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TO SELL OR NOT TO SELL

THE QUESTION OF DISPOSING OF
ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT IS UP.

EDISON CO'S OFFER OF \$36,000.00
CREATING LOT OF DISCUSSION.

To sell or not to sell the Northville electric light plant is the question. The Edison people have made a cash offer of \$36,000 for the plant, poles and lines complete, including the busted mill dam.

Those who argue for the proposition to sell, and they include many of our most successful business men, say that the \$36,000 is worth 5 per cent. of \$1,800 yearly to the village in paying off its bonds and stepping interest. In addition to that the village raises \$2,000 each year to support the electric light plant, making \$3,800 a year loss, or making it cost \$3,500 a year to light the streets. The Edison people it is stated, offer to light the streets as good of better than they are now lighted for \$2,500. Then the argument is also made that the plant is getting old and will depreciate much faster from now on than it has in the past.

In view of this it is stated by business men who claim to have carefully looked into the matter that \$2,000 to \$4,000 each year will have to be levied hereafter to care for the increasing depreciation, and they believe the Edison offer is one that the village should accept. They also state that the lighting furnished by the Edison people for houses, stores and factories will be equally good as now supplied and at a lower average rate than at present.

Those who argue against selling say that the tendency of the times is towards municipal ownership and believe that if properly managed the Northville plant could be made to pay. Some advocate the employment of an efficiency expert to see what is wrong in the local management and to report on how it can be made to show a profit.

Committees from the council visited a number of villages during the past few weeks where the Edison people were supplying lights, (Chelsea, Milan, South Lyon, Rochester, Richmond, Romeo and others), and without exception the reports gained from those places were very favorable.

The question of selling is to be voted on September 14. It is a question that should be studied well and each voter should carefully look into the matter between now and that time. The Northville plant is being run at a loss and has been run at a loss for years and whether it can ever be managed at a profit is a question. Good business men have served on the council as well as citizens who were not in business and the plan of operating the plant has been about the same from year to year.

The plant should either be disposed of at a good profit or a business system of operation adopted that will show a profit.

JUDGE COLLINS THOT NORTHVILLE PRETTY VILLAGE

Judge Collins of Indianapolis, who spoke at the Chautauqua here last week told the Record that Northville is one of the very prettiest villages he has ever in. He spoke especially of the well kept lawns, clean streets and pretty homes. He said as he drove about the village he was especially struck with apparent absence of poverty and of the splendid neat appearance of the homes and surroundings of everybody.

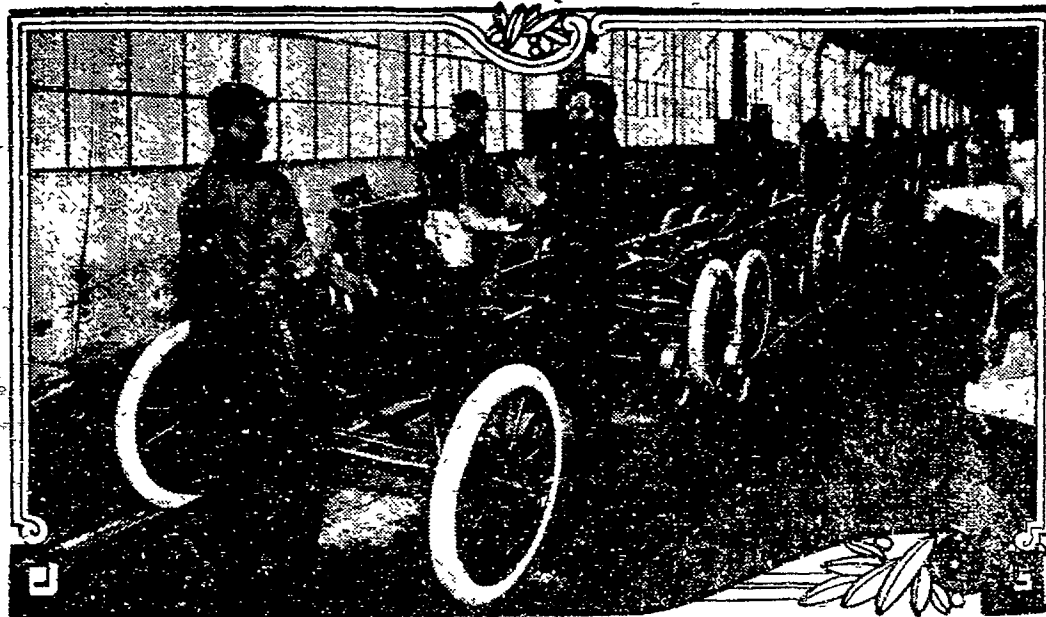
Judge Collins is young in looks but old in experience. He has tried more important cases than usually comes to the lot of so young a jurist and has gained a national reputation for fearlessness and ability.

While here the judge ran across an old friend, Conrad Langfield, who lived neighbor to Judge Collins some years in Indianapolis.

Mr. Langfield and family live in what was the Thornton house at the south end of Rogers street, which they recently purchased. Mr. Langfield is in the private formulae department with Park Davis & Co. of Detroit.

RAY A. LINDER IN THE RECORD.

Building an Auto Every Ten Minutes at the State Fair



BUILDING one automobile is quite a task, and building one in ten minutes presents difficulties that would be insurmountable for every person except Henry Ford. Just to show the people that it can be done he has contracted for one whole side of the Automobile building at the State Fair grounds. This he will transform into an assembling plant, and during the two weeks of the fair, Sept. 7-18, he will put out a finished automobile every ten minutes during certain portions of the day. The State Fair factory will maintain a production of twenty-five cars daily during the exhibition. The illustration shows the traveling cranes and the tracks on which the chassis run which make possible the remarkable production.

SCHOOL COMMENCES NEXT MONDAY

LOT OF NEW FACES WILL BE
SEEN AMONG THE TEACHERS.

MISS RUTH PETTIBONE OF
ALBION TAKES MISS BULL'S
PLACE AS PRECEPTRESS.

On Monday, August 31, the Northville schools will open for the new year, 1914-1915. An efficient corps of instructors has been engaged, the following having charge of the various rooms, with F. W. Wheaton, as superintendent. Kindergarten, Miss Effie Willis (also Commercial Instructor); First grade, Miss Garnet Bort; Second, Miss Martin; Third, Miss Cargie Fizzle; Fourth, Miss Marjorie Ramsey; Fifth, Mrs. Susie Woolley; Sixth, Miss Isabel Gorton; Seventh, Miss Gladys White; Eighth, Miss Margaretta Weller; High school, Miss Anna Johnson; Science and Mathematics, Miss Ethel Pettibone (Preceptress); Language, Miss Gertrude Watson; English and History, Miss Eunice Warriner; Drawing and Music.

Both the old and new buildings have been cleaned several rooms redecorated, and the grounds put in apple pie order for welcoming the many children who will answer the ringing of the bell Monday morning, some gladly and some unwillingly, for how hard it is to give up play and settle down to work.

GEORGE SINCLAIR DEAD.

George B. Sinclair, for many years a prominent citizen of Northville, died at his home on High street Tuesday afternoon after a long illness.

Mr. Sinclair was highly respected and his many friends will sympathize with the widow who is left to mourn the loss of a devoted husband.

The funeral was held from the late home Thursday afternoon. Rev. R. M. Pierce of the Methodist church, of which Mr. Sinclair was a member, officiating.

HORSE THIEVES BETTER LOOK OUT

NORTHVILLE ASSOCIATION IN
ACTIVE AND FLOURISHING
CONDITION.

IN SHAPE TO MAKE IT LIVELY
FOR CHAPS WHO MEANDER OFF
WITH LOCAL EQUINES.

At a recent meeting of the Northville Horse Thief Protective association, held in this village, it was voted to allow all old members and any new ones who desired to become affiliated with this protective movement to secure membership, upon payment of one dollar to Harry B. Clark, treasurer. This should ap-

peal to all horse owners in this community, as the association will render every possible aid in locating a stolen animal and prosecuting the thief.

Mr. Fred P. Simmons speaks in the highest praise of the work, financial and otherwise, done by the association in assisting him in regaining the horse recently stolen from his farm, and no one knows who is to be the next victim.

Horse owners should be unafraid in their natural protection and if there is anything they wish to know about the rules governing and protection offered, information can be obtained by writing or phoning Floyd A. Northrop, secretary, F. M. Starkweather, or Harry B. Clark.

STATE FAIR TICKETS AT RECORD OFFICE AT REDUCED PRICES

The Record has secured a large quantity of State Fair tickets which are now on sale at the reduced prices. We offer them while they last at 25 cents each or 3 for \$1.00. Sale closes at noon Saturday, Sept. 5. Tickets good any day of fair and can only be purchased at the full rate of 50 cents after that hour.

Children's Day is Saturday, Sept. 12. Special attractions for that occasion and admission tickets will be given away free of charge to any boy or girl under 12 years of age for that date. These tickets can be had at the Record office any time.

PRIMARY ELECTION WAS VERY QUIET

EFFORT TO GET OUT EVEN 140
VOTES; WAS BUT LITTLE IN-
TREST SHOWN.

Primary elect on passed off very quietly here, but 140 votes being polled and it was an effort to even get that many out.

In that bunch there were 9 Democratic, 12 Progressive votes, and two or three Prohibition ballots. About a dozen of these were thrown out because of wrong markings, leaving about 110 fairly good ballots. For governor there were 110 Republican (Continued on page 5)

NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE PARTY CONVENTION.

A county-convention of the National Progressive party is called to meet at the City of Pontiac, Mich., Tuesday, September 8th, at 10:30 in the forenoon, in county building, for the electing of delegates to the National Progressive State convention, and for the transaction of such other business, which may properly come before said convention.

By order Committee.
RICHARD B. HEWITT, Chairman.
DUGALD BROWN, Secretary.

THREATEN BOOST OF WAYNE'S TAX

STATE TAX COMMISSION JUMPED
UP THE VALUATIONS BY \$800,000.

Cass Benton, of this place, county tax expert, was before the State Tax Equalization board last week in the interests of Wayne. Mr. Benton declared that the county had been kept utterly in the dark as to what the state tax commission was doing in the way of valuations and that it was compelled to come before the equalization board to defend itself against a continuation which had been working for six months to have its "evidence" in shape.

