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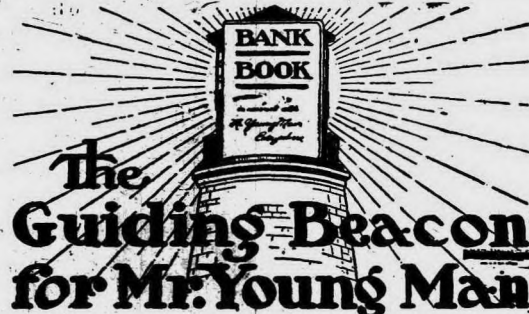
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The School Play a Great Success

Miss D. Hope Leonard's spectacular extravaganza, "Alice in Wonderland," which was given by the pupils of the public schools at the opera house, Thursday and Friday evenings and Saturday afternoon under the direction of Miss G. A. Young, was a decided success in every particular. About 100 pupils of the school took part, and the most creditable manner in which they took their parts showed that they had been carefully trained by their instructor. The costumes worn and the elaborate properties added not a little to the success of the entertainment. The pleasing story was told in song, and all of the fancies were given, including the fairies, sailor boys and girls, the wicked elf, the dragon and all of the other animals associated with the great children's story were represented. Among the features that are worthy of special mention were the flag drill, Moberg Goose medley, Japanese dance and the Injun dance. Miss Margaret Dutton took the part of Alice in a most delightful way indeed. Miss Young and the teachers of our public schools are to be congratulated on the success of the production of this play.

Work on New Auto Factory Started

The Alter Motor Car Co. broke ground for the new factory building last Friday morning, but owing to the severe snow storm which commenced soon after the men started work, they were obliged to discontinue their work until more favorable weather. The building that is to be erected at the present time will only be used as a temporary factory building, and will later be used as test sheds. This building will be 200 feet long and 40 feet wide. With favorable weather the company had hoped to have the building ready for occupancy in about two weeks. The first car manufactured by this company will be seen upon our streets by the time the building is ready. As Lyon of this village has the credit of placing an order with the company for the first car turned out in its Plymouth plant. Contracts are being closed with agents for May deliveries of cars and the prospects for a healthy year's business are very encouraging to the officers of the company. Here's hoping that the new company may meet with unlimited success.

The Farmers' Institute

The Farmer's Institute was held in Grange hall last Tuesday. Dinner was served at noon by the Plymouth Grange and there was a good attendance at each session. The morning meeting was opened at 10 a. m. by Paul Bennett, vice president of this section. Music by the Grange orchestra. "The and Tile Drainage," John Root. Music. "Alfalfa for Michigan," E. M. Moore of Wixom. Discussion lead by James Hanford.

AFTERNOON SESSION
Music. "Silos and its importance in general farming," S. W. Spicer. Recitation, Miss Gardner. "The Farmers' Garden," E. M. Moore. Discussion lead by Mrs. J. C. O'Bryan. "Poultry on the Farm," Rev. A. L. Bell. Question Box.

EVENING SESSION
Music, Boy's Glee Club. "What can we do to promote Rural Progress?" E. M. Moore. Song, the Anderson children. Address by Mr. Ketcham, Master of the State Grange. Mr. Ketcham gave a very interesting talk, especially to the young people, in regard to making the most of life and urged upon them to have high ideals. The day's program closed with music by the Anderson children, and all in attendance felt that great good had been gained from this meeting and it was indeed a day worth while.

In and Around Plymouth

Bentley Bros. of Elm, are new advertisers this week.

If you are a quality smoker, smoke Guarantee cigars for sale at the Plymouth House.

The Salem branch of the Mutual Dairymen's Association gave a banquet at the Congregational church in that village yesterday, (Thursday.)

The village of Belleville have entered into a ten year contract with the Eastern Michigan Edison Company to furnish electric lights for that village.

Carl Stimpson of Northville, has signed a contract to play ball with the Lansing team in the South Michigan league the coming season. "Ky" has many friends in Plymouth who hope that he may make good with leaguers.

The St. Louis Sunday Globe had a fine write up with illustrations of Earl Stimpson, Jan. 27. "Rally" goes south with the St. Louis Browns Feb. 15 and will work out in the training camp until the season opens. Mrs. Stimpson will visit relatives in Plymouth-Northville neighborhood until Earl gets located with his team. Here's hoping he makes good and we are quite sure he will. Earl has good habits, a good batting eye, is exceptionally quick on bases and has the backing of a great ball player—Northville Record.

The fight against discontinuing the free mail delivery system for villages is on in dead earnest, and all because Postmaster Butler and Moroni Club got busy. Moroni was the first town of 114 where the experiment was inaugurated to register the first vigorous "kick." Now, judging from the tone of the letters Postmaster Butler is receiving in answer to the circulars sent out, about every one of the 114 towns are getting busy. Congressman Business is also on the job and is surely pleading for Moroni. Now, if we keep up the work it will be difficult for the administration and postoffice department to take any such a convulsion—Moroni Observer.

