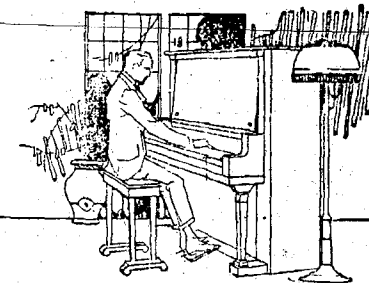
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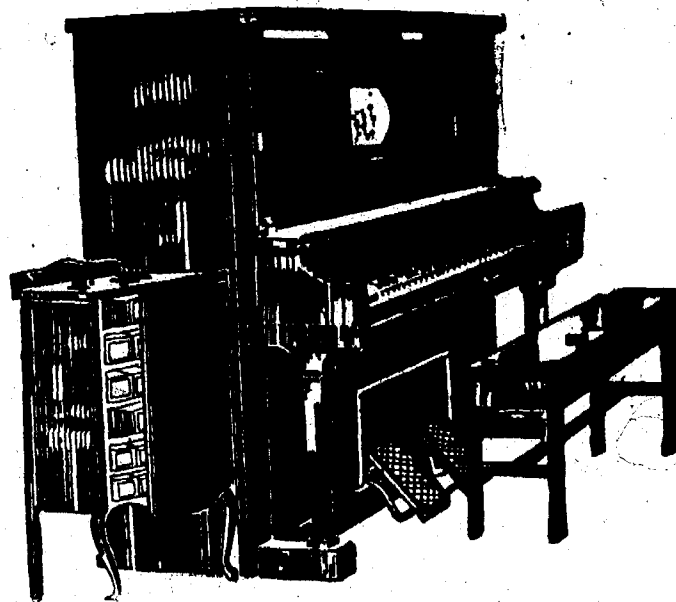
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FOR SALE—F. D. Kowalske 7-room Dwelling on Main St. Price \$600. Easy, small down payment and monthly payments for the balance. R. MACKAY. 18 t.f.

FOR SALE—My farm consisting of 7 acres with good 6-room house, drive well, good barn, well fenced, 1 acre strawberries, 1 mile East of East Jordan within city limits. Goes to highest bidder. Cash or terms to reliable party. See MRS. J. A. NICKLESS, East Jordan, Mich. 15-t.f.

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FOR SALE—Twenty Bushels of Seed Potatoes. Price \$1.50 per bushel. JOE CHIAK, East Jordan, R. 4. 19x1

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Hair's Color Changed

When white hair is removed from a spot on the back of a Russian rabbit and the animal is kept in a colder temperature while the new hair is growing it comes in black instead of white.

"Old Cabin Home Minstrels"

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man who was dressed fit to kill, Mr. Geo'ge Washington, G. W. Bechtold, who retired to a rear seat in the most dignified way, followed, beyond all doubt, by the most typical southern gentleman seen on the stage in a long time in the person of Howard Porter. It is taking nothing from anybody in the cast to say that in the very nervous and embarrassed way in which Mr. Porter greeted the incoming sisters and breddren, from his looks to his dress, even to the smallest detail, gave as good an imitation of how a prominent southern gemmen acts in a camp meeting, as the writer has ever seen. Lily Vi'let, by Mrs. Waggoner, let down very little on the general effect produced by the individual already mentioned. Lily Vi'let was also very enthusiastic evidently about her religion, at least her feet for it was impossible for her to keep them still when the swing of typical southern songs as "I'm A Rolling" and "Way Ovah Jordan" were being sung. Mrs. Frost, coming in a little later, very much excited, weaving from right to left, carrying her youngest, and rushing forward like a southern cyclone, tramping on feet and everything else on the camp ground, was a real scream as a colored lady and sent the audience into uproars of laughter.

Mrs. Sloan, another very active member of the Minstrel cast, proved to be a very good colored lady not only through her acting and appreciation of what colored people do, but is always a real worker and a very substantial addition to the ladies' chorus, as Mrs. Sloan has a very good alto voice. The Mesdames, Kitsman, Mikula, Miss Joynt, and others too numerous to mention carried out the camp meeting scene, which as the audience saw it, proved to be the best of the entertainment. The music had just the right swing and was the feature of the whole act.

The third act was opened by the chorus in a wonderfully sweet song "Far Away in the South." John Seiler leading the chorus in the next song "Old Black Joe" was also very effective. Lily Vi'let sang very well in "Babylon's a Falling," and was one of the pleasing hits of the evening. Perhaps the most effective song of the whole evening, and one in which the ladies' chorus supported Aunt Dilly, "Massa's in de Cold Ground." In this song the ladies produced real harmony and it was spoken of by many of the audience as effective a song as they had heard in a long time.

The third act, especially toward the end during the climax, where all took part was a very pleasing colored scene, even to the little girls unobtrusively playing with their dolls, impersonated by Kathryn Kitsman and Margaret Duncanson. One of the features of the last act was the action in which different members took an active part, including Miss Joynt, one of the cake walkers and singers who has helped a great deal in the whole affair. Again, Mrs. G. W. Bechtold and her pickaninnies played a prominent part. Without a doubt, the Mesdames Bechtold and Porter are the champion cake walkers. It would be difficult to say which was more adept in the line of entertainment. The gymnastics and cake walking of the above ladies added a great deal to the climax of the last act. The final song, "Dem Golden Slippers" was a very fitting close.

Miss Dorothy Clark gave a very good specialty in the form of a elog dance between the first and second acts. The two negro comedians, Watson and Snelenberger, gave a very good dialogue taking off many popular local businessmen.

Mr. Al Warda, veteran in the show game, was called upon in the last few rehearsals to help in some of the finishing touches in the staging of the affair and his suggestions were considered inestimable. He also furnished a number of the costumes worn by some of the ladies. In fact, the costumes of the actors throughout were very typical.

Last but by no means least among those who made the whole affair a success was the accompanist, Mrs. A. J. Suffern, who has been invaluable throughout in making the "Old Cabin Minstrels" a howling success. Mrs. Suffern has always filled a big musical niche in East Jordan, and she certainly did in this case.

The High School Orchestra was also a prominent feature in rounding out a very satisfactory evening's entertainment, and the O. E. S. are grateful to them, as they are to others who helped.

The committee on Staging and Properties was Ira Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bechtold, and Mrs. Sherman. In fact, the above committee were instrumental in staging the minstrel show. Mr. Sloan proved a very good publicity manager. Harold Price helped, as did James Sloan, who acted as electrician. "The Old Cabin Minstrels" were directed by Mrs. A. J. Duncanson, who seems to enjoy this kind of work and

felt fully repaid for any effort else put forth in the success of the affair.