It did look for a while as though Wayne would get a good big soaking of \$800,000 more in tax. An error of \$800,000 on the State Tax Commission's part was discovered in Wayne's favor by the representative from this county, and that may make some difference in the tax taken by the state tax board.

However all the other counties in the state seem to be perfectly satisfied as long as Wayne is properly soaked by the state tax commission, as the story Wayne is given the lower rate in all other counties. Mr. Benton thinks the Equalization board will be fair toward Wayne in their final decision which will be reached in a day or two.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM EDISON CO.

TELL WHY NORTHVILLE PLANT
WORTH MORE TO THEM THAN
TO VILLAGE.

SAY NORTHVILLE JUICE RATES
WILL AVERAGE 20 PER CENT
LOWER THAN AT PRESENT.

The following communication is from the Edison Electric company of Detroit and will be of interest to Northville citizens:

The Council has put the question of the sale of the Municipal Village Lighting Plant to the Edison Company up to the people for decision. The question is naturally arousing considerable discussion, and one of the first objections raised is that the plant ought to be worth as much to the Village as to the Edison Company, and if properly managed it should make as much money for the Village as it could for the Company. This seems plausible at first thought, but a little explanation shows it is absolutely wrong. It is not due to bad management that the Village plant is not paying financially. The plant has been exceptionally well managed for a small plant. The Edison Company would (Continued on page 4).

Farmers! Saturday, August 29 IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY!

to purchase first-class Apple Trees, Government Inspected, 5 7 feet high at \$25.00 per hundred. Ten or more at hundred rates. We also have a nice line of Grape Vines, Gooseberries, Currants, and Ornamentals. These will be freshly dug to your order, either for fall or spring planting from Gill's Nursery, Ypsilanti. Meet me at

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or Phone Plymouth No. 149 and secure some of these goods.

Yours for fine orchards and gardens.

ORLO M. GILL.

Your Check is Your Surest Receipt!



YOU PAID that bill. You are **SURE** of it. And your wife remembers that you **DID** too. But here is a **NEW BILL** with the words "PLEASE REMIT!" Rather unpleasant. What are you going to do about it? **YOU CAN'T FIND THE RECEIPT.** Well, the only sure way is to **PAY BY CHECK.** Then you can show your **VOUCHERS AS RECEIPTS.** The **CHECK WAY** is the **SAFE WAY!**

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Ryder.

STATE NEWS

WAYNE TO LEAD ASSAULT ON STATE VALUATION BOOST

Other Counties Look to Detroit to Confute Tax Commission.

Lansing, Mich.—With the report of the state tax commission boosting the valuation in the state nearly \$600,000,000, the indications are that the sessions of the state board of equalization will be enlivened chiefly by the protests from Wayne county, whose valuations are raised close to the billion mark by the tax commissioner's figures.

The expected kick from the iron and copper counties has practically dropped out of sight, as a combined movement: Gogebic and Ontonagon are the only upper peninsula counties that so far, through their representatives now here, have signified objections to the report. Gogebic is jumping something like \$13,000,000, while Ontonagon has about the same dose. In both cases the county supervisors made a like raise, but it was done on figures furnished by the tax commission. The counties will make desperate efforts to have their valuations cut materially.

Wayne county's big raise comes from the application by the commission of cash valuations. Sales were not taken into account in the figures any place in the state. They were totally disregarded and the commission says that its own field men are responsible for the new figures and that it will be able to prove that are correct.

JAILER ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Grand Rapids Judge Gives Heavy Sentences to Erring Farmers.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—After imposing sentences of from two to 10 years in Jackson with a recommendation of the minimum on Glen Wells and from 14 months to 10 years on Harry Dykestra, two young farmers living near Kelloggsville after both had pleaded guilty to serious charges.

After a thorough investigation of the existing conditions in that section of the county where Paris, Wyoming and Gaines townships meet, County Agent Hayes and Special Officer Dean made the complaints.

HORSE TRADER CHARGES MIND; JAILED AS THIEF

Rochester, Mich.—Louis Brown, 50 years old, Pontiac horseman, is under arrest here charged with grand larceny. He traded horses with Leroy Paine, local livestockman. Two hours later, becoming dissatisfied, he came back in the absence of Paine and it is alleged, took his horse and left the one he had traded for.

FLINT MAN JAILED TRYING TO VISIT FORMER WIFE

Flint, Mich.—Arrested while attempting to invade the home of his former wife, Perry Johnson is in jail for having violated the terms of his parole from the Ionia reformatory.

Failing in his efforts to get into the house, Johnson is said to have set fire to a sofa on the porch and thrown a brick through a window.

Johnson was sentenced for from six months to two years for drunkenness in April of last year and was paroled at the end of the minimum term of his sentence. While in prison his wife secured a divorce from him.

He will be returned to Ionia to serve out his sentence.

MICHIGAN BUGGY PLANT SOLD TO CHAR. B. HAYS

Federal Court at Grand Rapids Accepts Bid of \$51,000 for Plant.

Valued at \$250,000.

Kalamazoo, Mich.—Charles B. Hays will come into possession of the plant of the Michigan Buggy company, a property valued six months ago at \$250,000, for \$45,000. His bid has been accepted by the United States federal court at Grand Rapids. His bid was \$5,000 more than that made a few weeks previously by T. Willard Ready, of Niles. At the time Ready made his bid, he says that he was informed that the property would be turned over to him.

STOPS SERMON TO PUT OUT FLAMES

Kalamazoo, Mich.—When the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hewett, spied a blaze in the roof of a house near his church but in Oshkema township, he stopped his sermon, called upon his congregation for aid, and followed by about 30 men, ran to the burning house.

The pastor discovered sleeping in a crib the little babe of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Lee, which he carried to safety. The bucket brigade put out the blaze. Mr. and Mrs. Lee were in their garden.

After the fire had been put out, the pastor, members of the choir and his congregation returned to church where the pastor finished preaching.

FATHER OF MYSTERY GIRL KILLS SELF IN FAR NORTH

Kellogg Blows Top of Head Off With Shotgun at Home in Saskatchewan.

Alpena, Mich.—Alpena authorities have received word from Mrs. Esthel Kellogg, of Detroit, that her husband, from whom she was divorced some time ago, the father of Pearl Kellogg McMillan, the mystery girl, who was found dead in the McMillan home in March and for whose death Ephraim McMillan, foster father, is serving time in Jackson prison on a charge of manslaughter, had committed suicide in a small town in Saskatchewan. Worry and brooding over the untimely death of his daughter is responsible for the father taking his own life. He blew off the top of his head with a shotgun.

Hard on the Weather Man.

Milwaukee Sentinel: In Indiana a society of women meets weekly to pray for the elimination of tobacco, and in Kentucky the church people are praying for rain to save the tobacco crop, endangered from a prolonged drought. Any danger of the two kinds getting tangled?

"BOULLON KUB" NOW UNPOPULAR IN FRANCE; INNOCENT-LOOKING POSTERS CONTAINED SOME USEFUL INFORMATION



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Cable dispatches from Paris a few days ago told of a remarkable series of posters dotting the countryside of France. These posters, innocently advertising Bouillon Kub, a German soup preparation, were so cleverly printed by the German concern advertising the soup that they acted as signals to German army officers leading their troops through France. One of these "spy posters" is seen posted on the left of the building past which the French soldiers are marching en route to meet the Germans near the Alsace frontier.

The ingenuity of the signs was remarkable. Thus a square yellow poster would carry the information "Food in abundance found here," while a round red sign would advertise "this ground is mined." Many geometrical figures and most of the colors were utilized, and animal forms, flowers and even the American Stars and Stripes were employed to convey their messages of information. The minister of the interior got wind of the system and orders were telegraphed throughout France to destroy these posters. Bouillon Kub therefore is no longer advertised in France.

TIPPING HIS CUSTOMER.

Fruit Stand Man Got an Idea How to Change a Big Bill.

The fruit stand keeper near the ferry slip had made a fairly large sale, but when the customer handed him a five dollar bill his face became gloomy.

"I can't change that," he said. "Well, get it from the ticket office," said the buyer. "And hurry, because the boat will be going out in a minute."

The fruit seller took the bill and went over to the ticket window. The agent refused to change the bill and said:

"I've refused you a hundred times before. I tell you I won't do it."

The stand keeper didn't want to lose the sale and it looked as if he was going to. Then an idea struck him.

"Here," he said to the buyer, "you take the bill and buy your ticket with it and I'll let you take it out of the price of the fruit."

So the customer got his ride free.

Securing a Copyright.

Copyrights are granted for twenty-eight years, with a renewal of fourteen years additional—making in all forty-two years. To secure a copyright, it is necessary to send to the Librarian of Congress a printed copy of the title before publication, the fee being one dollar. Two copies of the article must be deposited in the Congressional Library at Washington.

HE WANTS MOVIES IN CHURCH AND SCHOOL



Duke of Manchester.

The Duke of Manchester is international vice president of the Church and School Society Service Bureau, which was recently formed in New York. The purpose of the bureau is to put motion pictures in the schools and churches of the country. Many prominent churchmen and educators are identified with the organization. Its president is Dr. William Carter, of New York.

British Hunting Hounds.

There are in England 12 packs of stag hounds, containing 295 couples; four packs in Ireland, containing 100 couples. The largest pack is the Queen's, 40 couples; next, the Earl of Coventry, kennels at Ascot Heath. Of fox hound packs there are 155 in England and Wales, containing 6,230 couples, in Scotland, nine packs, with 326 couples, and in Ireland, 117 packs, with 635 couples. There are also 124 packs of harriers and beagles in England and Wales, with 1,997 couples; 40 packs in Ireland, with 512 couples, and six packs in Scotland, with 118 couples. Thus more than 20,000 hounds are maintained exclusively for hunting in the United Kingdom.

Illuminated Projectiles.

The French navy has recently begun experiments with the luminous shell employed for a year past in America. These shells have a hollow in the rear end containing fireworks powder, which is inflated as the shell quits the gun, and leaves a luminous trail in the air, enabling the gunner at night to follow the course of his projectile, and determine whether or not it reaches its object. Without some device of this kind it is very difficult in firing over the sea in the darkness to ascertain whether the range is too long or too short. In the daytime a jet of water where the shell falls tells the story.

Salt on the Moon?

At the June meeting of the Royal Astronomical Society in London, Mr. H. G. Tomkins offered a new explanation of the long-standing mystery of the bright rays emanating from some of the so-called lunar craters. He thinks that they may be caused by salt efflorescence. To support his theory he showed photographs of saline regions in India and elsewhere, and maintained that there is evidence of a radial arrangement of terrestrial salt districts.

