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Songs To Help Spud Show

TOWN AND COUNTRY CHURCH CHOIRS TO COMPETE FOR PRIZES.

According to A. C. Lytle, Secretary of the Top O' Michigan Potato and Apple Show, a Town and Country Church Choir Singing Contest will again be one of the features of the Show this year which will be held on Nov. 2, 3 and 4.

This contest which is conducted under the auspices of the R. E. Olds Community Music Fund and the Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science, was held for the first time at the Potato Show last year. It attracted considerable attention and contestants came from several parts of upper Michigan.

The contest will be held during the morning of the second day, at 10:00 o'clock eastern standard time on Thursday, Nov. 3rd, the contestants will meet at the Court House, where the singing will take place. According to the rules of the contest, a choir from any open country church or town church in towns of 2,000 population or less according to 1920 census, will be eligible to enter the contest. Each choir must consist of at least six singers. The participants must be regular choir members of the church represented. The leader or accompanist may or may not be a member of the choir. If they are not a member they must not participate in the singing. As usual, two selections will be offered by each contesting group. The first selection to be "Crossing the Bar" by Nevin. The second selection may be any sacred music the group wishes to choose. Judging will be done by a member of the Michigan State College and will be based somewhat along the following lines. General expression, 50 points; Volume of tone, 25 points; and enunciation, 25 points.

The prizes this year will be the same as last year, namely:—\$100.00 for 1st place, \$50.00 for 2nd, \$25.00 for 3rd, \$15.00 for 4th and \$10.00 for 5th.

Mr. Lytle is very desirous that a large number of choirs enter the contest again this year and is making arrangements to have the winning group sing at either the afternoon or banquet program. Anyone interested in this contest should write to Mr. Lytle, the Secretary at Gaylord, asking for entry blanks.

A. C. LYTLE, Gaylord.

Coming Oct. 4th

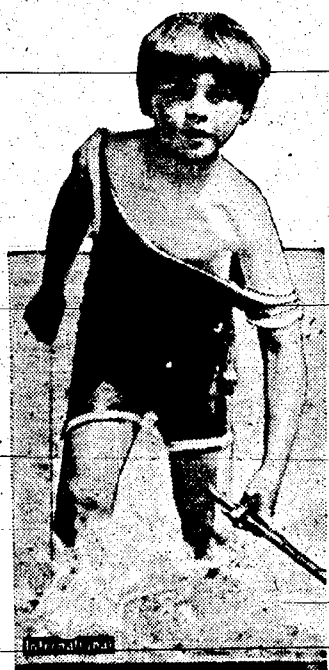
Tuesday, Oct. 4th is the date when Dr. J. Leapy, the Optometrist will be at the Hotel Russell, will remain one day. Glasses fitted to relieve all symptoms of eyestrain. Fitting children's glasses a specialty. adv.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness extended by friends, and for the beautiful floral offerings in our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowman.

King Takes a Dip



Perhaps never before since kings were kings has a ruler of a nation been photographed taking a dip in the sea. The young man pictured above is Michael, king of Rumania, having a wonderful time in the Black sea.

Woman Searches

All married women are explorers—they are either hunting their children or their husbands or money or bargains or something to chatter about.—Acheson Globe.

Football Opens Here Tomorrow

KALKASKA TEAM TO PLAY COACH LEE'S ELEVEN.

Next Saturday afternoon will see the opening of the local football season when East Jordan will go against Kalkaska at the Fair Ground's field. The game is scheduled to begin at 2:00 o'clock standard time and it is expected that a large crowd will be present.

Last year Coach Lee's men had little difficulty defeating Kalkaska; but the latter team is considerably stronger this fall and can be counted upon to furnish real opposition. Last Saturday Kalkaska made a good showing against the strong Grayling eleven and will no doubt put up a hard fight in the game here.

East Jordan has been somewhat handicapped this week by lack of practice on account of the rain. Several of the men who are suffering from minor injuries are expected however, to be back in condition by Saturday and the local team should be able to show its full strength.

Although Coach Lee has made no definite announcement of the lineup there is a possibility that the following men will start the game:—

- L. E.—Shepard.
 - L. T.—Darbee.
 - L. G.—Rosenthal or Hipp.
 - C.—Weaver.
 - R. G.—Lintner.
 - R. T.—LaPeer.
 - K. E.—St. Charles.
 - Q.—Pray.
 - L. H.—Blossie.
 - R. H.—Barnette.
 - F. B.—Taylor.
- Substitutes—Dennis, Muma, Baker Halstad, Severance, Kling.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1927

Oct. 1—Kalkaska	Here
Oct. 7—Gaylord	Here
Oct. 14—Frankfort	There
Oct. 21—Grayling	Here
Oct. 29—Harbor Springs	There
Nov. 4—Mancelona	There
Nov. 12—Charlevoix	There
Nov. 18—Boyerne City	Here
	(Tentative)

E. J. H. S. BASKET BALL SCHEDULE—1927-1928

Dec. 2—Alba	Here
Dec. 9—Gaylord	There
Dec. 10—Alba	There
Dec. 16—Bellaire	Here
	(Tentative)
Jan. 6—Charlevoix	There
Jan. 13—Boyerne City	There
Jan. 20—Harbor Springs	Here
Jan. 27—Boyerne City	Here
Feb. 2—Gaylord	Here
Feb. 9—Elk Rapids	There
Feb. 10—Traverse City	There
Feb. 17—Elk Rapids	Here
Feb. 24—Harbor Springs	There
Mar. 4—Charlevoix	Here
	Tournament

Owosso—Three oil wells drilled northwest of here have been abandoned within the last few weeks. The reason given was that dry holes had been struck. The McGuiness well, the first to yield oil, is among them. It flowed about 25 barrels a day, for several weeks, but when the drillers went deeper they struck salt water. Backers of the prospecting work here declare they are not discouraged but will sink at least 10 more wells in the county.

Kalamazoo—The 25th Michigan Infantry Association has been mustered out of existence, and its records, together with the 20 cents remaining in the regimental treasury, has been sent to the State Historical Commission. This action, taken at the final meeting, the forty-second annual reunion in Grand Rapids, was announced here by Smith Carleton, secretary. Only five members attended the camp fire at which taps officially sounded for the famous organization.

St. Helen—Robert Sellick, a retired business man of Flint, was killed instantly while hunting ducks on Lake St. Helen. With C. N. Doty, also of Flint, he had come over for some early shooting from Higgins lake where they were staying with their families. They were coming ashore, each in his own boat, when Doty heard a shot, looked around, and saw that Sellick's boat had capsized. He hurried to the other boat and found Sellick in the water with almost half his head shot away.

Battle Creek—Clarence W. Barron, editor of the Wall Street Journal, a recent guest at the Battle Creek sanitarium, believes Calvin Coolidge and Gov. Al Smith will be the Presidential candidates of the two major political parties next year, despite the President's recent statement. "Mr. Coolidge," Barron said, "holds the affection and regard of the majority of the people of the nation and of his party. He can not escape being a candidate. Smith is certain to be the Democratic choice."

On Strike



Deer On Way To The Beavers

FOURTEEN WILD ONES CAPTURED NEAR SAGINAW.

(Petoskey News, Sept. 23.)

Fourteen disconsolate deer were on their way today from Saginaw to Beaver Island, where they will be given back the liberty taken from them yesterday when they were rounded up with much difficulty on the estate of Otto Schupp, Saginaw banker.

Schupp "presented" the deer to the State on the condition that the State come and get them. It seemed that the deer had been ruining the vegetation on the land and killed a number of trees by ripping off the bark.

Three game wardens and a prosecuting attorney undertook the task and today they needed as much limelight as Jack Dempsey. The deer did not take kindly even to temporary captivity and the hunters got plenty of joits before they were able to catch their quarry, largely with the aid of fish nets.

Boat at Charlevoix

The deer are crated and go by train to Charlevoix at which point they will be loaded on the mail-freight ship for transporting across the stretch of open Lake Michigan to the former kingdom of King Strand. Once at St. James the animals will be taken by truck to the best cover sections of the island and liberated. Wardens expect them to disappear in the thickets with lightning speed and to be rather "out of sight" for a few days.

However, inasmuch as the deer were captured on the more or less protected farms of the Saginaw sportsman, they may soon become more tame and take to the clearings, fields and farms. For the deer it is a new experience, both the train ride and boat ride being their first, and perhaps their last such.

The State is endeavoring to make the woods on the islands just west of Petoskey one of the big game preserves of the State. There are now no deer there. It has been many years since the last one was seen—and shot. Islanders hope the day will come, and not too distant, when there will be an "open season" and they will get a chance to do a little deer hunting.

Emmet County Leads

Should the island preserve prove successful the State will have two unusually fine game regions, one on the island and one in the north end of Emmet County. Efforts are now being made to create in the section on the Straits of Mackinac the "Yellowstone of the East."

Northern Mich. Winter Sports

DISCUSSED AT CADILLAC MEETING, HELD TUESDAY.

Serious consideration of a definite winter sports program was taken up by the Cadillac Rotary Club, Tuesday, when Arthur W. Stace, who made a special study of the subject and outlined its possibilities and advantages spoke before the club. He said in part:

"Northern Michigan with its sub-Arctic snow and ice, its bracing air, its hills, its forests, its frozen lakes, its chances for skiing, coasting, sleighing, wilderness auto touring over open roads, fishing through the ice, dog-sledding and hosts of other opportunities for red-blooded fun is ideally equipped for the development of winter sports on as large a scale as they have attained in the Adirondacks and in Canada.

Situation Ideal
Michigan has the climate, the topography, and the fascinating northern wilderness setting. It also has nearness to great centers of population. Under the new Michigan system of snow removal, the trunk lines are kept open for winter auto travel, the highways being as clear and as smooth as in summer.

"Under these conditions Michigan is in an ideal position to become a favorite winter playground for millions of persons, who want a taste of boyhood fun and exhilaration.

