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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Other services as follows:

- 11:20 a. m.—Sunday-school.
3:00 p. m.—Junior Christian Endeavor Society.
6:00 p. m.—Senior Christian Endeavor Society.

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A Fatal Accident Last Friday Night

David Adams, superintendent of construction of the new school house being built here, and Dr. A. Adley, who has been employed as clerk in the Rockwell Pharmacy for some time past, were returning from Detroit at a late hour last Friday night in Mr. Adams' car, when they met with an accident that terminated fatally for Dr. Adley.

When just east of Sheldons on Michigan avenue, Mr. Adams saw the bright lights of an automobile approaching. Turning out for this car, he was confronted by another car, which he says was standing on the wrong side of the road, and which was stalled at the time. The car he had just passed and the glare of its lights prevented him from seeing the stalled car, and in order to avoid a collision, he ran his car upon the electric car track. In doing this he put one of the wheels of his car out of commission. He made several attempts to get his car off the track but was unable to do so. Just about this time an electric car was seen approaching from the west, and both he and the doctor got out of the auto, Adams saying he would run ahead and signal the car to stop.

It is not known just how Dr. Adley was struck, but it is supposed that he must have stood too close to the auto when the car struck it, and was hurled to the ground with great force by being struck with the machine or some part of it. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and placed aboard the car. At Wayne physicians made an examination and found the injured man was fatally hurt, and could not survive but a few minutes. He died before the car reached Dearborn. The remains were taken on to Detroit and placed in a morgue, and later turned over to relatives living in the city. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon and several from here attended.

Methodists Have "House-Warming" Tonight

The work on the new Methodist church is now practically completed, some finishing touches on the plumbing and decorating being made this week. The ladies of the church had an all day meeting at the church Wednesday, a pot-luck dinner being served at noon, and began house-keeping in their splendidly equipped kitchen and dining room.

Red Cross Sunday at Episcopal Church

Last Sunday morning at St. John's Episcopal church, a special service was held for members and those interested in the Red Cross work. E. M. Worth, gave a very spirited and instructive address on the work of the Red Cross society in times of war and peace. Special hymns were sung. Up to last Sunday the number of members of St. John's Episcopal Branch of the National Red Cross society had reached the 70 mark, and after the close of the service, Mr. Greenleaf, the secretary, added quite a few to the list, and others are still coming in. This result is excellent for such a small band of workers, yet although small, true in faith and steadfast in purpose.

Local News

The school census is now being taken in the village. Mrs. Ella Wright of Ypsilanti, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Ellen Woodard of Detroit, was an over Sunday guest of Mrs. O. A. Fraser. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bennett of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Bartlett over Sunday. The Daisy factory was closed down the first of the week on account of the breaking of the main shaft. Mrs. Frank Durham went to Ann Arbor hospital the first of the week, where she underwent an operation. V. C. A. Fisher is driving a new six, cylinder seven-passenger Buick car, purchased of Bentley Bros. of Ann Arbor. Maurice Campbell and wife of Detroit, visited over Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. George Oldenburg have moved into the new house on Ann street, owned by the former's father. Wendell Mason of Petoskey, who is attending the U. of M., was a visitor at Dr. R. E. Cooper's and other friends, Sunday. Mrs. George Huger, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, is now improving and hopes are entertained for her recovery. Mrs. Charles Thumme and little daughter of Farmington, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arms and son of Milford, and Miss Monroe of Northville, were guests at H. C. Robinson's, Sunday. The bridge club was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. B. B. Bennett and Mrs. A. W. Chaffee at the latter's home, Tuesday afternoon. Special communication of Plymouth Rock Lodge, No. 47, F. & A. M., Friday evening, May 25. Work M. M. degree. Banquet after work. Mr. and Mrs. Luther C. Mason of Petoskey, have been guests this week of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Cooper and Mrs. Emma Hamilton and Miss Bessie Hood. James Manser was called to Sibley last Saturday to attend the funeral of his brother, Charles Manser. This is the second brother Mr. Manser has lost within two months, the other John Manser, who lived near Howell, died less than two months ago. They were his two younger brothers. In the contest for attendance at the Sunday-school institute held in Ypsilanti last week, the Methodist Sunday-school of Plymouth received third place, having seven hundred delegates in attendance. The prizes a splendid workers' library was captured by the school from Flat Rock.

Change of Time on the Pere Marquette

A change of time went into effect on the Pere Marquette last Sunday. Trains No. 3 to Saginaw at 8:08 a. m. and No. 102 from Saginaw at 11:20 a. m. have both been discontinued. Trains No. 4 and 5 to and from Saginaw make local stops. Numerous other changes have been made. See schedule below:

Table with train schedules for TO DETROIT, TO GRAND RAPIDS, TO SAGINAW, and TO TOLEDO.

Local News

New Wash Goods and Linings. Silk, Velvets, etc., at Riggs' Popular prices. Miss Leona Merritt was the guest of Mrs. Harry Hannan at Flint, over Sunday. Mrs. F. B. Parks has been the guest of Mrs. Frank Burrows in Detroit this week. Wendell Lewis of Detroit, visited his aunt, Mrs. Charity Harlow, a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sayles have returned home from a week's visit with relatives at Ypsilanti. H. C. Bennett and family of Walkerville, Ont., were guests of C. L. Wilcox and family last Sunday. Mrs. A. R. Brink of St. Charles, was a week-end visitor with her daughter, Miss Angie Brink. Mrs. Ellen Woodard and daughter, Mrs. Edwin Hecker of Detroit, visited relatives here the first of the week. Rev. Frank M. Field and family were surprised recently on the former's birthday by about fifty members of the Methodist congregation, who spent a merry evening together and left a number of substantial reminders of their visit. A number of people who have been looking around the new school building have noticed a strange crack of physics in a broken window on the west side. The glass is broken out in such a way as to leave a pretty accurate outline of the lower peninsula of Michigan. A slice of the thumb is cut off at the side, but Saginaw Bay, Traverse Bay and the contour of the Lake Michigan shore are all there in striking likeness.

Woman's Literary Club

An open meeting of the Woman's Literary Club held at the Presbyterian church last Friday afternoon was well attended. The program opened by the ladies singing in unison, America. Two vocal selections were rendered by Miss Baird of the Thomas Normal Training School of Detroit, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. L. Thomas. The president of the club, Mrs. R. E. Cooper in her usual pleasing manner welcomed the ladies, and presented the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Georgie L. White, Dean of Women, M. A. C., who gave the ladies an interesting talk on the field for service work of any nature, the problems of promoting gardening, encouraging thrift, the production and conservation of foods and the simplicity of dress. The next meeting of the club will be the annual meeting and club picnic and will be held at the home of Mrs. Leola Thomas on the Plymouth road, Friday, May 25th. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Anderson of Flint, were Plymouth visitors Saturday.

We will pay 10c for the first copy of the Mail of February 23, brought to this office.

F. W. Loesse and daughter of Saginaw, have each purchased lots in the Elm Heights subdivision and expect to build houses thereon.

Mrs. Henry Andrews entertained the L. O. T. M.'s and friends at a thimble party at her home on Depot street last Friday afternoon. About thirty ladies were present and a fine pot-luck supper was served.

A lively runaway occurred on Blumk avenue Sunday evening about eight o'clock, when a hot hitched to a breaking cart, belonging to Lloyd Palmer, became frightened at an automobile and broke loose from where it was tied at Irving Blumk's milk house, and made a dash for home. Various parts of the cart and harness were scattered along the route, but luckily no one happened in the way of the frightened animal.

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ones, about six inches. If especially large, brilliant flowers are desired, a bed of well-mixed turfy loam, leaf-mold, and well-decayed manure should be prepared for them. Good drainage should be provided, as the plants are impatient of too much moisture and are more liable to winter-kill in moist than in well-drained situations. In fact, the plant is hardy to severe cold, but succumbs when exposed to low temperatures in wet places.

The Carnation Pink.—This plant, dianthus caryophyllus, which is the forcing carnation of the American florist, can be grown from seeds sown early in the season in hotbeds, the young plants being given frequent shifts to pots of increased size as they grow, until all danger of frost is past and the growing season is well on, when they may be transferred to the border where they are to bloom. If they are given a rich soil and an abundance of moisture, the bloom will more than repay the extra trouble taken. Seedling plants are more variable in character than plants propagated from cuttings, and for that reason are not well suited for commercial purposes.

On the continent of Europe this type of dianthus is more commonly used as a garden annual than in America. The form known as "Marquise carnation," which has recently come into popular favor, is well adapted to cultivation as an annual. The majority of its flowers come double, and it has a pleasing habit of growth.

Sweet William.—The sweet william, dianthus barbatus, which is to be found in every grandmother's garden, is one of the most satisfactory members of this group for annual planting. While seed can be sown in the open early in the season, about corn-planting time, the best results in the way of early bloom come from plants produced from seeds sown in a hotbed not later than the 10th of March in the latitude of New York, the young plants being pricked out into flats, or preferably, into thumb pots, and later shifted to three-inch pots before planting in the flowering border. The outside planting of hotbed-grown plants should be delayed until the season has advanced sufficiently to prevent the

BALSAM (Impatiens Balsamina)

A native of India, the garden balsam loves a hot sun, rich soil, and plenty of water. The young plants are quick, sure growers, and from seed sown in the open ground in May soon form handsome bushes thickly laced with large, rose-like flowers. Transplanting two or three times has a tendency to dwarf the plants into better shape and to make the flowers more double. Balsams are not often given room for perfect development; they will easily cover 12 to 18 inches of space each way. For the finest flowers choice seed is more than usually essential, for cultivation and selection have wrought wonders with this plant. The one objection to the balsam is its habit of producing its flowers as it were, on the underside of the leaves, or inside the plant. While the individual flowers are beautiful, the obscure manner in which they are borne detracts considerably from the value of the plants. When used at the margin of groups or to crown a terrace they are shown at best advantage.