Measure Strength of Oarsmen.

Mr. W. C. Marshall, of the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale, has invented a pressure-recorder which, when substituted for the ordinary rowlock at the end of the outriggers of a racing shell, measures and registers the pressure exerted at every stroke of the oar. The varying force of the strokes during a long race can be ascertained, and it is intended to apply the machine in the selection and training of the university crews.

Alloys of Gold and Iron.

Iron and gold when melted together may be mixed in various proportions, and hardened or crystallized. Alloys containing 10 per cent of gold are harder than pure iron, but as the proportion of gold increases above that amount, the alloy becomes softer. Silver and iron do not form alloys.

Prepared for the Offerings.

A Kansas City druggist tells that a wealthy man came into his store Sunday morning and, throwing a dime on the showcase, said: "Give me two nickels for that, please!" "Going to try a slot machine?" asked the druggist, pleasantly. "No," replied the wealthy man. "I'm going to church."

WORKING ON THE CARS.

No Place Like New York for That, Says a Western Visitor.

"We have something of a reputation out West for hustling," said an Omaha man, "but I never saw such persons as New Yorkers, both men and women, for working on the surface, the subway and the elevated cars, to say nothing of the ferryboats. I wonder the companies don't find some plan for renting desk room in public conveyances. It is customary to see men reading on the cars everywhere, but you have to come to New York to find half the passengers on a car correcting typewritten manuscripts, humming over musical scores, casting up accounts in little memorandum books or on the back of an envelope, and poring over shorthand lessons."

"Persons studying foreign languages read them aloud on the cars and nobody appears to pay any attention to them except visitors from other cities."

The Dulcitone.

The dulcitone of Thomas Marshall of Glasgow has the keyboard of a piano, but the key hammers produce sound by striking steel forks—like wireless—tuning forks—instead of wires. A semicircular steel spring carries the vibrations from each fork to the sounding board. The tone is softer than that of the piano, but it has great clearness and carrying power and is adapted for solo playing as well as for accompanying other instruments or the voice. Important advantages are the lack of necessity of tuning and the portability. A dulcitone of five octaves weighs but forty-five pounds, but a piano of the same range has a weight of 250 pounds or more.

Reversible Turbines.

One of the objections urged against turbine-engines has been their inability to run backward as well as forward. John Ogg of Aberdeen has invented a form of turbine which avoids this difficulty. The steam enters the machine through a hollow axle, and thence acts upon the wings of the rotating disks mounted upon the axle. When it is desired to reverse the motion, a new set of disks, having their wings set at a reverse angle, are brought into play, and by means of grooved valves the steam is projected against them, thus producing a backward motion. The reversal of motion can be produced instantaneously.

Status of the Atomic Theory.

The suggestion has been made that, owing to recent discoveries, the atomic theory of the constitution of matter, established for a century, is no longer tenable, since particles smaller than atoms are now known to exist. But Prof. Herbert R. Moody points out that the theory is still as useful as ever, since, under the conditions that surround us on the earth, most atoms do not undergo change that can be discovered in any ordinary way. The atomic theory is based upon weightings and the changes in weight which atoms undergo are not such as can be detected.

DETROIT THEATRES

AT THE GAYETY

For G. A. R. week the Gayety has arranged to have that most popular of all shows, Rose Sydell's Company. This is a show that has pleased thousands from coast to coast, and this year there is a wealth of special features that will pack the house. It is a noted fact that the burlesque of past years has swung into a regime of its own with shows of the highest class—scenery, costumes, songs, dances and talent that would do credit to the finest musical comedy shows given regularly; and the Gayety serves the best procurable. The present show, The College Girls, is an exemplification of this rule, as it reveals some of the most entertaining novelties seen in a long time. Abe Reynolds and Florence Mills are both winners in every sense of the word, gaining laugh after laugh. The supporting company is very classy and maintains the standard set for this show. Those who have seen the College Girls are loud in its praise and it is best not to miss this sterling attraction. For G. A. R. days there have been arranged a few of those novelty specialties that come only on big occasions and every visitor to Detroit during the week of Aug. 30th should make it a definite point to drop in at the Gayety, 33 and 42 Cadillac Square, and see a burlesque show that embodies the full spirit of jollity and high class entertainment. Ladies' popular matinees are being held daily with large attendance.

AT THE FOLLY

The present show at the Folly, Detroit, is one of the strongest seen in some time. It features Tom Coyne, who is one of the funniest men on the burlesque stage; his work is making a decided hit. Florence Parker, Mable Leslie, Lena Daley and other sprightly girls all add to a big entertainment. The most sensational feature is Princess Ozara, the Oriental queen; whose Oriental dancing is a class by itself. The chorus is shapely, tuneful and reveals dancing of a gingery sort. The Tango Queens is one of those special shows that it does not pay to miss. The August 30th attraction has been designed to supply G. A. R. visitors the time of their lives. It is produced by Fulton and Howard, and entitled, The City Bells. There are a lot of pretty girls in the chorus who give glimpses of dancing and song in profusion. Sam Green and Charley Brown add to the fun contingent. Vera Bettina, Golden and Clark, Verdi Musical Trio, Mlle. Mazie, the Parisian sensation with her Fairyland Grotto, are also featured. Under Manager James' direction the cozy Folly, with its popular price schedule and high class shows, is making a warm spot for itself in the hearts of the "boys." During G. A. R. week every facility will be afforded to make the visitors have a fine time and see some specialties which will linger long the memories of those fortunate enough to be present.

Eye Troubles Overcome

In a recent visit to Detroit it was found that many Michigan folks have been in Detroit to cure eye troubles. The most scientific treatments and modern equipment are afforded in the city of Detroit and among the leading opticians is Van Vliet on Griswold, near the Griswold Hotel, the number 224. One of the best features of Dr. Van Vliet's service is the fact that he can test eyes and prepare glasses in a short time so that those who come to Detroit for the day can be readily accommodated. Dr. Van Vliet is a conscientious practitioner with a big record of curing strabismus, cataracts, near-sightedness and all eye troubles in children and always gives fullest satisfaction. When in Detroit have your eyes examined and treated by Dr. Van Vliet, 224 Griswold street. He will give fullest satisfaction.

Microscopic Writing.

A remarkable machine made by a lately deceased member of the Royal Microscopical Society for writing with a diamond seems to have been broken up by its inventor. A specimen of its work is the Lord's prayer of 227 letters, written in the 1,237,000 of a square inch, which is at the rate of 53,630,000 letters or 15 complete Bibles, to a single square inch. To decipher the writing it is necessary to use a 1-12-inch objective, which is the high power lens physicians employ for studying the most minute bacteria.

"Only Us Chickens."

The same thing that prompts one to say yes in answer to the query, "Are you asleep?" may have influenced the negro in the following story from Life:

It was a dark night, and the owner of the chicken-coop, gun in hand, was investigating certain suspicious noises he had heard.

"Who's in there?" he called at the open window.

Erastus, inside, replied softly and reassuringly, "Ain't nobody heah cep'in us chickens."

Brought Into Commerce.

The fruit of the garita tree is now being handled in fair commercial quantities for the production of a cheap type of vegetable grease, useful for the manufacture of soap and candles.

Criticism of Nature.

"It has always seemed to me that Nature is at fault," observes the Philosopher of Folly, "when she gives a man a mouth capable of biting off more than he can chew."



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COUNTRY STORES NOT HURT.

While the long fight for the parcel post was waging there was always one stock argument in opposition. That was the damage that would be done to the country stores. It was also felt by many merchants that it would drain the life blood out of retail trade in towns of some size.

The last bulletin of the National Association of Credit Men contains the result of an investigation into this question. "One of the questions asked was 'Are country stores suffering from the aggressiveness of the mail order houses?' This and other questions were sent to wholesale dealers. If the cross roads and small city man is growing, the sales manager for the jobbers hears it quickly enough.

The questions brought out no sentiment among the retailers that the parcel post was hurting them. But there was a general feeling that the new system removes a burdensome expense.

The extent of the tax imposed by the former heavy express charges was not realized. It came in dribbles. It was a quarter here, half a dollar there a dollar somewhere else. A good deal of the time it was charged up to the consumer. No doubt there were many circumstances under which the retailer felt he had to pay it to satisfy his customer.

In the long run the change may prove a good thing for the express companies. Under the old regime they could not have possibly considered themselves popular. Now they are advertising their claims and rates. The moment a corporation shows itself anxious to please and get business, that moment it has laid the foundation for popular favor.

Retail merchants, of course, must realize more work is going to be done by mail order sent to stores near home. They must be advertising, keep their goods before the outlying farmers of their territory, or their rival around the corner will get it.

STEEL CARS AND WRECKS.

A series of railroad wrecks coming in rapid succession seem to confirm the public's prejudice in place of wooden coaches. In every case many lives were saved. Another side of the question is suggested, however, by the well known railroad writer, James O. Fagan, in a letter to a New York paper. Mr. Fagan wants the question looked into carefully whether these wrecks in which so many lives are saved by steel cars are not caused by these same steel cars. The point he brings up is that the tracks are not heavy enough to stand the pressure of all-steel trains, and until tracks are strengthened such wrecks will occur with increasing regularity. Certainly it is a matter to be inquired into. The public demands steel cars because they do not crumble up in a wreck, but if steel cars are the cause of wrecks, the traveling public is between the devil and the deep sea. Mr. Fagan wants the commerce commission to investigate the question and report on the preparedness of the railroads to carry the additional weights of steel trains.

The English soldiers before marching to war were warned by the generals that they must always remember they were to be gentlemen, to avoid women and wine and looting. In other words they were just out for amusement and recreation in politely shooting their fellow men.

One thing worth considering about the punk condition of the sidewalks at Plymouth is that they are worse at Farmington.

Sad Accident.

Nothing was saved except the front wheels, the engine being badly cracked by the heat. Mr. Schneider lost a Panama hat, his gloves, inner castings and other extras. -Yakima (Wash.) Republic.

VISITORS HERE AND ELSEWHERE

Scott Montgomery spent Saturday and Sunday with Detroit friends.

Miss Margaret Yerkes entertained Miss Mary Blaisdell of Alma, Tuesday.

Miss Doris Haddock of Detroit was a Northville visitor a part of this week.