"But Michigan to develop itself as a popular winter sports territory with the people of the cities and the warmer sections must organize itself for service to its winter guests. Each section must develop its own winter sports, providing programs of fun for personal participation and for watching that will keep visitors entertained every minute of their waking hours. It must provide comfortable hotels, good meals and all the other accommodations desired by city folks accustomed to all the conveniences and luxuries of modern life.

"It must make the fun of the visitor easy and pleasant. The visitor should not be obliged to put up with the hardships of pioneer life. When he goes sleighing he should have deep-body, snug sleighs, not the open body type; when he goes fishing, he should have a warm shack; when he goes coasting or skating he should have heated rest rooms, where he can thaw out and have refreshments; on hikes he should be able to find shelters, tea rooms and the like at convenient intervals.

"All these things northern Michigan must provide if northern Michigan is to make itself as popular with the winter sports lovers of the cities as northern Michigan deserves to be."

New Job for Allison



Photograph shows Leonard Blaine Allison, director of athletics at the University of South Dakota, who resigned to be assistant line coach and baseball coach at the University of Wisconsin.

Old Musical Instrument

Grove's Dictionary of Musicians makes the following comment on a musical instrument called the ocarina: "A family of small terra cotta instruments, in character somewhat resembling the flageolets, made of various sizes and introduced into this country by German or Tyrolese musicians. They are of no musical significance. They have a hollow, sweet sound, similar to that of a stopped organ pipe.

Powerful Organization

The American Bankers' association has a membership of over 21,000 banks out of a reported total of 28,000 banks of all kinds in the country. The banks within the association have estimated capital funds of about \$7,000,000,000 and total resources of \$58,500,000,000.

Beautifying City and Farm Homes

MEETING AT E. J. H. S. AUDITORIUM, TUESDAY, OCT. 4TH.

As a result of the favorable comment occasioned on the last visit of Mr. Gregg, and the many requests for more information in beautifying the farm and city homes, we are pleased to announce a series of three meetings to be conducted on the 4th and 5th of October by O. L. Gregg, Specialist in Landscape Architecture of M. S. C.

The first meeting will be held at Charlevoix on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 4th, at 2:00 o'clock, slow time in the Court House. The second at East Jordan on Tuesday evening, Oct. 4th, at 7:30 slow time in the High School Auditorium, and the third at Boyne City on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 5th, at 2:00 fast time in the basement of the Library.

All home owners are always interested in making their homes as pleasant and attractive as possible and yet hesitate to make the start, many time feeling they do not exactly know how to tackle the problem, then again not knowing what flowers, plants, and shrubs to use, and thirdly anticipating that the cost will be excessive.

Mr. Gregg in his discussion will give you such a complete and yet simple plan to follow you will wonder why you have not made your home more attractive long ago. Many excellent shrubs and bushes grow in our swamps, and make beautiful additions to the home surroundings, and yet are never used. The cost is small and beautiful surroundings will make happier days.

Remember the entire public, both rural and city are cordially invited to attend these meetings and receive the fundamentals of home beautifying from an expert who has had wide experience.

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

E. Jordan Joins Debating League

E. J. H. S. WILL TAKE PART IN STATE CONTEST.

East Jordan High School is again a member of the State Debating organization and will take part in numerous contests with other schools this year.

The Michigan High School Debating League, organized by the Board of Regents of the University of Michigan in 1917, this year begins its eleventh year of activity.

Any four year high school in the State may become a member by sending a fee of two dollars to G. Demore, manager, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Applications for membership will be received up to and including Oct. 22nd.

Debates are sponsored by the league, and each school will participate in the four preliminary debates. Those schools winning the highest records in the preliminary debates will enter the elimination series which will be successive debates reduce these schools to two which will go to Ann Arbor for the State championship, April 25th, 1928.

The dates for the preliminary debates will be as follows:—

- First—November 18, 1927.
- Second—December 9, 1927.
- Third—January 13, 1928.
- Fourth—January 27, 1928.

The question that will be debated this year is:

Resolved, that the direct primary System of Nominating Candidates for Public Office in the United States Should be Abolished.

Enrollments for the League are coming in rapidly. Many new schools, never before in, have applied for membership. The enrollment today is ahead of the enrollment a year ago today, and it is expected that the enrollment for the year will exceed the total enrollment for last year which numbered 235 High Schools.

Last year these schools held over five hundred debates in which over a thousand high school pupils participated. The attendance at all of these was over one hundred thousand.

In the final State championship, held at Ann Arbor on May 11th, last, Ann Arbor High School won first honors and Albion second honors.

The audience assembled for the championship debate numbered three thousand people, representatives of the different high schools of the State, which is the largest audience that ever attended a championship debate. Eighty-one high schools of the State were represented by one or more delegates.

Pedestrians Who Escape

Modern conditions have changed the evolutionary processes into "the survival of the fittest."—Boston Transcript.

Building Potomac Memorial Bridge



A general view of the construction work in progress on the new memorial bridge which will span the Potomac at Washington from near the Lincoln Memorial to the Virginia shore, giving direct route to Arlington National cemetery and historic spots in the Old Dominion.

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State News in Brief

Kalamazoo—A population increase of 8,000 in the last year, bringing the Kalamazoo total up to 58,000, is the estimate given in the new city directory just distributed.

Alma—Twenty-eight pistols and 2,000 cartridges were stolen from the headquarters of Troop C, 106th Cavalry, Michigan National Guard, according to a report to Alma police.

Port Huron—European corn borers in the stalks of burdock and other weeds are reported by Claude Stevens, a farmer near Imlay City, Lapeer County. His cornfield is free from the pest, he says.

Bay City—The first fines for violation of the game laws levied since the season opened were assessed in Justice R. L. Kings court against three Saginaw men. The three were fined \$10 each on charges of hunting waterfowl after sundown.

Holland—Thieves here cut a hole in the roof of the William Boongard jewelry store and escaped with \$2,500 in merchandise. Rain beating through the hole in the roof did considerable damage to the stock and fixtures. The robbery was discovered when the store opened for business.

Monroe—Field-surveys in 748 townships in the heavily infested states show that the \$10,000,000 spring campaign against the European corn borer has materially retarded the borer's rate of increase. This was the report made here by the United States Department of Agriculture to members of the International Corn Borer Committee.

Detroit—Making his 150 miles a day on a bicycle, Lowell Jepson, Detroit, pedaled a distance of approximately 800 miles, to resume his work at Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minn. Jepson is captain of the tumbling squad at the college and a reserve end in football. He made the bicycle trip to condition himself for the sport season.

Grand Rapids—While on their way to the Blodgett Hospital with their 4-year-old daughter, Gladys, who had swallowed an open safety pin, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Herzald were injured slightly when their automobile turned over three times near Rockford. The child was hurried to the hospital in another car with her mother, where an operation removed the pin from her throat. She recovered.

Cadillac—Wild ducks and other game birds will be safe on Lake Cadillac in the future. The Cadillac city commission has voted to enforce the ordinance prohibiting the use of firearms in the city. The lake lies inside the city, and on the opening day of the duck season numerous hunters went there in search of birds. State and Federal authorities refused to act, as the hunters were violating no State or Federal statute.

Mt. Pleasant—Oil has been discovered in the first of three test wells being drilled near here by the Pure Oil Co. of Chicago and Columbus, O. Oil was found at 1,174 feet, just above the Marshall Sand. Five feet of drilling into the oil bearing sand caused the pipe to fill up for 500 feet. Drilling was stopped and the drillers wired for further orders. The drillers had expected to go as deep as the Berea Sand, about 2,300 feet down.

Sault Ste. Marie—The curiosity of George Raymond, border patrol inspector, recently saved \$10,000 in furs and silks for L. Winkelman & Co. here. Raymond saw a heavily laden automobile drive past and when the driver refused to halt, gave chase. Raymond pursued the automobile 11 miles into the country where the bandits abandoned the car loaded with loot, taken from the Winkelman store. The automobile used in the theft was stolen.

Muskegon—Albert R. Hill, of Muskegon, picked up a bottle in Lake Michigan recently containing a note signed "Jerry Treator, on board Raboco III, in mid-lake." The note told of a storm on the lake and closed with the statement: "Tell Racine Boat corporation Raboco III was a good boat. Good-bye, Jimmie and wife." Coast guards say they know of no such boat. The Racine Boat Corporation operated in Muskegon several years ago.

Lapeer—After questioning Clarence Huebler, of Wayne, the brakeman who threw the switch which caused a collision between Michigan Central passenger and freight trains, H. E. Baird, coroner, decided no inquest was necessary. One man was killed and seven persons injured in the wreck. Huebler said he was standing by the switch ready to open it when a signal to stand back from the track was misinterpreted and he grasped the lever which opened the switch.

Detroit—Two Detroit men and seven others from Michigan were invested with the highest honor in Masonry—the thirty-third degree—at a meeting in Boston recently. Dr. Lynn Harold Hough and William P. Airheart were the Detroit men honored. Other Michigan men honored included: William H. Gallagher, Allegan; Charles A. Donaldson, Grand Rapids; Sherman T. Gregg, Kalamazoo; Leon and J. Hill, Grand Rapids; Glen D. Thayer, Grand Rapids; William H. McBratnie, Saginaw, and George A. Prescott, Tawas City.

LIVE STOCK NEWS

CO-OPERATION IN MARKETING WOOL

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Approximately 90 co-operative wool-marketing associations were doing business in the United States in 1925, according to reports for that year recently compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture. These associations had an estimated membership of 50,000 and handled business amounting to \$10,000,000. They were of five general types, namely, regional pools, independent local associations, sales agencies, associations handling wool as a secondary consideration, and educational associations.

The greater part of the wool marketed co-operatively was handled by the regional pools. These pools operate over a large area, receive wool, graded and sell it to the mills or other purchasers, returning to their members the average pool price for the grade of wool delivered. The sales agencies were located in the principal wool markets and received wool on consignment from producers in various sections of the country. The oldest wool association now operating was formed in 1895. The majority of the associations, however, have come into existence since 1920, a year when the price of wool dropped disastrously.