The cast follows:
Miss Shaw..... Aunt Dilly
Mrs. Bechtold..... Ophelia
Mrs. Waggoner..... Lily Vi'let
Mrs. Mikula..... Sis' D'ademony
Mrs. Sloan..... Cleopatra
Mrs. Duncanson..... Aunt Calline
Mr. Seiler..... Uncle Toby
Mr. Snelenberger..... Ebenezer
Mr. Sloan..... Gen'l Pusching
Mr. Watson..... Rastus
Mr. Bechtold..... Geo'ge Washington
Mr. Porter..... Jerry
Mr. Bartlett..... Sambo

EXTRAS
Pickaninnies—little ones:—Margaret Duncanson, Louise Bechtold, Kathryn Kitsman, Ruth Clark, Anna Jean Sherman, Bruce Mikula, Billy Wells. Pickaninnies—large ones:—Ruth Cook, Jean Bechtold, Marcella Muma, Ruth Duncanson.
Extras:—Betty Kitsman, Frederica Shaw, Dorothy Clark, Bea Hoswell, Robert Pray, Greg. Boswell, Bobby Joynt, Gilbert Joynt, Junior Sherman.

CHORUS
Sopranos:—Miss Shaw, Mrs. Bechtold, Mrs. Waggoner, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Boswell, Mrs. Kitsman, Mrs. Muma, Miss Joynt.
Altos:—Mrs. Mikula, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. Frost, Mrs. Duncanson.
Tenors:—Mr. Watson, Mr. Sloan.
Basses:—Dr. Bechtold, Mr. Seiler, Mr. Porter, Mr. Snelenberger, Mr. Bartlett.

The "Old Cabin Home Minstrels" is to be repeated Monday night at the Temple Theatre, giving everyone a chance to see one of the best shows that has been given in East Jordan in some time.

Henry B. Collins, Jr.



Henry B. Collins, Jr., ethnologist of the Smithsonian Institution, has begun the exploration of the gulf coast region which was the camping ground of the Attaopaa and Chitimacha Indians, some of the few known cannibals on the American continent. The region has previously been overlooked by scientists and very little is known of the tribes that lived there.

White Sox Going Well



The Chicago White Sox got off to a good start in the American league, winning most of the opening games and it looks as if they might stick around on top. Among the new players is Harry McCurdy, former University of Illinois catcher, shown in the photograph.

So Well They Might

The first tourist launch was put upon Lake Josephine, way up in the Rockies of Glacier National park this season. Its initial trip in the mountain wilds was greeted by half a dozen golden eagles that hovered among the mountain peaks looking down in apparent wonderment at the arrival of this unusual "water thing."

Ownership of Wild Bees

The Department of Agriculture says that wild bees really belong to the persons who discover them. It is against the law in most states to cut a bee tree without first obtaining permission from the landowner.

FRANCE IS TO PAY U. S. \$6,847,674,104

Agreement Provides for Last of Major World War Debts to America.

Paris.—The French cabinet has approved the terms of the agreement for refunding the debt to the United States. The government has nothing before it but preparation for the fight for ratification, beginning when parliament reconvenes late in May.

Washington.—Funding of the French debt to the United States, on terms satisfactory to the French government, the American debt commission, and to President Coolidge has been announced.

The agreement provides for a payment over 62 years of a grand total of \$6,847,674,104, beginning with annual payments of \$30,000,000 during each of the first two years and running up to a maximum beginning with the seventeenth year of \$125,000,000. This is an increase of \$627,000,000 over the total payments offered in the Cailiaux negotiations last September.

Settlements have now been reached on all the large debts to the United States resulting from the World war, only those with Greece and Yugoslavia remaining to be funded. The total amount of principal to be paid by France was figured as in previous debt agreements, with interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent to December 15, 1922, and at 3 per cent from that date to June 15, 1925. This made the total amount to be funded \$4,025,000,000, of which \$695,000,000 represents accrued interest to the date of the agreement.

The interest over the 62-year period over which the payments will run amounts to an average of slightly more than 1 1/2 per cent, bringing the grand total which France will pay to slightly more than \$6,847,674,104. The present value of these payments on a 4 1/2 per cent basis was figured by treasury experts to be \$2,008,122,624. This, it was stated, is practically 50 per cent of the principal of the debt, as compared with the Italian settlement of 26 per cent.

The French payments start at \$30,000,000 during the first two years; then \$32,500,000 for each of the next two years; \$35,000,000 for the fifth year; \$40,000,000 for the sixth; \$50,000,000 in the seventh, and increasing by jumps of from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000 in succeeding years until the seventeenth year, when it reaches the maximum of \$125,000,000 annually, which it maintains through the sixty-first year, with a slight reduction to \$117,674,104 in the last year.

A statement issued by the debt funding commission after the agreement was reached asserted that, "in view of the enormous burden of the domestic debt of France, the difficulty of raising by taxation a sufficient revenue to meet the charges of this debt, to carry on the ordinary government operations, and to find the exchange necessary to pay her foreign debt to the United States and to England, the commission believes that this settlement represents substantially France's capacity to pay."

President Coolidge has signed the Italian debt funding bill passed a few days ago by the senate. Bills relating to Belgium, Latvia, Estonia, Rumania and Czechoslovakia are now awaiting his approval.

Mine Seizure Bill Is O. K'd by Committee

Washington.—Seizure and operation of the coal mines by the government in national emergencies has been recommended by the senate education and labor committee.

The bill approved was introduced by Senator Copeland of New York. It would apply to both bituminous and anthracite mines.

A constant check on the coal industry would be kept by a bureau of coal industry under the bill. The President would be authorized to appoint an emergency coal commission in the event of strikes.

Should the strike assume the proportions of a national emergency, the government is given the power to take over and operate "any or all coal properties" necessary to maintain production and distribution at "reasonable prices."

Distribution would be supervised by a federal fuel distributor. There is little likelihood of the bill getting through at this session.

\$20,000,000 Theater Plan

Los Angeles, Cal.—A \$20,000,000 organization, which will operate theaters in 22 principal cities, is announced by Sid Grauman, Hollywood theater owner.

Noted Writer Dead

Stockholm, Sweden.—Ellen Key, who has had a powerful influence on Swedish literature, is dead here, at the age of seventy-six years.

Back to War-Time Bread

Paris.—France is reverting to war-time measures. It has been decreed that bread flour hereafter must contain 8 per cent rye. The object of the decree is to try and steady the constantly mounting price of bread and to tide over the period until the next harvest.

Woman to Die on Guillotine

Nimes, France.—Antoinette Sierri, who poisoned a dozen persons, was sentenced to die on the guillotine.

Christy's Poster for Poppy Week



Miss Frances Silbergield of Brooklyn posing for Howard Christy, famous painter, who is also shown completing his poster for Buddy Poppy week, which comes the week of Memorial day. The poster was presented by Mr. Christy to the Veterans of Foreign Wars for use in connection with their annual sale of the poppies which are made by disabled ex-service men to raise funds for relief work.

High Living in New Gold Camp



Necessities of life come high in the newly discovered gold field in the California desert. This photograph was made in a "cafe" where, as the signs show, dinner costs from \$5 up and a cup of water 25 cents.

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"The Bank With The Chime Clock."

Briefs of the Week

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roy of Flint were here for a visit this week.

Mrs. Orvie Gunsolus left Thursday for Melvin, Mich., to visit her sister, who is ill.

Hon. J. M. Harris was over from Boyne City on business, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Belle Roy, who has spent the winter months in California, returned home Tuesday.

