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FOUR MEN MET A HORRIBLE DEATH

Asleep In a Shack They Were Burned Beyond Recognition—All Identified.

Four men, believed to have been E. J. Thompson, Barney Roach, Virgil Cross, and Claude VanValkenburg, were burned to death Wednesday afternoon when Thompson's house on the Baseline road was destroyed by fire. William Tarr discovered smoke pouring out of the Thompson cottage about 1:30 and he started for the scene of the fire calling to some neighbors working in an orchard across from the Thompson place. When the men reached the house the building was in flames and they found the door fastened from the inside. They beat the noise and finally broke out the window but the heat was so intense they could make no further investigation. The fact that Barney Roach's Ford sedan stood in the yard led the men to believe that some one was in the house but not until the building had collapsed did the fire had destroyed much of the frame work could their fears be verified. Finally as the flames subsided those who had been attracted to the scene were horrified to discover four bodies burned beyond recognition.

A check-up was made of those who frequently visited Thompson's place and the four men mentioned were found to be missing. After the fire had burned itself out certain articles were found about the bodies by which they were identified.

The Thompson home was a small building, one story, 20x25 feet in size and burned like tinder box.

The Northville fire department and neighbors responded to the call for help but no water was available

at that could be drawn up to apply the chemical.

The Thompson home being over in York township the fire's bite at York was suffered and Dr. Paul Shantz, Dr. G. G. Warren and Dr. F. H. Hobbs were soon on the scene and they in turn called the coroner.

After the coroner had investigated the scene the bodies were taken to Schrader Brothers' undertaking parlors.

The men had been drinking the day and night before and during the forenoon and it is believed they were asleep when the fire broke out.

Let us hope that was the case and that they were unconscious after the terrible fate which awaited them.

All the unfortunate fellows were dry well wrapped and in spite of the fact that they were relatives and friends did they seem to regret to leave the scene.

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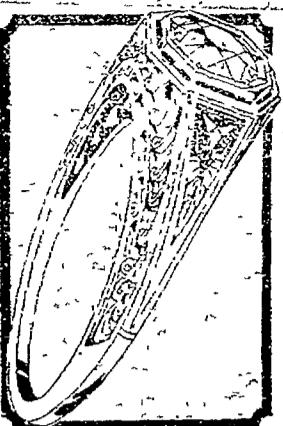
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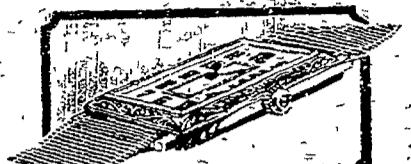
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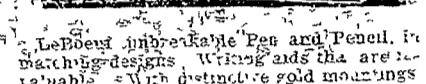
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Novi News.

The quarantine has been lifted from the Novi parsonage.

Gran Phinian has begun the erection of a house for Alfred Gow, son of the village.

The Arthur Allen family of Detroit visited last Sunday at the home of B. A. Bentley.

Caleb Fox is putting extensive repairs in his home, putting in a furnace and plumbing fixtures.

James Durham of South Lyon has been spending a few days with his brother-in-law, J. D. Hazen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deyo and baby of Detroit spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Chapman.

Evert Petty of Wixom is moving on the H. M. Bogart farm lately vacated by Robert Hunt, who has gone to the farm of the late Samuel Spearer.

The Ladies' Mission Circle will meet with Mrs. Clarence Smith on Thursday afternoon, May 6th. For lack supper. A large attendance is desired.

DETROIT TO TEST NEW LAW.

The Detroit Board of Education voted Thursday night to test the constitutionality of the amendment to the primary school law passed by the 1925 legislature. The amendment which becomes effective with the annual distribution of the primary school money next August would deprive Detroit of approximately \$250,000 of its share of the fund.

SALEY SAYINGS.

On Friday evening, the 11th of May, the last church night of the season will be observed by the Federal church at the town hall. A bountiful dinner will be served and following the feast there will be an interesting program. The public is invited to attend—both the food and the entertainment which will follow.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, in Chancery.

SEYMOUR BROWN and ALMA BROWN GIBSON Plaintiffs

JOSEPH GIBBS, of his unknown hours, devisees, legatees and assigns, defendant in the said court, held at the court house in the city of Detroit in said county of Wayne, on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1926, before the Hon. Hewitt H. Merriam, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it appearing from the bill of complaint filed therin, and from the affidavit of Seymour Brown, one of the plaintiffs herein, that Joseph Gibbs, or his unknown hours, devisees, legatees and assigns are necessary and proper defendants herein, that it might appear during the trial of this cause that the plaintiffs have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of defendant, or any of the persons named and who are styled as defendant's heirs.

On motion of William S. McNair, attorney for the defendants, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendants Joseph Gibbs, or his unknown hours, devisees, legatees and assigns be entered in this cause within fifteen days after service on them or such of them as shall have appeared respectively, or their respective attorneys, or a copy of the said bill and notice of this order, and that in default thereof the said bill of complaint be taken as confessed. By them, the said defendants, or their unknown hours, devisees, legatees and assigns, respectively.

It is further ordered that within twenty days the said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and published in said court of Wayne, that such publication to continue therein once in each week for at least six successive weeks or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served on each of the defendants, or their unknown hours, devisees, legatees and assigns, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

DEWITT H. MERRIAM
Circuit Judge
(A true copy).

D. H. LOWEN, Deputy Clerk
To the Above Named Defendants

Take notice that the above bill of complaint is filed to quiet the title of the said plaintiffs, in and to certain lands and premises located in the village of Northville, in the state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of a lot of land deeded to Susan E. Wilkins by Benjamin Gardner, on May 30th, 1872; thence northerly on the west line of said Susan E. Wilkins' lands 10 rods, thence westerly 4 rods to a stake on the North bank of the brook, thence southerly parallel with said Wilkins' line to the center of the highway; thence easterly along the center of the highway to the place of beginning.

Wm. S. McNair,
Attorney for Plaintiff

Record Liners Cost But Little.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

F. W. BRAMICK, M. D., PH. D., PHYSICIAN, limited to internal medicine. Office hours, 3-5, 7-9 p. m.; except Monday evenings. For house calls, please call 343-1126.

D. R. REED ATCHISON, PHYSICIAN, and Surgeon. Phone 324. Office hours, 10-11:30 a. m., 2-9 to 4-00 and 7-9 to 8-90 p. m. Office and residence, 48 Dunlap Street, Corner Linden.

D. R. A. A. HOLCOMB, PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Office, Northville, Mich. Hours, 8 to 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. to 8 p. m. Phone 304-12-26.