For early bloom the seeds should be sown about the middle of March in a gentle hotbed or in the dwelling house. As soon as the first true leaves have developed the young plants should be transplanted to thumb pots or to boxes where they will stand about two inches apart each way. An abundance of light and water is at all times necessary with these plants. Care should be exercised to prevent them from becoming drawn, as stocky, symmetrical plants produce the best flowers.

Granddaughter of George III.

A woman who had lived through momentous periods of European history, the Dowager Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, died the other day at the advanced age of ninety-seven. She was a granddaughter of George III of England. Born in 1818, she was married at twenty-four, and outlived both her husband and her son, who were successively grand dukes of Mecklenburg-Strelitz.—Outlook.

Difficult to Translate.

A correspondent sends me another story of the difficulties attending the translation of Biblical metaphors into the Eskimo language. "A missionary talking to his converts-to-be had occasion to refer to the 'everlasting crown of glory.' The language did not permit of the precise rendering, so the phrase was turned by the interpreter into the 'beautiful old hat which will never wear out.'—London Observer.

Locates Well Trouble.

When a 1,400-foot well in a western town was yielding impure water, the superintendent of the water works, wondering how he could locate the trouble, finally he decided to lower a cluster of electric lights into the well, and to follow them by the aid of a fieldglass. The trouble was located at a depth of 110 feet, where loose packing permitted surface water to enter.

Long on Conversation.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "loves delir country same as dey loves delir families. Dey tries to entertain 'em wif conversation, 'stid o' workin' fur 'em."

Mean Consolation.

"Dubs has been stealing 'all my best ideas. Now what would you call that?" "Petty larceny."

H. S. REYNOLDS SPOILS H. S. REYNOLDS' TRIP

New York Lawyer Concludes World Is Mighty Small Place After All.

New York.—Henry Suydam Reynolds, lawyer of this town, has concluded this world is a mighty small place after all. A few days ago he had never heard of H. S. Reynolds of Toledo, O., but now the fact has been brought forcibly to his attention.

At the Waldorf-Astoria Henry Suydam Reynolds satisfied himself that H. S. Reynolds of Toledo, is a responsible citizen, and then he unburdened himself of a modern tale of the Dromios which spreads from the Bahamas to Cuba and then from Florida north to New York and westward to Toledo.

It seems that Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Reynolds started from Toledo about the time that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Suydam Reynolds of New York, did, and both went to about the same places, including Nassau, Havana, Miami and Palm Beach. Mr. Henry Suydam Reynolds first decided that maybe he was someone else when he received an important letter from some brokers he'd never heard of, evidently answering a letter of his regarding some shares in the American Sugar company. Now, it happens Mr. Henry Suydam Reynolds owns shares to the exact number referred to, but he'd never written anybody about them.

Much wroth and puzzled, he was bewildered further at Nassau when an automobile concern wrote to him about overhauling his automobile—the same make and style as the vehicle he owns. He'd not ordered any over-

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Even Dirt is Cheap No Longer.
The expression, "dirt cheap," must be discarded. Blame the war. Winnipeg, Manitoba, florists have announced an increase in the price of earth sold for potting flowers. A year ago earth sold for 50 cents a bushel. Now it costs 25 cents a pail.

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*This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that freestone dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without irritating the surrounding skin.

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hauling, and he wrote quickly and said so. Then he and Mrs. Reynolds went to Palm Beach, and the morning after their arrival he read with some astonishment and a little panic that he and his wife had just returned to Palm Beach after a few weeks' absence. Since he hadn't been there before in a year he made inquiry and asked also for his mail. The clerk said his mail had been sent to him at the Waldorf-Astoria, as requested.

That was the final straw. Mr. Reynolds wired the Waldorf-Astoria asking whether Mr. H. S. Reynolds was there, and received a reply that he was not. He had just left the hotel for Toledo, the reply stated. That about ruined Mr. Henry Suydam Reynolds' peace of mind. He came straight on to New York and found out that while he was perturbed he had nothing on Mr. H. S. Reynolds of Toledo.

BELIEVED DEAD FOUR YEARS
Friend Now Says He Saw Manseau Recently—Mourner by Aged Mother.

Grass Valley, Cal.—Four years ago word came to the relatives of Peter Manseau that the young man had been killed by falling from a tower he had been repairing on the Mexican border.

The aged mother has thought her son dead and all the rest of the family and friends held the same opinion until recently a letter was received from a friend of Albert Manseau, stating that he had seen "Peter" at El Paso, where he was acting in connection with the military authorities.

TOWN COMPLAINS POLICE WEAR "PICKELHAUBEN"

Waycross.—Over two hundred residents of Waycross have petitioned Mayor Weston and council to obtain immediately new headgear for the members of the police force of Waycross. The petition declares that the present hats are too much like German helmets, and continues:

"We ask that you gather the offending helmets at once and daily consign them to the fiery pits of the municipal incinerator."

GIRL ROUTS BANK ROBBERS

Night Telephone Operator at Rulo, Neb., Fires Fuseball When Wires Are Cut.

Rulo, Neb.—Miss Edna Rayhill, a telephone operator, routed a band of robbers here. Unable to arouse city authorities, Miss Rayhill approached the Bank of Rulo, in which the robbers were at work and fired shot after shot into the air until the robbers, frightened, fled.

Miss Rayhill learned of the robbers' activities when they cut the telephone wires leading into the city. She saw them drive up to the bank in an automobile and break into the building. "I shot so fast they must have thought a posse was after them," she said. The robbers secured nothing.

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THE PLYMOUTH MAIL

BY F. W. SAMSEN L. B. Samsen, Editor and Manager.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Monday, May 7, 1917. Resolved, that the council declare for a general revision of the village charter.

Resolved, that a special municipal election be held on Monday, June 18, 1917, for the purpose of submitting to the electors for adoption or rejection the question of having a general revision of the village charter, and for the purpose of selecting a charter commission whose duty it shall be to frame a new charter and submit the same for adoption or rejection by the electors at the election of the commission to be void if the proposition to revise the charter is rejected.

Resolved, further, that the polls shall be held at the Village Hall, and shall be conducted in accordance with the charter and state law.

Resolved, further, that the ballot for revision shall be of white paper of equal width and length and shall read: For a general revision of the Village Charter: Yes []

For a general revision of the Village Charter: No []

Resolved, further, that a separate ballot of white paper shall contain in alphabetical order having reference to the initial of the surname, without party designation, under the heading "Candidates for members of charter commission," the names of all electors, being freeholders having a residence of at least two years in the village, who shall file a petition signed by 25 qualified electors residing in the village, asking that such name be placed upon the ballot. The ballot shall also bear instructions directing that not more than five candidates shall be voted for.

Resolved, further, that the canvass and determination of said votes be made pursuant to state law and village charter.

Resolved, further, that the village clerk is hereby directed to prepare the ballots for the said election and to make all necessary arrangements therefor.

Resolved, that if the proposition to revise the village charter is adopted, the charter commission shall hold all meetings in the Council Chamber of the Village of Plymouth.

Resolved, further, that the compensation of said commission shall be one cent for each day actually spent in the revision of said charter, provided, that no commissioner shall receive compensation for more than sixty days.

Resolved, further, that there is hereby appropriated from the contingent fund of this village the sum of \$300.00 to defray all the expenses of said charter commission.

F. J. TOUSEY, Village Clerk.

Get Rid of Your Rheumatism Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment a great help. The relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost.—Advt.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the twenty-fourth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Williams, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Claude E. Williams, administrator of said estate, praying that he be licensed to sell certain real estate of said deceased for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased and the charges of administering said estate.

It is ordered, that the twenty-sixth day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said estate, at said Court Room, be appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said real estate appear before said court at said time and place to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell real estate as prayed for in said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three consecutive weeks previous to said time of hearing in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Albert W. Flint, Register.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the sixth day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Walter W. Hudson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Alfred White, administrator of said estate, praying that he be licensed to sell certain real estate of said deceased at public or private sale for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased and the charges of administering said estate.

It is ordered, that the nineteenth day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said estate, at said Court Room, be appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said real estate appear before said court at said time and place to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell real estate as prayed for in said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three consecutive weeks previous to said time of hearing in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

HENRY S. HULBERT, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Erwin R. Palmer, Deputy Register.

Commissioner's Notice

In the matter of the estate of Marcus E. Miller, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioner to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the City of Detroit, in said county of Wayne, at the City of Detroit, on Monday, the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1917, and on Tuesday, the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 1st day of May, A. D. 1917, were allowed by said court for the presentation of their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated May 1, 1917. Edson O. Huston, Nelson Daggett, Commissioners.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the second day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. Present, Henry S. Hulbert, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Caroline Pickett, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Frances M. Smith, administrator of said estate, praying that he be licensed to sell certain real estate of said deceased for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased and the charges of administering said estate.