J. Salisbury of Conway was here over Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. F. A. Creswell.

Get those Screen Doors made now. We make them to your order—Joynt & Severance. adv. 19-2.

Mrs. John Nachazel and son, Frank, were at Maple City, a few days last week visiting her mother.

Mrs. Thos. Whiteford returned first of the week from a visit with friends at Vanderbilt and other places.

Mrs. C. Walsh returned home recently from Hally Hill, Florida, where she spent the winter months.

Maccabee Rummage Sale at Odd Fellows Hall, over Bulow Bros. this Saturday afternoon, May 8th. adv.

Mrs. M. J. Kiley came Saturday from Bay City to join her husband, who is the new Agent at the M. C. Depot.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will meet at the church parlors Friday afternoon, May 14th, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Samuel Ramsey and grandson, Billie Simmons, visited her son, George Ramsey and family at Cadillac this week.

Thomas L. Brennan and daughter, Miss Helen, were called to Bay City, Thursday by the death of Mr. Brennan's father.

Mrs. Thomas Kolarik and daughter, Jennie, of Suttons Bay were here first of the week visiting at the home of her brother, Joseph Nachazel.

Monthly meeting of the M. E. Ladies Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Vern Shepard, north part of city, Wednesday, May 12th at 2 standard.

East Jordan High School Band, under direction of their instructor John Ter-Wee, will give a Concert at the Auditorium, Friday night May 21st.

Mrs. Charles McAllister, who has spent the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Zoulek, left Tuesday for her home in Suttons Bay.

Home Baked Goods—All kinds of Baked Goods by order on Wednesday and Saturdays. Bread on Tuesdays and Fridays. Mrs. Thos. Joynt, phone 205. adv. 19x1

Mrs. J. A. Nickless who has been visiting her daughters at Detroit and Standish, returned to her home here Tuesday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Stiff and son of Detroit.

Miss Mary Dexter, kindergarten and first grade teacher in our West Side schools was taken seriously ill with diabetes this week, and Wednesday left for the Battle Creek Sanitarium for treatment.

The "Old Cabin Home Minstrels" have been urged to give East Jordan a return engagement and will appear in their entertainment at the Temple Theatre Monday evening, May 10th, 7:30 p. m. Admission 15 and 35c. adv.

East Jordan's High School Band received their new uniforms this week. The Band, dressed in their new regalia, will appear on our main streets this Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock, standard, playing several selections of band music.

Saturday evening, May 8, at seven o'clock standard, a May Festival is to be given under the auspices of the Commercial Club of the High School. All high school students, Junior High students, Alumni, and all the teachers in the Public School system are invited to attend. There will be dancing, also various games such as Carroms, Checkers, Parachute, Flinch, and pit. Ice Cream will be served. There will be a small admission fee. adv.

Grinnell Bros. will hold a one-week Piano Sale in East Jordan this coming week at the Studebaker Sales Rooms—second door north of postoffice. The Sale will be in charge of representatives from the Traverse City branch. Grinnell Bros. are undoubtedly Michigan's greatest retail music house, they have built this business by fair dealing, and their guarantee of any instrument they sell is everything the word implies. The Grinnell Bros.' system of small monthly payments makes it possible for any home to have a good piano without any hardship or self-denial on the purchaser's part. Call at the sales room, next week and look over their offerings.

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"THE BANK ON THE CORNER"

"Strength and Ability
Plus the Willingness to Serve."

Curse of Prosperity
All that a wave of prosperity means to most of us is the privilege of watching others buy better cars.—Medford Mail-Tribune.

Odd, but Interesting
All during the testimony he hardly moved in his chair. For the most of the time he rested his head on his chin.—Fort Worth Telegram.

TEMPLE THEATRE

Program for week beginning Saturday, May 8th

SATURDAY, May 8th

Wm. DeMille Production

"MEN AND WOMEN"

Featuring Richard Dix, Neil Hamilton, Claire Adams and Robert Edson

There is no hero, no heroine, no villain in this story. The characters are just men and women. No finer story of human love, frailty and courage could have been chosen.

Admission—10c and 25c

SUNDAY, May 9th

"THE TEASER"

Starring Laura LaPlante and Pat O'Malley

Another one of those Universal pictures that will make you smile and with enough pathos to make you remember.

FOX NEWS COMEDY

Admission—10c and 25c

MONDAY, May 10th

"Old Cabin Home Minstrels"

A Minstrel Entertainment in 3 Acts. Starting at 7:30 p. m.

Given Under Auspices of Mark Chapter O. E. S.

Admission—15c and 35c

TUESDAY, May 11th FAMILY NIGHT

2 ADMISSIONS FOR THE PRICE OF 1 WITH MERCHANT'S TICKETS

"RANGE TERROR"

With Bob Custer and his big police dog, Alaska.

A Red-Fire, Whirling-Action Western

Chapter 5 "Ace of Spades" STARRING WM. DESMOND

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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY - May 12-13-14

THE SMELL OF THE SAWDUST RING!
THE THRILL OF THE WESTERN PLAINS!

"WILD WEST"

The picture that was filmed on the Famous Miller Bros. 101 Ranch. Never a drama so packed with sensational feats of prowess and bravery spiced with the humor and romance of life—and seasoned with the rewards that belong to the righteous.

Literary Digest—"FUN FROM THE PRESS"

Admission—10c and 35c

MOTHER'S DAY

SUNDAY, MAY 9TH

Let Flowers Carry the Message on this Day to Your Mother.

You will find a full line of Cut Flowers and Plants to pick from at our Greenhouse.

Phone or write in your order. We are members of the Florists Telegraph Delivery Association, and can deliver flowers anywhere by telegraph.

Albert E. Edwards

FLORIST

Phone 374 or 18. Charlevoix, Mich.

School Officers Take Notice

State Bonus will be given as in former years. All Districts meeting the requirements will receive this money. Application for blanks should be made to the Commissioner of Schools.

A. C. BELDING
Comm'r of Schools.

Notice to Truck Owners and Drivers

Owing to present road conditions, especially during the spring thaw, and until further notice, all truck loads must not exceed one-half of the normal allowable pay load. This ruling covers all County Roads and State Trunk Lines. Violations of this order will be subject to the penalties prescribed by law.

By Order of
State Highway Commissioner
County Road Commission.
adv. 14 t.f.

First Photograph

The first photographic portrait was made in New York in 1839 with a camera made from a cigar box fitted with a spectacle lens.

Brazilian Product

Caranuba wax, used in the manufacture of phonograph records, comes from Bahia and several other states in Brazil.

Guarded Gates of Hell
Cerberus, according to ancient Greek mythology, was the watchdog that guarded the entrance to the infernal regions. He was usually pictured as having three heads, a serpent's tail and a mane of serpents' heads.

Immortal Hymn

The immortal hymn, "Jerusalem the Golden," is derived from "Laus Patriae Coelestis," a part of "De Contemptu Mundi," one of the seven great hymns of the Latin church.



First Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. Henry Hiles, Pastor.
"The Friendly Church."