D. R. H. SPARLING, PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Dr. Irene Sparling, Women and Children. Office hours, 11-12, 2-3, 7-8, Sundays by appointment. X-Ray work. Phone 353. Office, East Main street, 3-11c.

D. R. T. H. TURNER, HOMEOPATH, Physician and Surgeon. Office on South Center street, two doors from Gas Office. Office hours, 2:00 to 4:00 and 7:00 to 8:00 p. m. Trained nurse in attendance. Telephone 57.

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D. R. CARL F. JANNEY, OSTEOPATHIC Physician. Office in New Haven Bidg. Office hours, 10 to 12 a. m., 1-5, 6-8, 9-10 p. m. Plymouth, Mich.

W. M. S. MCNAIR ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Northville Drug Company's Store.

F. J. COCHRAN, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office in Lapham State Savings Bank Building.

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UNION CHAPTER, R. A. M. Wednesday May 5. Dinner at 6:45 and the Local Arch afterwards

C. L. DOLPH, O. D. YERKE, H. P. SCOTT

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Waterford News.

B. Bellin of Northville took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson.

Mrs. Amelia Reiger and family moved Monday to their new home in Farmington.

The Waterford Community Club will meet Thursday evening, May 6th, at the home of Mrs. Albert Ebersole.

Mrs. Frank Woodmansee and Mrs. Royal Olloma of Northville, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Moe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barbor and children of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Alger of Inkster, visited Mr. and

Mrs. D. L. Dennis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bechtel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bechtel of Detroit, were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gotts.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy H. Gray, Miss Caroline Frank and Ernest Taylor of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frank of Bay City, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKerrigan.

There was a slight fire at the P. H. Greenan farm Sunday afternoon. The Northville fire department responded promptly, but it had been extinguished with chemicals. Fortunately no damage was done.

UNITED EFFORTS NEEDED FOR SUCCESS.

Harold M. Vaughn, Oakland county agricultural agent, policies and hopes of the "Oakland County Farm Bureau for improvement in social, intellectual and financial condition of the former can be realized only through the united efforts of progressive men and women.—Pontiac Press

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FORMER NORTHVILLE GIRL LAYS BANDIT LOW.

Northville people who remember Polly Pickett, who was a member of our girls' basket ball team some years ago, will read with interest the following account of her bravery when she was threatened by a bandit who demanded her money at the point of a gun, which appeared in the Detroit Free Press Wednesday.

Polly Pickett, 22 years old, believes in the inevitable. Whatsoever goes up must come down, or words to that effect. When a youthful bandit placed a pearly hankechief over her nose Monday night, she put 'em up, and very forcibly put 'em down again. Result: one less bandit; at least temporarily.

Standing behind the counter of the American gas station in Farmington, an 8 o'clock, she was picking ice around the ice cream with stalwart blows from a stalwart stick.

Bandit: "Stick 'em up" very quickly; with his eyes on the cash box.

Polly: "How's that?" (registering indignation.)

My hands went up, Polly planned, but they came right down again, to his head. I'd sort of forgotten to drop the pick. It wasn't anything at all. My hands just went up, and then down. Scared? No, well at least not until I hit him, and then I thought I'd killed him. Just a young kid. He's often bought gas from me here."

Miss Pickett doesn't know quite whether it was real or compassion that led her to the second act of her comedy drama. Single handed she lifted him into the new car that had brought him to the scene of his misfortune, drove him to the Detroit Receiving Hospital, checked the bandit and his gun with a policeman in front of the hospital, parked the car, and departed.

On the way home she met the last again, than the last which she had taken, was stopped for speeding. That's Polly's story and it's such.

But the bandit, so far more impudent, L. C. P. (Perry) it was between the two, had the nerve of the law officer. It's a good thing there are states like the non-police states. This time he wrote the officer from P. I. C. and turned him over to the police.

WORLD WAR BOILED MEAT AS WELL AS BOILED EGGS.

Sentences to hard labor on a big number of men who had been violating Prohibition, but who had not been publicly known, was indicated yesterday by J. E. Tamm, federal prohibition administrator for the Michigan-Oklahoma district. The effective method of getting the longest for repeat and adhering to the law, he said, is to keep them in the prison system for the duration of the probationary period, and then, if they violate again, he said, they will be given a longer punishment.

He advised the public to be as

careful as possible in buying

alcohol, and to buy it only from

reputable dealers.

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FORMER SATURDAY.

Wixom people are very proud of the new hardware store which had its opening Saturday.

Rev. O. W. Carr and daughter, Miss Vivian, who have been holding revival meetings at Chesaning, returned home Sunday night.

PRISON FARM TO OPEN BASE BALL SEASON, MAY 2ND.

The officers base ball team or the Detroit House of Corrections prison farm, will open the base ball season on the farm grounds, Sunday, May 2nd, when they will have for their opponents the Detroit Fire Department, one of the strongest amateur teams in the city.

During the past several weeks some noticeable improvements have taken place at the farm ball park. In addition to the grandstand has been built, a new score board erected and portions of the field have been sodded and now has the appearance of a league park.

The opening game is going to be a red letter event in the history of base ball at the farm. Preceding the game a parade will be formed headed by the Detroit Police Department band, the two ball teams and officials and will march onto the field, where a new steel flag pole will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies.

The game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock. The public is most cordially invited. There will be no admission to the grounds, but to help the boys defray expenses of their new base ball uniforms, a charge of 25c will be made for reserved seats.

During the past several seasons the officers base ball team at the prison farm has made a splendid record and Captain Denniston is looking forward to another successful season for his team. Next week we publish the line-up of the 1926 team.

TRY NORTHVILLE AREA.

Figured Wood Popular.

From the very earliest days of furniture making among the ancient Egyptians, through the Middle Ages to the present time, figured wood furniture has found favor.