It is ordered, that the fifth day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said estate, at said Court Room, be appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said real estate appear before said court at said time and place to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell real estate as prayed for in said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three consecutive weeks previous to said time of hearing in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

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OBITUARY.

Dr. Adley, of whose sudden and violent death an account is given in this paper, was born near Paris, France, Jan. 13, 1860, where his mother still lives. He received his education in Germany and his title at Heidelberg. He took up his practice in this country twenty years ago in Ohio and Kentucky. Disliking the climate and seeking rest from an overstrain of his nerves, he came to Michigan and Plymouth about a year ago and took a position at Rockwell's Pharmacy, making his home with Mr. and Mrs. H. Kimmy. At the Kimmy home he became a member of the family and gained the highest esteem, yet the love of them. But there were others who became his friends and highly respected Dr. Adley, and who were shocked and grief-stricken by his sudden death.

The funeral services took place at the home of a friend in Detroit, where Rev. Bailey officiated. Rev. Charles Strasen of the Lutheran church where Dr. Adley attended services, was requested to preach the funeral sermon. At the services were present only close friends from Detroit and Plymouth. Those present at Plymouth were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Kimmy, Oliver Goldsmith, J. M. Rockwell, Otto F. Beyer, J. S. Dayton, W. S. Bake and Rev. Charles Strasen.

Who Dr. Adley was may be seen from the following words, which he wrote in a letter to a friend, who stood by him in his last persecutions:

TO MY FRIEND: How little it costs if we give it a thought, To make happy a heart each day; Just one kind word or a tender smile As we go on our daily way; Purchase a look will smile to clear The cloud from a neighbor's face, And the press of a hand in sympathy A sorrowful tear efface; It costs so little, I wonder why We give it so little thought; A smile, kind words, a glance, a touch, What magic from them is wrought.

Mrs. Cello Hamilton was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Russell at Jackson last Saturday.

Walter Vicary and wife of Waterloo and Angus Hubbard of Chelsea, were guests of A. G. Burnett and family last Sunday.

Charles Hutchinson, son of Mrs. Wm. Wakefield, who was taken to the children's hospital, Detroit, on April 26th, has undergone four different operations within three weeks. He was getting along nicely until last Sunday, when he was stricken with scarlet fever and was removed to the contagious hospital, and is in a very serious condition at present, but it is hoped he will soon be on the road to recovery.

CHURCH NEWS

Baptist. Rev. Archibald L. Bell, Pastor. Phone 84W.

Morning worship, 10 a. m. The pastor will deliver a special sermon to men. Theme of sermon, "The Ark." 11:15 a. m., Sunday-school. 6 p. m., Young People's meeting. 7 p. m., evening service. Subject, "The Deceiver." Mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7 p. m.

Bible Students. All services again for Sunday, May 20th, at the village hall at the usual hours. Upon this date the Berean class closes their study on "The greatest wonder, the Pyramids of Egypt." God's altar, sign and witness, approximately in the center of the earth. "In that day," it was to speak, and now, lo, it has spoken to thousands of bible students the world over in no uncertain manner. At 3 p. m., Pastor Paul Barnham of Flint, will address the public on the topic, "The end of this world." You are especially invited to come and get his views on this topic.

Lutheran. Rev. Charles Strasen, Pastor. There will be Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Subject, The Burial of Christ. The morning service begins at 9:45 o'clock, and will be in German. Text, St. John 15, 26-16.4. Theme, The Consolation of Christians, when for the confession of their faith they must bear the hatred of the world. The evening services, which from now on begin at 7:30 o'clock, will be in English. Text, 1 Peter 4, 8-11. Theme, How Christians shall exercise their faith.

The services in the Lutheran church at Livonia Sunday afternoon will be in English. Mrs. J. W. Thompson and Miss M. Thompson of Detroit, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharrow.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McMichael and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharrow and children of Redford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharrow.

Methodist. Rev. Frank M. Field, Pastor. "Making the Most of What We Have" and "Some Men Who Lost Their Jobs," are the themes from which the pastor will preach next Sunday at 10 o'clock for the morning service and at 7:30 in the evening. Sunday-school at 11:30, with classes for all. The Men's Bible Class just organized meets at the same hour. Epworth League at 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

St. John's Episcopal Mission. H. Midworth, Missioner. Sunday, May 20th. Divine service at 10:15 a. m. Holy Communion. The Rev. Archdeacon Robinson will be the celebrant and will preach the sermon. Every communicant is asked to be present. Visitors cordially welcomed.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner Main and Dodge streets. Sunday morning service, 10:30 o'clock. Subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday-school at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony service, 7:10. Reading room in rear of church, open daily except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m. Everyone welcome. A lending library of Christian Science literature is maintained.

Commissioner's Notice. In the matter of the estate of David Weston, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the probate court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioner to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the City of Detroit, in said county of Wayne, at the City of Detroit, on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1917, and on Tuesday, the 15th day of June, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that four months from the 1st day of May, A. D. 1917, were allowed by said court for the presentation of their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated April 18, 1917. V. TAYLOR, ANDREW TAYLOR, Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE Plymouth United Savings BANK,

at Plymouth, Michigan, at the close of business May 1, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts, \$24,800.00; Savings Department, \$2,000.00; Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, \$28,000.00; Commercial Department, \$2,700.00; United States Department, \$2,300.00; Premiums, \$2,300.00; Real Estate, \$2,300.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$2,300.00; Items in transit, \$2,300.00.

RESERVE: Commercial, \$1,000.00; Due from banks in reserve cities, \$1,000.00; U. S. and National bank currency, \$1,000.00; Gold coin, \$1,000.00; Silver coin, \$1,000.00; Nickels and cents, \$1,000.00.

LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in, \$75,000.00; Surplus fund, \$30,000.00; Undivided profits, \$45,511.80; Dividends unpaid, \$45,511.80; Commercial deposits subject to check, \$250,484.52; Certificates of deposit, \$8,721.73; Cashier's checks outstanding, \$21,752.99; Savings deposits (book accounts), \$523,608.58; Savings certificates, \$113,384.47.

State of Michigan, County of Wayne: E. K. Bennett, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

E. K. BENNETT, Cashier. R. A. CANNADY, Notary Public. My commission expires July 14, 1918.

Correct—Attest: F. A. DIBBLE, J. W. HENDERSON, E. C. HUGHES, Directors.

S. E. CAMPBELL, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention given to Eye, Ear and Nervous Diseases. Hours—8 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2 & 7 to 8 p. m. 25 W. Ann Arbor St. Phone 45 Plymouth, Mich.

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For Sale at Rockwell's Pharmacy

SEED - POTATOES

We have a limited quantity of first-class Potoskey Seed Potatoes coming. If you wish some, place your order at once, as this no doubt will be the only lot of seed potatoes that we will have this season.

\$3.50 per bushel

Binder Twine, per 100 lbs., \$16.85

Pulverized Limestone In sacks, per ton, \$3.75

Fertilizers

1-10-0 Corn and Oats Grower (heavy soils) per ton \$18.25

2-12-0 Tomato Grower per ton \$23.00

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CHALMERS - CARS. PRESENT PRICES: Seven-passenger Touring \$1350, Five-passenger Touring 1250, Three-passenger Roadster 1250, Seven-passenger Sedan 1975, Seven-passenger Limousine 2550, Seven-passenger Town Car 2550. All prices are f. o. b. Detroit, Michigan and subject to change without notice. For full particulars write or phone E. S. GRACE, Phone No. 7 Farmington, Mich.

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The Remaining Lots in the

PURITAN HOLM ADDITION

Fronting on the South Main Street Pavement Will Be Offered at

AUCTION SALE

These lots will be sold to the highest bidder. Some of the best people in Plymouth bought at our earlier sale, and an opportunity was afforded of securing lots at much less than regular prices.

Saturday, May 26th

AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M.

Ten dollars in gold and a number of one dollar prizes were given away at our first sale. Those who received these prizes, know that the distribution was bona fide and without favor. **FIFTY DOLLARS** will be given away in cash at our sale on Saturday.

Prior to the sale you are invited to participate in a rousing

..FLAG - RAISING..

A tall pole and handsome big flag will be raised on our property and afterward offered to the village to erect on whatever site they may select on Decoration Day.

Be on time and get the first choice of lots

J. Ray Honeywell

W. W. Powers

Field and Garden Seeds

We have some very attractive Prices on SEEDS—Timothy, June Clover, Mammoth CLOVER, ALSIKE, ALFALFA, etc. GARDEN SEEDS of all kinds—ONION SETS—LAWN SEED, etc.

We have SEED OATS, SEED CORN and BARLEY at attractive prices.

BRAN, MIDLINGS, CHOP FEED, OIL MEAL, COTTON SEED MEAL, LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER, BRICK, etc.

EARLY MICHIGAN SEED POTATOES—LATE PETOSKEY SEED POTATOES.

If there is anything in the seed line you need, see us.