Former Plymouth Teacher Presents Remarkable Cantata

The many friends of Miss Minerva Hall, supervisor of music in the Decatur, Illinois, public schools, and formerly supervisor of music in the Plymouth schools, will be pleased to learn of her very successful presentation of the cantata, "Walrus and the Carpenter," in which 500 school children took part, on Friday evening, January 30. Both of the Decatur daily newspapers had accounts of the performance together with half-tone pictures of Miss Hall. The Daily Herald said in part:

Five hundred public school children sang from the stage of the high school auditorium Friday evening. Decatur never before heard such a chorus as that which gave Percy Fletcher's cantata, "Walrus and the Carpenter," under the direction of Miss Minerva Hall, supervisor of music. It was impressive in numbers, interesting in execution, inspiring by reason of its character. Miss Hall was the recipient of many congratulations at the close and was not allowed to take refuge in her modest assertion that the credit belonged to the teachers and children. Although in the program Miss Hall expressed her appreciation for the faithful help of her associates and the interest of the pupils. Miss Glenn, supervisor of music in the Bloomington schools, was among those who praised the performance heartily.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON



WASHINGTON AND HIS FAMILY

ture, there has come a tendency to depreciate the ability of the one man who, more than any other, would naturally be exalted. For a long time it was held that his fame was tarnished because he swore real oaths at the battle of Monmouth. That was succeeded by the present epoch, which has chosen to regard him as a lovable gentleman, with enough horse sense not to make a fool of himself and, by a series of events over which he had no control, to become the father of his country.

And yet it is doubtful if another character of the age is more to be admired for its many-sided excellencies. As a man, warrior and statesman, Washington yields to no figure of his time. What place Washington held, in his own day, must now become a matter of interest. Shortly after his death, Felix Fauleon voiced the opinion of the French parliamentarians when he addressed the legislative assembly as follows:

"The tomb has claimed him who was the model of republican perfection. This is not the time to trace all this truly great man has accomplished for the liberties of America, the generous inspirations which he imparted to the French who were attracted to his school of arms; the sublime act which will ever add luster to his memory, when, after having exerted his talents in giving liberty to his country, he voluntarily relinquished supreme power to conceal his glory in the obscurity of private life."

Naturally, Napoleon was attracted to the great general who led an army of ragamuffins to victory, after a long campaign of almost unparalleled vicissitudes, and whose power was attested by the fact that none of his general, except Wayne, accomplished much after they left him. When the news of his death reached France, the first consul issued the following order:

"Washington is no more! That great man fought against tyranny. He firmly established the liberty of his country. His memory will ever be dear to the French people, as it must be to every friend of freedom in two worlds, and especially to the French soldiers, who, like him and the Americans, bravely fight for liberty and equality. The first consul, in consequence, orders that, for ten days, black crepe shall be suspended to all the standards and flags of the republic."

At almost the same time the Gazette de France said: "Washington is dead! The news in the time of the directory it would have been imprudent to announce. Now, the heart may with confidence abandon itself to all the generous emotions of the soul, and we may dare to weep at the tomb of a great man. A general funeral service has been ordered in America, and this will be observed by the citizens of every nation. No period has sustained a loss so irreparable as the end of the eighteenth century."

tribute to his love of freedom, his wisdom and kindness of heart. All of them show why he never failed in anything of consequence he undertook. Without exception, they bear witness to the thought, the careful consideration, the sound judgment of the writer.

Also, it is probable that no man who wrote as much as he did put so little on paper that is open to criticism. Read a dozen or more volumes of his correspondence, as compiled by Sparks, and you will find not one epistle which does not bear the stamp of greatness.

With these qualities dominant, there is lacking, as a matter of course, the bias, the egotism, the proneness to give way to the passions, that have caused so many able men to fall.

Above all, there is an abounding love of freedom, an all-powerful desire to serve the best interests of his fellowmen, that cannot fail to touch the heart of any one who cares to read the old volumes that have been shelved in favor of so much less worthy material.

Take him, for instance, as a soldier. His earlier show that he realized fully the difficulties of the tasks ahead of him. First of all, his breadth of vision prevented his army from being divided and subdivided by the claims of the various colonies when he wrote to the Delaware Society for Promoting Domestic Manufactures, in 1795, as follows:

"The promoting of domestic manufactures will, in my conception, be among the first consequences which may naturally be expected to flow from an energetic government. For myself, having an equal regard for the prosperity of the farming, trading and manufacturing interests, I will only observe that I cannot conceive the extension of the latter (so far as it may afford employment to a great number of hands which would be otherwise in a manner idle) can be detrimental to the former. On the contrary, the concurrence of virtuous individuals, and the combination of economic societies, to rely as much as possible on the resources of our own country, may be productive of great national advantages by establishing the habits of industry and economy. The objects of your institution are, therefore, in my opinion, highly commendable; and you will permit me to add, gentlemen, that I propose to demonstrate the sincerity of my opinion on this subject by the uniformity of my practice in giving a decided preference to the products and fabrics of America, whenever it may be done without involving an unreasonable expense or very great inconvenience."

Along educational lines Washington's ideas were equally sure and far-seeing. When the federal commissioners in 1795 were considering the erection of a university, he wrote to them as follows:

"It has always been a source of serious reflection and sincere regret with me that the youth of the United States should be sent to foreign countries for the purpose of education. Although there are doubtless many, under these circumstances, who escape the danger of contracting principles unfavorable to the republican government, yet we ought to deprecate the hazard attending ardent and susceptible minds from being too strongly and too early prepossessed in favor of other political systems before they are capable of appreciating their own."

pective, but the intelligence you say you have received from our army deserves a reply. I have taken time, sir, to make a strict inquiry, and find it has not the least foundation in truth. Not only your officers and soldiers have been treated with the tenderness

due to fellow-citizens and brethren, but even those execrable paricides, whose counsels and aid have deluged their country with blood, have been protected from the fury of a justly enraged people. Far from compelling or permitting their assistance, I am embarrassed with the numbers who crowd to our camp, animated with the purest principles of virtue and love to their country.