Practically all of the early attempts at co-operative marketing of wool were local efforts. Some of the associations were very informally organized and functioned only during the period of the year when wool was marketed. The associations organized since 1920 have, for the most part, been state or regional associations, some of which have a number of units, others of which deal directly with the member from the central association. The associations are widely scattered, covering 28 states and extending from coast to coast.

Kansas State College to Study About Feeds

The Kansas State Agricultural college is co-operating with 25 other states in what probably is the most thorough research problem dealing with meat as a food that ever has been undertaken, college officials at Manhattan believe. The Kansas experiment station has as its part of the research a study into the effect of feed on color, texture and palatability of meat.

Corn-fed cattle, the experiment shows, bring higher prices than grass-fed cattle although the two classes may be in the same condition. The carcasses of grass-fed steers are darker and will deteriorate more easily with age than will the carcasses of corn-fed animals. Steers used in the experiment are representative animals selected from a group of more than 500 Texas steers. They have been grazed on the Aye ranch southeast of Manhattan. The studies are still being conducted.

Hipped Horse and Cow Are Always Unightly

What is commonly called the hip in a cow, horse or mule is a projection of one of the pelvic bones and is technically known as the external angle of the ilium to which is attached a muscle that runs from there down to the upper front part of the stifle. Horses or cows may be struck with a club or pitchfork handle or the horse or cow may run against the side of a door or post or stall or tree and break off part of the bone. The muscle pulls this part downward and it can never be pushed back where it could unite as other fractured bones unite. Hence the hip or haunch remains depressed and flat. At first the horse or cow may be lame. With rest the lameness disappears in a few days or a week and the animal is able to do work and thus remains unightly but able to do regular slow farm or road work.

Soy Bean Hay Superior for Finishing Lambs

When red clover hay is valued at \$16 a ton, soy bean hay is worth \$22.89 for lambs. This is the conclusion reached at the Iowa experiment station by John M. Ervard, C. C. Culbertson and other workers. Forcing the lambs to eat the coarse stems reduced the value of the hay. Grinding the hay did not pay. Slightly more than one-fifth of the whole hay was refused by the lambs. Soy bean hay also produced a good finish and the soy bean lots outdressed the clover lambs. However, the lambs fed soy bean hay showed a greater shrink in shipping and a higher shipping cost. The results indicate clearly that when soy bean hay of good quality is available, it may be used efficiently in lamb feeding.

Methods of Shearing

There will be an endless argument as to the merits of hand shearing against the machine. But machine shearing leaves a smoother sheep after the operation is over and will get off a little more wool. However, if a farmer has a small flock and can get his sheep clipped at a fair price—around 15 cents a head—he need not worry what method is used. The main thing is to see that the sheep are handled carefully and not clipped when full of grass.

PENINSULA (Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Quite a number from this section attended the Coulter auction sale near Charlevoix, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Russell of Ridgeway farm accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mose LaLonde of Chaddock Dist. to Traverse City to attend the Fair. They had a picnic dinner with relatives.

A good many Peninsularites attended the Tunney-Dempsey fight last Thursday evening, congregating with radio fans.

Archie Forge of Petoskey was on the Peninsula Monday on business.

After being out of commission for a week, the 239 telephone is again working full length. Ralph Gaunt located the trouble where the line runs up to Grand View farm.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gaunt and daughter, Mammie, and son, Ralph, and Bob Myers of Three Bells Dist. spent Sunday with Mrs. Helen Myers in Mountain Dist.

H. H. Cummings of East Jordan was on the Peninsula last week Wednesday, buying fat hogs and sheep to ship.

Daniel Reich of Lone Ash farm is very uncomfortable with an abscess on the back of his neck.

Mrs. Florence Mooney, teacher of Star school, closed school at noon Thursday and attended the Traverse City Fair.

Miss Audrey Orvis of Charlevoix visited at the F. D. Russell home last week.

Because of the continued wet weather, Fire Tower Keeper, Omar Scott has been absent from duty most of the time for two weeks.

Godfrey McDonald of Three Bells Dist. was peddling some very nice mutton, Friday, for which he found ready sale.

Quite a lot of beans are pulled and are out in the rain.

Gray squirrels are doing a great deal of damage to ripening corn. As they are protected, there is nothing to do but just stand and let them destroy whatever they choose.

There has been no frost yet and pickle vines are as fresh as ever, but because of cold wet weather, no pickles have developed for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hayden and daughter, Arlene, and Robert Hayden of Orchard Hill were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hitchcock in East Jordan.

Com'r Wm. Looze planned to do some repair work on the roads last week, but was held up by the wet weather.

PLEASANT HILL (Edited by Anson Hayward)

Mr. Vance has been quite sick the past week. His family has been here to see him, from Lansing and other places.

Vance's young folks called on H. VanDeventer and were supper guests, also Rev. Manker and family called Saturday evening and were supper guests.

Rev. H. VanDeventer and family called on Anson Hayward Sunday and were supper guests.

Rev. H. VanDeventer called on Geo. Vance and family Sunday evening.

Bennetts Sunday School was quite well attended.

Joe Gaunt and family were dinner guests of Joe Ruckle and family, Sunday, Sept. 25th.

Winford Batterbee and family called on friends and relatives at Eastport, Sunday.

Mr. Vance sold some sheep the past week. They took them away with a truck.

They Do Not Wait

Much advice is given to young people contemplating marriage, but unfortunately many of them get married without any contemplating.—Muncie Morning Star.

Reason for Bathub

I've often wondered, observed Cash Miller, cigar store philosopher, if the person that first said necessity is the mother of invention was tryin' to get sarcastic with the old byzo that invented the bathtub.—Thrift Magazine.

Black Chiffon Velvet for Afternoon Frock



Originality and youthful charm are mirrored in this afternoon frock of black chiffon velvet which is exceptionally modish with its plaited flounce and yoke of princess lace richly studded with dull gold beads.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

The Sour-Milk Microbe

A very small microbe which gets into milk through the sugar particles of milk into an acid, and it is then that we say that milk is sour. These microbes are not harmful, but others which are likely to develop at the same time may prove injurious.

All the Difference

A contractor who professed to be fond of children became very angry because some little fellow stepped on a new pavement before it was dry. His wife rebuked him. "I thought you loved children," she said. "I do in the abstract, but not in the concrete," he replied.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

First Side-Saddle

It is said that the side-saddle was introduced in England in the fourteenth century for use of a queen who was deformed and could not ride astride. The fashion set by royalty was followed by others, until almost all women of western countries were using the side-saddle.

Teaching by Practice

Samuel L. Clemens, better known as Mark Twain and much beloved, made a real contribution to the youth problem of our day, when he said: "If you would train up a child in the way he should go, you have got to go that way yourself."

Few Years Shy

The scientist says that the woman of sixty has a 20 per cent better brain than a man of the same age. But, for heaven's sake, don't let her know it. One of the reasons why she falls to get the glory is that she never gets that old.—Los Angeles Times.

Pioneers

A Sunday school teacher asked a small girl the other day why Ananias was so severely punished. The little one thought a minute, then answered, "Please, teacher, they weren't so used to lying in those days."

September is a month for oysters and subscription accounts.

News of the Community

Presbyterian Church C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor. C. R. Harper, Foreign Pastor. "A Church for Folks."

Sunday, October 2, 1927. 10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. 11:15 a. m.—Sunday School. 6:30 p. m.—Evening Service. The Young People have charge of the first 30 minutes, and the Pastor of the remainder of the time.

First M. E. Church Victor J. Hufton, Pastor.

Sunday, October 2, 1927. 10:00 a. m.—Morning Service. 11:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 6:00 p. m.—Epworth League. 7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Latter Day Saints Church L. Dudley, Pastor.

9:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 10:10 a. m.—Social Service. 7:00 p. m.—Evening Service. 7:00 p. m., Wednesday, Prayer Meeting. 7:00 p. m., Friday—Religio. All are welcome 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.

Church of God Rev. Roy L. Harris, Pastor.

Central Standard Time 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service. 7:00 p. m.—Evening Service. Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Thursday, at 7:00 p. m.

Lost time is never made up but most of us have plenty of it left.

This is an age of specialists, and also an age of lists.

Europe is talking about peace. Armaments, however, are still maintained.

The average politician will have at least one ear in the sand until next fall.

Fishing is sometimes described as compromise between wishing and lying.

The farmers know that they need relief and some of them are pretty sure they won't get it until some of the statesmen at Washington are relieved.

When you go to the front door and find a peddler, ready to sell you at a cheap price, you can bet your last dollar that he makes more out of the deal than you do.

Big Majority Make Good

According to the latest statistics, 94 per cent of all men paroled from prison make good.

A LIFE CLOUDED WITH PAIN

Her life clouded with rheumatic pains, lumbago, and stiff, aching joints, Mrs. J. E. Stevenson, Emporia, Kansas, finally rid herself of torment by taking FOLEY PILLS diuretic. "Nearly every day some one asks me what I took that helped me when I was so crippled up and could scarcely walk. I tell them gladly of FOLEY PILLS, diuretic, and how they cured my pains and lifted the clouds from my life." A reliable valuable medicine. Men and women everywhere use and recommend it. Satisfaction guaranteed.—Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Peoples' Wants

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REPAIRS—You can get repairs for any Stove, Range, Engines, Cars, Sewing Machines, Cream Separator, Plow, or any Farm Machinery at C. J. MALPASS HDWE. CO. 10-4-f.

Advertisement for 'Such is Life' featuring a cartoon strip with panels showing a man's birthday party, a man buying a present, a man with a balloon, and a man with a broken object. Text includes: 'SUCH IS LIFE AN APPROPRIATE PRESENT', 'THEY'RE HAVING A BIRTHDAY PARTY NEXT DOOR - BUDDY PERKINS IS TWO AND I GOT MONEY TO BUY HIM A PRESENT', 'TEN CENTA (YES)', 'I'LL TAKE ONE', 'WHY DID YOU BUY A BALLOON FOR THAT BABY?', 'WELL, THIS WON'T BREAK WHEN HE DROPS IT'.