A. C. VAN SICKLE,
Receiver J. D. McLaren Co.
Plymouth Elevator.

WEST PLYMOUTH

Mrs. Charles Shearer spent a few days in Detroit, last week. Mrs. Ben Blunk of Ann Arbor, spent the latter part of the week with relatives in and around Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Butler, Mildred, Marion and Warren motored to Inkster, Sunday, and visited at Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bills'. Mrs. G. F. Butler returned home with them. The following pupils in District No. 7 will be excused Friday afternoon for being neither absent nor tardy this month: Marion and Genevieve Butler, Mable and Thurber Becker. Marion and Genevieve Butler have been neither absent nor tardy this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Root and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spicer spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wager's at Carleton.

Bernice Lane of Plymouth, is spending this week at Mrs. John Root's.

District No. 7 has sent out invitations to an all day picnic, to be held at Lusia Minehart's, May 23, which marks the closing of the school. Miss Hill has been very faithful in her administration of the school duties and has won the affection of her pupils.

Cecil Packard is the proud possessor of a shetland pony, buggy and saddle.

Best Remedy for Whooping Cough

"Last winter when my little boy had the whooping cough, I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. J. B. Roberts, East St. Louis, Ill. "It kept his cough loose and relieved him of those dreadful coughing spells. It is the only cough medicine I keep in the house because I have the most confidence in it." This is also good for colds and croup.—Adv.

LIVONIA CENTER

Clarence Hayball and family and George Hayball of Detroit, were week-end guests of their parents and called upon other friends at this place.

Miss Dora Haas entertained her brother, John Haas and friend Wm. Hall of Detroit, at the Paul Lee home, Sunday. Both young men have enlisted, the former in the navy and the latter as an aviator.

Mrs. Palmer Chilson visited in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Peters were Detroit visitors Monday.

Mrs. Frank Peck and Mrs. Wm. Garchow went to Northville Thursday, and also attended a meeting of the cemetery society at the home of Gus Pankow that day.

Roy and May Garchow, Ethel Elliott, Francis Johnson and Marion Lee, of the seventh grade, took the eighth grade examination in physiology and geography at Plymouth, Friday.

Mr. and Paul Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee were in Detroit on business Tuesday.

The funeral services of Miss Rose Berger, who passed away Sunday, were held at the home of her father, near Elm, Tuesday afternoon, and interment was made in the cemetery at this place. Miss Berger was an estimable young lady and she bore her long illness patiently. She leaves a large circle of friends who will miss her greatly.

The ladies of the cemetery society will give a night cap social at the home of Julius Landan, Friday evening, May 25. Supper will be served and everybody is invited, and any assistance toward the supper will be acceptable.

Proper Food for Weak Stomachs.

The proper food for one man may be all wrong for another. Everyone should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful and should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is also important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated or when they feel dull and stupid after eating, they should take Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen the stomach and move the bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.—Adv.

FRAIN'S LAKE

Fred Fishbeck entertained his brother, Lee, and family from Brighton Sunday.

Edward Lyke is remodeling his barns. Wm. Braun of Ypsilanti, is doing the work.

C. H. Freeman and family spent Sunday in Ypsilanti. The Free Church Ladies' Aid was entertained Thursday by Mrs. Norris Burrell.

Mrs. Amelia Kock had an auction sale and has sold her farm to Mr. Harmon of Plymouth.

Ed Lyke, wife and daughter, Evelyn, spent Sunday with Wm. Campbell and family of Barton Gardens, Ann Arbor.

Mrs. George Miller of Dixboro, entertained her sister from Manchester, Sunday.

Miss Juliet Shankland was taken to Ann Arbor hospital, with scarlet fever, last week.

Miss Winifred Fishbeck and Gladys Freeman took the eighth grade examination at Ypsilanti, Thursday and Friday.

New Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings at Riggs'.

NEWBURG

There was a large attendance at church last Sunday, when the church was prettily decorated with red and white flowers. Our pastor's sermon was a fine tribute to motherhood. All enjoyed the beautiful solo by Mr. Cochran. All children are requested to be present next Sunday to practice singing for Children's Day, after Sunday-school.

A very pleasant evening was spent by the League at the home of Beatrice Davey, last Wednesday. Mrs. Thomas invited them to meet with her in June.

There were forty-three in attendance at the L. A. S. meeting, Friday. There is a membership of 82, the largest number they have ever had. Miss Ada Youngs, in a neat little speech, presented the treasurer, Mrs. Stella Davey, with a pretty torch as a token of the efficient work she has done and still continues to do.

The church lawn has been nicely graded and grass seed sown thereon, C. Mackinder doing the work. People should be careful about driving on the lawn. If there were some trees set out and the church painted, it would make a fine looking corner.

Horton & Joy are showing their patriotism by flying the American flag from a tall staff in front of their store.

Margaret Wall, Irving Amerhein and Grant Wilsie took the eighth grade exams at Plymouth, last week.

Fave Ryder and Beatrice Davey visited Gladys Smith's school, last Thursday.

As Clyde and Gladys Smith were driving their machine to Newburg, Friday afternoon, Miss Gladys, who was learning to run the machine, lost control of it, running into the ditch. Luckily neither of them were hurt and the machine but slightly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogers of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. Jas. LeVan, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Norris and sons of Detroit, spent Sunday at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith called on Mrs. Geo. Chilson, who still continues very ill, Sunday evening.

Henry Grimm leads the League Sunday night. Everyone invited to attend.

Wm. Farley and daughter, Beasia, and Edwin Taylor attended the wedding of Miss Lucy Morton and Edward Ploehn in Detroit, last Wednesday night. The bride has many friends here, who extend congratulations.

EAST PLYMOUTH

Mrs. L. A. Thomas entertained as dinner guests on Saturday evening, the Misses Whitaker, Trowbridge and Maston from Detroit.

Miss Grace Tillotson entertained her school chum, Miss Mary Parrott, of Plymouth, Thursday evening, and on Sunday her cousin, Margaret Tillotson, visited her.

Mrs. G. C. Raviler spent several days in Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis of Plymouth, visited the former's parents, Sunday.

H. C. Hager and wife motored to New Boston and Flat Rock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruppel, son, Arthur, and daughter, Pearl, and other friends motored out from Detroit to visit at the home of Will Osten on Sunday.

George Henry, wife and children of South Lyon, visited at John Thompson's, Sunday.

Sunday visitors at Greenbrook were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dudman and sons and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scott of Detroit.

Miss Marian Schroeder of Livonia, spent Thursday night of last week with her friend, Margaret Schoof.

Visitors at Roy Stanley's, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanley and son, Harry and wife of Plymouth.

Harry Mumby, of Plymouth, and Arthur Tillotson, wife and children motored to Detroit, Saturday.

Raymond Bakewell of Redford, was a caller at Wm. Bakewell's, Sunday.

Mrs. Theodore Schoof entertained the Misses Mary and Kate Strong of Detroit, Sunday and Monday. Friday evening callers were Chas. Weaver and wife of Phoenix.

John Engler and wife of Plymouth, visited at Wm. Minehart's Sunday.

Chf Bryne of Detroit, who recently purchased a part of the Huston property on the Plymouth road, has almost completed his garage, which he will use as a temporary living place, until such time as he is able to build a residence on his property.

Mrs. Laffie visited her sister in Detroit, Friday of last week.

Mrs. Henry Hager recently received word from England of the appointment of her brother as an officer in the R. Army Medical Corps, and who is now serving at the chief hospital at Etaples, France. Another brother narrowly escaped death from an exploding shell while fighting in the French trenches.

Mrs. L. A. Thomas left Tuesday for Algona, where she will visit her mother, Mrs. A. Petrequin, for a few days.

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PERRINSVILLE

The Ladies' Aid society of Perrinsville, will give a social at Edward Holmes', Saturday evening, May 19th. Ice cream and cake, maple syrup and hot biscuits will be served. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Helen Hancock and Charlotte Beahr took the eighth grade examinations at Plymouth, last week.

Mrs. Leta Darby spent the week visiting friends and relatives in Detroit.

There was a large attendance at the L. A. S., held at Mrs. J. Cousins', last Wednesday. The next meeting will be at Rev. Smith's in Wayne, the second Wednesday in June.

Mrs. James Cousins is spending a few days in Detroit with her son, Howard, who is quite ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. G. Beahr spent Saturday afternoon visiting her daughters in Plymouth.

Miss Freda Beyer, who is quite ill with measles, is no better.

Miss Mildred Beahr spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Miss Clara Wright spent Wednesday at Wayne.

There was quite a good attendance at church, Sunday. The next meeting will be next Sunday. Sunday-school at 2 o'clock and church at 3.

New Spring Shoes, all the latest novelties for ladies, men and children, at Riggs'.

LAPHAM'S CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson and son, Clifford, of Plymouth, called at the home of Roy Lyke and wife, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Tyler of Rubston, spent the week-end at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Bovee.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lyke and George, also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sherwood, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lyke.

Harold Mager had the misfortune to injure his finger quite badly in the spraying machine one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tait entertained the former's parents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coda-Savery and two daughters motored to Dexter, Sunday, and spent the day with Mr. Savery's parents.

W. S. Packard and wife of Detroit, spent Sunday, "Mother's Day," with his mother, Mrs. Louisa Packard.

Miss Helen Rorabacher and Miss Vangie Shoebright were home for the week-end.

The Misses Ruth Mager and Bertha Scoll were Ann Arbor shoppers, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cole spent Sunday in Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tait and Mrs. Ethel Rich motored to Farmington, Tuesday.