Frank Marsh of Clarkston visited Robt. Thompson and family last Saturday.

Miss Harriet Briggs of Toledo, O., was a week-end guest of Miss Margaret Yerkes.

Umphrey Burdick returned Tuesday from New York state, where he has been for some time.

Mrs. Amanda Pearson of Nason and grandmother visited Mrs. George Pearson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Blair of Detroit visited James Hamilton and sister, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mildred Wilkins of Highland Park visited her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Cobb, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford and children spent the week-end at the Huff cottage at Walled Lake.

Mrs. P. N. Hollowell of Marion, Ind., is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ellsworth.

Mrs. H. L. Hermans of Bowling Green, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ellsworth.

Mrs. Albert Vradenburg and daughter, Ruth, are spending a few days with friends at Bay City and Prescott.

Forest Kator of Pontiac and Jerry Kator of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Thompson last week.

Harold Turner is spending a part of his vacation with friends at Lansing, where he was formerly employed.

Miss Bertha Curless of Detroit accompanied her cousin, Miss Hazel Bovee, home from that city for the last week-end.

George Neal of Orion and Miss Aurora Madron of Chicago were guests of Northville relatives Friday and Saturday last.

Mrs. George Gilma and daughter, Ruth, returned home Tuesday from Cleveland, O., where they have been spending the summer.

Miss Ruth Vradenburg is enjoying a three weeks' vacation from her work as stenographer at the First and Old Detroit National bank.

Miss Mary Wience of Redford, Miss Carrie Peterson of Detroit and Miss Margaret and Ralph Ryan of this place spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hockett east of town.

Mrs. Kattie Harmon, Ada Vahler, Mae Lukins and Mae Power were guests of Mrs. C. C. Chadwick at a Sylvan lake cottage the latter is occupying with her family from Monday morning till Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hinkley were guests of Belleville relatives a part of last week during the Homecoming festivities. While there Hinkley umpired all the ball games and did the spare drum act with the local band.

Miss Edna Neilson left yesterday for Ithaca, having been engaged to teach in that city's schools this year. She will room with Mrs. Helen Bullis, formerly of this place, who will teach mathematics in the Ithaca High school.

E. N. Hines and wife and children of Detroit came out by auto Saturday afternoon. Mr. Hines went back to the city Sunday and Mrs. Hines stays here for a couple of weeks while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steers, visit in New York state.

Hort Woodman and wife of Lansing who have been camping at Walled Lake for the past two weeks, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Northrop. They left Tuesday for Lansing where Mr. Hort resumed his duties, Wednesday, as cashier in the state treasurer's office.

Miss Bessie Brooks of Birmingham, started Wednesday for Mullan, Idaho, where she will begin her second year's teaching of domestic science in the Mullan schools. She was accompanied by Miss Edith Prothero of Detroit, who also teaches in that city. The young ladies will stop off at Yellowstone Park, resuming their trip after a few days of sightseeing around the park.

Mrs. Earl Gregory is entertaining Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Heckhaus of

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Mrs. Arthur Todd and baby of Plymouth spent Tuesday with Mrs. Fred Tubbs.

Miss Mildred Harger of Detroit spent Monday and Tuesday with Aline McCully.

Mrs. Robt. McCully was called to Detroit Wednesday to attend the funeral of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nordman and daughter of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Maud Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Shipley visited little Ellsworth Thorne, who is ill in a hospital at Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Holt and daughter, Virginia, left last night for a few weeks' visit in St. Paul, Minnesota.

Henry Franklin leaves the first of next month for Grand Rapids, where he will enter a college for veterinary surgeons.

Mrs. Margaret Mory of Redford and Mrs. G. H. Campbell of Springwells were over Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. J. W. Kato.

Mrs. J. P. Tolford has returned from an extended visit among relatives in Adrian and vicinity. Mrs. Tolford is to occupy rooms at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Green on Main street.

Sam Penfold, a former Northville boy, is now located in Detroit where he represents a big New York lithographing house with offices in the Ford building. Sam is apparently doing well, and his many Northville friends are glad to know it.

Miss Helen Hines of Detroit, who has been staying at the J. H. Steers' home this week, had as her guests the Misses Laura Ballentine, Virginia Whaling and Leora Wright, all of Detroit. The four young ladies leave today for Sylvan lake where they will spend the week-end at a house party in the Wright cottage.

The bridge to the new cemetery will be open to light traffic by Wednesday of next week and the last of the week will be in a condition to support all travel. In construction, this bridge is one of the best pieces of work ever done in this county. The covering has been reinforced with concrete and its stability reflects great credit on M. A. Porter, who has had charge of the construction work.

WEEK'S CALENDAR

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

The closing Union services of the summer will be held in this church Sunday, Rev. Webber will preach, his subject being, "Impossible Alternatives."

There will be no morning church service, but Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m.

The Ladies' aid society of the church parlor - Wednesday Presbyterian church will meet in afternoon at 3 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Morning service at 10. Sermon topic: "Life's Subject and Object."

Union services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday night. Word has been received from Mr. Webber, stating that he has enjoyed his vacation and will be on hand for the evening service this Sunday. His subject will be, "Impossible Alternatives."

The Fourth Quarterly conference was held on Wednesday night. All phases of the work were revealed to be in the best condition. Yet there is room ahead. Let us plan for greater things next year.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY. Christian Science service in the Ladies' Library Sunday morning at 10:15. Subject: "Christ Jesus."

RECORD LINES PAY-TRY ONE.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM EDISON CO.

(Continued from page 1).

not undertake to operate a small steam plant the size of this one and run it twenty-four hours a day, and expect to make any money, with the character of load found in a Village like Northville.

When the Northville plant was started, this was the only method by which a small community could obtain electric service. Private capital would not, as a rule, go into as risky an undertaking as this. It was a case of the Village financing the business, or the continued use of kerosene lamps. At that time electricity could not be carried more than about four or five miles from the point of generation. During the last ten years, however, great changes have come about in the business which have changed the entire situation. One of these changes is the invention and development of the high tension system of transmission, by which electricity can be carried at least 150 to 200 miles with very little loss. Another change is the development of very large generating units running as high as 30,000 horse power in one steam turbine. The cost of making current in these large generating units is very much less than in the best of the small engines such as used at Northville.

These two developments alone have made it possible for current to be generated at one central point, in large units, and distributed over an area of several hundred miles radius, and delivered at any point in this district at less cost than it can be generated for at these points in small steam plants. It is this fact that makes the present Northville plant worth much less to the Village than it is to the Edison Company. It is not because it has been poorly managed. It is not because it is a municipal plant, although this usually has some bearing on the question, but the main reason is in the inherent nature of the business, as outlined above.

In regard to municipal enterprises in general. In the territory served by this Company there has been no municipal plant established since we have been doing business. Nor any tendency or agitation for a municipal plant. On the contrary, five or six small villages have sold their plants to this Company. There are certain services which are necessarily municipal undertakings. These are the absolutely universal necessities, such as water, school facilities, etc. It doesn't make any difference whether these are self supporting or not. Their cost is a legitimate charge to the general public, and it matters little whether this cost is collected in the general taxes, or in the form of service charges for that particular commodity, such as water rates. The electric light business is different. It is not an absolute necessity, and if there is a deficit in the operation of the municipal plant, as there is almost sure to be, it is hardly fair to the non-users to tax them for this deficit, or to pay interest on bonds covering a plant in which they are not directly interested.

In regard to rates for residence lighting, there is no doubt that the Detroit rate will average from twenty to twenty-five per cent less than the present Northville rate. The Detroit rate is based on the number of rooms in the house, and we have already obtained this information for several hundred houses, and will have all the houses rated within the next few days. Anyone desiring to know how the new rate will affect his home can have the new rate figured for his own house by any one of the Edison representatives who will be in town frequently during the next few weeks.

(Signed): EDISON ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

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Butcher Shop for Cats.

There is a butcher shop in New York city that is unique in one way at least. It has been there more than 30 years. From the very beginning its proprietor, in addition to his regular business, has made a specialty of furnishing appetizing meals for cats. Every morning there is set forth on a long counter about 100 trays of cats' meat.

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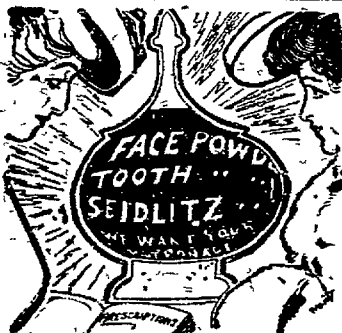
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Fair Warning.

One That Should Be Heeded by Northville Residents.

Frequently the first sign of kidney trouble is a slight ache or pain in the loins. Neglect of this warning makes the way easy for more serious troubles—dropsy, gravel, Bright's disease. It is well to pay attention to the first sign. Weak kidneys generally grow weaker and delay is often dangerous. Residents of this locality place reliance in Doan's Kidney Pills. This tested remedy has been used in kidney trouble over 50 years—is recommended all over the civilized world. Read the following: Mrs. R. Cole, Horton Ave., Northville, Mich., says: "Different ones of my family have used Doan's Kidney Pills with splendid results. One of us had a lame back and soreness across the loins. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved him of the trouble. Another suffered from trouble with the kidney, secretions and in this case, Doan's Kidney Pills also gave quick relief. We are all pleased to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills because we know just how good they are."

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Cars leave Northville for Farmington and Detroit at 5:45 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 9:15 p. m. 10:30 p. m. for Orchard Lake and Pontiac only 11:15 p. m. for Farmington Junction only 12:30 a. m.

Half hourly service Saturdays and Sundays between Detroit, Farmington Junction and Pontiac.

Northville to Plymouth, Wayne and Detroit.

Through cars leave Northville for Detroit at 5:30 a. m. and hourly to 7:30 p. m. 9:30 p. m. 11:30 p. m.

Leave Wayne for Northville at 5:44 a. m. 6:44 a. m. and hourly to 6:44 p. m. also 3:44 p. m. 10:16 p. m. and midnight.

WHAT THEY ARE PAYING.

The Northville Market corrected up to date:

Wheat—White, \$1.05. Red—\$1.05.

Oats—4c.

Shelled Corn—70c.

Hogs—live—\$8.35.

Dressed Hogs—\$10.50.

Lamb—\$7.50.

Veal Calves—\$4.00 per lb.

Beef Hides—10c.

Eggs—22c. Butter—25c.