Thought for the week:
A sunny disposition that smiles in the face of threatened disaster will enable one to weather any storm.

Sunday, May 9th, 1926.
10:00 a. m.—Morning Service. Special for Mother's Day. Very special speakers. Honor Mother and Mother's God by coming to Church on Sunday.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
6:00 p. m.—Epworth League.
7:00 p. m.—The Young People will present a fine Mother's Day service, entitled "His Mother's Sermon."
Monday, 7:00—Girl Scouts.
Thursday, 7:00 p. m. Mid-week Service.
6:00—Choir Practice.

Presbyterian Church Notes

C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.
C. R. Harper, Foreign Pastor

"A Church for Folks."

Sunday, May 9, 1926.
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship. The sermon will be appropriate for Mother's Day.
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.
8:30 Young People's Meeting.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
7:00 p. m., Thursday, Prayer meeting

Latter Day Saints Church.

L. Dudley, Pastor.

Sunday, May 9, 1926
9:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:10 a. m.—Social Service.
7:00 p. m. standard—Evening Service
Subject—"Why I am a Latter Day Saint," by Elder L. Dudley of Latter Day Saints Church.
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 Service—11:00 a. m.
General Service—8:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday—7:00 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

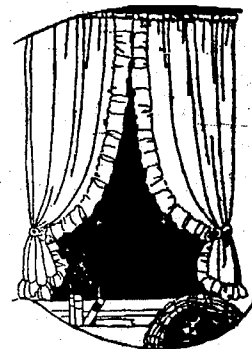
Pilgrim Holiness Church

Rev. B. E. Manker, Pastor.

Fast Time.
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p. m.—General Service.
8:00 p. m.—Friday night, Prayer Meeting.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT



New Curtain Modes

Mrs. White: "Hello Mrs. Brown. Did you know that the East Jordan Lumber Co. Store have in their new Panel Curtains and I think they are very pretty? Different prices—\$1.35, \$1.75 up to \$3.25 the curtain, good width, silk fringe. And very pretty goods for Drapes "Peter Pan" which you know means fast color.

Mrs. Brown: "I'm glad you told me for just now I'm planning my new curtains and drapes and surely are glad they are here. The Panel Curtains seem to be very popular this year and they surely do finish a window.

Mrs. White: "They have very pretty yard goods too that they are making special prices on from 15c up to \$2.00."

(To Be Continued.)

EAST JORDAN LUMBER CO.

PORTO BELLO GOLD

By Arthur D. Howden Smith

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(Continued)

"You be cap'n, sir. But if 'twas my say we'd head back in to the anchorage, Walrus or no Walrus."

My great-uncle stiffened. "This impossible, he replied haughtily. 'However, we will bear up for the Walrus, and you may bid Coupeau to see what harm he can contrive against her with his chase-guns.'

Martin saluted and went forward. My great-uncle led us to the poop. "Your old sailor is eke much of an old woman into the bargain," he remarked perfunctorily, climbing the starboard ladder ahead of me. "Let him but sniff the approach of a tempest, and he'll all for the nearest haven—aye, the hardest buccaneer no less than the law-abiding merchantman."

"O'Donnell was right, it seems, when he advised you to finish the task you had begun in the inlet," I snapped, none too pleased, myself, with the outlook. "In that case, my dear nephew, a half of us must have perished," reported my relative. "You have had some experience of these wolves of ours when their lusts are roused. No, no; I am no milk-and-water fighter, but I prefer to batter my enemy safely at long range rather than give him an equal opportunity to tear my throat."

Peter grunted. "You said?" Murray inquired courtously.

"Nee, I said not'ings. But I tink—I tink it is all right if you get der Walrus and yourself some safe. If you don't do bot' it don't matter if you do der odder; neen."

My great-uncle raised his prospect-glass. "You have ably stated one of the primary rules of success in any branch of warfare, friend Peter," he said. "Captain Flint is making better going of it than I had expected. Apparently by some perversity of our continuing ill-luck he hath a more constant wind close under the island than we out here. Ah! I hear Coupeau's bark."

A cloud of smoke rolled aft as the long eighteen on the larboard side of the James' fo'c'sle boomed. The shot dashed up a fountain of water a few feet ahead of the Walrus, which was now running neck and heels with us. Flint replied with one of his long twelves, but the shot fell short, and he edged away as much as he dared, which was very little, for Murray had seen to it that he had bare sailing-room. Our chase-gun barked again, and this time the round shot ricocheted from the water's surface and slapped into the Walrus' hull.

"Neat," commented my great-uncle; "but what we require is a fair hit on a spar."

Coupeau realized as much, as was evidenced by his next two shots going high and striking the water beyond the target. But I was distracted from watching his efforts, for at the fifth discharge Moira O'Donnell crept up

Emperor's Nickname

Caracalla was the nickname given to Marcus Aurelius Antoninus, Roman emperor from A. D. 212 to 217, on account of the long hooded coat or tunic used by the Gauls in France, which he introduced into Rome.

Busy Factories

Every week the factories of the great English industrial city of Birmingham turn out 14,000,000 pens, ten tons of pins, 6,000 metal bedsteads, 7,000 tons of rifles and numerous other articles.

Are You All Run Down?

Many East Jordan Folks Have Felt That Way.

Feel all out of sorts? Tired, achy, blue, irritable? Back lame and stiff? It may be the story of weak kidneys!

Of toxic poisons circulating about upsetting blood and nerves. There's a way to feel right again. Help your weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Doan's are recommended by many East Jordan people.

Delbert Turk, East Jordan, says: "I had a dull ache in my back and when I bent over to lift anything, sharp pains darted across my kidneys. I soon became run down, tired and all out of sorts. My kidneys were weak and I often had to get up during the night to pass the secretions. After using Doan's Pills from the Hite Drug Co., the trouble left." 50c. at all dealers. Foster-McMillan Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

the poop ladder, her eyes wide with mingling.

"Truth—yourself promised only a few minutes since you'd not leave me by my lone was there more fighting. Bob," she reproached me.

"Tis no fight," I answered. "Aye, we do but seek to drive yonder knaves ashore," Murray assured her. "They cannot reach us at this distance."

She surveyed the scene with a doubting eye and was constrained to credit us.

"But why is the light so strange?" she demanded. "Tis as if the door of a cookstove was ajar."

"We are in for bad weather, sweet," replied my great-uncle. "You must go below."

But she shrank away from him and clutched firmly an arm of Peter and me, each.

"No, no, I'll not be going down there again," she cried. "On the inside of a door I can think of naught but the sorrow that is come upon me. I'll stay up here in the open."

"Certes, this will be no safe place in a storm," I urged.

But she clung the tighter to us. "I'll not go down. I'd sooner be taken by the pirates than go down. Down there the noises of the water and the ship will be like the crying of the banshee in the Green room where grandfather died. No, no! In the cabin there is only death, and the light is dim, and the noises will be whispering at my elbow the livelong time. I'll have none of it! Sure, I care not what danger there is, if I can stay up here and meet it in the open."

"We let you stay," said Peter soothingly. "Ja, we better let der little gal stay, Murray. Bob and I, we take care of her."