Standards Are Poultry Need

Necessity Arises Because Large Consuming Centers Are Widely Separated.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Standard grades of poultry products understood and applicable in all parts of the country are needed in the United States, asserted Rob R. Slocum of the United States Department of Agriculture, before the World's Poultry congress at Ottawa, Canada.

This necessity arises because of important areas of production and the largest consuming centers are widely separated. The United States Department of Agriculture has studied this problem in its relation to eggs and has promulgated a set of standards of quality applicable to individual eggs, the quality factors being the condition of shell, yolk, germ and size and condition of air cell.

Standards as Basis. With these standards as a basis, said Mr. Slocum, the department formulated three sets of egg grades: Buying grades, wholesale grades, and retail grades for use at country buying points, in wholesale channels, and in retail channels of trade. A study of standards and grades for live and dressed poultry has been started with a view to issuing them in the near future in tentative form.

For maintaining a standard uniform quality in different markets and for settling disputes concerning grades, the department has established inspection facilities, permissive, not compulsory. These inspections are of two kinds: Shipping point and terminal market inspection. When shipments are ready for movement, the inspection enables the shipper to describe the quality to prospective purchasers. After arrival at the market, inspection is used to settle disputes to determine the grade and condition of the commodity.

Live poultry inspections are being supervised in one market, New York city, with an annual requirement of 12,000 cars, an approximate value of \$60,000,000, practically all of which are now inspected by a supervisor and 11 licensed inspectors. Egg inspections are made in New York city, Chicago, Philadelphia, San Francisco and Petaluma, Calif., and three points in Missouri.

Three Distinct Arrangements. There are three distinct arrangements under which inspection services are operated: Straight federal inspection, federal-state inspection, and joint inspection. Under each arrangement, the appointment of supervisors and inspectors, and the kind of certificate issued conform to conditions of type of inspection.

Financing the inspection service also conforms to the arrangement under which it is operated. In federal inspection, fees collected are paid into the United States treasury and are not available for further inspection until reappropriated by congress. In federal-state inspection the fees collected by the state are placed in a revolving fund from which salaries of inspectors and other expenses are paid. In joint inspections, the fees collected by the co-operating agency are used for salaries of inspectors and other expenses, including payment into the United States treasury of an amount equal to that expended by the department.

Less than three years ago egg inspection was begun by the bureau of agricultural economics and that of live poultry only last November, yet in December, 1926, 970 egg inspections, involving over 51,000 cases of eggs were made, while during the same month 1,171 cars of live poultry were inspected and 8,814 baskets of live poultry received by express.

Agricultural Items

Sheep are good weed killers.

Concrete makes the best kind of a dairy-stable floor.

The key to farming success is the three L's—lime, legumes and live stock.

Soy beans yield a valuable oil which is used in the manufacture of paints and varnishes.

As the soy bean plant is tender and easily killed by frost, it should not be planted until corn planting time.

Proper onion storage provides a free circulation of air around the individual bulbs. This is best provided by storing in slat crates.

Seed potatoes should be saved at digging time if one expects to keep his own seed supply and select it from potatoes of his own growing.

Alfalfa has been making friends rapidly in dairy sections. The large volume of hay produced, as well as the high feeding value of the hay when properly cured, makes it one of the most important feeds for the dairy cow.

When the soil is cold, fertility becomes available very slowly. Also there is considerable leaching of nitrates because of the continuous rains at this season. That is why an application of some nitrogenous fertilizer is so necessary to any growing vegetable.



LIVE STOCK

LOSSES OF HOGS IN HOT WEATHER

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Losses of hogs in transit due to hot weather were reduced materially the past summer, according to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture from a number of markets. Most of the losses heretofore have been caused by overloading and lack of provision for keeping the hogs cool in transit. Apparently much more care was exercised in loading and handling all live stock during the hot weather last summer, and for that reason death losses in shipment were reduced to a very small percentage.

During a period of six days of variable weather, with temperatures as high as 100 degrees, stock arriving at the South St. Paul market showed small death loss, considering the size of the runs. Only 5 sheep, 21 calves, 5 cattle, and 108 hogs were dead upon arrival at the chutes during the six market days in question, whereas in previous years, there have been losses as high as 300 head of hogs in one day.

At the Kansas City market it was estimated that the losses of hogs from overheating in transit were about 15 per cent less during July and August than in the same months a year ago. The small loss in hogs is rather remarkable, says the report from this market, in view of the fact that weights were unusually heavy last summer and it is evident that heavy hogs suffer from the heat more than lighter ones.

Many shippers are using wet sand for bedding hog cars and also ice bags suspended from the car roof, practices that have long been urged by the department. More attention is also being paid to loading so that hogs have plenty of room to move around and lie down. All of these measures have a tendency to reduce hog losses in hot weather.

Creep Will Prove Big Advantage to the Pigs

A creep will prove a great advantage to pigs after they become two or three weeks old. This creep consists of a hole about 8 inches wide and 16 inches high or large enough for the pigs to get through into another pen but small enough to keep the sows back. It should always be high enough so the pigs do not have to crawl under as this may weaken the backs of some. At first a little corn should be put in the pen. As the pigs grow older prepare a slop made of ground corn, two parts; ground oats, one part; and middlings, one part, mixed with skim milk or buttermilk. This should be fed twice a day, not to exceed the amount the pigs will clean up satisfactorily.

Pigs cared for in this manner can be weaned when six to eight weeks old without losing weight or suffering a set-back in growth.—A. C. Allen, Assistant Extension Livestock Specialist, Colorado Agricultural College.

Soy Bean Pasture May Result in Soft Pork

Soy bean growers will be interested in a new report on experimental work for the production of pork with soy beans as the basis of the ration.

It is found that first-class pork can be made on mature soy bean pasture by supplementing such pasture with shelled corn and a mineral mixture. Whole soy beans fed with corn in dry lots in proportion of one pound of beans to three pounds of shelled corn did not make firm pork, when fed to 180-pound hogs.

Pigs kept on soy bean pasture for eight or ten weeks with shelled corn and mineral supplements gaining forty to seventy-five pounds made firm pork if they were later fed on corn and tankage for an additional gain of 125 pounds.

Time to Build House for All Live Stock

The farmer who plans to build a barn knows it is an advantage to build it in the early summer so that good storage room may be provided for hay and grain for winter feeding. But it is different with the hog house, poultry house, or machine shed, which can be built in the fall or early winter to good advantage, says E. B. White of the farm buildings section at University farm, Minnesota State university. "A great many such buildings need to be repaired or remodeled now if they are to be satisfactory," he says. "Get a list of plans from your county agent or write your experiment station for plans suited to your locality. Get them as soon as possible. Repair, remodel, or build at once."

Summer Shade for Hogs

During the summer hogs like shade. If a shed is made that turns water, their bed gets too dusty. A cheap shade may be made by using sweet-clover stems. This will keep the sun out and yet permit rain to settle the dust. Fence posts may be used for supports with a few old rails wired to the posts about four feet from the ground. It is easy to get coarse sweet-clover stem to put over the top. Some use wet straw which stays put quite well.

CUTTING DOWN THE SWEET GUM

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

CLARENCE GREEN brought us the little tree from southern Illinois years ago when he was staying at our house and when we were getting the yard into some sort of shape and planting out more trees and shrubs by 100 per cent than could possibly thrive in such close quarters. He recommended our planting it because he said that the foliage would be beautiful in the fall after the first frost had struck it. He was quite right, for there are few trees in this climate with more glorious autumn foliage than the sweet gum.

But the tree was badly placed. It grows slowly, and an elm nearby soon overshadowed and dwarfed it. The sweet gum, trying to get into the sunlight, grew crooked and lopsided. We talked for a time of moving it into a more favorable place, but since it could be done at any time it was never done, and then it was too big to move.

"I believe I'll cut down the sweet gum," I said to Nancy. "It will never amount to anything under the sun, and besides it is pushing the elm all out of shape." It was in August when I made the suggestion.

"Oh, don't cut it down now," Nancy pleaded. She looks on trees almost the same as if they were human beings. Even a box elder shedding its leaves almost before they are opened, or a poplar scattering catkins and dead branches about the yard appeals to her. "It will soon be October, and you know how beautiful it is then. Besides, I don't know that I ever want it cut down."

I dismissed the matter, and the tree, growing on, leaned over sideways and tried to push itself into the light. A year or two later I brought up the subject again.

"I suppose it will never amount to anything there," Nancy admitted, "but I can't bear to see it cut down. I can't bear to see any tree cut down. If you must do it, cut it when I am gone somewhere."

She doesn't go very often unless I am with her, and when she does I never think about the tree. When cutting it down occurs to me it is usually the wrong time; in winter the tree never attracts any attention, and in summer it seems such a short time until its leaves will be scarlet and gold.

that I give it another brief reprieve. Wilfred was cleaning up the yard in June, and trimming things that needed to be trimmed. He had the ax sharpened, the more easily to accomplish his purpose. "I wish you'd cut down that sweet gum," I said to him. "It is under the elm and it will never develop properly. I have been intending to do it for a long time."

"I'll do it next week when I come back," he said. It was a relief to me to have it off my mind. We had been discussing the matter for ten or a dozen years, and now it seemed as if we might be getting somewhere.

"I had a letter from father," Wilfred informed me at the end of the week. "I'm sorry, but I'm not able to do any more work, for I have to go home."

And the sweet gum is not yet cut down, I suppose I shall have to do it myself.

Ann Arbor—Thomas Ball, seven-year-old son of Mrs. J. Ball, was badly cut when thrown through the windshield of the family car, which his mother was driving, after the machine had struck another auto. The accident occurred when the operator of the first car, a woman, slowed down to turn her machine into the driveway at her home.