Trade at home

SPECIALS!**Central Cash Meat Market**

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Choice Beef Roast	22c
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Pork Steaks	27c
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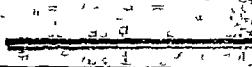
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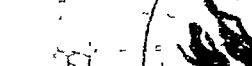
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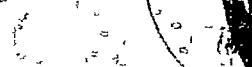
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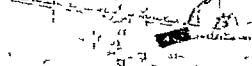
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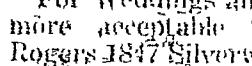
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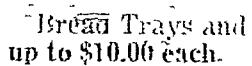
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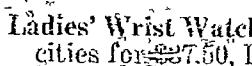
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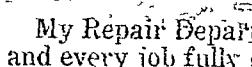
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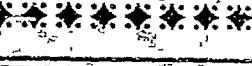
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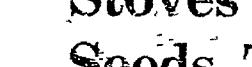
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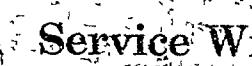
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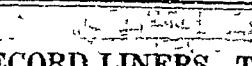
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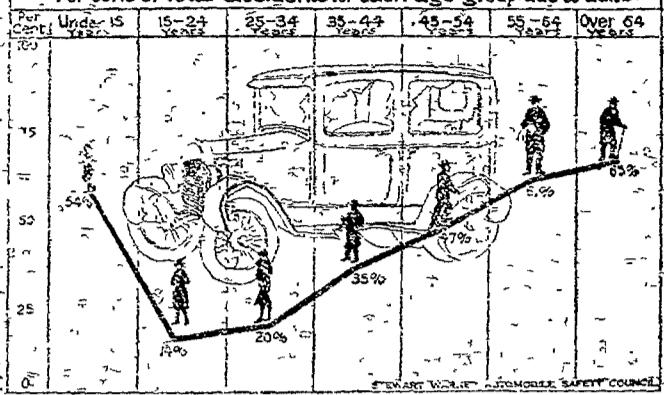
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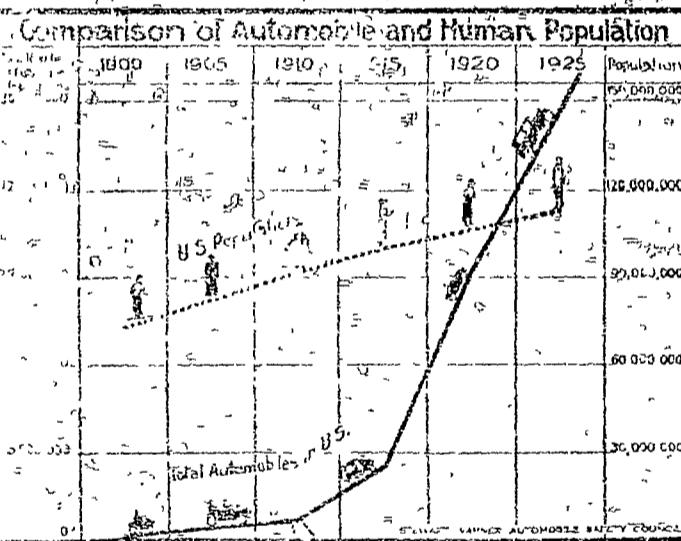
Per cent of total accidents for each age group due to autos.



SHAKESPEARE'S seven ages of man had made no reference to the number who were cut off in their prime by automobiles. If he had, suggests the Stewart-Warner Safety Council, it might have run something like this parlor on his famous lines:

"At first the infant,
Killed by a truck while in his nurse's arms,
And then the carriage schoolboy with his marbles,
Playing in the streets after his lessons are over. And then the lover,
Absent-minded, walking with a box of candy
Under his arm, to see his sweet one.
Is struck by a taxi and buried to the ground.
Next comes the girl, young blood
Over her exercises, eighteen years whom
Sixty-a-day in four trials forty years too soon
Ends a day in such unluckiness mortally.
And then the banker, full of acutest pride and honors,
Journeying across the steel belt can prop-up deals of finance
And wins in the Sun-Dial Races at noon him.
Dead, as if madly grieved, with the last hit,
Confused and jolted in the morn.
The horses, and died again.
The last remains was laid in
And harkening, age, tottering and feeble,
Right in such a rush of grief together with time,
As the earth itself, some say, goes everything but speed.
The chart above shows with photographs all the accidents happening to each age group in automobile accidents. The 15-24 is highest for the very young
and the 35-44 is the lowest, though examined, by the heedlessness of the
young, the carelessness of the old. However, these two groups are least
responsible in causing accidents, but the 35-44's their automobile casualties
are greater than those of both the 15-24's and the 45-54's."

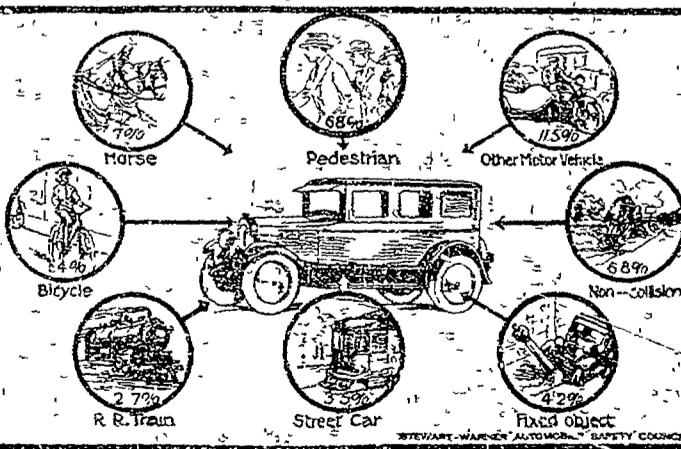
Auto Hosts One-Sixth as Great as U. S. Population



IT'S a far cry from the usual soft-wasp waist and leg-cum-buttock sleeves of two or three years ago, but we have traveled also a long way from the two-cylinder gas engines of 1910 to the high-powered motors speeding over our highways today, declares the Sec. of Warman Safety Council.

Long after a century ago there was one automobile for every 9,500 people in the United States. Ten years ago there was one automobile for every 33 people, while today the motor population is one-sixth as large as the human population, or one to every six people. This rapid growth has put the automobile as foremost among American industries, but it has also produced a fearful menace to the public, points out the Safety Council which has for its purpose, the prevention of automobile accidents. A vigorous campaign of public education must be pursued at annual rate of automobile fatalities to be reduced from 32,000.

Pedestrian Greatest Victim of Automobile Accidents



THE PEDESTRIAN is the greatest sufferer in automobile fatalities according to records analyzed by the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents. No complete record is available for the United States as a whole, but a report based on 5,023 auto fatalities occurring in the first seven months of 1925, covering a population of thirty-one million, is significant. Two thousand, of these 3,023 fatalities have been classified according to type. Sixty-eight per cent of the victims were pedestrians, 11.2 per cent with another motor vehicle, 7 per cent with horse vehicles, 2.7 with fixed objects such as lamp posts, 3.5 per cent with street cars, 2.7 with railway trains and 1.4 per cent with bicycles. The remaining 6.8 per cent involved no collision. The small proportion involving railway trains, streetcars and fixed objects is due to the relatively short life of unguarded grade crossings. The blame lies to the pedestrian, however, for alarming and causing greater care on the part of crossing streets and on the drivers for more careful driving.