Born, Wednesday, May 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rorabacher, a girl.

Chas. Bovee and Henry Doan motored to Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

School closed in Lapham's district today.

Mrs. Will Mager was a South Lyon shopper, Wednesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, Tuesday, May 15, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mager visited at Mr. Kingsley's, Sunday.

NOTICE

We, the undersigned merchants of north village, will close our stores at 8:00 o'clock, central standard time on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week, commencing Tuesday, June 5.

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Wm. Gayde.

BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review of the Township of Plymouth, will meet in the office of Voorhies & Dayton in the village of Plymouth, on Tuesday, May 22, 1917, and also on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 29th and 30th, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., when and where any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment may be heard.

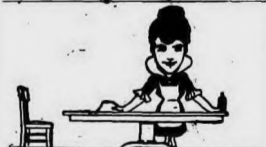
W. T. RATTENBURY, Supervisor.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. held a tea meeting at the home of Mrs. Hulda Knapp, Thursday afternoon of last week and was enjoyed by all present. After disposing of all business matters, the leaders of the afternoon, Mrs. Field and Mrs. Campbell, gave a fine program on Billy Sunday and Sundayism. Three new members were added to the membership list. The meeting adjourned to meet May 24th, at the home of Mrs. Charles Riggs.

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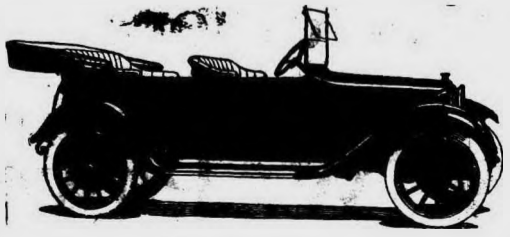
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Sardines in tomato sauce.....	15c
Dried Beef.....	15c
Olives, plain, mixed and stuffed.....	10c, 15c, 20c, 25c
Pure Fruit Jelly and Jam.....	10c, 25c
Canned Beans.....	12c, 15c, 25c
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Pickles, sweet, sour, dill.....	10c, 15c, 25c

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Local News

Born, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trinkhaus, Sunday, May 13th.

Earl Wade of Inkster, visited his cousin, Geo. Huger, last Sunday.

John Haggerty of Detroit, was calling on Plymouth friends, Tuesday.

George Leach of Leslie, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Vealey the first of the week.

F. C. Reefs of Fulton, visited his brother, C. F. Reefs, from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Warn of Ann Arbor, visited her sister, Mrs. Ed. Smith, over Sunday.

The Misses Cleo Willett and Gladys Bell visited friends in Detroit over Sunday.

New Spring Suits and Overcoats, latest styles, lowest prices, at Riggs'. Great values.

James Chase of Northville, was an over Sunday guest of his niece, Mrs. M. M. Willett.

George Hillmer and wife of Detroit, were over Sunday visitors with his father, Wm. Hillmer.

Miss Edna Minkler of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. L. B. Warner over Sunday and the first of the week.

Mrs. O. A. Fraser and Mrs. Louis Hillmer went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the funeral of Dr. Wallin.

Mrs. Minnie Randall has returned to her home in Saginaw, after a three months stay with relatives here.

New Spring Cloaks, Suits and Dress Skirts, the popular Redfern & Cond. brand, now in at Riggs'. Don't fail to see them.

Fred A. Campbell and wife have moved here from Detroit, and are occupying Mrs. Fred Smith's house on Union street.

Marguerite Huger, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huger, who has been seriously sick with pneumonia, is rapidly improving.

M. S. Weed, who went to Maplehurst hospital at Ann Arbor, Tuesday, for the removal of cataracts, is doing nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Willett visited their son, Byron Willett, and wife, in Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Palmer and daughter, Ethel, and Miss Irma Eckles of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eckles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wade and daughter, Mildred, of Highland Park, and Mrs. George Goodell of Northville, visited their sister, Mrs. Geo. Huger, last Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa Bassett, aged 93 years, a former resident of this place, who has been seriously ill at the home of her granddaughter at Caro, is slowly improving.

While working at the Markham factory last Friday, Geo. Schille accidentally caught his left hand in the press on which he was working and severed two fingers.

The remains of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren VanDyne of Northville, former residents of this place, were brought here for interment in Riverside cemetery, Tuesday.

Supt. C. M. Wade of Brighton, F. J. Wade of Highland Park, and Prof. Alda M. Wade of Tremont, were called here last week on account of the serious sickness of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Huger.

The Rockwell Pharmacy have a full page ad this week, in which they are making some prices on staple goods that will help you to solve the high cost of living. Read the ad over carefully.

Mrs. Minnie Randall of Saginaw, Mrs. Len Vickery of Waterford, Mrs. W. A. Eckles of East Plymouth, Mrs. M. M. Willett and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Rotnour were guests of Mrs. Archie Herrick at Northville, Tuesday.

Wm. Sutherland has sold the remainder of his farm on Golden street to Powers & Honeywell of Flint, who expect to soon plat the same into lots. These gentlemen recently sold at auction a part of the lots in the new Puritan Holm subdivision and great credit is due them for the improvement made to the southern part of our village.

Elliott Lorton was arrested at Newburg by Deputy Sheriff Springer, Monday, on a warrant sworn out by his wife, charging him with non-support. He was taken before Justice Campbell, pleaded guilty and was given the alternative of furnishing a bond of \$200 and contributing \$5.00 a week for her support or sixty-five days in the house of correction. He chose the latter.

The Mail has sent out a large number of subscription statements the past week, and many have responded to them by paying up all arrearages and renewing their subscriptions under the new advance plan, which goes into effect June 1st. If your time has expired, and you do not wish to miss a single issue of the paper, come in before June 1st.

New Spring Hats and Caps at Riggs'.

Mrs. Ashley Earl of Flint, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Ivan Grey visited friends in Flint the first of the week.

James Young of Detroit, was a Plymouth visitor Thursday.

Glenmore Passage and Wyllis Degrain of Flint, spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vidian and children of Detroit, visited Mrs. Peter Gayde, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Anderson of Flint, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Passage over Sunday.

F. D. Schrader is driving a new Studebaker sedan. John Henderson is also driving a new Ford sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Taylor and baby girl of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Warner, Sunday.

William S. Wade of Pontiac, was called here last week to see his daughter, Mrs. George Huger, who was very sick with pleuro pneumonia.

J. C. Hannan, who sold his farm on South Main street to Detroit parties a few weeks ago, has bought an eighty-acre farm four miles this side of Ypsilanti, and moved onto the same last week.

Miss Edna and Will Murray of Ross, California, are visiting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Safford. They are enroute home from New York City, where Miss Murray has been studying music the past winter.

Mrs. Ed. Smith went to Salem last Saturday to attend the funeral of her uncle, John Hayward. The deceased was 81 years old and had been a resident of Salem for many years. He was well known here.

Frank Howe has sold his stock of confectionery goods and tobaccos to Hearn & Galpin and T. P. Sherman, and has decided to quit the business. Hearn & Galpin will move into the store made vacant by Mr. Howe.

Mrs. H. J. Fisher and family were called to Wayne the first of the week on account of the serious illness and death of her father, Mr. Braddock. The funeral was held at Wayne, Thursday, and the remains were brought to Plymouth and interred in Riverside cemetery.

About twenty-five friends and neighbors gave William Hillmer a pleasant surprise at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Olds, last Saturday evening. The occasion was his seventy-first birthday. After a social evening a fine supper was served and the guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Hillmer many more pleasant birthdays.

The National government has made an appropriation for the relief of the Belgian children to take effect June 1st. There will be no further work for the local Belgian Relief Committee after that time. Those who have paid for one or more months after May will have the opportunity to have such advances refunded to them if they so desire.

While working at the Daisy factory last Friday morning, A. G. Burnett just escaped what might have been a serious accident. He was forging a piece of steel, and the end, which he was holding in the tongs, slipped and flew back, hitting him on the forehead just above the right eye. Quite an abrasion was made necessitating the aid of a physician, but Dr. Burnett considers himself fortunate that the accident was no more serious.

A large audience attended the illustrated lecture given in the Baptist church last week Thursday evening by Dr. Traver of Pontiac, pastor of the Baptist church of that place. "Trip Around the World" was the subject of the lecture given, and the talk was both interesting and instructive. Dr. Traver brought with him about thirty young people, who made the evening more enjoyable by rendering a fine musical concert in connection with the lecture.

A communication from Northville Commandery No. 39 K. T., has been sent to the Sir Knights here asking them to assemble next Sunday, May 20th, at the Presbyterian church of this place to observe "Resurrection Sunday," and to offer thanks to the Supreme Architect of the Universe for past blessings and prayerfully ask that this human slaughter may cease before our country becomes badly torn and our young men killed in the name of that Freedom for which we have so long fought. The Sir Knights will meet at the asylum in Northville at 9 a. m., central standard time, and will proceed by autos to Plymouth Rock Lodge rooms. They will leave there for the church at 10 a. m., central time. Rev. B. F. Farber will preach the service.

"The committee appreciates that every patriotic man, woman and child in Michigan will do their full part in the present country wide food crisis without official appeal or solicitation," said former Governor Fred M. Warner, Chairman of the State Food Preparedness Committee, who was in Lansing Tuesday. "The committee, however," continued the former governor, "is willing and anxious to supplement the efforts of individuals or committees, when brought to its official notice, and respectfully suggests all citizens to bring to the committee's attention any suggestion, or fully report any condition, that can be stimulated or benefited by the counsel or aid of our organization in a co-operative effort all along the line, to bring Michigan 1917 crops up to the maximum production."