Lansing—On the recommendation of O. B. Fuller, auditor-general, the State Administrative Board moved to accept a check for one-half the taxes due the State from the Manistique & Lake Superior Railroad. Recently the State threatened to sell the road at public auction if taxes totalling \$51,153 were not paid. Receipt of a check for one-half of this amount will cancel the State's tax claim.

Port Huron—Countless thousands of fish flies and mosquitoes caused a three-alarm to be sent into the Port Huron fire department recently. Every piece of fire fighting apparatus responded. The myriads of insects grouped around the tip of the 100-foot spire of the First Methodist Episcopal church in one great cloud, looked so like smoke that an anxious church member, smelling a rubbish fire in a nearby lot, turned in the alarm.

Dictresses

Perhaps one reason for so many unsuccessful marriages is that very few modern girls can run their husbands as completely as they ran their parents.

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Historic Printers

The firm of Wyman & Sons is said to be the oldest printing house in London. It was founded in 1637, doing the printing for the East India company, with one press. Benjamin Franklin was once employed as a journeyman printer in this shop.

Ducal Strawberries

The exact reason why the strawberry leaf is used as the insignia on the English ducal coronet is not known. Various decorative leaves were employed in heraldry and the ducal coronet in its present form was decided upon by Charles II.

An Open Letter to the Editor

From the President of General Motors

LAST SPRING I wrote you that my belief in the country newspaper had led us in General Motors to decide to advertise our products together in the small-city press of the country.

The returns from the series of the messages recently published have justified that faith; and we shall continue to advertise in your community through your newspaper this fall.

It occurs to me, however, that some of your readers may be asking: "What is General Motors?" and "Why is General Motors?" These are fair questions and I should like to answer them as frankly as I can.

General Motors was organized some years ago on the theory that a group of large companies, working together, could render a better service than they could separately. In this we simply applied to industry a principle that is as old as civilization as regards the human family and human progress.

Original members of the General Motors family were Buick, Cadillac, Chevrolet, Oakland and Oldsmobile, together with the Delco-Light Company and other well-known companies manufacturing automotive equipment. By joining together their resources, we were able to establish great Research Laboratories, a 1245-acre Proving Ground and the GMAC Plan of credit purchase; to effect vast economies in purchase and manufacture and distribution; to assure and maintain the quality of every product in the General Motors family.

Has the General Motors family principle proved itself in practice?

The best answer, I think, is to compare the Chevrolet, Buick, Cadillac, Oldsmobile and Oakland of today with the models of five or ten years ago.

Then add Pontiac, a General Motors creation. Add LaSalle, another General Motors creation. And then consider how General Motors has developed these cars into a complete line, within which any family may find a suitable quality car at the price it plans to pay: "A Car for Every Purse and Purpose."

Another example is Frigidaire, the electric refrigerator. General Motors had the resources to spend millions to develop a satisfactory refrigerator, and then to apply to its manufacture the same processes which have increased the utility and lowered the cost of the automobile.

We believe that this record justifies General Motors as an economic institution. Its products are quality products, first of all. Their prices represent the economies of united effort passed on to the purchaser. In the last year one in each three automobiles chosen by the public has been a General Motors car. The service of Delco-Light electric plants has extended to more than a quarter million homes, while Frigidaire has become the world's largest selling convenience of its kind.

We believe also that the values now offered in the current General Motors products (which are listed below) prove anew that "many minds are better than one" and that a family of companies, working together, can produce results which are decidedly in the public interest and of increasing benefit to the individual family.

Very truly yours,

Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., President
General Motors Corporation

Detroit, September 23, 1927

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GMAC Plan of Time Payments

The Green Cloak

By
YORKE DAVIS

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It was simple. "Like all great ideas," said he. "The first thing Wilkins did was to make fast a string between the gate and the old-fashioned bell-pull-in-the-front-doorway. In that way he assured himself of getting a warning, when your detectives returned from the fire. It wouldn't allow him much leeway, but he undoubtedly calculated that it would be enough. When this house was in its prime this third floor room served, no doubt, as quarters for a servant, and it was natural that one of the bells should ring up here. The thought of the dummy had probably occurred to him in advance, and it was a good thought. His chance of escaping your two men, when they returned, would be vastly greater if they should rush into the house with no other idea than that an intruder was sitting in Henry Morgan's study, leaning over Henry Morgan's desk.

"But the notion of connecting the dummy with the bell wire, and balancing it so that the slightest pull would cause it to move toward the light, and then disappear, must have been the inspiration of the moment."

"Well, he's gone," said Ashton, "and he's probably got the map, though if you know where you left it, you'd better look and see."

I pulled open the drawer where we had placed it, and glanced inside. One glance was enough. The map was gone.

"He can't have gone very far," said Ashton; "that's a safe surmise; and as long as we've got that girl to track him with, we'll get him yet. Come there's no use loitering here."

We went downstairs and out of the house in silence, and as we moved down the path we were instantly challenged by Mallory, who came running up to us.

"Where's Wilkins," he asked. "What have you done with him?"

"Lost him," said Ashton sourly. "But he can't have got out of the house," protested Mallory. "I'm sure nobody has got out of the house."

"We've lost him, I tell you," said Ashton. "Can't you understand plain English?"

We all halted just then, and started a little expectant. A man's footsteps were approaching, and the next moment he halted, rather undecidedly, at the front gate. But seeing us, he turned in and came promptly toward us.

"Where's the car, gentleman?" he asked. "What have you done with the car?"

"What's that?" Ashton roared. "The car—the automobile that I drove you out in! Where is it?"

For a moment there was no answer to that but silence. But the silence and the dismayed astonishment on our faces, gave the man his answer.

"So you went to the fire, did you?" said the doctor grimly.

"Not for more than five minutes," the man protested. "I thought I'd see if I could be of any help."

The man's explanation trailed off volubly—protesting, incoherent, but we paid very little attention to it. We knew what had happened, all too well.

"Well," said the doctor, "if Wilkins only appreciated the fact, he owes us a large debt of gratitude. We told him about the map; and then we brought the girl out to him, and left her, together with an automobile for him to disappear in."

"He's better not try to thank me," said Ashton grimly, "until the score is settled. I'll get him yet."

"No," said the doctor, "I don't believe you will. Wilkins is playing in luck, perfectly unmerited good luck. And when you combine luck with the more solid and reliable qualities which Wilkins possesses, you get a result that is almost sure to be successful."

Ashton turned away impatiently.

"But the car!" the chauffeur cried. "I'm responsible for it. What am I to do?"

Ashton told him what he might do. In three or four short, explosive words.

CHAPTER XI

The doctor's prediction regarding the escape of Wilkins and the girl came true. It was all of twenty-four hours before the wires were working again; and the search, which could not fairly begin until that time, proved absolutely futile. The automobile was found next day, very early in the morning, standing in front of the Western station, the very place where we had started in it on our ride to Oak Ridge. But the oddly assorted pair, who must have driven back to town in it that night, disappeared as completely as if the earth had swallowed them up.

It was a long while before Ashton would admit the probability, or even

the possibility, that he had lost them. Their escape must have ranked, for he never voluntarily, spoke of the Oak Ridge affair, and he treated all reference to it, however indirect, in a manner which did not encourage discussion.

I think that, in his heart, Doctor McAllister found it impossible to be sorry that Wilkins had got off. It is one thing to know, as a matter of fact, that a man is a knave and that he richly deserves to be hung; but it is another thing to wish, devoutly, for such a consummation. We had liked Wilkins, and the strange, uncanny revelations regarding his past, which the doctor's merciless instruments had betrayed to us, were not strong enough to change that liking.

What we regretted most, in our discussions over the affair, was our fragmentary knowledge of it. One thing certain about it all seemed to be that we should never know.

But in that conclusion, strangely enough we were wrong. Only a few days ago (and it is now more than two years since the events I have here chronicled took place) the doctor came into my office waving a letter.

"Look at the handwriting first," he said, "and see if you can guess who it's from."

I took the thing in my hand, and frowned over it for a moment in complete perplexity. It was familiar, almost as familiar as my own, and yet I could not place it.

But as I gazed, some vague suggestion of delicate French potages and entrees came into my mind. I started, and dropped the letter on my desk.

"Not—Wilkins!" I cried.

The doctor smiled broadly. "Read what he's got to say."

I needed no second invitation. "Doctor McAllister:

"Respected Sir: I have long intended to write to you to tell you how Jane Perkins and I are getting along, thinking you might be interested. I have taken up the white man's burden, as the poet says, and I find that it takes up most of my time, even though this island of mine is small (about ten square miles) and the population not numerous.

"Perkins and I (or Fanenna as she is called by her own people) are married and living very happy. Now that I am, in a sort, king here—trusting that you will pardon the liberty, sir—and obliged to make all the laws as well as enforce them, I am filled with regret for my former irregularities, though I may say that they have turned out well in the end.

"I did not murder Henry Morgan. Fanenna did, although she does not know it, and I would not tell her so for worlds. Perhaps I had better tell my story in order.

"Morgan was a villain and he deserved exactly what he got—if I may be allowed that opinion, sir. Circumstances may have justified him in killing Captain Franklin; indeed, there is no doubt that it had to be one or the other of them; and in robbing him of his money and his map, he only did what others, perhaps, would have done in his place. But he did an inexcusable thing, when he lodged an information with the authorities against the rest of us. The act was not necessary to his escape, for he could have got off scotfree anyway. But he wanted Franklin's treasure all to himself, and he thought if he could get us all hanged there would be none to dispute it with him. I found out in time what he had done, and I escaped; but the other poor fellows were caught and paid the penalty of their faith in a traitor.