"You affect, sir, to despise all rank not derived from the same source with your own. I cannot conceive one more honorable, than that which flows from the uncorrupted choice of a brave and free people, the purest source and original fountain of all power. Far from making it a plea for purity, a mind of true magnanimity and enlarged ideas would comprehend and respect it."

"What may have been the ministerial views which have precipitated the present crisis, Lexington, Concord and Charlestown can best declare. May that God, to whom you, too, appeal, judge between America and you. Under his providence, those who influence the councils of America, and all the other inhabitants of the United Colonies, at the hazard of their lives, are determined to hand down to posterity those just and invaluable privileges which they received from their ancestors."

To Washington's high personal character, and his lack of small weaknesses, his correspondence all bears testimony.

As a statesman, Washington was as sure, as broadminded and as determined as he was as a general. All his letters to his friends and to those who served him show that his efforts were directed toward the prevention, not only of entangling alliances abroad, but to calming internal dissensions and directing the business of the nation into healthy channels.

For a time the agricultural interests and the merchants saw the growth of manufactures with jealousy and distrust. But Washington yielded to no economic fallacies. Scarcely had the Revolution been brought to a successful termination when he wrote to the Delaware Society for Promoting Domestic Manufactures, in 1795, as follows:

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FROZE AS HE CLUNG TO SPEEDING TRAIN

Signal Stops Express and Ride-Stealer Is Rescued When About to Lose Hold.

Trenton, N. J.—As the New York to Washington Limited of the Pennsylvania railroad went tearing through New Brunswick the other day at 60 miles an hour the station telegrapher, glancing out of the window, saw a hatless man, his clothes encrusted with ice, clinging to the side of the limited's locomotive tender.

The telegrapher called up Trenton and notified the station agent there of what he had seen. Signals were immediately set to stop the train.

When the engineer of the limited brought his train to a standstill at



Clinging to the Side of the Tender.

Clinton street station the luckless rider on the tender was removed to the police station.

He said he is Harry Steele of Philadelphia and that while out of work he had been promised employment in New York. He made his way to that city, but found no work, and after several days of starving in the streets decided to steal a ride back to Philadelphia, where he has relatives and friends. He got as far as Newark, and then when the big express locomotive stopped there he scrambled up on the tender, determined to hang on until he reached Philadelphia.

At Elizabeth the locomotive, in taking water, wet him to the skin. His clothes soon froze to his body and he was on the point of losing his hold and falling to death when the train stopped at Trenton.

Police Judge Naar remanded Steele to the county jail, with a promise to permit him to communicate with relatives.

RED RIBBONS CAUSE MIXUP

Prospective Bridegroom Waiting for Bride-to-Be Is Hugged by Wrong Woman.

Los Angeles, Cal.—"Wear a red ribbon bow at your throat," wrote W. N. Lewis, sixty years old, to his matrimonial agency bride-to-be, Mrs. Lantula Johnstone, aged forty-five, back in Michigan. "I'll tie a red ribbon to my suitcase. Then there'll be no chance for a mistake."

On the trip down from San Francisco on the boat the new Mrs. Lewis-to-be was confident that when she reached Los Angeles she would be a widow no longer. The red bow at her throat would fix it. The steamer arrived at the harbor. So did Mr. Lewis. So did Mrs. Johnstone. Also did four other women. These four women adorned themselves with a red ribbon fashioned around their throats. Mr. Lewis stood waiting at the dock. Down the gangplank tripped a daintily clad woman. She was wearing a red ribbon at her throat. She tied a red ribbon fluttering in the breeze.

"Oh, George, is that you?" she gurgled and hugged Mr. Lewis. Here the clench was broken when another woman with a red ribbon also threw her arms about him. There followed then still another woman with a red ribbon. She too, embraced Mr. Lewis. Then came the fourth. She was wearing a red ribbon, but—then came the children and the blushing-bride-to-be with a red ribbon—found her well nigh panic-stricken husband-to-be and they immediately boarded a car for Los Angeles where they were married.

HOG KILLS VALUABLE HORSE

Vicious Parker Was Attacking a Male When Subdued by Men Armed With Clubs.

Wilson, La.—A large hog belonging to J. S. Smith ran amuck here and caused great excitement by attacking and killing a valuable horse and nearly putting to death a male.

The hog is two years old and is noted for its vicious temper. It got out of the lot where it was kept and ran through the streets.

The horse, belonging to J. S. Singletary, was tied in front of a store, when the hog, whose tusks are long and sharp, attacked and lacerated it so that it died soon after.

The vicious porker then attacked a male standing near, but a crowd with ropes and clubs finally overpowered the animal.



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"Woman used to wear the hoop skirt," she said, "and the wind blew it up outrageously. She now wears the slashed skirt, a much more modest affair."

"Time changes all things," ended Lady Cook. "I said to a young man the other day:

"Distance lends enchantment."
"But not," he answered, "when you're taking your girl home in a taxicab."

ITCHING TERRIBLE ON LIMB

R. F. D. No. 3, Clarkfield, Minn.—"My trouble was of long standing. It started with some small red and yellow spots about the size of a pin head on my leg and every morning there was a dry scale on top covering the affected part and when those scales were falling off the itching was more than I could stand at times. The first year I did not mind it so much as it was only itching very badly at times, but the second year it advanced all around my leg and the itching was terrible. I had to be very careful to have my clothing around the affected part very loose. At night time I often happened to scratch the sore in my sleep. Then I had to stand up, get out of bed and walk the floor till the spell was over."