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FOR SALE—Two oak dressers. Mrs. E. H. Tighe. 24th

FOR SALE—Eggs from S. C. Rhode Island Reds for the balance of the season, 66c per setting of 13 or 5c each. All report good hatches. Louis Hillmer. 24th

LOST—A bill book containing about \$27 in money. Reward if returned to Chas. Wolf, 47 Spring street. 1t

FOR SALE—White pea beans for seed or cooking. H. A. Spicer. 22th

FOR SALE—A typewriter in good condition. Price, \$18. Enquire of Mrs. E. L. Riggs, Plymouth. 22th

FOR SALE—Best quality ensilage seed corn, Ohio grown. \$3.00 per bushel. Fred Donald, phone 259-F-11 22th

FOR SERVICE—Reg. O.I.C. Nefar. Service fee, \$1.00. Jay J. Neary. Phone 259F-2 22th

FOR SALE—Corner lot on Blunk avenue. Pinckney's Pharmacy. 21th

Is your farm for sale. If so we have buyers. Address Palmer-John-Meeraull Co., 300 Moffatt Bldg., Detroit, Mich. Phone, Cadillac 6786. 21-4t

FOR SALE—Second-hand window with glass in; also 1/2 and 1 1/2 inch pipe, second-hand lumber. Harry C. Robinson. 10th

FOR SALE—Modern house. Enquire at Mail office. 10th

FOR SALE—House and lot at 98 north Harvey street. Enquire of Wm. Arthur. 20th

FOR SALE—Round Oak Chief, steel range, No. 8, good condition; one 8-ft. extension table and angle lamp. Inquire 74 Union street. Phone 35J 19th

FOR SALE—A number of well located lots in the heart of the village. Make your selection now while the price is right. Inquire of George H. Wilcox. 19th

FOR SALE—A two-family frame house, with electric lights, gas, bath, hard and soft water. George H. Wilcox. 19th

FOR SALE—Modern house on Penniman avenue. Phone No. 13 or call at the Mail office. 17th

WANTED—To let on shares. 20 acres on Penniman avenue known as old Durfee place. Enquire at 702 Empire building, Detroit. 17th

FOR SALE—Red clover seed, \$11.00 per bushel. Geo. Weed, Plymouth, Route 1. 17th

FOR SALE—Several thoroughbred White Wyandotte cockerels at my residence on the Northville road. Also eggs for hatching. C. B. Shepard. Phone 284M. 14th

FOR SALE—Two-horse spring wagon practically new. Will carry a ton. Carl Heide, phone 137-F-2. 15th

The person who took my purse, containing a sum of money, from the home of Mrs. Charity Harlow, May 3rd, can avoid trouble by returning the same to me at once.

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We have good Corn and Peas at 15c per can. Quart can Powdered Cocoa at 30c per can. It is a bargain.

We are selling large New Potatoes at \$1.10 a peck. New Cabbage, 12c a pound.

Vegetables fresh every day. Lettuce, Green Onions, Asparagus, Pie Plant, etc.

Pure Maple Sugar. 25c per pound. Fresh Strawberries Saturday morning.

Granulated Sugar, 10c a pound, for this week. New Wall Paper.

We have a full stock of Garden and Field Seeds.

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 - 1 pkg. Ginger Snaps
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 - 1 pkg. Crackers
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 You save 26c on this assortment

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- Corn Flakes, pkg..... 8c
- Rice Flakes, pkg..... 12c
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EVERYBODY HIT BY THE NEW WAR TARIFF MEASURE

Horizontal 10 Per Cent Increase in Existing Duties and on Imports Now Free.

INCOMES ARE HIT HARD

New Revenues Will Produce Total of \$1,800,000,000 for the Year—Exemption Limits on Income Reduced to \$1,000 for Single Men and \$2,000 for Married Men.

Washington.—The war revenue bill, largest in the nation's history, estimated to produce \$1,800,000,000 for the expenses of the war, was completed by the ways and means committee Tuesday night and introduced in the house Wednesday.

If the framers overlooked any tangible article upon which it is possible to levy a tax, it was not because of any desire to do so.

Income, inheritances, business profits, amusements, liquors, tobacco, automobiles, moving pictures, baseball games, medicines, letter postage, transportation and jewelry are among some of the things which will feel the burden of taxation.

Tariff Will Yield \$200,000,000.

The committee found it necessary to go to the tariff to make up a deficit of something like \$200,000,000. This was done by an agreement to a tax of 10 per cent upon all articles now on the free list and 10 per cent additional upon all articles now upon the dutiable list.

Income-tax Increases as made public by Chairman Kitchin follow: Taxes for the year ending December 31, 1916, have been increased exactly one-third. These taxes are due in June.

Exemption limits have been reduced to \$1,000 for single men and \$2,000 for married men.

The normal tax on new classes of incomes to be taxed, those between \$1,000 and \$3,000 for single men and between \$2,000 and \$4,000 for married men, has been fixed at 2 per cent.

Normal taxes on all incomes formerly taxed, those above \$3,000 for single men and \$4,000 for married men, have been increased from 2 to 4 per cent. Increases in All Surtaxes.

The increased surtaxes are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Income ranges and corresponding tax rates. Includes rows for 5,000 to 7,500 (1 per cent), 7,500 to 10,000 (2 per cent), 10,000 to 12,500 (3 per cent), 12,500 to 15,000 (4 per cent), 15,000 to 20,000 (5 per cent), 20,000 to 30,000 (6 per cent), 30,000 to 40,000 (8 per cent), 40,000 to 50,000 (10 per cent), 50,000 to 100,000 (14 per cent), 100,000 to 150,000 (17 per cent), 150,000 to 200,000 (20 per cent), 200,000 to 250,000 (24 per cent), 250,000 to 300,000 (28 per cent), 300,000 to 500,000 (30 per cent), 500,000 and upwards (37 per cent).

The inheritance tax starts with one-half of 1 per cent as the basic tax on all estates of \$50,000 or less. The remainder of the schedule is applied to the various excesses in graduation as follows:

Inheritance Tax Scale. On excess of more than \$50,000, but not exceeding \$150,000, 1 per cent.

EVERY CLASS REACHED BY \$1,800,000,000 TAX ACT

Following are some of the articles in daily use which will be taxed under the new war revenue bill:

Table listing various goods and their tax rates. Includes Stock Exchange Transactions (2 cents), Capital stock (5 cents), Bonds (5 cents), Drafts (1 per cent), Deeds (5 cents), Life insurance (3 cents), Casualty policy premiums (1 per cent), Passenger tickets (10 per cent), Seats (10 per cent), Express rates (10 per cent), Automobiles (5 per cent), Telephone bills (5 per cent), Musical instruments (5 per cent), Jewelry (5 per cent), Amusement tickets (1 cent).

Chicago's Hull House. The Hull House, one of the first American settlements, was established in Chicago in September, 1889. It represented no association, but was opened by two women backed by many friends.

Michigan Echoes Voice 16 Times. There are many salt mines in Transylvania. The ones in Marosujvar produce, says the National Geographic Magazine, a hundred million pounds of salt a year.

American Distracts for Privacy. The great novelist or the great composer can afford a telephoneless home, and so gain enough peace and quiet to think. Plain Americans must have the telephone at their elbow day and night or go out of business—socially, as well as financially.

To her class, a Philadelphia teacher put this question: "How many kinds of poetry are there?" "Three," replied one pupil quickly. "What are they?" "Lyric, dramatic, and epidemic." Pack.

HOLLWEG OFFERS PEACE TO RUSSIA

REFUSES, HOWEVER, TO OUTLINE KAISER'S TERMS TO OTHER ALLIED NATIONS.

CALLS QUESTION PREMATURE

Chancellor is Bitterly Attacked By Socialist Leader Who Threatens Revolution in Germany.

Berlin.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, imperial chancellor, refused in the Reichstag Tuesday to give Germany's terms of peace. Instead, he offered peace to Russia. The only condition, he said, was enunciation by Russia of her aims of conquest.

When he ended a long threatening storm broke loose. Refusing to be content with vague offers, hopes and promises, his opponents opened up the bitterest attack launched against a German statesman since Bismarck's days.

The Socialist Independent leader, Ledebour, declared it impossible for Germany to win a war of subjugation, and expressed the conviction that a revolution must happen in Germany as it had happened in Russia.

Liquor Touched Up. The tax on spirits, whisky and similar beverages has been increased to \$2.20 per gallon.

The tax on beer is \$2.75 per barrel. The tax on rectifiers is 15 cents per gallon.

The tax on tobacco has been doubled. The taxes on cigars have been advanced to a new schedule ranging from 50 cents to \$10 per thousand, retail value.

The bill specifies that purchasers shall pay the 10 per cent tax on amusement, theater, and baseball tickets.

A new tax of 5 per cent on heat, light, and telephone bills was inserted in the bill. Under this section when the householder goes to pay his monthly bills for these articles he will have to pay an additional 5 per cent of the amount of the bills for the support of the government.

The stamp tax on telephone and telegraph messages was fixed at 5 cents on each message the toll of which is more than 15 cents.