Raised by Dissension

The downfall of the powerful Incas tribe of South American Indians was caused by internal dissension. The Spaniards took advantage of these troubles to attack and conquer them early in the Sixteenth century.

ELECTION NOTICE

Proposition to issue bonds of the Village of Northville for \$25,000, for the constructing of a building for the housing of fire apparatus and engines also to be used as a Council Chamber, cell block, public rest and toilet rooms and quarters for those employed in the fire department according to the plans thereto on file with the Clerk of the Village of Northville.

By resolution of the Village Council adopted on the 12th day of April 1926, a Special Meeting will be held in the Village of Northville on the 2nd day of May, 1926, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the following place:

In Meeting Room No. 1, in the Town Hall, in said Village.

In Pictch No. 2—in the Village Council Chambers, in said Village, for the purpose of submitting to a vote of the electors of said Village the proposition to borrow the sum of \$25,000, and issuing the bonds of said Village to be placed in the General Fund for the purpose of constructing a building for the housing of fire apparatus and engines also to be used as a Council Chamber, cell block, public rest and toilet rooms and quarters for those employed in the fire department for the Village of Northville according to the plans thereto on file with the Clerk of said Village.

The time of Ballot to be used for the submission of said proposition shall be substantially as follows:

Official Ballot on issue of bonds for constructing a building for the housing of fire apparatus and engines also to be used as a Council Chamber, cell block, public rest and toilet rooms and quarters for those employed in the fire department for the Village of Northville according to the plans thereto on file with the Clerk of said Village.

Shall the Village of Northville borrow the sum of \$25,000 and issue bonds therefor to be placed in the general fund for the purpose of constructing said building for the Village of Northville according to the plans of said Village with the Clerk of said Village?

YES NO

Dated April 14th 1926.

THE VILLAGE OF NORTHVILLE
Village Clerk

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

No. 1. I, John G. Smith, of the Village of Northville, Michigan, do hereby register in the office of the Clerk of the Village of Northville, Michigan, my plan for the construction of a building for the housing of fire apparatus and engines also to be used as a Council Chamber, cell block, public rest and toilet rooms and quarters for those employed in the fire department for the Village of Northville according to the plans thereto on file with the Clerk of said Village.

John G. Smith, Village Clerk.

At the time of filing this application

I declare that I have read and understood the same.

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Old Roman Name

The ancient Romans called the hard-leaved live-oaks and the holly by the same name, "Ilex."

And He Did

I shall now proceed to drive the argument home, said a West side man as he took the wheel while his wife settled herself in the back seat. Capers' Weekly.

Terrific Accident

A maimed woman had her eye on a street car-seat and a fatal car on it.

Making Study Agreeable

One of the best methods of rendering study agreeable is to live with able men, and to suffer all those pangs of inferiority which the want of knowledge always infests.—Smith.

Freedom and Mr. St. John

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

"STAY to supper," Polly Brown's aunt put the question briskly, but her niece had already risen and was halfway to the door. "Tell me," she demanded breathlessly, "why is it you persistently remain here during my visit at the gate?" Sarah Brown peeked through the window over Polly's shoulder. "Why that's the non sequitur," she retorted. "I've been told as you would understand, that our son Edward is a failed rocker, I have applied to remove him." "Tell me some more," she said. "And I've changed my mind about staying to supper." "So while his footsteeps echoed in the room above them, Aunt Sarah related much of what she had said before and added more.

"My dear, he's perfectly nice having him so odd. For instance when he comes to pay us a month's visitance, but listen to what he said." Mrs. Brown, in tones so soft you can't possibly hear if I don't return some night, I'm liable to go out any morning and never come back."

"Put your things," I asked him.

"Where would I send them?"

"Oh, he said off-hand, 'I always take them with me.'

"And he does, Polly," Cary's eyes were in a black bag every morning and back again at night."

"Hm," grunted Polly. "Sounds suspiciously unstable, except for his paxoing so in advance. Has he adopted?"

"Aunt Sarah, honest. A fine one with Godwin St. John that has held for years. Not he's just a queer one, Godwin, too. Asked if I had any daughters, said he'd do it a rule never, if I could. And there were marriages and women of all ages. Now what do you know about that?"

Polly grimaced. "Well, this is really too good. It's finding a sort of life like that in ones usually dull crowd." She added over to the blushing father and looked at her husband. Then she turned again about her daughter. "I used to be a bit, be big," she said, "whatever or whatsoever. I'm getting along now to be my mother."

"A up to date," she added, "enabled Polly to get off scot-free from Mr. St. John, who was amazed at his remarkable and irreconcilable quality of character."

But it took time to talk him into it, so in the end I urged before Polly, "Mother, if you'll be good, the freedom will be free of evidence of any kind."

"Polly, once I left home, she stopped up at the old old armful with a new one but I got the chair. I do in the sitting room down to the floor plan, except for the sofa, which is to do the faded out, "out of date" sofa."

"Quite right," I said, "but don't let her think you're a fool."

"Most likely," she said, "she doesn't care about me."

"My old lamp is still up, though nothing else. The last lamp I got to the gas tank, though, I think Jerry likes it better. That's the reason I bought the old one."

"So Jerry, he'll do some damage to the old lamp, I suppose."

"For an hour they sat about me, Polly, talking away, then Jerry came in. He said, 'Mother, I'm old, I'm not commanding,' I told him that he belonged to a second generation, where the real pieces of the furniture were coming along."

"Once upon a time," he said, "he read me a story of a young girl who packed up her possessions and went to leave the place or not, so informed in them was the idea that they must always be free to move. The idea appealed to me. So much so that I always keep my bags with me packed with my few belongings, which I take out at night and replace each morning."

At this point, Jerry's inspiration seemed to fail. "We're temporal," he cried. "How awful! Freedom is such as grace to me that I'd hate to be bound to an idea!" She shuddered.

"Why—why—" the young girl's eyes were wide. He seemed at a loss and utterly taken aback, as might a man who, starting to sit down, sees the chair removed from behind him. "Well, it never occurred to me just that night before." He regarded her curiously. "Freedom is—well, it's the thing I'm fond of," he ended lightly.

Polly nodded gravely. "I know how you feel, Mr. Jerry. It's what made me vow never to marry. Oh, shameless, fibbing, Polly!"

"You, too?" Jerry seemed startled.

Then they both laughed and perhaps Jerry read in Polly's broodings that son o' yours are better broken than kept, and perhaps she read in his gray eyes that love with slavery may be better than loveless freedom. Anyhow, expressed Jerry leaned over and picked up Polly's slender hand, while the rain continued to rain the gas log to flicker and somewhere remote and afar, the cold desire to exert its inscrutable influence.