HAPPENINGS IN LOCAL SOCIETY

Grapes ripe.

Everybody's camping.

School begins Monday.

State Fair tickets, here.

Mushrooms are plentiful.

Special election September 14.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" here today.

Green corn, cucumbers and watermelon month.

Only 119 days to Christmas; shop early.

Some hot Sunday and some cool Monday.

The further a man gets from his home the nearer it gets to his heart.

Money talks, but if you send it far away don't complain if you can't hear it.

We want to know when you have friends to eat "chicken dinner" or to visit you.

The Chas. Sessions house on West Main street is being treated to a new coat of paint.

The author, who said "clothes make the man," didn't mean mail order clothes.

Want any School children State Fair tickets? Free at the Record office for Sept. 12.

The basement is being dug for the new bungalow Roy Ambler will erect on West Cady street.

Charlie Sessions is operating a canning factory at Wayne and is doing a prosperous business.

An exchange gravely states that "another advantage in having a horse is that the model doesn't change every year."

The King's Daughters will meet with Miss Lida Coldren Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Joe Montgomery's pretty bay mare "Donna M." did some lively work at Belleville last week, taking three straight heats in the 2:30 pace.

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

For Rent, For Sale, Lost Found Wanted notices inserted under this head for 1 cent per word.

LOST—Rubber lined hand bag, containing baby clothes. Finder leave at Record office. 5w2p

FOUND—Small pocket bible printed in German language. Owner may have same by calling at this office proving property and paying 25c for this notice. 5w1

ANYONE—having a good farm to rent or sell, to give possession now or next spring, as can be arranged, write me, and in the market. Get my address from Neal Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Large parlor organ, 6 octave, natural oak finish and in splendid condition. Will sell very cheap if taken at once. Inquire at Record office.

FOR SALE—Tomatoes. Will deliver No. 1 earling tomatoes at your door. Phone 14, H. W. Looser, Northville. 5w2p

FOR SALE—Jumbo Brick cheap if taken at once. Good for all purposes. Alseum, Theatre, Northville. 5w1c

FOR SALE—Kalamazoo Cook Stove, nearly new. Apply to G. A. Sutton, S. Center street, Northville. 5w1p

FOR SALE—Seed timothy, clover and alfalfa. Northville Milling Co. 5w1

CARPENTER WORK WANTED—Let us figure on your building and repairing. Work guaranteed. Prices right. E. H. Thompson, phone 356W. 4w3p-1f.

\$75.00 buys a Johnston corn binder, good as new. Used 3 seasons on small farm. Chas. E. Bassett, Novi, Mich. 3-1f.

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DR. R. B. RUTH JEPSON, Osteopath. Graduate—American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Wis. Northville Tuesdays and Saturdays. Detroit office, Suite 301—244 Woodward Ave., Northville, office, Mrs. Frances Horton's, Main street. Phone 96-J. 191f.

Pumpkins are ripe.

Soon be Labor day.

State Fair Sept. 7-18.

Slight frost Monday night.

State Fair week from Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen, a girl, August 25.

Will Lanning has been laid up this week with a kick in his back.

Holly farmers are suffering from the depredations of sheep-killing dogs.

George Stanley has had the misfortune to lose one of his work horses by death.

Leo Lawrence has been drawn to serve as a juror for the September term of the circuit court.

Mrs. Harry Harmon of Detroit has been quite ill at her mother's home here, but is now better.

W. D. McCullough has been transferred by the Fisheries commission from Putnam Bay, Ohio, to the Northville station.

The regular covenant and business meeting of the Baptist church will be held Sept. 3, at 7:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

Will Tinham and Robt. Cameron drove to Marshall in the former's auto this week, to attend the races in which John Tinham had a horse entered.

Last week's Orion Review mentions Daniel Craft of this place as one of the guests of honor at the G. A. R. and W. R. C. picnic there August 15.

Why not an automobile club in Northville? An organization of that kind would be of much benefit in getting roads and streets put in proper condition.

Will J. Thompson is gaining the use of one eye since he had it operated on and is much improved in health. He will later on have his other eye operated on.

Doctors D. B. and T. B. Henry performed an operation for Mrs. Robert Thompson last week Wednesday, at her home west of town. She is doing very nicely at this writing.

"Tip" Lewis, formerly of this place, is practicing law in Detroit, having formed connections with some real estate firm there, with offices in the Ford building.

Mrs. Elmer Eaton of Detroit, who has been in that city's hospital for contagious diseases the past three weeks, ill with diphtheria, is now at her home, attended by a nurse.

At the next regular meeting of F. of A. at Catermole Hall, Friday evening, Sept. 4, the members and their friends will enjoy one of their old-fashioned dances. You are invited.

The stucco work on the new Alseum theatre gives the building a very imposing and attractive appearance. It is expected that the theatre will be opened some time in September.

Miss Alene McCully was greatly surprised last Thursday evening, when, on returning home from the Chautauqua, she found ten of her girl friends waiting to help celebrate her seventeenth birthday.

Home-comings and family reunions are so numerous that they seem to have become an epidemic in this section of Michigan, at least. Unlike other epidemics, however, they are usually very enjoyable.

Northville horses were in evidence as winners at the Ann Arbor and Jackson races last week. VanVleet took first money at Jackson and Markham at Ann Arbor, in some fine sprinting.

South Lyon voters registered a tie on their new school building proposition, so they can't have it unless they call another election and induce some of the enfranchised citizens to change their minds, and others to stick to their former opinions.

Isn't it wonderful what far-reaching effects the European war has? To illustrate: Because of the war, our local barbers have found it necessary (2) to raise the price of both a shave and haircut. It will be a close shave for some of us, at the increased rates, but "Safety First" may help out a little.

A real English cross-country fox hunt is to be staged over in Oakland county, among the Bloomfield hills this fall—that is, it will be all real except the fox, which will be represented by an anise seed bag. The hounds, the riding, the fence jumping, etc., are to be sure-nuff sport. No barbed wire fences permitted on the course.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

VACATION.

W. L. TINHAM, C. C.

C. B. Bristol, K. of R. & S.

"John Tinham's 'Juneta' won the Futurity race in a walk away at Marshall Wednesday, taking the first two heats in less than 2:35.

Will Lockwood is suffering from a cataract which is growing on one of his eyes and he is so bad off that he is unable to get down town.

Frank Butler turned his herd of valuable Holstein cows into an Alfalfa field Wednesday morning and, by 11 o'clock two of them were dead, despite the efforts of a veterinary who was called. Needless to say, Mr. Butler hustled the remainder of the herd out of that field in double quick time.

The P. M. railway company has this week repaired in fine shape their crossings just northeast of the Condensery and also the one at the Plymouth-Northville town line. The Record called the P. M. officials' attention to the poor condition of the crossings and they very kindly ordered the repairing done at once.

Miss Grace Pierce wishes us to state through these columns that all those who attended High School last year are invited to attend her marriage to Rev. Dow Nagle, to take place in the M. E. church Wednesday evening, Sept. 2, at 6 o'clock. By telling the ushers at the door, that they were High School students last year, they will be seated in that portion of the church reserved for them.

EX-GOV. OSBORN IS NOMINATED

The latest returns give the Republican nomination for Governor to Chase S. Osborn, of the "Soo," by about 10,000 plurality.

PRIMARY ELECTION WAS VERY QUIET.

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votes of which Ellis had 5, Groesbeck 26, Linton 12, Martindale 4, O'Brien 22.

For Lieutenant Governor, Dickinson of Eaton county had 41 votes to Hennehan of Wayne 32.

For Representative in the Legislature, Gayda of Plymouth 51, Gotts of Sumpter 16.

Probate Judge—Hulbert 80, Palmer 70, scattering 9.

Prosecuting Attorney—Frazer 91, Owens 14.

County Clerk—Green 59, Farrell 45.

Delegates to County convention—W. A. Ely, E. A. Noble, D. C. Jinkins.

There were indications that people were satisfied with general conditions and didn't seem to want to be bothered about votes. A number of Democrats took occasion to use the Republican column for Osborn on the argument that he would be the easiest man for Ferris to beat.

FINE FOR CARRIERS, IF TRIF.

Postmaster Burleson has recommended the supplanting of horses on rural routes by automobiles. Along with the recommendation goes a suggestion for an increase in the length of standard routes to fifty miles. The present length is twenty-four miles.

The house committee on postoffices and postroads incorporated these recommendations in the bill which it reported to the house, proposing to pay rural carriers with automobiles routes of fifty miles in length, \$1,800 per year for their work. The present pay is \$1,200 with no allowance for horses or equipment. The additional \$600 is put in the new bill for the purchase and maintenance of automobiles of the cheaper grade.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the Knights Templar and Knights of Pythias for the beautiful floral offerings and kind assistance in our bereavement in the loss of our dear husband and father.

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Chickens are a nice thing to have about. They look nice. They are useful. The roosters wake us up in the morning and tell us when there is to be a change of weather, while the hens lay nice eggs and hatch broods of down chicks that develop into spring fliers, and when the old hens become veterans because they have been pets or escaped getting their heads knocked off for getting into other people's gardens, they are shipped to Chicago and served in the restaurants as "springers."

The latest fad in society is the tub cure. In this the patient arises just as the crisp air of the morning is mellowed by the first sunbeam. An ordinary washtub is then filled with hot water and soap suds, into which various articles of linen are thrown. After they are thoroughly saturated the patient takes them up one at a time and rubs them briskly up and down on a washboard placed in the tub. This is kept up until the hands, arms and face are a glowing pink.