Mail Rate Increases. The second-class mail rate increase was decided on according to the zone system. On motion of Representative Dixon of Indiana, this was reduced to the following:

Table with 2 columns: Mail zones and rates. Includes rows for second-class mail in first and second zones, second-class mail in third and fourth zones, and second-class mail in fifth and sixth zones.

Religious, fraternal, labor and agricultural papers not operated for profit were put on a straight one and one-half-cent-a-pound basis.

The old regulations concerning the free distribution of small papers within the county were unchanged.

A tax of 5 per cent was inserted in the bill on pleasure boats. Musical instruments costing less than \$10 each, were exempted from the provisions of the 5 per cent tax on these articles.

RUSSIAN SITUATION HOPEFUL

Executive Committee of Radicals Votes for Coalition Now.

Petrograd, via London.—The executive committee of the Council of Workmen and Soldiers' delegates, after discussing the internal situation in Russia, decided by 41 votes against 19 to favor the participation of representatives of socialist parties in the provisional government.

It is believed that this action virtually saves Russia as a nation, and insures the formation of a coalition government and also assures the continued participation of Russian forces on a more active scale in the war against the Teutonic allies.

The council of workmen and soldiers' delegates issued an appeal to the Socialists of Germany and Austria to prevent their troops from being hurled against the western front in order to crush France and then dash on to Russia.

SEVEN U-BOATS CAPTURED

Reported to Have Been on Way to U. S. When Taken By English.

An American Port.—A fleet of at least seven German submarines has been sunk or captured by the British navy while on its way to United States waters to raid American shipping, according to information received here.

The submarines were on their way into the Atlantic when overhauled by British men of war.

The news was brought here by an officer who recently arrived on an Atlantic liner coming into an American port. He learned that the British admiralty through its secret service obtained information of the departure of this submarine fleet bound for American waters.

The admiralty took prompt and effective measures to block North sea channels. The submarines captured were taken to a British port.

Corunna.—Frank Strelto dropped his hat in his haste to get out of the chicken coop of Donald Warriner, a neighbor, last fall. Last week a jury found him guilty of stealing chickens.

Big Rapids.—Eighteen cars of coal are side tracked at Byers, six miles south of here, on the G. R. & L. while Big Rapids and many other cities are without fuel. Byers is merely a side track. It isn't even a hamlet, and passenger trains do not usually stop there. Nobody around here knows who owns the coal.

Pontiac.—After waiting 34 years in the hope of hearing some word from her sister, who disappeared in 1833, Mrs. Mary A. Butler of Pontiac has petitioned the probate court to appoint an administrator for the estate of Emma A. Alexander. According to the petition, the sister left St. Thomas, Ont., for Los Angeles when there were no railroads and much of the trip had to be made by oxen and horseback.

Michigan Happenings

Saginaw.—The annual convention of the Michigan State Good Roads association will be held in Saginaw, May 23, 24 and 25. About 1,500 are expected to attend.

Chassell.—Forest fires have burned over considerable land owned by the Worcester Lumber Co. here. It was necessary to rush the entire mill force from Chassell to check the flames.

Grand Rapids.—The Detroit method of issuing coupons to indigents, which may be exchanged at the nearest stores for groceries, clothing and fuel, will be adopted by the Grand Rapids welfare department.

Cadillac.—Clara, 4-year-old daughter of Leonard Blaisdel, of Reedsburg, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed the home. The father rescued his wife and two other children. He carried Clara from the burning building and placed her in her mother's arms as she died.

Detroit.—Mistaking gasoline for kerosene oil, Mary White, 32 years old, was badly burned by an explosion in her home. Her dress caught fire, but with presence of mind she wrapped a rug around her body and smothered the flames, which had already inflamed burns about her face, neck and arms.

Lansing.—Gov. Sleeper said that the state has been prompt in paying families of men in the Michigan naval militia. He said the dependents of 52 men are now receiving state money. This is in no sense charity, said the governor, but an addition to the men's pay which is forwarded directly to their homes.

Alma.—Three large barns on the Clinton Nelson farm burned at a loss of \$10,000.

Escanaba.—The public schools here tried the daylight saving plan just one day and then decided to resume standard time.

Muskegon.—Suing for \$3,000 damages from R. A. Abbott, druggist, who sold her husband liquor, Mrs. Fred Barlow was given six cents verdict in circuit court.

Olivet.—Dr. Thomas W. Nadal, dean of Olivet college and member of the state board of education, has accepted the presidency of Drury college, of Springfield, Miss. He will leave here the end of the year.

Port Huron.—No more groceries or meats on "tick" in Port Huron. At a meeting of the Grocers' and Butchers' association a resolution was adopted declaring against the extension of credit to any person for provisions.

Flint.—Mrs. M. R. Hulbert, despite her 71 years, will plant, cultivate and harvest two acres of beans alone this summer, she told officials at the local war bureau. She walked to the city hall to arrange for seed and get instructions in agriculture.

Traverse City.—Prevalence of tuberculosis among Indians in this section of the state has aroused authorities who will likely notify the state board of health. The disease is unusually prevalent in settlements near Sutton's Bay and Northport.

St. Joseph.—Fay Gehrke, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gehrke of Bridgman, died of burns she received while playing around a bonfire. The child was dared to jump into the embers, and sparks set fire to her dress. Her playmates ran terrified to their homes.

Big Rapids.—The A. E. Darling Lumber Co. and the East Arkansas Lumber Co. have leased the old Reynolds factory to store west coast lumber and shingles for local shipments. Later on they will put in equipment to create west coast shingles in colors, which will mean a new industry here.

St. Louis.—The board of trade is entertaining a proposition from the Wainwright Engineering Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, toward the location of a plant in this city for the manufacture of automobile castings. The plant outlined would cost half a million dollars and employ about 1,000 men. The company will be capitalized at one million dollars.

Adrian.—Robert McKay, a freshman at Adrian college, was escorted to a train by a delegation of indignant students who saw him safely on his way out of town. The students charged McKay with unpatriotic utterances and said that he had hoisted a red flag above the Stars and Stripes, on the college flag pole and saluted it. They also said that he wore a German flag when he appeared in the college dining hall.

Ann Arbor.—The university may lose from 1,500 to 2,000 students by next fall if the war continues. Of the 5,000 men students, 3,000 come under the provisions of the conscription bill. More than 500 students have already joined the army, militia or reserves, and several hundred more have filed applications for admittance to the training camps of the officers' reserve corps. Two thousand students are drilling regularly on Ferry field.

Hastings.—County Treasurer A. M. Nevins recently sold 80 pigs for \$2,303.30, the price being a little over 15 cents per pound.

Sault Ste. Marie.—An invitation to visit this city June 4, the 24th anniversary of the taking possession of the region surrounding the Great Lakes in the name of France, has been extended to the members of the French mission to the United States. As an additional reason for the visit, it was urged that this city is on the site of the first French settlement in America.

Cadillac.—Members of the Manton Methodist Episcopal church Bible class will devote half a day each week to work on farms near here.

Chassell.—"Which do you prefer, church or jail?" is the question propounded by Justice of the Peace Charles Kiefer to seven men brought before him for misdemeanors during the seven months he has been justice. All of the men have elected to go to church and three of them decided to attend religious services regularly after their terms of probation expired.

PLANS TO RAISE UNITED STATES ARMY OF TWO MILLION MEN

Outstanding features of the universal service bill enacted by congress: AGES OF DRAFT, 21 TO 30 INCLUSIVE. AGES OF VOLUNTEERS, 18 TO 40 INCLUSIVE.

Number subject to draft 11,000,000 To be obtained by draft or volunteers: Number to be drawn by selective conscription 1,000,000 (In two drafts of 500,000 each.)

Regular army 800,000 National Guard 625,000 Special and technical troops 78,000 Total strength provided 2,001,000 TERM OF SERVICE: PERIOD OF EMERGENCY.

Exemptions: Federal and state officers. Ministers of religion and theological students. Members of religious sects opposed to war.

Liable to exemption: County and municipal officers. Customs house clerks, mail employees. Employees of armories, arsenals and navy yards. Persons engaged in industries, including agriculture. Those supporting dependents. The physically and morally deficient.

Method for draft: Proclamation by the president for registration. Immediate registration by those of draft age. Selection from register of men for service. Dispatch of men drafted to nearest training camp.

Provision for pay: Second-class private \$25 First-class private \$31 Corporal \$38 and 42 Sergeant of the line \$46 Quartermaster and hospital sergeants \$50 First sergeant \$60

Safeguards thrown around the army: Prohibition. Suppression of the social evil.

Eleven million male citizens from twenty-one to thirty years old, inclusive, will be subject to draft by the president of the United States.

But in order that men under twenty-one and over thirty may serve their country if they so desire, the measure provides for the acceptance of volunteers over eighteen years and under forty years.

The gigantic number of men subject to draft will not all be called to the colors by any means. The proposed law gives authority to the president to draft as many men as he deems necessary to fill up the regular army, the National Guard and the conscription force of 1,000,000 men.

2,001,000 Armed Men. It is estimated by the war department that as a result of the authority conferred and the action to be taken 2,001,000 officers and men will comprise the military establishment of the United States.

Under the new bill agreed to authority is given to fill up by draft the regular army and the National Guard to war strength, and to raise outside this 1,000,000 men, 500,000 to come as the first quota.