"I went to America, but not in pursuit of Morgan. I did not know that he had gone there, and I wanted nothing more to do with him anyway, as I had decided to settle down and lead a respectable life. It pays just as well as the other and it's much more comfortable. This may surprise you, but it's true—I do not refer to the tips I earned as head waiter at The Meredith. That was not my trade so much as it was my recreation. In my youth I made the acquaintance of a palm reader and spiritualist, and this was the profession I took upon coming to your city. It was not long before I was able to organize this industry and to hire others to do the actual work. I supervised it all, and as head waiter at The Meredith, I was able to learn much about our smart people, which could be told to them again by palmists and mediums, with very good effect.

"It was in this connection that I became acquainted with Jane Perkins. A medium I employed, whose apartment was not far from The Meredith, discovered her, and was using her trance states very effectively as a control. I got the greatest surprise of my life the first time I ever heard her talking Maori, a language which I understand and speak, as I suspect that you do also. From her talk I discovered that she was my old captain's daughter, and that she had inherited his secret. This was coming rather too close to home for comfort, as you will well understand, so I took her out of the spiritualist business, much as I regretted to do so, for she was very valuable, and got her employed as chambermaid at The Meredith.

"We were out walking together one day when her subjective state came over her without warning. She darted ahead of me, and I saw that she was tracking some one through the streets by the scent. I followed her. Luckily, it was dark, and we were not molested. She traveled very fast and overtook the person she was following, just as he was entering the Western station. I caught one look at him and saw that he was Henry Morgan.

"I succeeded in rousing her out of her state, for I did not want anything

to happen just then and there. But I was determined to find where he lived and to get his map away from him. I did him no good, as there was neither latitude and longitude marked upon it, and this was the secret which Fanenna had told me.

"On the night when the unfortunate incident occurred which caused you and Mr. Ashton to interest yourselves in the case, we had gone out to Oak Ridge to make an attempt to secure the map. Nothing more than that, I assure you, sir. I had hypnotized her in order that she might lead me, by means of her extraordinary sense of smell, to the house where he lived, but she ran on ahead too fast for me to follow her. The crime was already committed, if you can call it a crime, before I reached the house.

"I tried to get her to go home with me, making no attempt to find the map at that time, but she was greatly excited and dangerous. So I was obliged to go away without her. I was unable to find her from that time

until she came back to The Meredith of her own accord, the day after she made her second visit to the Morgan house at the time when you were there.

"It was during my absence from the hotel, and without my knowledge, that she answered the advertisement for the cloak, indeed, I did not know that she had done so, until you spoke to me concerning it that night at dinner. At that time it seemed safer to permit you to make the examination which you wished to make, than to try to prevent the examination from taking place, for she was now Jane Perkins, perfectly ignorant of everything connected with the affair.

"How you found out her true connection with it, as well as mine, I have no idea. I did not know you had done so, until I tore open the envelope in the hall and found it empty. Then I knew that it was time to act.

"There is one thing more, before I close, which you may think wants an explanation. I said just now that Fanenna did not know that she had killed old Morgan, and yet she is Fanenna rather than Jane Perkins, although she is not exactly either one of them. She is no longer subject to those trance states of hers, and her character seems to be a mixture of the two distinct persons which she was before that night when you took her out to Oak Ridge with you. Her memories of all her past are, I am thankful to say, extremely vague, though she remembers some things out of both of them. She can talk both Maori and English as well as I, and she says it is because when she was a Maori girl she heard a voice speaking to her in English, and ordering her to understand it. This seems great nonsense to me, but it may be that you will see some meaning in it.

"I will close by saying that the map which I found in old Morgan's house that night was worth all the trouble

the syllables that neither she nor I understood."

Then, mimicking her strange guttural voice (and I will admit that even now the mere sound of it made me shiver a little), he said, "Ouan feaf, ti oues. Ten south."

Over and over he repeated them, his smile growing broader and more tantalizing, as I still failed to understand. Then, all at once, I got it. "One fifty west. Ten south!" I shouted.

"Not so loud," he said in mock alarm. "Ashton might hear you. And, on the whole," he added, smiling thoughtfully, but still half-seriously, "on the whole, I'd rather Ashton didn't know."

"You can show him the letter, at any rate," said I.

There came a knock at the door just then, a knock we knew.

"Come in," called the doctor. "Come in, Ashton. Here's a letter that may interest you."

[THE END.]

BRAGGADOCIO

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

YOUTH with its innocent boasts is the way Alfred Noyes puts it. We are all hero-worshippers, and youth possibly more than old age; and worshipping the hero, we want to be like him; and wanting to be like him, we cast ourselves in his role. All of which is an adequate explanation of the boasts of youth. The booster is ambitious; he would like to arrive, but, too often, he has the ambition without the persistence and the energy to attain his ambition.

I had a long letter from Bob a short time ago, written irregularly across the page with a pencil, reasonably legible but not always accurate. Bob is ten, and his ambition is to be an athlete. Red Grange and Harold Osborne and Pug Dougherty and Spike Luce are his heroes. There are a good many things of general interest going on in his family, but he makes no reference to these in his letter. His grandmother is seriously ill, but that is a matter of which he makes no mention in his communication.

It is of his athletic accomplishments that he writes. He can dive deeper and swim farther and stay under the water longer than any other boy of his age in town. Some day he intends to swim the English channel or the Atlantic ocean. Nothing in aquatic sports is beyond him. Just now he is giving his mornings to pole vaulting and to high jumping. He has not attained the height reached by Brownell, but he is coming along—six feet two, I believe, is the record, and with practice he expects to do even better. We used to say that children were untruthful; now we admit that they are ambitious and have imagination and Bob is letting his imagination help out distance, no doubt.

Not all people boast of the same things. Warren wants to be a social star; he would like to be a knight with fair ladies breaking their hearts for love of him, so he boasts of his conquests, of the girls who write him sentimental notes and call him up on the telephone in an effort to make social engagements with him. The girls are crazy about him, he says, and in saying so he makes himself the sort of hero he would like to be.

Samuels would like to hobnob with the rich and the great, and especially with the great, so he tells casually of "Last week when I was in Washington, President Coolidge said to me," as if he and the President were in the habit of having regular confidential talks with each other. He speaks of "my friend Douglas Fairbanks" or it may just as well be Senator Owen or Secretary Kellogg, or anybody of distinction whom Samuels has met, or has even had a passing glance at. It is pure boasting, of course, but it makes Samuels feel a good deal nearer to what he would like to be than he has really allowed.

We all boast a little, and by boasting, reveal our ambition.

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Shriek of the Dessert

Staffordshire Woman of Her Husband—He is sixty-two, but I have found that he is flirting with another woman. He is worse than one of them shrieks in the dessert.—London Tit-Bits.

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Hagen Again Winner



The photograph shows Walter Hagen, one of the nation's greatest exponents of golf and winner of the western open championship.

Nothing New

English news item says society has gone in for a new hobby, flea collecting. The fad was started some time ago by our dog.—Tampa Tribune.

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Charlevoix, in said County, on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1927.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Adolph M. Cincush, Deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to probate and Lawrence F. Cincush appointed executor thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate office in the city of Charlevoix.

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

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Charlevoix, in said County, on the 9th day of September A. D. 1927.

Present: Servetus A. Correll, Probate Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lorenzo Bingham, Deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to probate and Delbert Hale appointed administrator thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 19th day of January A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate office in the City of Charlevoix.

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

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix, in said County, on the 10th day of September A. D. 1927.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Johanna Nyquist, Deceased.

Robert A. Campbell having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 7th day of October A. D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.



The Map Which I Found in Old Morgan's House Was Worth All the Trouble It Cost Me to Get It

it cost me to get it, for it has made us very comfortable and well-to-do, and has made it possible for me to make many improvements on this island of mine. It is a very beautiful place, and with the comforts of civilization, which I have been able to add to its natural attractions, is a very good place to live.

"Fanenna wishes to be remembered to you and Mr. Phelps, and also to Mr. Ashton, whom she used to admire very greatly when she was chambermaid at The Meredith.

"I should enjoy a visit from you very much, but I fear it will be impossible, for reasons which you will doubtless understand, for me even to suggest such a thing. But please believe me, sir,

"Yours most gratefully and respectfully,

"WILKINS,

"Rona Island."

"P. S. You have seen a map of this island, or a part of it, and above is the name I have given it, but I must imitate the wisdom and discretion of my old chief, and omit to mention latitude and longitude."

The doctor met my eye as I laid the paper down. "You don't happen to know the latitude and longitude, do you, Phelps?" he asked, laughing.

"Do you?" I exclaimed, with a rather startled look into his twinkling gray eyes.

"Do you remember those queer syllables that Fanenna repeated to us that night when she told us her story,

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A Western Romance of the Turf.

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TUESDAY, Oct. 4 Family Night

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Admission—10c and 25c

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East Jordan, Mich.

Briefs of the Week

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark, a son—Richard Henry—Sept. 15th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Giles, a son, Wednesday, Sept. 28th.

Regular meeting of Mark Chapter 275, O. E. S., Friday evening, Oct. 7th. Important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gothro are spending the week with friends at Detroit and Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Azalia Liskum leaves this Friday for Chicago, where she will enter the LaMara Beauty School.

Miss Minnie Martin is home from Muskegon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Bulow Bros. will get the returns by Radio every afternoon of the Worlds Series, beginning Oct. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kowalski of Peoria, Ill., are visiting at the homes of Ed. Kowalski and John Cooper.

The first church supper of the season at the Presbyterian Church parlors, Thursday, Oct. 6th. Price 50c. adv.

Mrs. O. F. Root of Boyne City, and her son, F. H. Morrison and wife of Midland, visited friends in East Jordan, Thursday.

If troubled with headache or in need of glasses, consult Dr. Leahy, the Optometrist when he comes Tuesday, Oct. 4th. adv.

C. S. Abbott of Detroit and his brother, Fred Abbott of Chicago, were here last week, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Balch.

A series of Football pictures by Grantland Rice depicting the various plays, tricks, etc., begins next Friday and Saturday at Temple Theatre. adv.