(Continued)

POLAR EXPEDITIONS WELL WORTH WHILE

Organizer of Arctic Parties Defends Projects.

New York.—Justification for the risk and expenditure of money involved in three American Arctic expeditions last summer was given by Robert Anderson Long, organizer of the Al-American Arctic Club, at the exhibition. His outfit will be exhibited by Lieut. H. H. Odgen, both of whom are round the world flyers.

All three expeditions will attempt to locate and explore the coast of the

large body of land believed to be

north of Alaska and eastern Siberia.

Speaker at the exhibition was the

National Geographical Society.

The club comprises about 1,000,000

members.

Native of the northern Alaska and Siberian coasts long have been un-

solved in the last few years by the

Captain Mr. Peary. The case is

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Members of the Arctic Club

are clear across the country.

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Residence Place near S.

E. W. Nelson, chief of the Bureau

of Biological Survey of the United

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called at a meeting of the Club.

He agreed to speak at the

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1,363,000 FRENCH KILLED IN BATTLE**Statistics Are Striking Appeal Against Wars.**

Paris.—The most striking appeal against future war is contained in statistics finally worked out regarding the leading records of France's war losses. M. Gaston Cadoux, former president of the Paris Statistics society, now has made reckonings which place organizations in every country, which will keep in mind far future propaganda.

The population of France at the outbreak of the war was 39,600,000. From these the government mobilized for the army and navy 3,355,000. Of this number 1,363,000 lost their lives. This figure represents one-eighth of the mobilized effective, one-seventh of the masculine population of the country and one-twentieth of the whole.

If the dead alone might be drawn up in a tiered line it would require the Twentieth Century Limited, traveling without stop at sixty miles an hour, some nine hours to reach the end. The entire mobilization of all man-power by France would have reached from San Francisco to New York if placed shoulder to shoulder. Comparing the percentage of losses suffered by the principal belligerents, M. Cadoux reckons that his country had one dead of missing per 25 inhabitants, as against 35 in Germany, 50 in Austria-Hungary, 65 in Great Britain, 79 in Italy, 107 in Russia and 2,000 in the United States.

France's agricultural male population of 5,603,971 lost 986,219, or 17.2% engaged in commercial pursuits, 1,327,156, were lost. Of 215,838 artisans of the building trades, 168,747 did not return. There were 235,320 men of liberal professions mobilized and 40,421 died. Transport workers numbering 60,972 failed to return of 865,029 who went to war. There were 21,426 civil servants, 2,712 ecclesiastics, 80,190 students and 3,493 persons of independent means without profession killed.

The statistician's reckoning shows that the return of Alsace-Lorraine did not compensate for the ghastly hole torn in the populace by war. Whereas in the population of France was 89,000,000 in 1914, it had fallen to 89,298,000 after these provinces returned to the fold.

Records Show German Soldiers Were Sold

Berlin.—Investigation into the manner in which some of the fortresses of Germany's former royal family were acquired in connection with the question of indemnification by the republic has disclosed that Herman, prince of Hesse-Darmstadt, in the Nineteenth century had sold 266,100 of their subjects for \$2,760,000 to England for brief service against the American rebels, the French and other enemies.

Duke Karl Wilhelm Ferdinand of Braunschweig sent 1,307 men to England for \$48 a head. It is disclosed with an additional indemnity of \$22 a head for each man killed in action three wounded men to be counted as one dead one.

Landgrave Frederick of Hesse "sold" 12,000 Hessians at \$72 a head, with an annual "rental" fee of \$300,000.

There has been produced a letter from the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel to Baron Hohenhorst, his commanding officer, in the American colonies, in which the writer commanded the baron "for seeing to it that of 4,654 of the landgrave's peasants in the battle of Trenton only 300 escaped alive."

"Be sure to send an itemized statement of the losses to London," the letter continues, "as the English minister wants to pay me for only 7,455 killed. I am entirely dissatisfied with Major Mindorf, who, according to dispatches, succeeded in saving his battalion of Hessians."

Tokyo Girls Object to Marriage Customs

Tokyo.—The modern Japanese girls cavort at a girls' high school disclosed—does not favor the present-day system under which most of the marriages are "arranged."

In opposition to the prevailing mode, fifty-three girls in one school said that to marry men of whom they had no previous knowledge was dangerous. Sixteen were opposed because the custom ignores the sentiments of the ones to be married. Ten objected to the use of a go-between to make arrangements, and all agreed that the marriage question should be more seriously considered.

Ranking preferences for husbands were, government officials first and then, in order, business men, educators, farmers, physicians and army officers.

Third Set of Teeth
Cushing, Okla.—Rev. D. A. McLaury, pioneer minister of Cushing, is growing his third set of teeth. He has now eight new molars and others are "sprouting." They are not as large as his second set, but answer the purpose for practical use and will save him a large dentist's bill for a new set, he declares.

Would Fast 100 Days
Oklahoma City, Okla.—Frank Wolfe, a farmer, thinks he could go 100 days without food, having fasted half that time recently to reduce his weight. He is challenging Mr. Jolly of Berlin for the world's championship. Jolly has just fasted forty-four days.

TWO MEN LOSE THEIR LIVES IN GRAVEL PIT.
The bodies were removed to the Holmes undertaking establishment in Milford.

The jurors impaneled for the coroner's inquest were John Long, Harold Cornick, Joseph Long, Harry Sooper, Frank McCormick and Clare Hayes.

Teeples was a single man living a short distance west of Commerce. He had gone to the bottom of the excavation to work. They were crushed beneath sand and stones loosened by a heavy rainstorm. Fellow workmen at the pit rushed to their assistance and dug them out. His life was extant when their bodies were recovered.

Coroner O. C. Farmer was summoned and will conduct an inquest.

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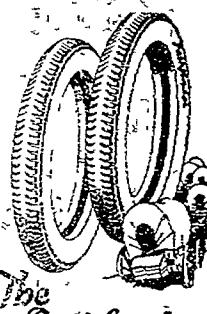
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WETS-DRYS HEARING BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Three Weeks' Battle Resulted
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Submitted.

Washington.—Opinion that the Senate hearing committee will make no report on the merits or demerits of prohibition was expressed by Chairman Harrel.

Emphasizing that the committee is not conducting an investigation, but merely holding a hearing on pending legislation, Senator Harrel declared a report would be unnecessary.

Besides who would prepare it? he said. I doubt that the drys themselves could agree on its structure and wording. Its presentation would open a Pandora's box.

We will make a report if what-ever legislation is recommended for enactment.

Even the wettest members have no hope that any of their modification will be acted upon favorably. On the other hand, the drys are confident that the committee will favorably recommend the administration bill for tightening up the Volstead act.