"I bought lots of salves and tried many different kinds of medicine but without any success. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a fifty-cent box of Cuticura Ointment and when I had used them I was nearly over the itching. But I kept on with the Cuticura Soap for six weeks and the cure was complete." (Signed) S. O. Gorden, Nov. 20, 1912.

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Local News

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Mrs. Robert Bird of Romulus, was a Plymouth visitor Saturday.

Roy Mott of Detroit, was a guest of friends in town over Sunday.

Orlow Brown of Detroit, was a guest at Wm. Glympe's over Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Robinson visited her son Claude and wife in Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bennett were guests of relatives in Detroit over Sunday.

Dr. W. F. Dodelay visited his father, H. B. Dodelay, at Ann Arbor last Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Giles, who has been quite ill for the past week is convalescing.

The Woman's Literary Club will meet with Mrs. R. G. Samsen this (Friday) afternoon.

Dr. John Olsvater attended a Fraternity banquet at Ann Arbor last Saturday evening.

John Schackleton has returned from a few days visit with friends at Kalamazoo and Howell.

Mrs. Geo. Lane and son Vernon of Detroit, visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Lyon this week.

Miss Amy Deland and Mrs. Wilkinson of Detroit, were visitors at Mrs. Hulda Knapp's last Saturday.

The five hundred club were pleasantly entertained at Miss Mary Conner's home last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Janette Huston returned home Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Huston at Birmingham.

Miss Ida Collar of Detroit, was an over Sunday guest of Mrs. Edwin Hutchins and Mrs. R. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Geer of Ypsilanti, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cady, last Sunday.

The Degree of Honor gave an informal dancing party at the close of their meeting last Monday evening.

Mrs. E. S. Cook pleasantly entertained the Bridge Club last Monday afternoon at Mrs. E. W. Chaffee's home.

The Woman's Baptist Mission Circle will meet with Mrs. S. L. Bennett next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 18th.

Mrs. S. R. Wilson of Selina, and Mrs. J. D. Hinds of Flint, were guests at Mrs. Mary Brown's last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin McGraw have returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Quartel, Jr. at Vassar, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams of Detroit, and Claude Stanley of Northville, were guests at Mrs. O. Newman's Sunday.

The Pastime Club enjoyed a sleigh-ride party out to Miss Beesie Robinson's home near Wayne, last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Minnie Brems returned home last week Wednesday from Madrid, New Mexico, where she has been teaching for the past ten months.

Mable Lyles who underwent an operation for appendicitis two weeks ago at Ann Arbor, is getting along nicely and will be home in a few days.

Several from here have gone to Detroit this week to witness the production of "The Auctioneer" by David Warfield at the Detroit opera house.

The thimble party at Mrs. E. O. Huston's home last Friday afternoon was well attended. A musical program was given and light refreshments were served.

While in South Lyon last week Miss Hazel Taylor had the misfortune to fall on the ice, severely injuring her hip. She was unable to return home until this week.

Wm. Wherry, who has been at Harper hospital, Detroit, for the past few weeks, was brought home last Saturday. Miss Ada Safford is caring for him, and he is slowly improving.

Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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BREEDING HOGS IN LUXURY

City Girl Lost in Wonder at the Consideration Shown by the Farmer.

A young lady from the city was going to make her first visit to a cousin in the country. At the station she was met by the cousin, and after a half-hour's drive he told her they were approaching his farm.

In one of the broad fields that met the young lady's attentive eye stood a windmill, and gathered around it, some standing and some reclining, were several hogs.

"Well, that beats anything I ever heard of!" exclaimed the fair one. "I didn't know that you farmers were so considerate."

"What does?" queried the country cousin.

"That over yonder," replied the city girl, pointing a pretty finger. "Just think of having a fan out in the field to keep those hogs cool!"—Christian Endeavor World.

Nope-Tip Vaccination.

The young Japanese diplomat pointed to his father, the marquis.

"That's father," he said, "the old fellow with the saucer-shaped scar on the tip of his nose. All Japs of the older generation have that scar."

"Yes," said the debutante.

"Yes, it's a vaccination mark. In the old days, when compulsory vaccination first began we Japs vaccinated everybody on the tip of the nose. Why? Well, because it was a good place, where there's no movement to rub off the scab. And also because a vaccination scar on the nose was easily identified by the medical officers of the government. A man didn't have to take off half his clothes in order to prove that he'd been vaccinated."

"Yes, the nose tip vaccination had its good points, but before the modern hairdressing after beauty it had to go."

The Test.

Park Commissioner Stover of New York was talking about the abolition of "spooning" in Central park.

"We have pretty well abolished spooning," he said. "The way to abolish it altogether is to have fewer copes and more cops. But those who persist in spooning in Central park now, in the face of all the difficulties, are pretty determined sweethearts, and when they marry they should be able to pass all their lives the 'happy marriage' test."

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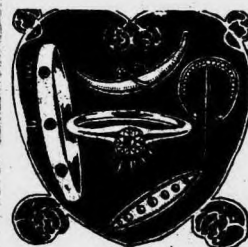


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INNOVATION IN WAR ON DOPE TRADE

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES CAUSE ARREST OF PARKE-DAVIS REPRESENTATIVE.

SAID TO HAVE SENT HARMFUL DRUGS THROUGH MAILS.

Detroit Company is First to Feel Effect of New Move in the Government's Fight to Stop Dope Traffic.

New York.—The federal authorities initiated action Monday regarding the mail order distribution of harmful drugs that promises a startling innovation both in business methods heretofore tolerated, and with regard to the system by which many of those addicted to the drug habit have been receiving supplies.