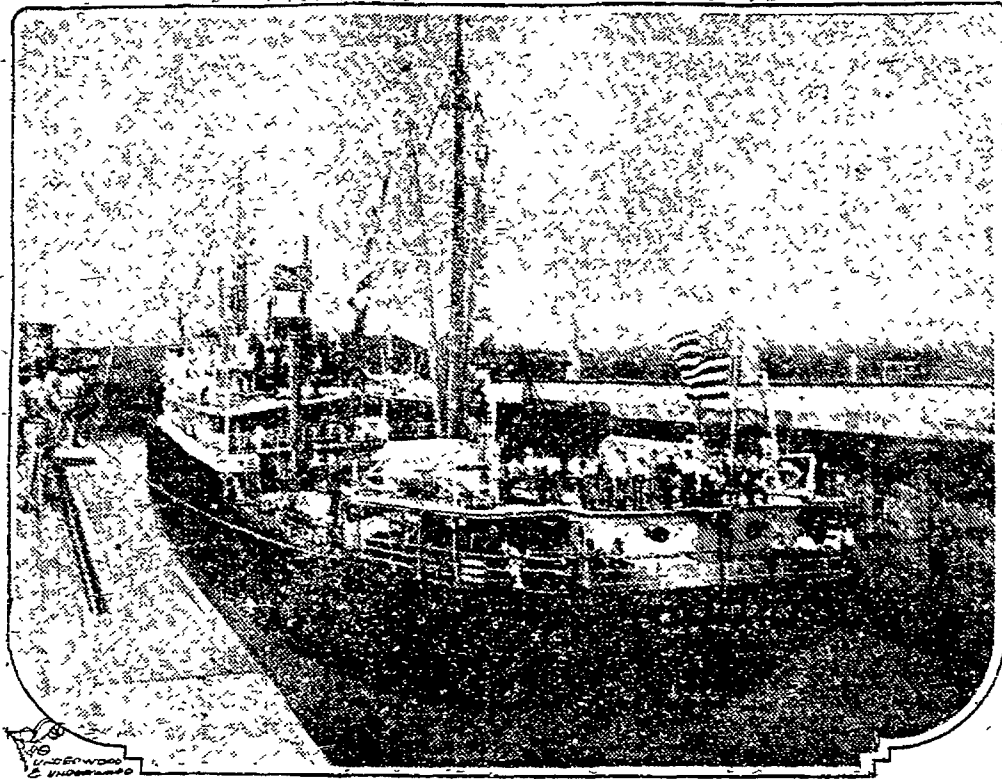
The patient then goes into the open air and hangs all the linen articles on a line stretched for that purpose. The one completing the task first announces the time to the others over the telephone, and is entitled to a prize. It is exciting sport and also invigorating exercise.

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Detroit News Linger Ads received at the Northville Record Office.

FIRST VESSEL TO MAKE CONTINUOUS TRIP THROUGH CANAL WILL BE USED BY UNCLE SAM TO BRING REFUGES HOME



S. S. Christobal, passing through Gatun locks on August 3.

The steamship Christobal of the Panama Railway Company has just been selected by Secretary of War Garrison as one of the vessels to be used in bringing American refugees stranded in Europe back home. The photo shows the Christobal making the first trip, August 3, from sea level to sea level. The trip was accomplished in 11 hours and 28 minutes. The Christobal will be brought to Newport News, there to be fitted out and provisioned for the rescue work in which she is to be engaged.

Helpful Beauty Hints

American Women Would be the most Graceful in the World if They Would be Careful in the Management of their Feet—A Frenchman's Verdict.

The American woman would be the most graceful woman in the world if she would only learn the graceful management of her feet.

This was the verdict of a well-known Frenchman who visited this country recently and who appeared to derive considerable amusement from watching the awkward walk of the American woman as illustrated by the pedestrians. The women were all well dressed, wearing the customary "hobble" skirt which is said to be a past-vogue but still appears to be a conspicuous feature, and the rather conspicuous shoes which are a popular fad of today.

Not only does this latest critic accuse the American woman of ungainly movement, but a well-known dancing teacher, who is most heartily with the Frenchman, and goes so far as to add that the American woman is really in need of a course in "graceful walking."

It is another example of the danger of slipping a criticism set by a Frenchman, who is said to be a well-known dancing teacher, who is most heartily with the Frenchman, and goes so far as to add that the American woman is really in need of a course in "graceful walking."

Another woman hastily altered the fashion without thinking that it would be the last time. The history of the fashion of the feet form a conspicuous part of the fashion calendar. There are criticisms, of course, but they are to be expected.

Beyond a little drilling in the management of her feet which she gets in the hobble-skirt, short-skirted period of her life, the American woman is never taught the necessity of graceful control of her feet.

Now comes suddenly this "graceful" skirted vogue and her feet are revealed in all their pigeon-toed or sprawling awkwardness. Not all of them, of course, for some are naturally graceful, from the top of the head to the tip of the toe.

Women are fully aware that the new skirt makes smart shoes and stockings absolutely de rigueur, but they forget that smart shoes and stockings draw special attention to the feet and make it equally compulsory that they should place them gracefully.

An Oily Complexion.

Below is a formula which will give temporary relief to the excessive oiliness, but this trouble is generally more than skin-deep and a little self-denial in the matter of rich food, fried things and pastries, will bring about a permanent cure. The friction of a complexion brush will also help in cleansing the skin and opening the obstructed pores.

Puritized borax, 1 ounce; pure glycerine, 2 ounces; camphor water (not spirits of camphor), 2 quarts. The skin should be bathed with this lotion two or three times a day, and the treatment should be persisted in for three months at least.

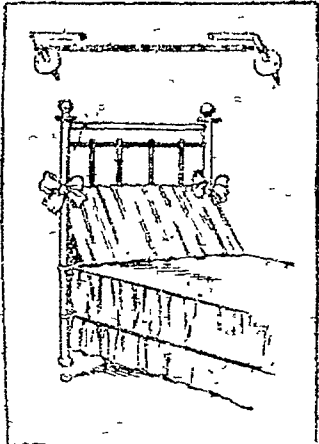
To clear the complexion take outdoor exercise, eat wholesome food, have at least eight hours' sleep out of every twenty-four hours and take a laxative occasionally.

Food for the Complexion.

Although some authorities say that milk was never intended by nature as a food for adults, others state that no food does so much to build up a substantial body, with strong white teeth, strong nails, bright eyes, beautiful hair and a soft, smooth skin. The reason it does not appear to agree with many people is attributed not to any quality of its own but to the fact that it does not care to associate with many of the things that most human creatures are in the habit of putting into their stomachs. It seldom tolerates alcohol, and it doesn't like vinegar, mustard, pepper, pickles or any sort of highly flavored or salted foods.

Easily Adjusted Curtain Rod.

An improvement has been recently made in the manufacture of curtain rods which make use of a stiff spring to support the back curtain of any pleated or draped. The advantage of this is that these rods are very easily put up and because of their construction such a rod will fit any window. Simply speaking, they are not rods, but they answer the same purpose. The rod consists of a stiff spring which will fit the opening of a large window as well as a narrow one, because of its stretching quality. The ends are secured by means of a hook, screw into place, or by



Rod to Fit Any Window.

A little bracket, which proves to be the more convenient. The feature of universal application of this article makes it desirable.

Attractive Looking Bureau.

Anyone who has a bureau with a square mirror can fix it up quite pretty. Take post cards (views, comic or any other kind) and slide them in between the glass and frame all around the edges. If inclined to slip, push a pin in with them. I have mine on all four sides of the mirror and one can hardly realize what a change it makes from a bare looking glass. I change my cards each week when I clean my room and put up others and wash my glass when I change the cards, and it is interesting for my friends to look at the cards while in my room. Even snap shots can be put in the same way, also post card pictures of your friends in each corner makes an interesting bureau. —Miss Ethel M. Arnold.

Most fathers spend half their time trying to make the baby laugh, and when the kid grows up it puts in overtime trying to make the old man cry. Sort of getting its own back.

The happiest woman is not the one who takes her husband with a grain of salt, but the one who takes him, like medicine, with blind faith. The aristocracy is made up of folks that have to look rich, however poor they are.

A little rouge covers a multitude of skins.

WHEN A FISHHOOK SNAGS.

Two Simple but Ingenious Methods of Releasing It.

In Ireland when an angler's hook catches in a root under water he cuts a willow sprout, bends it into a hoop, passes it over rod and line and lets it float beyond the obstruction, when a sharp pull on the line generally frees the hook.

In England, says a writer in *Forest and Stream*, an angler has improved on this method. In his kit he carries several of the wire paper clips used in filing letters. If his hook becomes snagged he attaches the clip to a bit of brush, then springs the clip over his line, and when the branch has floated beyond the snagged hook the clip acts as a pulley in freeing it. He says it is an effective and cheap clearing ring, and it is not heavy.

A Peculiar Name.

There is a post hamlet in Cass County, Missouri, with nothing peculiar about it except its name, and that is Peculiar. Its origin, according to local traditions, was as follows:

When the settlement had become sufficiently populous to need a postoffice, one of the prominent citizens sent a petition to Washington to have one established. In due course the petition was granted and he was asked to suggest a name that would please the people. He replied: "The people are not particular so long as the name is peculiar."

The coupon the postoffice was christened Peculiar, and the name has never been changed.

Dangerous Insects.

Recent investigations have shown that the notorious tsetse of Africa is not the only insect capable of transmitting the dreadful trypanosomiasis, or sleeping-sickness. In the neighborhood of Brazzaville exists an insect, of the genus *Chrysopa*, which propagates the same infection, and Doctor Martin now announces that trypanosomes are evolved in the body of a mosquito of the genus *Sergomyia*, another species of which is known as the propagator of yellow fever in America. The more the subject is studied, the more dangerous insects appear as spreaders of disease.

Shorthand Without Hands.

A youth of fifteen named Fossneck, who two years ago lost both his hands in a machinery accident at Arnstadt, has accomplished the remarkable feat of gaining a speed certificate for shorthand. After his mishap by which his hands were cut off at the wrists, he was received into a cripples' home. The Duke of Saxe-Meinungen, one of the patrons, took an active interest in the lad and paid for two artificial hands. The cripple soon became so expert in their use that he is an excellent penman and can write shorthand at the rate of 115 words per minute. —London Tit-Bits.

Confusion of Tongues in India.

India has about 150 different languages, most of them unwritten, and it not infrequently happens that Indians drift into Calcutta who can find no one able to understand their vernacular. Not a little trouble is caused by such visitors. The courts too frequently have trouble with litigants and witnesses who talk a language that neither the Court nor the court interpreters understand. —Consular Report.

An Inherited Failing.

A native of Annam, Indo-China, sentenced in Paris for theft, wrote the following apology to his employer: "All Annamites, whether emperors, mandarins, secretaries, literary men and others, are born thieves. It is a grave and deadly complaint, and there is no cure for it. I know people do not like thieves in France, but it cannot be helped."