Washington.—As the final encroaching of three weeks of intense fighting, with tales of sensational evidence being produced by wets and drys amid tense scenes, absorbing the attention of the country, the wet leaders of the nation decided to concentrate upon a demand for passage by congress of the Edge bill, to permit the manufacture and sale of liquor "not intoxicating in fact."

To accommodate the vast crowds wishing to witness the last rounds of the hearing, the Senate Judiciary Committee held its closing meetings in the Republican caucus room, the biggest assembly place in the senate office building.

One of the most prominent witnesses before it was Senator George W. Norris, of Nebraska, the chief spokesman for the anti-prohibition forces.

This order, introduced by Senator Norris, chairman of the judiciary committee, was quoted in his presence at the opening of the Senate.

President Coolidge was in the chair.

He was seated in a chair which had been placed in front of the desk of the speaker.

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September 2 with St. Louis.
September 8, 9, 10 with Cleveland.
Sept. 11, 12, 13 with New York.
Sept. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 with Wash.
Sept. 20, 21, 22 with Philadelphia.
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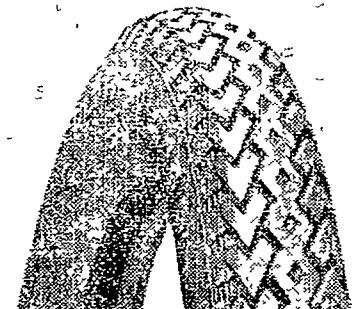
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TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF LEADERSHIP

ITALY MAY SETTLE ON 28-CENT BASIS

Senate Ratifies Funding of World War Obligation; Vote 54 to 33.

Washington, France, laid its proposal for the settlement of its debt to the United States formally before the American debt commission, the terms, a sliding scale of payments ranging from \$25,000,000 for the first few years up to \$100,000,000 for the last few payments.

Within a few hours after this action the senate, by a vote of 43 to 24, voted to reconsider the vote by which it approved the Italian debt settlement. As a result, the Italian settlement now needs only President Coolidge's signature to win final approval.

Washington, April 29.—By a vote of 54 to 33, the senate ratified the funding of Italy's \$2,000,000,000 World war debt to the United States on the basis of 28 cents on the dollar. The overwhelming majority of the settlement commanded the final vote represented one of the most signal victories of the Coolidge administration.

Senator Reed of Missouri moved to reconsider the vote of ratification. Reed announced his action was taken to allow the senators another opportunity to vote on an amendment by Senator Howell of Nebraska which would write a new provision into the settlement calling on Italy to issue new tax-free bonds to the United States in exchange for the debt settlement's bonds, which are subject to Italian taxation.

This provision, under Howell's amendment, would be called into action whenever the secretary of the treasury desired. It was defeated by a vote of 24 to 35 and Reed charged half the senators didn't understand it when they voted.

The Italian agreement provides for the funding of a debt of \$2,042,000,000, including principal and accrued interest over a period of 22 years. The creditor, the New York, is to pay \$1,000,000 annually with compound interest after the first two years' interest is paid and one eighth of 1 per cent for each year and ten increases, the successive top rate per cent to one-half per cent, or half of 1 per cent, for a fourth of 1 per cent per annum for the last seven years.

When the agreement is fully carried out for the original debt of \$1,648,000,000 the United States will have received during the period a total of \$2,467,000,000, of which \$759,000,000 is interest.

The calculation that the Italian funding represents a settlement of 28 cents on the dollar is based on the difference between interest paid by Italy for 22 years and the 4½ per cent held by the United States for payment to Liberia bond holders who furnished the money for the war loans.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon expressed gratification over the approval of the Italian debt agreement, especially regarding the American debt commission's proposal to make due return debts when due, he said, and Secretary Reed said, "I believe that our settlement with Italy is just both to us and to our own people and I am extremely grateful at its finalization."

"In most respects to their own means," Premier Mussolini declared.

Serious Floods Cause

Dishes in Brazil
Rio Janeiro, Brazil.—Furious rains, which have been falling steadily since January, overflowed the central plateau of Brazil here, resulted in serious floods, causing widespread distress among 360,000 persons.

Enormous property damage and loss of life street was reported according to information given the Associated Press by the federal meteorological service. All the towns along the São Francisco and Paranaiba rivers have been flooded. In addition the lower valleys has extended to a maximum width of thirty miles.

Beetle Menaces Timber

Port Townsend, Wash.—The danger to timber of the west end of Jefferson county through the attack of the bark or engraver beetle will be investigated by the United States forestry service.

Escaped Fourteen Times

Westerville, R. I.—Frank Weedon of Providence, who escaped from the State Hospital for the Insane for the fourteenth successive time, was recaptured here.

A Floating Nursery

New York.—A floating nursery is bound for Hamburg. There are 31 babies aboard a liner.

Has Rare Art Museum

Belvidere, N. J.—The recent acquisition by Dr. George Wycoff Cummings of this town of a number of authentic Revolutionary documents has brought to light the fact that Doctor Cummings has one of the largest private museums in this country.

Grange to Meet in Maine
Portland, Maine.—The 1928 convention of the National Grange will be held in Portland, November 19 to 21, the executive committee has decided.

ACHIEVEMENT DAY HELD SATURDAY AT WAYNE

In spite of the heavy showers and threatening weather conditions about 275 boys and girls, parents and teachers assembled at the Wayne High school gymnasium Saturday, April 24, to enjoy the games and program of the day. The morning was given over to games led by Mrs. Lois Barrington-Shorpe followed by the music memory contest. The boys and girls assembled in groups in all parts of the room to enjoy a box lunch at noon.

Herbert Miller of Plymouth presided over the afternoon program which consisted of the following numbers: Singing, Michigan, My Michigan, Assembly.

Welcome—Sup. Dr. S. Yape, Wayne High school.

Respose—Ruth Saits.

Club Roll Call—Club Stunt.

Song—Special, Hanford school.

Music Appreciation—Miss Richardson, Duo Art Dept., Grinnell Brothers.

Summary of Year's Work and New Plans—Miss Lois M. Corbett, Home Demonstration Agent.

Announcement of County Champions

—Miss Sylvan Wilson, assistant State Club Leader.

Piano Solo—Lucinda West.

Summary of Year's Work and New Plans—Ralph Carr, county agricultural agent.

Announcement of County Champions

—Miss Velma Pearson, assistant State Club Leader.

Song—America the Beautiful—Assembly.