To curb the promiscuous distribution of drugs, the government Monday caused the arrest of Oscar W. Smith, manager of New York branch of Parke, Davis & Company, wholesale druggists, of Detroit, on the charge of sending heroin through the mails.

Government agents, it was stated, are working getting evidence for similar action against other drug companies which are in the habit of sending narcotic drugs through the mails.

K. of P. Delegates Are Named.

Ypsilanti, Mich.—S. J. Arner, Cedar Springs; J. W. Mitchell, Capac, and E. M. Newberg, Ludington, were Saturday afternoon adjudged winners of the contest conducted by the Knights of Pythias for the purpose of filling the Michigan delegation to the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the order at Washington, D. C., Feb. 19-21. The other members of the delegation are: H. E. Vandewalker, grand chancellor, of Ypsilanti; and William E. Hampson, grand keeper of records and seals, Charlevoix. The contest was judged by the finance committee, H. A. Gilmore, Ypsilanti; William H. Newton, Jonesville, and Morris H. Beeman, Eaton Rapids.

Descendant of Jacques Campau Dead.

Grand Rapids.—Francis Edward Campau, 62, banker and descendant of one of the pioneer families of Michigan, died at his home in the village of Aho Sunday afternoon, after an illness of less than 24 hours, acute indigestion being the cause.

Mr. Campau was the son of Edward and Phoebe Goodwin Campau, among the earliest pioneers of Kent county. His father, was born in Detroit and was a lineal descendant of Marquis Jacques Campau, so intimately connected with the founding and early history of Detroit in connection with Sieur De La Motte Cadillac.

Boy Killed While Hunting.

Potosky, Mich.—After chasing a racoon up a tree Saturday afternoon while hunting near Epslon, Emmet county, Henry Laubrick, age 17, was attacked by the animal, and in the struggle his rifle was discharged.

The bullet entered Laubrick's eye and he fell unconscious to the ground. His companion, Leland Meyer, ran three miles for assistance. Laubrick died an hour later at his home.

Saginaw After Better Car Service.

Saginaw, Mich.—The city commission has started a campaign to better the street car service in the city. The traffic officers have been asked to ascertain if the cars are overcrowded, if they are sanitary, and if they keep up with the schedule. The officers have been given cards to fill out and forward to the mayor. The reports will then be turned over to the street car company with the request that an improvement be made.

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

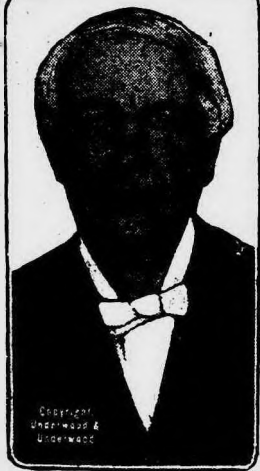
At the annual meeting of the Grand Traverses Region Fair association, officers elected were: President, Robert Berner, superintendent, J. H. Buel, A. F. Hinton, secretary, Charles B. Dye, treasurer, John Rozale. September 21 prizes were selected as permanent prizes.

Governor McGovern, of Wisconsin, has made a request upon Governor Ferris to extradite T. E. O'Grady, a deputy employed by Sheriff Cruise, of Houghton county, who is wanted in Wisconsin to answer a charge of kidnaping a witness for the grand jury investigation. O'Grady will fight extradition and a hearing will be held at the executive office in about two weeks.

At a special meeting of the village council of Ovid, it was decided to submit to the voters at the spring election the proposition of installing electrically driven pumps for the water works system at a cost of about \$3,500.

The Bay City Times and the Bay City Publishing Co. have announced that W. H. Griffin, formerly of the Bay City Times, as general manager, will be in charge of the new paper.

GREAT INVENTOR REACHES SIXTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY



THOMAS A. EDISON.

West Orange, N. J.—Mr. and Mrs. Edison entertained a large company of well known people on the occasion of his sixty-seventh birthday, Wednesday, February 11th. They will leave this month for Florida to spend the balance of the winter.

FOR RIVERS AND HARBORS

All Appropriations for Michigan Are Reported on Favorably to the House of Representatives.

Washington.—When the annual river and harbor appropriation bill was reported to the house of representatives, Wednesday, it carried items for Michigan improvements aggregating \$814,260. This sum will be expended in addition to an appropriation of \$211,000 for Marquette harbor, carried in the sundry civil appropriation bill. No new Michigan projects are authorized by the measure, but an item of \$250,000 is placed in the bill to continue work on the construction of the fourth lock at the Soo.

Other appropriations are principally for harbor maintenance, those items being: Ontonagon harbor, \$10,000; Marquette, \$10,000; Menominee, \$25,000; South Haven, \$17,000; Muskegon, \$5,000; Ludington, \$21,000; Frankfort, \$3,000; Charlevoix, \$4,000; Clinton river, \$2,600. An item of \$75,000 for the waterway across Keweenaw point is provided, also an item of \$30,000 for the improvement of the Black river at Port Huron. An appropriation of \$362,380 for the harbor of refuge at Harbor Beach is proposed. According to Chairman Spearman, of Florida, Michigan got all the appropriations which were recommended by the chief of army engineers.

Gibson Lauds Pike Project.

Muskegon, Mich.—Pointing out that the West Michigan pike project, the plan to build an automobile road along the east shore of Lake Michigan, would, when completed, be one of the biggest events in development of this section of the state known in its history, John I. Gibson, secretary of West Michigan Development bureau, made the feature speech at the big annual banquet of Muskegon Chamber of Commerce Saturday night. Nearly 400 members of the organization with two score guests from all parts of the state were in attendance. Lieut.-Gov. John Q. Ross acted as toastmaster.