"That will we," I endorsed him. My great-uncle eyed me a thought quizzically.

"You are, it seems, subject to change of opinion, Robert," he remarked. "By all means let Moira remain with us. I daresay she'll be none the worse for a wetting."

But the storm held off throughout our morning-long chase down the east coast of the island and then out to sea to herd the Walrus in from the north. Coupeau hulled the miserable craft again and again, and shot away her foretopmast; but she steadily clawed offshore and made desperate attempts to steal ahead of us and win a clear path before the wind, and when, toward noon, the breeze died completely the positions of the two vessels were practically the same as they had been from the beginning of the cat-and-mouse game that Murray played.

The Royal James, by nimbler handling, had gained in the last hour, and was more than a cannon-shot to the northwest of the Walrus, with the northernmost of the island's chain of hills—the one the pirates called the Foremast hill—almost due southeast of us. If the wind sprang up again in anything like the same quarter the Walrus was fast in Murray's trap. She would have the choice of two alternatives: She could stand on and fight, with the practical certainty of destruction for all hands, or she could drive ashore, in which case the crew might take to the woods, with every prospect of eluding pursuit, unless Murray made a determined effort to comb the island's craggy recesses. After the long-range battering they had received all morning, on top of the hammering in the action in the dark, there was not much doubt that the Walrus' disorderly crew would take the decision into their own hands and choose the latter as offering a fair chance of life, no matter how circumscribed.

The helmsman had just turned the hour-glass, which lay beside the compass in the hooded box in front of the steering-wheel, when a shout came from Martin, who was half-way up the main-rigging, sweeping the horizon with a glass. My great-uncle had been pondering the desirability of getting out the boats and undertaking to tow the James within range of the long eighteen, and he called back—

"Is it wind?"

"Aye, aye, sir," roared Martin—and there was no mildness now in the old fellow's tones. "There's the ————est blow o' wind as ever came out o' the ———— bowels o' the sky or I'm a ———— swab as ever was."

He tumbled from the ratlines and ran aft to the break of the poop, his face lifted earnestly in appeal. "Best let me lay an ax to the mizzen, sir," he called.

My great-uncle took snuff, calmly deliberate.

"Curb your fears, Martin," he answered. "I have weathered a lifetime of gales in the Royal James. Take in sail, of course; but if we sacrificed a mast needlessly 'twould cripple us for weeks. Where away is this wind?"

Martin waved an arm across the southwestern arc of the horizon.

"Look for yourself, cap'n. I be an old man, and I never seed the like."

Murray's reply was to swarm up the mizzen rigging with the uncanny agility of which he was capable, and I climbed after him. We were some fifty feet above the deck when we saw clearly with the naked eye a vast purple canopy arching forward across the northern sky, a thing of splendidly colorful intensity, savagely beautiful. Jagged streaks of lightning flashed forth from its murky depths. A tattered fringe of storm-clouds whipped out ahead of it like the tentacles of some monstrous sea-creature. And it advanced at an incredible speed, covering miles of sea and sky in the few moments that we watched it.

My great-uncle's jaw squared grimly. "Tis too late to sacrifice the mizzen," he said.

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zen," he said. "We'd not have time to clear the wreckage."

His commands rang through the ship.

"Aloft, topmen! Strip her to a storm-jib! Hoia, Coupeau! Double-lash your chase-guns and be certain the broadside batteries are secured and the ports closed. Batten all hatches, Saunders!"

'Twas as much as I could do to keep pace with him as he descended to the poop.

"Fetch a coil of light rope, Robert," he ordered briefly. "We shall all require to be lashed fast."

"Shall I carry Moira below?" I asked.

He hesitated. "No, she will have a better chance—"

He checked himself. "Let her bide on deck. Here we can aid her at need. Haste, boy! We must have the rope before the wind strikes us."

I slid down a stay to the main deck and dug the rope out of a chest of spare gear which was bolted to the cabin bulkhead. My great-uncle's last words had impressed me even more than the spectacle of that baleful curtain across the northern sky; and I was thrilled, too, by the task of preparing the ship to meet the tempest. There was almost no noise—a few shouts of command and hails of acknowledgment! but every man worked as if his life depended upon it. When the jib-sheet fouled Martin slashed it free with his knife and the sail came down with a run. By the time I had regained the poop the upper spars already were bare.

Murray was standing with Moira and Peter beside the helmsman, and while they stared, fascinated, at the oncoming storm, his eyes were upon the Walrus.

"Flint must be sober," he said bitterly. "He is taking in sail. Stap me, what a fit end to a luckless day! In the hollow of my hand, and now—Aye, 'twould be all ways fitting did he escape, whilst we—"

A snarling moan as of great winds tortured and confused, came to us from the belly of the storm. The sky darkened. A gust of air, sulphurous and warm, ruffled my hair. The moan became a howl, a clamor.

My great-uncle snatched the clasp-knife from the belt of the helmsman, a spay-footed Easterling whose flat, gap-toothed face had remained impassive during all the excitement since Martin's warning-shout had announced the storm's approach.

"Give me that rope, Robert," he exclaimed. "I am a fool to stand talking. Here, Peter!"

He flung the Dutchman a length of it.

"Bind Mistress Moira to those ring-bolts—and best knot her to yourself as well. She'll not be able to stand alone. Aid me with this fellow here, Robert. We must tie him to the wheel."

One of the clouds in advance of the storm curtain reached out over us with a crackle of lightning-bolts and spatter of rain, and our fingers flew as we secured first the helmsman and then ourselves. The voice of the tempest was become a sullen, animal roar, riven at intervals by the crash of the thunder. And the immense curtain of its front overhung the James. Impenetrably sooty at the base, opaquely purple as it topped forward. The Walrus was a specter ship to leeward, and disappeared in the gloom as I watched.

"Oh, holy Mother!" gasped Moira. "T'will be the end of all things."

And so it seemed. The Walrus was gone. The northern coast of the island dimmed and vanished. For an instant the peak of Foremast hill hung in the upper air. Then that, too, was blotted out. The purple twilight deepened. Rain sheeted down from clouds scarce higher than our mast-heads. A lurid glare of lightning flickered and was quenched in the sea. And the wind smote us with a mad bowl of exultation, sucking up into its embrace everything that was not fastened to the deck.

The James shuddered under the blow, bearing down by the head and heeling to starboard. My great-uncle and I were pushed forward on our faces. The helmsman was doubled over the wheel. Peter bent to cover Moira, crouching above her on hands and knees.

Presently the ship righted herself; but as she neared an even keel there was a prolonged cran-aa-neck! of breaking wood, and the wounded mizzenmast went by the board, crushing a score of men in its fall and brushing as many more through the hole it stove in the starboard bulwarks.

A wall of agony pierced thinly the tumult of the storm, and the James was jarred from end to end as the big spar, with all its litter of yards and top-hammer, lunged at the hull like a trip-hammer, its dead weight dragging us broadside on into the path of the waves which followed the wind's first irresistible rush. Steep walls of water dropped on us from as high as the mainyard, thudding hollow on poop and fo'c'sle. Giant-combers crowded so fast that we choked beneath their deluge. The waist was a lather of creamy seas that wrenched and battered at hatchcomings and bulwarks.