Mrs. Anna Riley and son, William, left Tuesday for Detroit, after a two months visit here at the homes of her brothers, Dan and Herman Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Linden and children, and his sister, Miss Mae Linden, of Manistique, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Deshane.

Pomona Grange meets with Rock Elm Grange on Saturday, Oct. 8th. An interesting program is being prepared for both afternoon and evening sessions.

Miss Grace Gardi, Latin and History instructor in our high school, was taken to Charlevoix hospital Sunday, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Wm. L. Stanek, who was badly burned about the arms and legs recently in a gasoline explosion at the E. J. Co-op. Filling Station, is able to be up and about his home.

American Legion will meet at their hall Monday night, Oct. 3rd, at 7:30 standard time. Election of Officers, light refreshments will be served. All members are urged to attend.

Dr. Emery of Grand Rapids, Grand Chaplain of the I. O. O. F. Lodge, and A. L. Vangilder of Detroit were here first of the week visiting members of Jordan River Lodge No. 360.

See the beautiful new Portsmouth Enameled Cabinet Heater before you buy. Handier and more economical than a furnace. Guaranteed to heat more than others. On easy payments and you can trade in your old one. C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stroebel, Mr. and Mrs. George Carr and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Supernaw were at Grand Rapids over Sunday, calling on Mr. and Mrs. W. L. French. Mr. French was taken seriously ill while enroute to East Jordan, and his condition is yet critical.

J. W. Just, of Detroit, representing the State Fire Marshal's office, was an East Jordan visitor first of the week. He met with the East Jordan Fire Department Monday night, and gave our firemen a school of instruction in the matter of preventing fires and what to do in case of fire.

Ester Louise, 11 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowman, passed away Saturday, Sept. 24th, from whooping cough and pneumonia. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the home, conducted by Rev. E. Hughey of Mancelona. The remains were taken to Mancelona for burial.

Miss Georgia Miles, daughter of John Miles, and Norman H. Sloop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sloop, of East Jordan, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in this city, last Thursday evening, Sept. 22nd, by Rev. V. J. Hufton. They were attended by Harry and Elizabeth Sloop.

Two hundred and fifty Masons gathered at Potoskey last Saturday to attend a meeting of the Green Bay Wis., and Potoskey lodges of F. & A. M. Work in the M. M. degree was exemplified by the Green Bay lodge. Among those from the East Jordan lodge attending were Jacob E. Chew, A. B. Carson, B. L. Severance, C. P. Murphy and H. Rosenthal.

Let's Go! Where? To the church supper at the Presbyterian church parlors, Thursday, Oct. 6th. Price 50c. adv.

Percy Stohlman is home from Flint for a visit.

Howard Grant is home from Lansing for a visit.

It takes modern styles to show up the sweet young things.

Mrs. Lee Pratt of Flint was here last week for a visit with friends.

Dr. Leahy, the Optometrist will be here again Tuesday, Oct. 4th. adv.

Mrs. Harold Stueck left last week to attend the State Normal at Ypsilanti.

Normand and Reuben Winstone of Pontiac were home for a visit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Sommerville spent Sunday with her parents at Pleasant Valley.

Thursday, Oct. 6th is the church supper at the Presbyterian church parlors. Price 50c. adv.

Arthur Walton and Howard Snyder of Flint were here over Sunday for a visit with their parents.

Josie Bayliss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Bayliss, who has been ill for about a month, is somewhat better.

Mrs. W. H. Malpass was at Lockwood hospital at Potoskey last week, where she underwent a major operation. She returned home last Saturday.

If every man in this country had as much money as he thinks he is worth, with a special discount for cash, the price of humanity would go up.

Roger Babson predicts that the Republicans will win in 1928 and the Democrats in 1932. All who believe what Roger says will please send us a quarter.

Some people say that the silver half-dollar is falling into disrepute. Most newspaper editors will still accept them, however, on subscription accounts.

Leslie Winstone and friend, Frank Butler left for Eckerman, last Thursday, after a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Edd. Winstone, and friends.

Mrs. Margaret Pickard and daughter, Mrs. Clark Little with children, left Wednesday for their home at South Bend, Ind., after a three weeks visit here with friends.

Miss Dorothy Walton, who has been employed at Walloon Lake for the past few months, returned home Monday, and left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Big Rapids.

Hear the new Super Parmak single dial 6-tube Radio. Only \$55.00 installed. Other 5-tube machines, \$15.00 and up. Sold on easy payments by C. J. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Rollin N. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton-Jones of this city, and Miss Beatrice Meredith of Flint were united in marriage at Detroit, Saturday, Sept. 17th. They will make their home in Flint.

M. K. Chew and wife, Platt Webster and wife of Hayes township, Mr. and Mrs. Morton of near Boyne City helped J. E. Chew celebrate his birthday anniversary, last Sunday. Mr. Chew was the recipient of many remembrances of his natal day.

Mrs. Iva Dewey-Hodgkinson motored to Grand Rapids and spent the week end there with her husband. She was accompanied by Mrs. B. E. Waterman who went on to Holland to visit relatives. Miss Eva Waterman of Detroit was at Holland also.

Mrs. Margaret Pickard of South Bend, Ind., who has been here for a visit with friends, was tendered a party by about 25 of her friends at the M. E. Church last Saturday evening. Supper was served, after which the evening was spent in visiting.

Let the city dwellers laugh at the country dwellers for knowing nothing if they wish, but he who laughs last laughs best. Two week-enders from Detroit came to spend some time at a cottage on Bois Blanc Island. The natives seriously told them tales of the terrific and fierce rampages of wild goats at large on the island menacing the lives of all. Next morning the city dwellers had deserted their home on the island, leaving for parts where goats would not harm them. Question—Who were the goats?

Two men employed by the Newago Portland Cement Co., which owns large lime rock deposits south of Charlevoix, and owns the former Charlevoix Rock Product company's holdings and equipment, are engaged in drilling test holes in the old quarry this week. We have been unable to find out the reason for such drilling or what they are drilling for. We understand that two more drilling outfits will be added to their present equipment some time this week. Large quantities of pipe have been taken to the old quarry and a pipe line run to Lake Michigan to secure a water supply. Whatever their reason may be, we hope it will eventually result in some permanent activity which will give employment to local men.—Charlevoix Courier.

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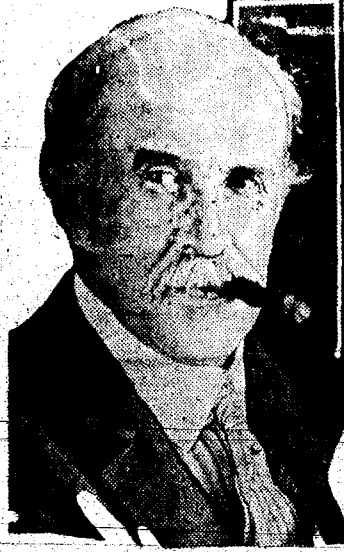
Make the house a present of a pretty piece of Tapestry, either a Wall Piece or a Pillow.

We still have some of the Underwear—Silk, Wool and Cotton, also the Jersey Bloomers.

Wool and Silk Hose, good colors—\$1.00.

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Theodore Roberts



The veteran character actor of the stage and screen, Theodore Roberts, was born in San Francisco, Calif. He began his stage career as soon as he finished his schooling and has continued a public favorite from that day to this. He is known as the "grand old man of the movies."

For Meditation

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

A PARADOX

A YOUNG man walked into the office of the president of one of our large institutions of technology with an invention, securely wrapped, which he held under his arm. Before uncovering his invention he demanded that all the blinds be drawn and the doors closed. After this was done he carefully untied the bundle and with grave caution explained to the president of the institution the merits of his achievement. Said the wise president, "Before that invention will be of any service to you or anybody else, all these blinds must be put up and all the doors opened." The young man could not understand that the lesson he was being taught was that the only way we can possess anything is first to give it away.

One of nature's strange paradoxes is that a thing is multiplied by being divided, and that addition is possible only by subtraction. The abundant harvest is made possible because the grains of wheat subtract from the soil the essential elements for their growth. Through the process known as cell division we have animal life. Nature has no place for a static law. She will not tolerate a vacuum. Nature is always giving herself freely and the more she gives the more she has to give.

In the world of ideals, purposes and moral forms the same law operates. Giving is absolutely essential to possession. A coin uninvested does us no good. It earns nothing nor does it bring us anything worth while. A buried talent offers us no reward. Only as we give our talent away does it bring to us any satisfaction. In proportion as we give ourselves to others do we possess happiness. Silas Marner kept his gold stored away in bags deposited beneath the floor of his room. One night he found little Eppie beside his hearth fire. He felt the golden locks; they were real and warm. Only after Silas Marner gave himself and his gold to meet the needs of little Eppie did he know the meaning of life and love. The secret of possessing happiness is first to give it to some other person. Give joy and we shall have joy in abundance. Radiate cheer and our lives will be filled with sunshine. We shall have friends only as we give ourselves in friendship. In proportion as we give, we receive. The only way we can have anything is to give it away.

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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says she hears a great deal about the Gideon Bible, but the King James version is good enough for her.

BE A BOOSTER

By EVELYN GAGE BROWNE

BE A Booster—not a knocker—For your Boss, your Job, your Town!

For the Booster keeps things going While the knocker tears them down.

Talk Good Times and keep declaring Things grow better all the while, For there's nothing so contagious As an optimistic smile.

Let your cheery "Well, how are you?" Make the one you say it to Answer "Fine! things going splendid!" And it's bound to make it true.

Just keep spreading all around you The glad Gospel of Good-Cheer, Bigger sales and better business— That's what people like to hear.

Get the happy Boosting habit And the Things-are-all-right grin, Be a "rooster" for the home-team, If you want to help to win.

So just Boost—and keep on Boosting, And you'll find that all you do, Is just sure some day or other To be really Boosting YOU!

SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

FOR THE GOOSE—

A FOOL and her kisses is soon parted.