Big Paper Mill is Burned.

Milwaukee, Wis.—A million dollar paper mill at Brook, Wis., was destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. The plant was practically razed to the ground while volunteer firemen were unable to procure water to fight the conflagration because of frozen water mains.

The Paper Mills were owned by the Wisconsin River Paper Co. With the destruction of the factory, the whole town was literally wiped out commercially. The temperature here was eight below zero.

Oakland county has been selected as the midsummer orchard meeting place for the Michigan Horticultural society.

Steve Holvitch, 24 years old, a section hand on the Grand Trunk railroad, was run over by a switch engine at Durand Saturday. His left leg was nearly cut off and he died a few hours later.

Cadillac will elect a mayor and four commissioners at the first election under the new city charter, February 9th.

Battle Creek is to have another fraternal day. August 20 has been set as the date for the celebration, and competitive drills for state and national teams will be given.

Vessel property representing a value of more than \$500,000, has been wrecked from the rocks by wrecking outfits that towed into Port Huron by tugboats the storm of November 9. This foundered in perhaps without a parallel in the maritime history of the lakes.

LETTER FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

SUPERVISORS ADOPT RESOLUTIONS AT CONVENTION AT LANSING.

BELIEVE THAT PRESENT TAX LAW IS DESIRABLE.

Gov. Ferris Says to Cut Down Amount of Taxes Raised for Educational Purposes Would Be Criminal.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing.—In a maze of parliamentary rulings that would have done justice to a heated session of the legislature, the Thursday forenoon meeting of the State Association of Supervisors came to a close, following a unanimous adoption of the report of the committee on resolutions.

The resolution committee reported that consideration had been taken of recommendations in the line with suggestions made therein, the committee's report recommended the following:

That the continuation of the present tax law is desirable until such time as vital need shall point to the necessity of radical changes; that the efforts of the state tax commission are commendable and deserve co-operation of all supervisors; that the amount of taxes to be raised in any one year should be limited, and that a committee of five be appointed to request the tax committee of the legislature to pass such legislation; that it should be the duty of all co-officers to assess property at cash value.

The committee also recommended the amendment of the law of 1911, to provide that the membership of the state board of equalization be composed of the three members of the tax commission, the governor and the auditor-general. It was supported on the ground that the tax commissioners are better acquainted with property values; that present methods are not satisfactory and that the experience of other states has demonstrated that the tax commissioners' estimate of values gives the most general satisfaction.

A resolution proposing an amendment to the mortgage tax law by which the rate should be computed at one-half of 1 per cent at the date of filing the mortgage, payable annually, the tax going into the treasury of the municipality where the mortgage or bond is held or owned, was put over until next year.

A resolution endorsing the free employment method advocated by the auditor-general; one for home rule legislation by which compensation of co-officers should be placed on salary basis, and all other resolutions, introduced to the committee after the first day's session, were passed up until the next annual meeting.

Governor Ferris spoke briefly, "To attempt to cut down the amount of taxes raised for educational purposes is little less than criminal," said the governor. "If Michigan is to progress, taxes must increase. The question is not how little the amount shall increase as what do we get for the money we pay."

All the deputy wardens of the lower peninsula will meet at Lansing February 18. Speaking of this work State Game Warden W. R. Gates says: "Recently I have visited several sections of the state conferring with sportsmen and getting their ideas in reference to the propagation and distribution of game in suitable covers of the state under proper auspices. While I think we have a good patrol force in the department and our work along this line last year was successful, yet in my opinion it is essential that something be done to restock our depleted covers and it is important that we secure the co-operation of sportsmen's associations and sportsmen generally, with the department in propagating and distributing game."

"One of the biggest sportsmen's clubs in the western part of the state informs me that they have obtained possession of a large tract of land suitable for the propagation of quail and other birds, that they expect to dedicate such lands to the state in charge to keep out the vermin and other destructive agencies, and under the law the department has agreed to post such refuge and protect the game for a certain number of years."

"Several private land owners dedicated some of their holdings to the state as game refuges under the act passed by the last legislature. We also propose to set aside certain state lands suitable for game covers and stock them with game purchased by the state. Our experiments along this line will be confined for the time being to native birds of Michigan such as grouse, quail, prairie chickens, etc. There is no question in my mind but that prairie chickens are increasing in Michigan, as deputies are reporting numerous flocks in the various sections (part of the state particularly in Livingston county and adjoining territory, and I have personally observed many flocks of these birds in the upper peninsula, in 1913 and 1914."

counties. The department feels that if it can obtain the active interest of the private sportsmen with the department in a vigorous campaign to restock the covers suitable to game propagation, that it will be the only sure way of perpetuating the game life of the state.

"In order to give more publicity to the value of game protection and conservation, we are also inaugurating a lecture system. A representative of this department is ready and will be glad to present these lectures not only to the sportsmen's associations, grange meetings, county fairs, but also in the public schools. These lectures will be particularly interesting as they show the importance of protecting the wild life of the state, the kind and value of Michigan's game and insectivorous birds, the great value of our commercial fishing industry, if the great lakes are properly replenished with commercial fish spawn, the care and vigilance which should be exercised by those who visit the woods with the object in view of suppressing forest fires, and generally to inform the Michigan public what the department is doing, what it would like to do and the methods employed and money expended to secure good results."