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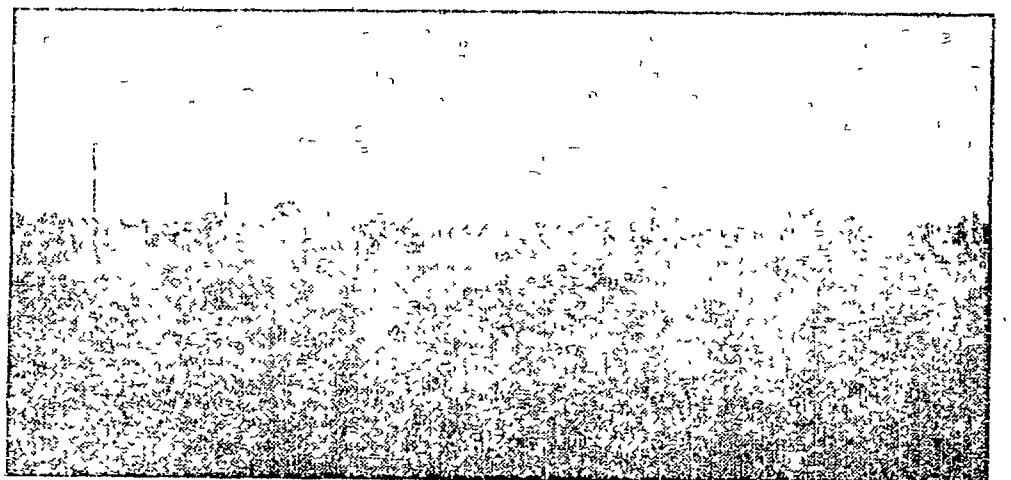
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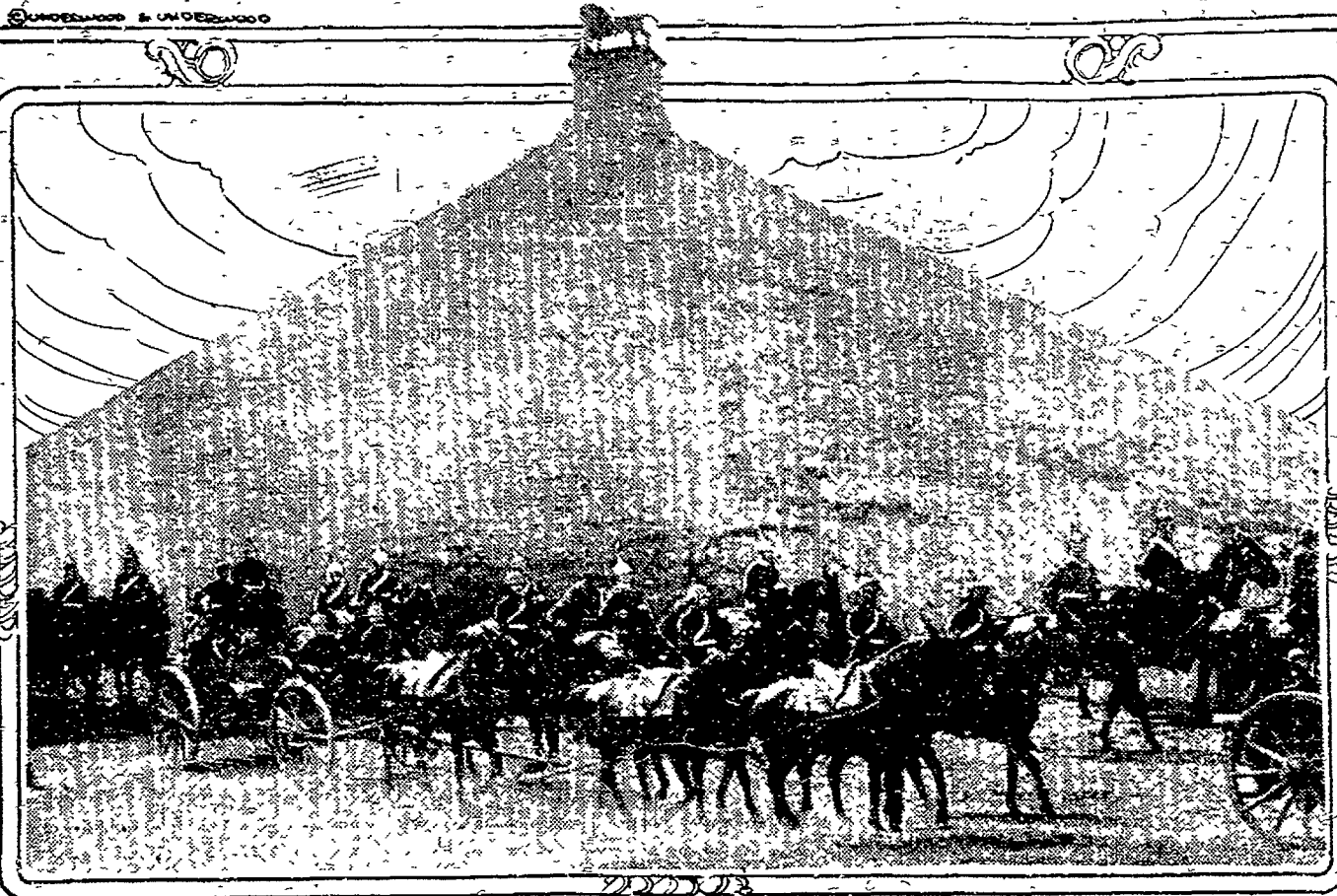
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The Lion of Waterloo on its 200-foot mound is in the center of the famous battleground about ten miles outside the city of Brussels, Belgium. On this famous battlefield, where in 1815 54,000 men lost their lives and Napoleon went down to defeat, the allied forces of Europe may soon be engaged in the decisive battle which will terminate the war.

RETURN TICKET SAVES BRIDEGROOM FROM ARMY

Charles Ford, Battle Creek Banker, Nearly Has to Fight for England. Battle Creek, Mich.—It pays to buy a return trip ticket when you are on your honeymoon—especially if you are Canadian and go to your native land with your bride, according to Charles Ford, local banker, who went to visit his parents in Ontario on his wedding trip.

POINT EDWARD WIRELESS STATION UNDER GUARD

Sarnia City Council Officers Alarms to Volunteers for European Service. Port Huron, Mich.—The wireless station at Point Edward is under guard as a result of the attempt made on the station at Port Arthur. On a sergeant and six men of the Twenty-seventh regiment are on duty day and night.

Seizing a Trade Opportunity

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: What are the mercantile and manufacturing interests of America doing to avail themselves of the amazing opportunities for foreign trade suddenly opened to them in consequence of the great war? To move quickly and effectively for grasping this trade through such wise policies as will insure its permanent retention is not taking unfair advantage of our great rivals in finance and commerce. While a great part of the people of those rival countries are engaged in war and another part in the manufacture of materials for carrying on the fighting, wants of the world's peoples who are at peace must be supplied. South American diplomats and business men are appealing to our dealers and exporters and industrial leaders to furnish them with needful things, for which they can no longer look to Europe. The trade of their Continent with the nations whose productive capacity has now undergone almost complete paralysis amounted last year to \$1,600,000,000. For the things that Continent has to sell, the closing of many ports in Europe must affect the market. However, of these things, we ourselves have been accustomed to take a very large proportion, which will not be affected by the disturbance abroad. Of the things they have to buy Europe has heretofore applied a large percentage; we a very small percentage. With vigorous initiative on our part these percentages can be reversed. Asia's \$25,000,000 of people, in nearly 17,000,000 square miles of territory, will continue to have needs irrespective of Europe's ability to meet them. So will the islands of the Pacific. The war has destroyed trade conditions and the trade relations to which the world had adjusted itself for a hundred years. The necessity for an entire readjustment creates the chance to transfer world commercial supremacy in carrying degrees from London, from Liverpool from Antwerp, from Hamburg, from Marseilles, from Odessa, to New York, to Boston, to St. Louis, to Philadelphia, to Galveston, to Mobile, to New Orleans, to San Francisco. Is this chance to pass without the most energetic and intelligent and resourceful effort on our part to utilize

7,474,000 Men Answer First Call; 32,541,000 Men Can Be Put in Field

Russia has ordered a complete mobilization of her entire army in European Russia.

Germany has ordered a complete mobilization of her forces, naval and military.

France has called to the colors every available reserve.

Austria already has her complete strength in the field.

Servia has called out every able-bodied man in the army.

England has practically cut off communication with the rest of the world. Her fleet is mobilized and cleared for action and it is believed that the reserves have been summoned to the colors.

Italy, though an ally of Austria and Germany, is "on the fence" and may even throw her strength to England, France and Russia.

According to the latest authentic figures at the United States War Department's intelligence office in Washington, the strength of the existing nations in the preliminary stages of mobilization will be:

COUNTRY	Men	Ships
Russia	1,550,000	163
Germany	1,850,000	232
Austria	820,000	78
Servia	460,000	1
England	600,000	17
France	1,300,000	16
Italy	600,000	11
Totals	3,800,000	14,744,000

This would be the first mobilization. All the nations except England could then call upon an immense trained reserve. The first clash, however, would call 7,474,000 men to the colors.

When the elder reserves are called the strength of the nations involved would be:

COUNTRY	Peace strength	Reserves	War strength	Total
Germany	870,000	4,000,000	5,200,000	1,000,000
Russia	1,290,000	3,300,000	5,500,000	3,200,000
France	720,000	2,280,000	4,000,000	1,000,000
Austria	59,000	1,610,000	2,000,000	3,600,000
Servia	32,000	329,000	361,000	150,000
England	254,500	476,500	730,000	2,000,000
Italy	250,000	950,000	1,200,000	1,200,000
Totals	3,800,000	14,744,000	18,091,000	12,510,000

Taking the armed strength of the seven nations—trained and untrained men, between the ages of 16 and 65, able to bear arms—the stupendous total of 32,541,000 men could be engaged in the forthcoming war.

DAY'S CANAL TOLLS, \$25,000.

Total Receipts Up to Present Time Amount to \$100,000.

Panama.—The sum of \$25,000 was taken in one day tolls by the Panama canal, which was officially opened Saturday, August 15.

The total receipts in canal tolls up to the present time amount to \$100,000. Of this sum \$25,000 was collected from the barge line which has been using the waterway for some weeks past.