The closing work was judged by Miss Sylvan Wilson, assistant State Club Leader, and the champions listed as follows: First year—1st place, Knud Vaitianian, Harvard school; 2nd place, Ruth Lumetta, Taylor Street school; Elora, Gerst, Hough district, 3rd place, Genevieve Clemens, Gardena City, Lucretia West, Cherrill Hill.

Second year—1st place, Evelyn Wright, Franklin school; 2nd place, Carol Vanich, Willow Run; 3rd place, May Moore, Carter school; 4th place, Gertrude Ruopel, Taylor Street, Taylor, 5th year—1st place, Ethel Cook, E. National school; 2nd place, Ernestine S. Reed, Clinton.

Fifth year posters were awarded as follows: First place E. Navin school; 2nd place, Clara M. Zepke, Gardner; 3rd place, Edith Berg, Berg, May.

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The formal opening of Schrader Brothers' new and enlarged furniture store and funeral home, Saturday, was a great affair, drawing a large number of people.

That was the fate of Frank Bengrovanni, who was arrested here by local police on January 4th, at the request of New York City officers, who had a warrant for his arrest on the charge of murder. Bengrovanni had been a resident of Northville for more than ten years, and during those two years had won the esteem of the neighbors and the fact that he was a good citizen, devoted to his family, and at the time of his arrest he admitted that he had killed a felonious person, was presented, and they

told him that he was wanted in New York, but that the act was committed in self defense. Northville people believed him innocent and there followed him to New York state, where he was taken and incarcerated in the Monroe county jail to await trial; a number of letters testifying of his good behavior while a resident of this place.

After many weeks of patient waiting the case was finally brought to trial in the district court of Monroe county, and after all the facts had been presented the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty and Bengrovanni lost no time in returning to his wife and children here. He arrived in Northville Sunday morning and the homecoming was a most happy one.

For the many expressions of sympathy extended by the people of Northville during these weeks when he was shut out from the world he is very grateful, and he declares he will prove to all that their confidence has not been misplaced.

He was employed by the Ford Motor Company under the name of Mike Mento, when he was arrested. The telephone plant expanded rapidly, being expanded and equipment added. It now has a common battery telephone system with about 750 subscribers and the local management is striving constantly to make the service as efficient as possible. The company has increased its facilities through the frequent addition to the plant and by building new and up-to-the-minute equipment and its new switchboard is being expanded and additional sections of switchboards are anticipated at future growth. Other improvements being made consist of tandem toll service to Detroit and other switching equipment and are enlarging distributing trunks to handle additional lines made possible by the new switchboard.

BONDING PROPOSITION CARRIED BY VOTE OF SIX TO ONE.

The electors of Northville, overwhelmingly, expressed themselves as being in favor of a building for the village needs a bond issue of \$10,000.

LEGAL TELEPHONE PLANT EXPANDING.

To meet the needs of this community and in anticipation of still further growth and expansion, the local branch of Michigan Bell Telephone Co. is being expanded and equipment added. It now has a common battery telephone system with about 750 subscribers and the local management is striving constantly to make the service as efficient as possible.

In the early days of the company, three years past, the company had to face with the terrible growth by frequent additions to the plant and by

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COLLECTIVE BONDING HELD INQUIRIES.

APPOSITIVE SETTLED.

The four-jury,组成 to inquire into the cause of the death of B. J. Thompson, Virgil Cross, Barbara Koch and Claude Van Valkenburgh, who were members of the church destroyed Thompson's home last Wednesday, convened at Pontiac last Saturday and set aside two hours to consider the facts expressed themselves as fully satisfied with the identification made. They never decided that the origin of the fire could not be determined. The jurors were Hausey, Charles Hamilton, Don Hamilton, Fred Schaeffer, L. J. Tamm, Carl Yerkes, residents of Northville, and the witnesses who gave testimony at the inquest were Ledger Brown, Ralph Taylor, John Thomas and Wm. T. Tamm and Deputy Sheriff Greenan and Hubbell.

The witnesses were questioned by Prosecuting Attorney Clyde C. Underwood and Coronor O. G. Farmer presided.

OPENED NEW REALTY OFFICE.

E. E. Hill, who has been engaged in the real estate business here for the past few months, has opened new offices in the rooms over Hills Brothers' meat market and will go to a general real estate business under the name of the Frank E. Hills Realty Co. Mr. Hills' large acquaintance in this section and his knowledge of property values will prove very valuable to him and to those who expect the sale of their property to him. He is doing a good business and he believes that the coming season will be a very prosperous one for Northville.

OAKLAND COUNTY ACHIEVEMENT DAY AT WALLED LAKE.

Friday, June 4th, is the date chosen for the Oakland County achievement day exercises and the Walled Lake High school building has been selected as the place of meeting. It is expected that upwards of 500 people from all sections of the county will be present and Miss Dundas, county home demonstration agent is busy arranging the program for the event.

Dinner will be served by the various organizations of Walled Lake.

G. E. S. NOTES.

Worthy Matron Celeste Kohler and Marshal Dawn Holcomb will install officers for South Lyon Chapter on Monday evening.

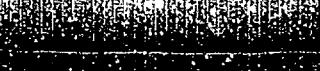
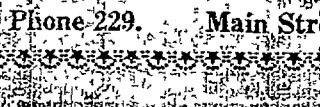
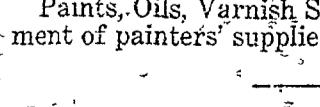
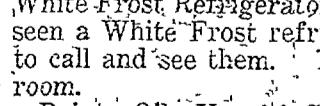
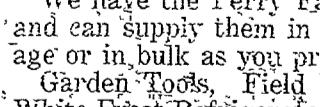
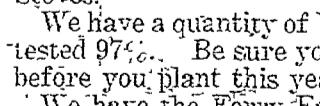
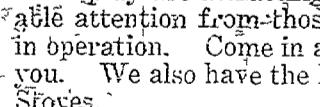
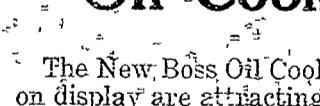
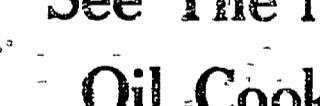
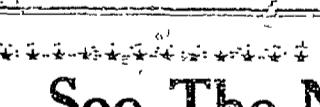
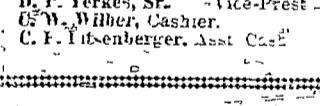
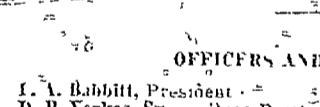
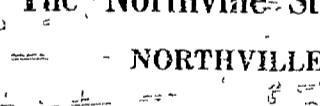
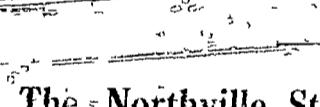
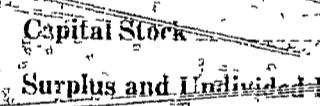
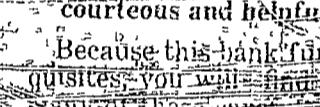
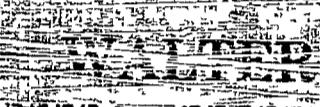
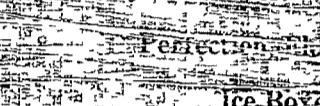
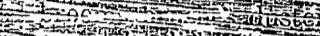
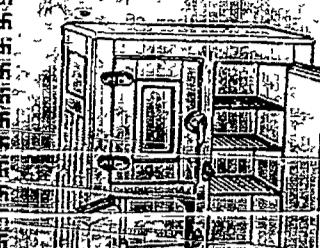
Worthy Patron Claude Ely, Associate Matron Mae Babbitt and Concessress Lydella Ely were invited to assist in the work at Belleville Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Baldwin, mother of A. C. Baldwin, is very ill at her home in this village.