Representatives of the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce and the Lansing Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the state railroad commission and protested against the action of several railroad companies for their alleged refusal to provide adequate equipment for the shipment of perishable fruit and the clause recently attached to the bills of lading providing that the owners are liable for the loss in case the fruit is frozen, where shipments are made in less than carload lots.

The complaint is directed against the Grand Rapids & Indiana, Michigan Central, Pere Marquette, Grand Trunk and Lake Shore roads. Attorney F. L. Williams, of Grand Rapids appeared for the complainants, and Attorney Frank Robson, of Detroit, handled the case for the railroad companies.

It declared that the railroad companies should provide equipment that will make it possible for perishable goods to arrive at their destinations in sound condition. It is set forth that an immense amount of business of this nature moves out of Grand Rapids and that the railroad companies should be required to substitute on certain days of each week equipment for the ordinary box car that will afford protection against freezing.

At a meeting of the public domain commission recently a request was read from the State School Teachers' association which desires the state to set aside lands to be used by the teachers as a summer resort. Houghton lake is talked of, though no action has been taken.

Gov. Ferris has appointed the following as members of the Michigan Panama Pacific exposition commission: H. A. Jones and Gordon MacEdward, Detroit; L. C. Covell and J. Newton Ninds, Sr., Grand Rapids, W. A. Comstock, Alpena; Floyd A. Allen, Flint; Schurman C. Collins, Muskegon; A. R. Treanor, Saginaw, and R. B. Lawrence, Bay City.

Fearing that the bill which was introduced in the last Michigan legislature relative to compelling all threatening outfit owners to have smooth tire wheels on their engines will come up again, the Michigan Threshermen's association, at its annual convention here March 11, 12 and 13, will make this one of the big issues. It is preparing to fight the proposed measures.

Governor Ferris has refused to approve the action of the supervisors of Saginaw county in changing the method of electing a county road commissioner, and making that official appointive by the board, and also in making the office of sheriff salaried instead of compensated by fees as is the present plan.

Both these changes were authorized by the board of supervisors at its January session, and were immediately sent for approval to the attorney-general, who sent both measures to the governor, with the recommendation that he approve them.

Prosecuting Attorney Devereux plans to appeal direct to the legislature.

Announcement of the absolute refusal of the postmaster-general's department to relieve the Pere Marquette railway receivers of the road's obligation under its mail-carrying contract; declaration that the courts have no jurisdiction to alter the terms of the contract; denial that the railroad is losing money because of the increased amount of mail under the parcel post law, and denial that the constitution is violated by requiring extra service or that the question of compensation can be brought into a collateral matter, embrace the main points of the answer filed in the United States court in Detroit late Friday afternoon by Joseph Stewart, second assistant postmaster-general, to the petition of the road's receivers for the court to order a higher rate for carrying mail or allow the cancellation of the contract.

NEW CHARTER FOR DETROIT BEATEN

OF FORTY-ONE THOUSAND VOTES PROPOSED LAW LOSES BY 9, 298.

FIVE WARDS GIVE SMALL FAVORABLE MAJORITIES.

Vote Cast is Little More Than Half of the Presidential Election of 1912—About as Predicted By Workers.

Detroit.—The proposed new charter was buried under an avalanche of votes on Tuesday.

Complete returns show a majority of 9,293 against the charter. The totals are as follows: Yes, 15,952; no, 25,245.

The vote cast was little more than half that shown in the presidential election in 1912. It compared favorably with votes cast in similar special elections in the past and was about what had been predicted by men active in the charter campaign. The total vote was 41,197.

Five downtown wards spoke feebly in favor of the charter. A sixth one (the tenth), beat the charter by a narrow margin. But the 12 other wards figuratively put the document under foot and waltzed on it. In the eleventh ward the charter got only 17 per cent of the vote cast. In the ninth it had but 18 per cent; the thirteenth and seventh wards, 20 per cent; the fifteenth ward, 25 per cent. In other words the charter was beaten by more than five votes to one; in the fifth ward the vote was four to one against.

Appropriation for Indian School.

Washington.—An appropriation of \$50275 for the education of 325 Indians at the Mount Pleasant, Mich., Indian school is carried in the Indian appropriation bill reported to the house by the committee of Indian affairs.

For general repairs and improvements, and appropriation of \$5,000 is to be made.

The only other item in the bill for Michigan Indians is that of \$3,600 for the pay of employees at the Mackinac agency.

Army Aviator is Killed.

San Diego, Cal.—Lieut. H. B. Post, first aero corps, United States army, was instantly killed Monday by a fall of 500 feet in a hydro-aeroplane. About 150 feet from the surface of the bay Lieut. Post was seen to shoot clear of the machine. It was said by watchers that the engine exploded.

Lieut. Post was flying for an altitude record. He had the reputation of being the best aviator in the army camp on North Island, across the bay from San Diego.

Panic in Hospital Fire.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Forty-five panic-stricken patients of the city sanitarium for tuberculosis, were rescued Tuesday from a fire which destroyed the institution. The loss was \$50,000. The hospital was in Wauwatosa, a suburb.

Panic reigned for a time among the patients who were able to leave their beds unassisted, while the screams of weaker ones made the rescuers hasten.

Will Inspect Hotels of State.

Lansing, Mich.—James F. Hammel, state hotel inspector, will begin the work of inspecting the 15,000 or more hotels in the state on April 1. Mr. Hammel does not expect to make the rounds in a year. He will use the regular force of the state department of labor to assist him. This will give him 15 additional assistants, and a rigid enforcement of the law will be made.

Col. Goethals Suspends John Burke.