Women are funny gamblers. They hate to risk a dollar on poker, but they stake everything they got on being able to hold some man's love and in no other game in the world is the cards so stacked against 'em.

Don't be afraid of being too obvious in your compliments. The man ain't livin' that can see through the line about lookin' swell in his dinner coat.

FOR THE GANDER—

When you're considerin' a wife, ask yourself all the old posers: "How would I like to sit opposite her at breakfast? Wake up next to her in the mornin'? Live with her when she's sixty?"

And then ask yourself this one more: "How'd I like to call her up at five o'clock in the afternoon and tell her why I can't come home to supper?"

There's only a few hard and fast rules on the more or less gentle art of kissin' and the first is: Faint kisses never win fair lady.

WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE

BY JOSEPH KAYS

At 21—Fritz Kreisler Was Struggling for Recognition.

FROM the age of twenty-one to twenty-seven I struggled hard for recognition. I played every bit as well then as I do now but people did not understand it.

TODAY—Fritz Kreisler is one of the greatest violinists in the world, whose popularity knows no fashion; and in the field of violin composition is nearly as great. His delightful pieces are in the repertoire of every violinist.

What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



WHAT MAKES THE RAIN FALL IN DROPS? Wee bits of dust float in the air, And when the rain cloud meets The dust, it forms in tiny drops Instead of solid sheets.

Alfalfa Stands Die Out Early

Bacterial Wilt Disease Is Cause of Trouble in Most Districts.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Many alfalfa growers have complained to the United States Department of Agriculture during the past three years that their stands of alfalfa now die out in three, four or five years where they once lived much longer. These complaints have come from many places, especially from the central and southern Mississippi valley, and also from some irrigated districts.

Bacterial Disease. It is not always possible to name the specific cause of alfalfa dying out; in fact, there is often more than one cause operating. But as a result of the attention which these complaints have focused upon the alfalfa crop, one fact has become clearly apparent. There is in the United States a bacterial wilt disease of alfalfa which was not previously recognized. This disease, according to Fred H. Jones, pathologist of the department, is responsible for a great deal of the trouble that growers have experienced. Moreover, it appears that bacterial wilt, which now occurs in at least a few fields in practically every alfalfa-growing district of the United States, may easily become more thoroughly disseminated than at present and thus in some districts develop into the most serious disease with which alfalfa culture must contend.

Organism Causing Disease. The organism causing the disease enters the plant through wounds and passes downward through the taproot and upward through the stems. At length the entire plant may wilt suddenly on a hot day. Later in the summer some of the affected roots produce short, pale-colored, spindling shoots with small, narrow leaves. When the taproot of such a plant is cut across, the woody portion of the root is found yellow and discolored close beneath the bark. When the bark is stripped back the wood is found yellow or brown, altogether unlike the white wood of healthy plants. This discolored wood distinguishes the disease from winter injury and other troubles.

The bacterial wilt disease is now being studied by the department and state experiment stations to determine its distribution, how it is carried from field to field, and through what kinds of wounds it most frequently enters the plants, and whether there is varietal resistance to the disease.

Spoilage of Vegetables and Fruits Preventable

Spoilage of canned vegetables and fruits may result because they were not washed clean before they were canned. The soil contains bacteria which causes spoilage. Therefore, get rid of the soil. Wash vegetables, as beans and asparagus, thoroughly before cutting, and peas before podding. Berries should be washed before and after they are hulled. If they are washed in a strainer, the water may be run over them until it is clear as it comes through the strainer. A vegetable brush comes in handy for cleaning some vegetables.

A good slogan to follow in canning all vegetables is "Two hours—from garden to can." They should not lay overnight or for a half day or more, but rather should be handled while crisp and fresh. It is far better to pick beans, peas, sweet corn and other vegetables in the early morning and can them right away than to pick them the evening before while they are in a dry, wilted, and hot condition. Flat sour will start by morning in these vegetables that are allowed to lie over night before canned.—Nebraska College of Agriculture.

Agricultural Notes

The laying hen never loafa. Silos should be tight enough to keep the juice in and the air out. As a cash crop, soy beans can be successfully grown, especially on the lighter and sandier soils.

The very first step in successful storage of onions is careful curing, and this careful curing must start in the field.

Rye is an excellent nurse crop for clover seed owing to the fact that it can be cut earlier for grain than either wheat or oats.

One cannot afford to spend ten dollars' worth of time repairing a machine that is not worth ten dollars after the job is done.

Successful onion storage demands a cool temperature and low humidity, so it is especially important that they be stored in a well-ventilated place and a place that is as nearly dry as possible.

Plant food in commercial dried animal manures increased about 40 per cent in cost between 1914 and 1924, reports the New York experiment station. Its average cost today is 42.4 cents a pound, as compared with 10.5 cents a pound in mixed mineral fertilizers.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

FOR THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN FOR THE MONTH OF AUG. 1927.

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS

August	1 Balance on hand	\$14692.79
	Delinquent Taxes	1601.23
	City Clerk	46.50
	Total	\$16,340.52

DISBURSEMENTS

August	Harry Simmons	2.00
	H. W. Dicken	6.00
	Miles Battery Shop	3.20
	Chas. Shedina	1.00
	Joseph Mayville	167.75
	Mike Lintner	1.75
	James Zarro	1.75
	E. J. Lbr. Co.	236.67
	State Bank of E. J.	5.00
	E. J. Hose Co.	45.00
	G. A. Lisk	31.56
	Burroughs Add. Machine Co.	2.85
	R. L. Severance	2.46
	Mich. Bell Tel. Co.	4.90
	Elec. Light Co.	529.00
	Henry Cook	100.00
	Otis J. Smith	37.62
	E. J. Co-op. Ass'n	39.75
	Delbert Hale	100.00
	Grace E. Boswell	60.00
	Goodman & Bohn	89.25
	Newton Jones	21.00
	Roderick Muma	4.55
	Norman Bartlett	5.65
	Peoples State Sav. Bank	8.50
	Andrew LaLonde	5.25
	Walter Clark	4.10
	City Treasurer	51.00
	Standard Oil Co.	.76
	John Gunderson	8.00
	John Ter Wee	50.00
	Trans. to Int. Fund	1802.37
31 Balance on hand		12970.84
	Total	\$16,340.52

STREET AND SEWER FUND RECEIPTS

August	1 Balance on hand	\$3765.00
	Delinquent Taxes	290.47
	Gas Tax Rebate	6.60
	Total	\$4,062.07

DISBURSEMENTS

August	County of Charlevoix	\$150.00
	Union Paint Co.	35.00
	B. L. Severance	9.05
	J. W. LaLonde	.92
	E. J. Co-op. Ass'n	24.12
	Goodman & Bohn	50.68
	Wm. Prause	72.00
	Roderick Muma	4.55
	Richard Muma	4.55
	City Treasurer	440.45
	E. A. Robinson	147.20
	E. J. Iron Works	13.80
	John F. Kenny	4.64
	Walter Clark	3.50
31 Balance on hand		3100.61
	Total	\$4,062.07

WATER WORKS FUND RECEIPTS

August	Water Taxes	\$282.61
31 Overdrawn		1420.48
	Total	\$1,703.09

DISBURSEMENTS

August	1 Overdrawn	\$1393.71
	Elec. Light Co.	283.60
	Henry Cook	25.00
	John F. Kenny	.78
	Total	\$1,703.09

INTEREST AND SINKING FUND RECEIPTS

August	Delinquent Taxes	\$89.50
	Trans. from Gen. Fund	1802.37
	Total	\$1,891.87

DISBURSEMENTS

August	1 Overdrawn	\$22.27
	Bonds and Interest	1869.60
	Total	\$1,891.87

BRIDGE FUND RECEIPTS

August	31 Overdrawn	\$1490.34
	Total	\$1,490.34

DISBURSEMENTS

August	1 Overdrawn	\$1126.98
	Charles Shedina	7.15
	E. J. Co-op. Ass'n	44.82

City Treasurer	269.49
Frank Gorman	7.00
Northern Auto Co.	34.90
Total	\$1,490.34

CEMETERY FUND RECEIPTS

August	1 Balance on hand	\$248.72
	City Clerk	37.50
	Total	\$286.22

DISBURSEMENTS

August	Charles Shedina	\$3.00
	Alveretta Roy	7.00
	Emerson W. Price	7.45
	John Whiteford	85.25
	Robt. Hollinshead	17.50
31 Balance on hand		166.02
	Total	\$286.22

RECAPITULATION

General Fund	\$12970.84
Street Fund	\$100.61
Cemetery Fund	166.02
Total	\$13,237.47

Overdrawn

Water Works Fund	\$1420.48
Bridge Fund	1490.34
Total	\$2910.82

Total

Total	\$16237.47
Less Overdrafts	2910.82
Total	\$13,326.65

Cash on hand at end of the month \$13,378.28
OTIS J. SMITH, City Clerk.

Detroit—During the first half of the present year the Detroit-Grand Rapids airway was the most traveled air route in the country, according to a survey published by the aeronautics branch of the Department of Commerce at Washington. More passengers—1,087—were carried on schedule trips over the Detroit-Grand Rapids air line than over any other. In addition it was the most traveled airway with respect to passengers carried on unscheduled flights, by taxi, ferry or sightseeing planes, numbering 2,411.

Mt. Clemens—War-time tactics in offensive aerial combat will be practiced by the first pursuit group fliers of Selfridge Field in the third annual gunnery school at Oscoda, starting October 2. Two three-week periods of target practice will be held. Browning machine guns and five-pound aerial bombs will be used. Honors will be accorded the best marksmen. A tow target will be used for the machine gun practice. A 100-ft. circle is the target for bombs which are dropped from altitudes ranging from 300 to 1,000 feet.

When all your debts are paid that is a good time to save money by not going into debts.

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Charlevoix, in said County, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1927.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles A. Vallean, Deceased.

Robert A. Campbell having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of October, A. D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.

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