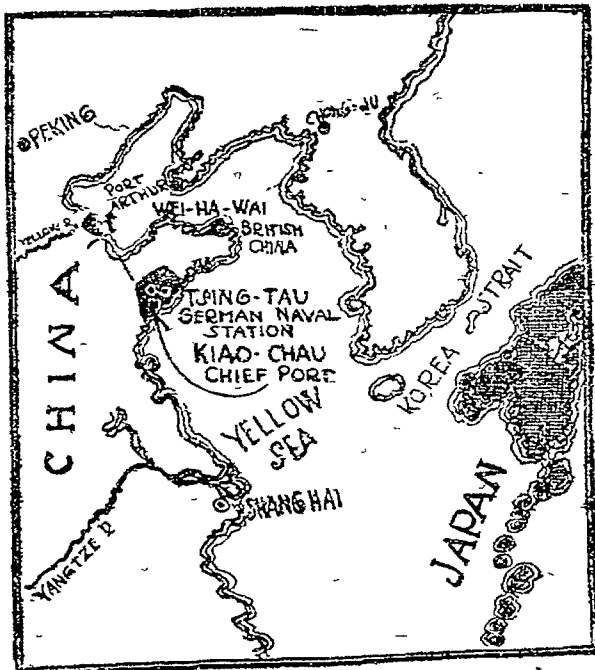
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HERE'S MAP SHOWING TERRITORY IN CHINA, JAPAN WANTS GERMANY TO CEDE



Ever since the German fleet sailed into the harbor of Kiau-Chau, China sixteen years ago, and claimed the city and two hundred square miles of surrounding territory as indemnity for alleged attacks on German missionaries, Japan's avowed intention has been to restore it to her oriental neighbor. The present war in Europe gives Japan an opportunity to wrest the usurped territory from the Germans. Keen observers of far eastern affairs believe that Japan will never voluntarily return the Kiau-Chau territory to China should Japan gain possession of it temporarily. Germany has until noon on August 23 to withdraw from Kiau-Chau. No one believes she will give up the Chinese territory without a struggle, and it is expected that war will be

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Novi News.

Charles Rice of Lansing is visiting his mother.

August and May Holcomb are visiting relatives in Canada.

The Misses Genevieve and Ruth Durfee were Detroit visitors over Sunday.

A family from northern Michigan has moved into the Arthur Simmons house here.

Perry Taylor returned the first of caring for her mother, Mrs. Ellen.

The week from Alpena where he had been visiting.

Mrs. John McHenry and children of Bay City are visiting her sister, Mrs. Burton Munro.

Nellie and George Hugger of Plymouth visited their aunt, Mrs. Geo. Goodell, over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Rice and son are visiting the former's brother, John Hurst, at Ray, Indiana.

Mrs. Barron of Groveland is here.

wood, who was so badly hurt a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. Delos Leavenworth and Miss Vera Clark of Ypsilanti are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks of Novi and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks of Northville visited friends at Coleman, Clare and Shepherd from Friday till Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Putnam and daughter and Mrs. Henry Stillwell and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Seeley at Pontiac. The Seeley family will soon move to Muskegon.

Mrs. Naomi Kent of this place and sister, Mrs. F. E. Mahon of Pikesville, Mich., are visiting friends and relatives in Northville, Livonia, Detroit and Windsor, also taking some of the lake trips.

Miss Hazel Wilcox successfully passed the Third grade teachers' examinations for Oakland county, given at Pontiac last week. Miss Wilcox will teach in one of Novi's district schools this year.

The death of Mrs. Newton Wixom, Friday, August 21, was a great shock to her many friends. She had only been sick a little while with typhoid fever. The burial was made Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house.

Most disgusting skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended \$1.00 at all stores.

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Making Mistakes.

The wisest man is likely to make a mistake, but he is the wisest man who makes another like it.

Diplomacy.

Diplomacy is the art of applying the principle of the double cross.

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Cared of Indigestion.

Mrs. Sadie P. Clawson, Ind., Pa., was bothered with indigestion. "My stomach pained me night and day," she writes. "I would feel bloated and have headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted on my trying them. They helped me as nothing else has done." For sale by all dealers. —Advertisement.

Gilt Edge Gatherings.

Harry Landow of Livonia spent Saturday with Thomas Hobbins.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Garchow spent Sunday with R. Wolfson's at Farmington.

Helen Tuck spent Wednesday with her cousin, Ina Wolfson, at Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harlan spent Sunday with relatives at Farmington.

Pauline Pickett of Farmington spent Sunday afternoon with Helen Bradley.

Mrs. B. Tuck and daughter were guests of A. Lyons at Plymouth, Thursday.

William Dickerson of Farmington visited with Mahon Bradley Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bradley and son were guests of Chas. Mosher's, at Pontiac, Sunday.

One way to relieve habitual constipation is to take regularly a mild laxative. Don's Regulets are recommended for this purpose. 25c a box at all drug stores.

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Farmington News.

A canning establishment was opened here last week, under the supervision of Chas. Ely. The first day's run showed about 1,000 tins of food, mostly tomatoes, the local concern paying 50c a bushel.

The Misses Mildred Adams, Nettie Dickerson, Blanche Angeline and Mae DeWey, of this place successfully passed the Third grade teachers' examinations granted at Pontiac last week.

Louis Gildemeister lived at his home here Sunday morning at the age of 55 years. Mr. Gildemeister came here from Germany in the late eighties to visit his sister, Mrs. Chris Spaller and while here secured employment in the Yerkess mill at Northville. He had become a miller's apprentice while yet in the old country. In 1887 he was married to Miss Amanda Pasch of Detroit. In 1889 they moved to Farmington where Mr. Gildemeister built the mill and has since conducted a successful business and has won the highest esteem of all who knew him. Three years ago he and his wife and daughters, Emma and Martha, visited his old home in Germany. Last spring however, after an operation which afforded him no relief he began to fail and finally died. He was buried in the village cemetery. —Advertisement.

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former's brother, M. S. Pratt, and family.

Miss Etta Mowry of near Sears, is visiting her brother, E. A. Mowry and family and other relatives here.

L. R. Stevens accompanied his brothers to Warren, Ohio, last Thursday to attend a family reunion.

F. H. Lee and family of Wyandotte returned to their home after a visit with the former's parents, Lester Lee and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Austin and son, Franklin, of Lansingburg were guests of Mrs. Austin's sister, Mrs. Edie Burgess, recently.

Ralph and Russell Parker of East Lansing are visiting their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Decker, and Mrs. Edna Parker.

The Misses Helen, Smith, Hazel and Hilda Furman gave a miscellaneous shower for Miss Zela Hopkins Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Kimmis and daughter, Mrs. Irene Mitchell and granddaughter, Aletha Mitchell of Lansingburg, were guests of the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ed. Burgess, last week.

For earache, toothache, pains, burns, scalds, sore throat, try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, a splendid remedy for emergencies.

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If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success. Sam F. Guin, Whatley, Ala., writes, "I had measles and got caught out in the rain, and it settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time, and had it not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not possibly have lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy, I am now well and strong." For sale by all dealers. —Advertisement.

BELIEVE FOR SHEEP MEAN A NEW INDUSTRY.

Great Interest Taken in American Experiment—Lamb's Exhibited Here.

Great interest is being taken all over the world in the experiments which E. Dawley of Fayetteville, N. Y., is making in raising fur sheep. The rare breed which will be one of the attractions at the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 7-18. For some years Mr. Dawley has been carrying on this work, and his efforts have met with marked success, so much so that those interested in the fur trade believe raising Persian lamb fur will be to the sheep business what the development of the Husheer has been to the cattle industry.

This year a large percentage of the grade Persian lambs which were dropped have had skins of exceptional value for fur. The best lamb had a skin equal to the highest priced imported lamb skin, and its dam was a half blood Lincoln ewe, so that the lamb carried only three-fourths of the Persian blood. The pure bred fur sheep are somewhat more nervous than the domestic sheep, but they are vigorous and grow rapidly and make a most valuable cross for meat or early lamb production on all the breeds which do well in America.

Mr. Dawley has experienced difficulty in the importation of these sheep, as the Persians realize the advantage of keeping a monopoly on the lamb fur business. Their exportation now has been stopped. Last year over \$14,000, 000 worth of Persian lamb fur was imported.

OLD SOLDIERS AGAIN TO BE GUESTS OF STATE FAIR.

Tuesday, Sept. 8, is Day-G. A. R. Button is Admission Badge.

Tuesday Sept. 8, will be Old Soldiers' day at the Michigan State Fair.

The invitation issued last year by the Fair management to the old soldiers in the state was accepted in such a hearty spirit and the veterans had such a splendid time that they are asked to come again.

In his letter to the old soldiers General Manager Dickinson says:

"The management of the Michigan State Fair, desiring to recognize the old soldiers of Michigan, extends to them an invitation to spend Tuesday, Sept. 8, at the State Fair. It was thought best to set aside a special day for this occasion that we might make every arrangement for your entertainment. The only requirement for admission will be the wearing of the regulation Grand Army button. A special tent will be provided, where the members may get together and talk over reminiscences. We trust that all members who are able to attend will be with us to enjoy a day's recreation and witness the great display of Michigan's agricultural and industrial exhibits."

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REGISTRATION AND ELECTION NOTICE

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Village of Northville, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, that a Special Election will be held at the Village Hall in said Village on Monday, the 17th day of September, 1914, at which election they will be submitted to the election for the purpose of the election of a franchise to the Eastern Michigan Edison Company, a New York Corporation, to construct, maintain and operate in the Village of Northville, Michigan, all needed and proper poles, wires, conduits and other apparatus requisite for the transmission and distribution of electricity for public and private use, subject, however, to all conditions and restrictions of said franchise, as passed at a session of the Village Council of Northville, Michigan, held on the 17th day of August, 1914.

A copy of said franchise is on file with the Village Clerk and is open to the inspection of the electors of said Village.

At said election the form of ballot will be as follows:

In favor of the acceptance of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars (\$36,000.00) for the Northville Electric Light Plant from the Eastern Michigan Edison Company, a New York Corporation, its successors, and assigns, granting a franchise to the Eastern Michigan Edison Company, to construct, maintain and operate in the public streets, highways, alleys and other public places in the Village of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan, all needed and proper poles, wires, conduits and other apparatus requisite for the transmission and distribution of electricity for public and private use, subject, however, to all conditions and restrictions of said franchise, as passed at a session of the Village Council of said Village, held on the 17th day of August, 1914.

YES. ()

No. ()

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

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

The Board of Registration will be in session at the Village Hall, on Saturday, the 17th day of September, 1914, from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of holding the registration of electors of said Village.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1914.

THOMAS E. MURDOCK,
Village Clerk.

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