We Deliver
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A DREAM OF TWENTY YEARS AGO REALIZED.

Opening of Our New and Enlarged Store

Saturday Afternoon and Evening, May 1st.

We cordially invite you to attend the opening of our New and Enlarged Store on Saturday Afternoon and Evening, May 1st, 1926.

When we came to Northville twenty years ago we had a vision of this larger store and we have constantly striven to reach that goal. Each year has shown an increase in our business and each year we have enlarged our stock. A year ago we felt that we had reached our limit of expansion in the quarters which were then available, and never having lost sight of the goal for which we had been striving year after year we decided to enter upon an extensive building program, and now we invite you to pay us a visit that you may have an opportunity to inspect our new store.

These larger quarters have been made possible through your assistance and co-operation. We have striven to serve you to the best of our ability during all these years and you have responded as the business has grown and expanded. More and more as each year has come to a close we have felt the urge to enlarge our stock and to extend our facilities to serve the public. Our present store is a culmination of that desire—a realization of that vision.

You will find here a very complete assortment of Furniture and Home Furnishings and naturally we are proud of our new store and we want you to share our pleasure with us.

Saturday afternoon and evening, we will be "At Home" to the public and it is our desire that all our good friends—those who have made this larger store and larger stock possible—shall be our guests at that time. Souvenirs will be presented to all who call and all will be cordially welcomed and shown thru the store this is surely a visiting day. Come any time during the afternoon or evening. A cordial welcome awaits you here.

Very truly yours,

SCHRADER BROTHERS

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

A LARGE STORE IN A GOOD TOWN

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Notice To Gardners'

We are raising a variety of Vegetable Plants this year, such as Cabbage, Tomatoes, Peppers, Lettuce, Eggplant, Celery and Cauliflower.

CLOVER LEAF FARM GREENHOUSE

One Mile East of Plymouth
(On Plymouth Road)

Leonard Wild, Proprietor

Notice!

For Carpenter, Contracting and all kinds of Repair Work, call on

CHAS. FLEISCHMANN
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Northville, Mich.



"Drink plenty of milk," says
The Farmer Boy: "it puts
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Bartley's milk is of a guaranteed
grade—for babies and blacksmiths—
for your children.

MILK IS YOUR BEST FOOD

The Northville Dairy

Phone 381-504 Plymouth Ave.

NORTHVILLE'S GREATEST NEED.

"Northville needs" have been discussed by various groups and by individuals on many occasions, but the Record is of the opinion after looking up some of the arguments that the real need of Northville has not been visualized by many of those who have given the subject consideration. We believe that Northville's greatest need is large scale work on the part of our citizens. We have too many strong, able men in this town with regard to the one great object—the building of a village.

This village is a great corporation and all the stockholders—Our school is a corporation, which we can never do away with, and the community is a great corporation, all interested in the village, but the public have com-

pletely failed to listen to the great corporation's business enterprise, crow and prosper.

When the "village" in England, I often speak Sunday at the home of

among themselves over points to

which the others have given them, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart, Beckrich of

Detroit, very tailors at the former's

school, have tried their best to

concentrate the needs of our school, brother Edmore Sargent.

For certain recommendations and re-

quests—but the stockholders have pro-

posed different plans with the result

that we are still face to face, with

a serious condition at the High school.

Our village officers have proposed a

plan to provide a village building to

meet the actual and pressing needs of

the village for the time being. There

is nothing that will be provided

in the proposed new building but

what is absolutely needed now—today,

but in spite of this fact and in spite

of the great need certain groups are

carrying their forces to oppose the

recommendation of the council and to

defeat the proposition. The proposed

new building does not provide for a

community center simply because

we cannot afford to erect such a build-

ing at this time but can afford to build

the building which the council has

proposed to meet present day needs.

In this opposition to the recom-

mendations of the board of education

and the recommendations of the vil-

lage council are shown an utter lack

of team work among our citizens.

Those who are opposing these needed

improvements, doubtless, are sincere

and they have a right to their opin-

ions, but with such opposition to

every public improvement that is pro-

posed Northville will simply mark

Novi News.

Mrs. Frank Nelson is home ill.

Mrs. Alfred Angell is still quite ill.

Thomas Gleason of Novi is visi-

ting his brother, George and family.

The remains of Mrs. Haff were

brought to Novi Saturday for burial.

A. C. Atkinson's family have moved

back to their home on Grand River

Mrs. Robinson was called to de-

liver on account of the illness of her

mother.

Several from here attended the

service at Walled Lake Wednes-

day evening.

Mrs. Robinson is home after

spending the winter in the

south.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Flint are

again after spending the winter

in Florida.

A number of us Redcaps went to

Clermont on Tuesday evening to do

some shopping.

School was closed in the primary

grades Friday on account of the

illness of the teacher, Miss Chamber-

Diplomatic Jack

Miss Payros Cook, greeting, Jack! We were just talking about you and your name was off my lips when you were mentioned!—Jack—Indeed! Then I'm sure my name could not have been more delightfully placed! Boston Transcript.

Some Progress

Along with the increasing popularity of motorizing pedestrianism is progressing by leaps and bounds—observes the ardent Gazzette.

Special Special

For this week only we will give one 30c bottle of Royal French Dressing with every 30c purchase of Royal Mayonnaise, another "Pure" product, made by the makers of Royal Baking Powder.



Grafting Fruit Trees

I will do grafting this spring

Anybody wanting any done write or

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265-J. Get orders in early. You

can cut signs payable. Pack them

in damp sawdust. Cut only last

year's growth not suckers.

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