Murray staggered to his feet and set his lips to my ear.

"Must—cut—free—mizzen—breach—"

So much I understood, and assisted him to slash the rope which bound us to the deck. Peter saw what we were up to and loosed himself, taking care in his deliberate fashion to strengthen Moira's lashings. Then the three of us fought our way down into the hell-reek of the waist, where

small boats and water-butts and dead men swirled fore and aft in a torrent of pounding seas.

There were axes in the box from which I had procured the rope, and we equipped ourselves with them, waded thigh deep through the tangle of water and wreckage and attacked the maze of stays and rigging that united the dangling mizzenmast to the ship. Not a man helped us. There was not a living man in sight aft of the mainmast, and it was as much as a man's life was worth to try to work aft of that point, for on the one side there was a wide breach in the bulwarks through which the waves poured, and opposite was the gap the mizzenmast had crushed. Whoever crossed the deck there must have been carried overboard, one way or the other.

Where we were we had some slight shelter from the poop, but 'twas sufficiently hazardous in all conscience. I can see my great-uncle still, in his black silk coat and breeches, all adrip with the salt water as he labored with the energy of a man-of-half-his-age, always swift to perceive the strategic center of the tangle, always first to wade into the tricky web of cordage where a misstep meant a plunge over-side.

Twice Peter rescued him from certain death, and once the Dutchman saved me when a mountainous sea curled down upon us over the James' bulwarks and was like to have carried me off in its passing. And it was Peter whose brute strength and cool-headedness made the most of my great-uncle's agility of wit, and hewed and hacked the mizzenmast from its moorings. Aye, and none too soon; for when we clambered back on the poop Moira met us with hands clasped in terror and pointed to leeward where a rocky headland loomed through the gray rain.

Murray gave it one look and leaped for the wheel. The Easterling



Murray Gave It One Look and Leaped for the Wheel.

was bent over in the odd, huddled posture he had assumed from the moment the storm hit us, and he lolled sidewise as my great-uncle grasped his shoulder, his body all askew from the small of his back upward. He made no response, and slipped lower in the coils of rope that bound him to his post; his gnarled fingers slid off the spokes, his feet went out from under him.

"His back is broken," shouted my great-uncle.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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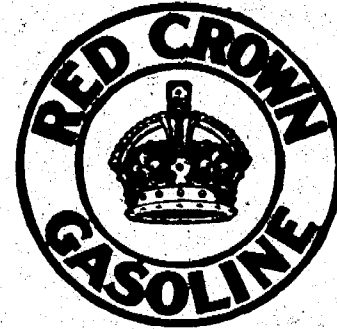
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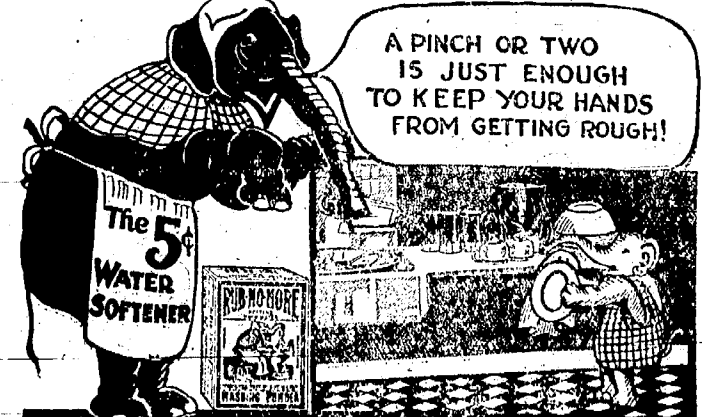
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Pro-
bate Court for the County of Charle-
voix.
At a session of said Court, held at the
Probate Office in the City of Charle-
voix, in said County, on the 22nd day
of April A. D. 1926.

Present: Hon. Servetus A. Correll,
Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Lorana
Koehler, Deceased.
Walter Jaguays having filed in said
court his final administration account,
and his petition praying for the allow-
ance thereof and for the assignment
and distribution of the residue of said
estate.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of
May A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon at said Probate Office, be and
is hereby appointed for examining
and allowing said account and hearing
said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That Public
notice thereof be given by publication
of a copy of this order, for three suc-
cessive weeks previous to said day of
hearing, in the Charlevoix County Her-
ald a newspaper printed and circulated
in said county.
SERVETUS A. CORRELL,
Judge of Probate.

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 Charle-
voix, in said County, on the 29th day
of April A. D. 1926.

Present: Hon. Servetus A. Correll,
Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Louisa
E. Loveday Sine, Deceased.
W. A. Loveday having filed in said
court his petition praying that the ad-
ministration of said estate be granted
to petitioner or to some other suitable
person.

It is ordered, that the 21st day of
May A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon, at said Probate Office, be
and is hereby appointed for hearing
said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public
notice thereof be given by publication
of a copy of this order, once each week
for three successive weeks previous to
said hearing, in the Charlevoix County
Herald a newspaper printed and circu-
lated in said county.
SERVETUS A. CORRELL,
Judge of Probate.

GOING TO SLEEP

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

MY CHIEF difficulty for a consid-
erable number of years as an in-
structor in college was not in putting
people to sleep but in keeping them
awake. The average young person can
go to sleep without going to the trou-
ble of taking an anesthetic. Nor have
I myself had to contend to any extent
with insomnia. As a rule I drop off as
easily as I did when I was a child and
forget all the trouble and worries of
the day.

Once in a while, however, when the
day has been long and my patience
has been tried to the breaking point
or my feelings have been hurt toward
the close of the day, sleep evades me;
the incidents and the events of the
day will not be crowded out of my
mind, and I go over them again and
again exaggerating each mole hill un-
til it seems like a mountain.

It is then that I go for a walk over
some well-known and oft-traveled
path and bring back to my mind what-
ever had interested me there. Some-
times I cross the ferry at Lake Win-
dermere and walk through Bowness
and Ambleside to Grasmere. I cross
the stepping-stones, I see the seat
where Wordsworth sat. I loiter along
the banks of the Rothay river and
gaze at the reflections in Rydal water.
Consciousness leaves me usually be-
fore I reach the old church at Gras-
mere, and when I waken the sun is
shining in at my window.

At other times I wander along the
shores of Lake Como and look across
the expanse of blue water to Bellag-
gio. I step into Villa Carlotta and go
through its halls to the beautiful gar-
den at the back. The shade entices
me, the color of the flowers almost
lazzles my eyes, the perfume soothes
me, and I fall asleep in the garden.

More often I go back to the farm
and follow the road around the sec-
tion upon which I lived toward the
Iron Bridge upon the opposite side of
the quadrangle. Sometimes I start in
one direction and sometimes in the
other. I know where in the spring
sweet williams grow; I could tell
within a rod where upon a little dry
knoll there is a great bunch of pale-
blue violets. I recall every flower and
bush and tree along the road.