Panama.—Col. George W. Goethals, chairman of the Panama canal commission, Monday suspended John Burke, manager of the commissary department. Burke is accused of grafting in connection with purchases made in his official capacity.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Abraham Abradella, proprietor of an Alpena hotel, threw \$400 in bills into the stove instead of a handful of waste paper. He managed to save \$300.

Mrs. John Ives, blind, and 70 years old, of Saginaw, was burned fatally when her clothes caught fire from a live coal while she was putting wood in the stove.

In the annual report of the state board of agriculture it is shown that 38 per cent of the students in M. A. C. at East Lansing are self-supporting, 10 per cent partially rely on their own efforts and 54 per cent are dependent on their parents.

Many fruit growers of the state met in Benton Harbor Thursday and Friday for the two-day mid-winter session of the state horticultural society. E. A. Smythe, of Benton Harbor, was elected secretary to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of C. E. Bassett.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

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Veal: Receipts, 650 head; market active and steady at \$6 @ \$12.

Hogs: Receipts, 13,000; market active and 5 @ 10c higher; pigs 25 @ 30c higher; heavy, \$9 @ \$15; mixed, \$9.20 @ \$9.25; yorkers and pigs, \$9.25 @ \$9.30; roughs, \$8.25 @ \$8.40; stags, \$6.50 @ \$7.25; dairies, \$9 @ \$9.25.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 17,000 head; market active; sheep \$5 @ 20c higher; lambs steady; lambs \$5.50 @ \$4.00; yearlings, \$5 @ \$7.40; wethers, \$6.15 @ \$6.40; ewes, \$3 @ \$6; sheep, mixed, \$6.15.

Graine Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash, No. 2, 97 1/2c; May opened without change at \$1.02, declined to \$1.01 3/4 and advanced to \$1.02; July opened at 92c, declined to 91 3/4c and advanced to 92c; No. white, 97c.

Corn—Cash, No. 3, 65c; No. 3 yellow 2 cars at 65c; No. 4 yellow, 2 cars at 62 1/2c.

Oats—Standard, 1 car at 41c; No. 3 white, 41 1/2c; No. 4 white, 41c.

Rye—Cash, No. 2, 66c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and February shipment, \$1.85; March, \$1.90.

Cloverseed—1 Prime spot, \$8.85; March, \$8.90; sample red, 37 bags at \$8.25, 20 at \$8.15 at \$7.75, 9 at \$7.50; prime alsike, \$10.75; sample alsike, 24 bags at \$9.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$2.25.

Alfalfa—Prime spot, \$7.25; sample, 9 bags at \$6.50.

Hay—Carlots, track Detroit: No. 1 timothy, \$14.50 @ \$15; standard, \$12.50 @ \$14; No. 2 timothy, \$12 @ \$13; light mixed, \$13.50 @ \$14; No. 1 mixed, \$12.50 @ \$13; No. 1 clover, \$12 @ \$12.50; rye straw, \$8 @ \$8.50; wheat straw, \$7 @ \$7.50; oat straw, \$7 @ \$7.50 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots; Best patent, \$5.30; second patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.50; spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.40 per bb.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$28; coarse middlings, \$27; fine middlings, \$29; cracked corn, \$29; coarse cornmeal, \$28; corn and oat chop, \$25.60 per ton.

General Markets.

Apples—Steele Red, \$5.50 @ \$6; Spy, \$4.50 @ \$5.50; Greening, \$4.50 @ \$5; No. 2, \$3 @ \$3.50 per bb.

Rabbies—\$2 @ \$2.25 per doz.

Cabbage—\$2.25 @ \$2.50 per bb.

New Potatoes—Bermuda, \$2.50 per bu and \$7 per bb.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey kiln-dried, \$1.35 @ \$1.40 per crate.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 15c; common, 11 @ 12c per lb.

Dressed Hogs—Light, \$10; heavy, \$8 @ 9 per cwt.

Onions—\$1.40 per bu, \$2.75 per sack of 100 lbs; Spanish, \$1.50 per crate.

Potatoes—In bulk, 60 @ 62c per bu; in sacks, 65c per bu for carlots.

Dressed Poultry—Chickens, 16 @ 16 1/2c; hens, 16 @ 16 1/2c; No. hens, 16 @ 11c; old roosters, 10 @ 11c; ducks, 17 @ 18c; geese, 14 @ 15c; turkeys, 20 @ 21c per lb.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan late made, 15 @ 16c; Michigan fall made 16 1/2c; New York fats, 17 3/4 @ 18c; brick, 16 @ 16 1/2c; Limburger, 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2c; imported Swiss, 24 @ 24 1/2c; domestic Swiss, 19 1/2 @ 20c; long horns, 18 @ 18 1/2c; daisies, 16 @ 17 1/2c per lb.

Live Poultry—Spring chickens, 15c; hens, 15c; No. hens, 11c; old roosters, 10 @ 11c; turkeys, 17 @ 19c; geese, 14 @ 15c; ducks, 15c per lb.

Hides—No. 1 cured 14 1/2c; No. 1 green, 12 1/2c; No. 1 cured bulls, 12 1/2c; No. 1 green bulls, 10c; No. 1 cured veal kip, 17c; No. 1 green veal kip, 14c; No. 1 cured murrain, 12c; No. 1 green murrain, 10c; No. 1 cured calf, 15c; No. 1 green calf, 15c; No. 1 murrain, \$4.50; No. 3 murrain, \$3.50; No. 1 kip and calf 15c @ 17c; No. 1 hides in oil; sheepskins, as to amount of wool, 50 @ \$1.25.

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