I stop at the schoolhouse on the
hill and look in for a moment. The
same old benches are there as were
in use when as a schoolboy I sat and
idled away my hours and as when
later I was the teacher. The trees in
the yard are larger, the hedge is some-
what more overgrown, but for these
slight changes it might be only yester-
day since I was sitting there.

I follow the road for a quarter of a
mile to the north past the spot where
the old schoolhouse stood before the
new one was built. I stop on the old
wooden bridge that crosses the tiny
stream flowing through the valley and
watch the fishes playing below in the
water. Just beyond is the old swim-
ming hole, shorter and shallower than
it seemed when I was a boy.

The Iron Bridge is a half mile far-
ther on—I am asleep usually before I
get there.

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DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

Origin of Chess

The exact date of the origin
of chess is not known, but some
authorities say that Palamedes,
a Grecian hero, invented the
game in 1080 B. C. A game
practically the same as the
chess of today was played in
Hindustan nearly 5,000 years
ago. Paul Morphy, a great
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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Grand Rapids—A joint meeting of
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cation and the Michigan State
Nurses' association will be held here
April 27 to 30. Speakers will include
Miss Mary E. Gladwin, of St. Paul,
and Dr. Caroline Hedger, of the Elis-
abeth McCormick foundation, Chic-
go.

Lansing—State parks are to be of-
ficially opened May 15, according to an
announcement of the State Conserva-
tion Department. Twelve parks, in
which no improvements are to be
made during the season, will be open-
ed May 1. Most improvement work
will be done in parks in Oakland
county.

Mt. Clemens—Approximately 11
miles of 20-foot concrete pavement
will be laid from Mt. Clemens north-
ward to Five Points this year, ac-
cording to the Macomb County Road
Commission, which has approved
plans for the work. The highway
connects with North avenue in this
city and traverses a rich farming and
dairy country.

Pontiac—Adjournment of one week
has been taken in the municipal court
hearing for Raymond Wurster and
Albert Haar, officials of the Wurster
Auto Sales company, held on charges
of forgery growing out of transactions
in automobile financing. Wurster was
president and Haar secretary-treas-
urer of the company. The adjourn-
ment was agreed to by both sides.

Lansing—Andrew B. Dougherty, at-
torney general is at Washington to try
to prevent congressional approval
being given the diversion of Lake Michi-
gan waters to the Chicago drainage
canal through enactment of the omni-
bus rivers and harbors bill. Rep. John
B. Scanlon of Detroit and Rep.
Theodore N. Burton of Ohio has pre-
viously telegraphed urging Dougherty
to come to Washington immediately.

Ironia—The "Green for Governor"
movement of Ironia county, sponsored
by the Young Men's club, was
strengthened considerably when the
Saranac business men, farmer guests
and American Legion members heartily
indorsed the genial executive for
the state office and voted to become
affiliated with the booster organiza-
tion. The event was the annual ban-
quet of the Saranac Business Men's
association.

Pontiac—Edward S. Eckert, of
Grand Rapids, has been appointed
recreational director for the city,
succeeding G. S. D. Neal, who re-
signed early in the year to take a
similar position in Birmingham, Ala.
Eckert is a former athletic star at
Michigan State college and has been
in charge of recreation for some time
in a Grand Rapids center. Increased
recreational activities are planned
for Pontiac this summer.

Lansing—The frenzied figuring of
highway costs and bombastic talk
that threatened the summary removal
from office of four elective state offi-
cials by Governor A. J. Groesbeck, af-
ter they had begun to question the
highway costs, ended abruptly when
the so-called rebel quartet accepted
the governor's invitation to them to
draft a compromise that would end
the deadlock that was holding up
state highway construction work.

Hudson—Dr. J. M. Timms, local
veterinary, has reported hog cholera
on the farms of Dan Monahan, of
Hudson township, and W. D. Ebbitt,
just across the road, in Medina town-
ship. Dr. W. J. Madell, of Jackson,
federal hog cholera inspector in this
district, was called, verified the diag-
nosis and placarded the farms. Three
hogs have died on the Monahan farm
and on the Ebbitt farm. The rest
of the hogs on both farms have been
double immuned against the disease.

Lansing—A highway program com-
prising 200 miles of new pavement
and 140 miles of new gravel road has
been prepared by Frank F. Rogers,
state highway commissioner, for ap-
proval of the administrative board at
its next meeting. This program, he
estimates, will absorb the \$8,000,000
released for new contracts by the ac-
tion of the road committee members
recently, when they agreed to mort-
gage \$8,000,000 of the 1927 highway
receipts to continue road building this
year.

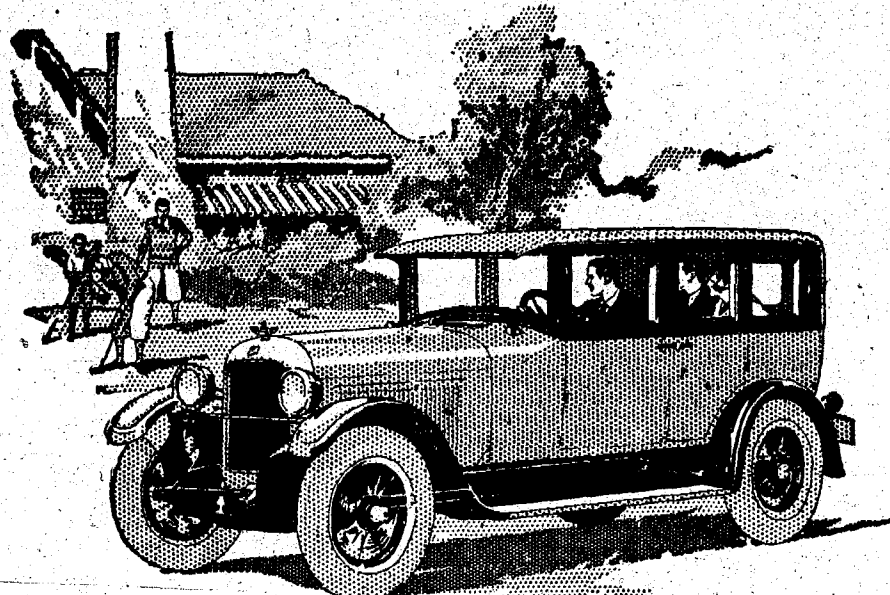
Ann Arbor—In addition to caring
for the athletic situation of the uni-
versity by approving of the stadium
with a seating capacity of 70,000, the
board of regents at the last meeting
accepted several gifts and made sev-
eral changes in the university activi-
ties. A new course in library sci-
ence was approved, and the dental
college requirements were tightened
so that, beginning in 1927, two years
of college work and three years of
dental work alone will fit a candidate
for the degree.

Flint—Flint residents are discuss-
ing a plan to recommend Miss Viola
Gregory, 19 years old, for a Carnegie
medal for her part in the recent fire
which destroyed the Dryden Building
here. Miss Gregory, the elevator
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GIVING

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

IT WAS not what she gave that distinguished the widow's mite from the other gifts—many of them large and magnificent—which were pouring into the Jewish treasury. It was the spirit with which she gave it. Those who gave most sacrificed least in the giving, and so their gift did not mean much. She gave from her poverty. She gave up the comforts of life to help those who were poorer than herself and so really gave more than anyone else.

Goodwin died last week and was buried as is the custom in this country. He had reached and passed the allotted three score and ten years, he had gathered about him friends and goods and reputation. He had traveled a good deal, had formed acquaintanceships with distinguished men and organizations in a half dozen countries. His financial ventures had brought him into contact with corporations and societies and men of note throughout the country.

It was not strange then that when he died the fact should have been noted quite generally throughout the country. Telegrams poured in from everywhere, letters of condolence by the score came to his family deploring his death and eulogizing his integrity and his services to the community and to the nation.

The flowers at the funeral were beautiful and filled the whole room in which he lay. There came wreaths and blankets and set pieces and huge baskets of flowers from national officials, from corporations, from business organizations with which the dead man had had relations, but most of them represented no sacrifice of love. Their cost would be charged to the expense account of the organization which had sent them, or deducted from the contingent fund. There had been no tender personal thought in the giving of them, only an order to a florist.

There was one gift at least that rose above the commonplace. It was a little bunch of immortels—two or three sprays only that had cost in money less than a dollar. It had come from a man who had served him in a humble way for thirty years or more—and who had respected him. It meant a sacrifice, it meant giving up something; the servant had chosen carefully before he sent the flowers. It was the gift of love and respect which meant more than the great basket of roses that came from the millionaire.

We do a great deal of giving that is more or less conventional. We send gifts at Christmas time to people for whom we have no feeling of sentiment. We give because we have done it before, because people have given to us because some one will notice the absence of our gift and think us queer if we do not give. We give because it is the custom, without sentiment; often, without thought, without reference to the taste of the individual, without sacrifice on our part, and in so doing we usually give very little.

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Black Satin Coats Step to the Fore



Once in a blue moon the average woman may indulge a luxurious taste and still be practical—and one of those times is the present. The black satin coat, dignified and elegant, holds a foremost position in the season's favored modes. It requires simple fabrics to carry out these new points in the styles which have become so popular and satin is especially well adapted to easy, flowing lines, which have made capes and flares the fashion.

Nearly all satin coats have collars of fur, with white or summer ermine, or squirrel in natural or dyed colors, the usual choice. On some very dignified models monkey fur is used and the furless coat may have a collar of satin in quilted effects, with sleeve decoration to match. A typical black satin coat is shown in the picture with natural squirrel collar. It will fulfill almost all the coat needs of its possessor.

Father Sage Says:



An apple a day keeps th' fruit men all gay!

Albion—Floyd Quigg, of this city, has been named editor of "The Alpha," the publication issued by the Berean association of Baptist churches of the central part of the state.

Ionia—Mrs. Leon Miner, of Owosso, was re-elected president of the Western Central District of the Federated Women's Clubs at the closing session of its annual convention here recently. Greenville was selected for the 1927 convention.

Bay City—The Michigan Central railroad has discontinued the "Canon Ball" northern train out of here at 8:35 a. m. This train has been in operation for more than a quarter of a century. The morning train to Midland will also be discontinued.

Pontiac—Fourteen years of continuous service as Oakland County road commissioner has not dulled Thomas Lytle's desire for public duties and he has announced himself a candidate for the job at the September primaries on the Republican ticket.

Burlington—Burlington village is now without a village marshal. In the last two years Ed Smith, the marshal, made only two arrests. He was re-appointed by Henry Mosure, the new village president, but declined. Now the president will have to act as marshal if occasion arises for one.

Adrian—Arnold Wilson, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wilson, of Blissfield, is dead of injuries sustained while at play during the school recess period. Failing to tell his parents of his injuries until several days later, caused the child's death, as peritonitis had already developed when a physician was called.

Ann Arbor—More than 100 doctors, from medical societies of Lapeer, Genesee, Ingham and Livingston counties, were guests of the University of Michigan hospital staff for a tour of inspection and series of meetings here on April 28. The visiting doctors attended a number of clinics, held during the day for their benefit.

Lansing—Regrouping of Michigan towns under the various rate charges of the Michigan Bell Telephone company and changes in the rate so that the more profitable communities will not be required to sustain those operated at a loss, looms as a possible outcome of the telephone rate hearing which has re-opened before the public utilities commission.

Lansing—Warning to all motorbus operators against the present tendency toward fast schedules is being sent to every permit holder by the Michigan Public Utilities Commission. Two bus inspectors, just authorized by the administrative board, are to make an intensive campaign for enforcement of the speed order. They will be assisted by state police.

Escanaba—Women jurists are being used for the first time in Delta county at the present term of circuit court. Jury room facilities for women previously have been lacking in the county building here. The calendar for the term includes 82 cases of which 22 are criminal actions, 16 of them liquor law violations. Of the 26 chancery cases, 16 are petitions for divorces.

Ann Arbor—Sir Alexander F. Whyte, prominent British legislator, will deliver the University of Michigan Commencement address on June 14, at Ferry Field, it has been announced by President Clarence Cook Little. He also will deliver a series of lectures at the university May 4, 5 and 7. This will not mark Sir Alexander's first appearance in Ann Arbor, as he lectured here in 1919.

Battle Creek—F. H. Hilton, field secretary of the National Probation association, who has been making a survey of adult and juvenile probation and court work in Calhoun county, made a report with recommendations for development of the work, at a meeting of interested citizens at the city hall recently. Discussion of general conditions and needs in Calhoun county took place.

Manistee—Richard Petoskey, 19 years old, has confessed to three Manistee burglaries, a holdup at Ludington and two in Muskegon, according to Thomas Grady, chief of police here, who arrested Petoskey as the latter drove into town in an expensive automobile. The youth said that he found the automobile in the woods near Pontiac but the officers are investigating.

Grand Rapids—Henry Meretsky, a truck driver being sued in justice court here by Clifford A. Mitts, a cigar dealer, as the outgrowth of a traffic accident last summer in which Mitts' automobile was rammed by Meretsky's truck, declared in court that two bathing girls were the indirect cause of the accident. Meretsky said that as he was driving the two girls appeared, clad only in bathing suits. Meretsky turned his head to look at the girls, he says, and his truck ran into the Mitts car.

Grand Rapids—A woman as president of the United States would be equal to her job, Mrs. Olive Joy Wright, of Cleveland, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, declared in an address at a dinner given in her honor by the Grand Rapids Business and Professional Women's Club. "Business men, college professors and lawyers have made successful presidents," she said. "Evidently there is no particular mystery about the kind of knowledge required to be president."

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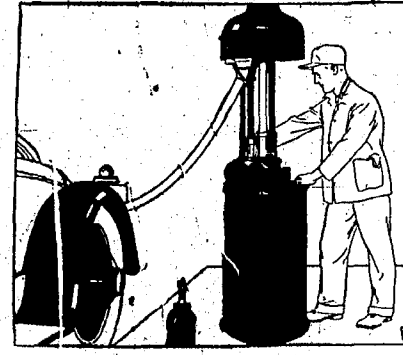
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