The war strength of the regular army is about 290,000 men. It has now about 135,000 men and is short about 155,000. The National Guard has a war strength of 625,000 men. It has now about 125,000 and is short about 500,000 men.

Therefore, on the first call there can be taken for war service about 655,000 men to fill up gaps in the regular army and National Guard and in addition 500,000 as the first quota of the conscript army of 1,000,000 men.

In the first draft it is possible about 1,155,000 men will be taken for active service, leaving authorization under the present bill to call out immediately 500,000 more for another conscript army.

No Place for Roosevelt. The action allowing Col. Theodore Roosevelt to enlist volunteers for foreign service has been eliminated.

What the colonel will do now that his pet project is incapable of realization is a question. It is generally understood that President Wilson is absolutely opposed to the idea of a volunteer organization under command of the colonel.

Pay for enlisted men and non-commissioned officers was agreed upon as follows: Men now receiving less than \$21 per month are increased to \$31 per month; those who received \$24 are increased to \$32; men who receive \$30, \$36 or \$40 are increased \$6 each; men who receive \$45 are increased to \$50.

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Family Ties. Our relatives are God-given; our friends we choose. We have a more tender feeling to those bound to us by ties of blood. It is this that keeps families together, a saving grace for which we should be grateful. Family ties, family affection, do much to make us kinder and better, true and more tender. It is the great force in making home the place from which good spreads to neighborhood, community and country.—Milwaukee Journal.

Too Great a Risk. An advertising insurance company promises that if you insure and get killed "you will get from \$5,000 to \$15,000." "We wonder how a man gets money after he has been killed!" The experiment is hardly worth trying.—New Haven Journal-Courier.

Fig Tree Common. The fig tree is common in Palestine. Mount Olivet was famous for its fig trees in ancient times, and they are still found there. "To sit under one's own vine and one's own fig tree" was an expression among the Jews to denote peace and prosperity.

Man's Love for Country. A man's love for his native land lies deeper than any logical expression, among those pulses of the heart which vibrate to the sanctities of home and to thoughts which leap up from his father's grave.—Chapin.

Ancient Glass Specimen. In the British museum is a small molded lion's head, believed to be the oldest specimen of pure glass with anything like a date. It bears the name of an Egyptian monarch of the eleventh dynasty.

Patience. "Be ye also patient." Patience judgeth not another hurriedly. She thinketh no evil, is not easily provoked, suffereth long and is kind. Tertullian personified patience, saying, "She is the pilot of peace; she for thy ties faith, establishes humility, assists charity, bridges the tongue, restrains the hand, rules the flesh and preserves the spirit. Her countenance is tranquil and peaceful, her brow serene, contracted by no wrinkles of sadness or anger." An Arab proverb reads, "Be patient and the mulberry leaf will become sugar." "He that be lieveth shall not make haste" to judge his fellows by appearances.—Exchange.

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Eligibility Coal Smoker. A Cincinnati man has found that a mixture of water and clay on coal will prevent smoke. When clayey water is thrown on small pieces of coal it forms a thin layer of clay around each piece. This helps keep in the coal gases until the coal is thoroughly heated. When the coal gases come out they are readily consumed—also burning up the smoke. The brightest coal burns more slowly and more uniformly than plain coal.

Allies Are to Act as Unit. No Idea of Separate Peace Will Be Entertained, is Statement of High Official. Washington.—The fact that the United States is committed to the policy of making no separate peace with Germany was admitted by one of the highest officials of the government in a statement made by the Secretary of War, Mr. D. H. Hoover, in a speech.

There is no occasion for a food panic in this country nor any justification for outrageous prices unless the opposition of special interests defeats the president in obtaining the necessary power to control the nation's food fully and adequately," he said, America's problem is not one of famine, for we have now and will have next year a large surplus.

"Our problem is, after the proper protection of our own people, to give to our allies the last ounce of surplus of which we are capable."

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STORIES From the BIG CITIES

New Yorkers Easy Victims of Old "Con" Games

NEW YORK.—A new version of the old shell game has appeared. The old-time manipulator of the three shells and the two peas picked his dupes from among the country rubes at circuses and country fairs. The modern flim-flam expert plies his trade in the world's largest city, and his dupes are found among what is supposed to be the wise and wideawake metropolitan population. His field of operations takes in the shopping districts, the neighborhood of Brooklyn bridge in Manhattan and downtown Brooklyn. His stock in trade consists of umbrellas.



Whenever he spies a likely looking pedestrian he approaches and offers an umbrella for sale. It is a good umbrella, with a well-wrought handle and a fine silk cover. He offers to sell it for \$6, explaining that he is broke, lives out of town and needs carfare home. He puts the umbrella into the hands of his prospect and lets him examine it carefully.

It really is a good umbrella, anyone can see that, and the prospect begins to see visions of a bargain. But he is wise, is this buyer, and he decides that if the seller is really in need of money he can drive a sharp trade, so he offers a dollar or a dollar and a half for the umbrella. The seller refuses to accept the offer and permits him to start to go away.

Before the prospect has done more than turn away the umbrella man is calling him back and offering to sell at the buyer's price. Of course, the umbrella changes hands. Not until the purchaser reaches home does he find that in the instant his back was turned another umbrella, of the kind sold on the street for 50 cents on rainy days, with a handle resembling that of the original article, was substituted for the umbrella first offered.

Land Belonging to Zoo Put Under Cultivation

BROOKLYN.—The recent suggestion of Mayor Preston of Baltimore that vacant lands within cities be put under immediate cultivation made such an impression upon Director Hornaday of the Zoological park that he set apart more than ten acres in the park for the raising of food. The land, taken mostly from the deer pasture and the range for the herd of buffaloes, has been plowed, harrowed, fertilized and prepared for seeding. The work is being done by the employees of the Zoo without extra cost to the city for labor. Farmer Hornaday will not be able to raise on the ten acres all the food consumed by the animals during the summer, but he looks for fruits from the example set to the hundreds of thousands visiting the park. Besides, he will add to the sum total of food produced in 1917, and if food conditions become very serious he will have on hand a fine supply of venison, buffalo steaks, fowls of every kind, and even lions, which ex-President Roosevelt declares are good eating in a pinch.



The director has also shown a desire to do his bit by appropriating a part of the lion house to the uses of the American Red Cross. Every afternoon, from 1 to 5, dozens of Red Cross workers may be seen preparing for the grim work of caring for the sick and wounded, making bandages, giving instructions to volunteers and putting up kits for first aid to the injured. The lion house is hung with photographs showing the Red Cross at work in field hospitals and at the front in Europe.

Woman Found Something to Do for Country

DETROIT.—She was a motherly, soft-spoken woman, past middle life, anxious to do something for her country in time of stress, but untrained. "I want to sign your service registration blanks, but I don't know what I can do," she said to Mrs. Evelyn Sherrill, executive secretary of the National League for Woman's Service, 24 Witherside street.



"Are you fond of children?" asked Mrs. Sherrill. "Oh, yes, very. I love children," the woman replied. "Then we may call on you to help take care of children whose fathers are away, and whose mothers are at work," replied Mrs. Sherrill.

"If it should come that we have munition plants in Detroit, it will take many women away from their homes, women who have to work. In other ways, women will be called into service to take the places of men at the front."

"Something must be done for the children. Could you take care of some other woman's babies while she was at work?"

"Indeed, I could," she exclaimed. "I have my own car, and I could call around at these homes in the morning, and take the little ones to my own home, where I could keep them all day. I'd just love to do something like that. I'm going right off now, and buy some picture books and toys."

So the woman, past middle life and untrained, found something that she could do to help her country. She is registered in the social service department on the registration blank.

Idea for Puzzle Picture: Who Got the Chickens?

BALTIMORE.—A tragedy in one act and three scenes, entitled "The Chickens and the Money—Where Are They?" Scene 1—A restaurant at 1298 Fulton street, the restaurant of Nicholas Satterson. Mr. Satterson has gone from the inside out. Present, Joe, the waiter.



A ring at the telephone (a woman's voice)—It rings.

"Send two roast chickens to 216 Putnam avenue and change for \$50."

No sooner said than done. Joe picks two chickens off the spit, nice ones, where they have been steadily turning before the hot coals. He counts out change for \$50, deducting the price of the chickens, which is \$3. That leaves \$47. Is it not so? It is. Joe can count.

Scene 2—The apartment house, Joe, with the two chickens under his arm, the money jingling in his pockets. A man in front of the house says, solemnly: "All deliveries must be made through the basement." All right.

Joe rings the bell. Down comes the dumb-waiter. He puts on the chickens; he puts on the \$47. The dumb-waiter goes up, up, up. He waits, but nothing comes down. No \$50 bill, no chickens. Not even a feather floats downward.

Perhaps the chickens were taken by a deaf woman, or a blind. Joe goes through the building. He can find no chickens or money. Perhaps the dumb-waiter was let down from the stars.

Joe sees a light—a broad glare. He turns back to the boss. The boss sees another. He runs to the house. He hears nothing, nothing. "Where are my chickens, my money?" Echo answers: "Where?"

Silence in the restaurant. Four chickens turning on the spit. Joe says nothing. The proprietor says nothing, but looks at Joe and then joudly raps a slab of marble. Curtain.

FACTS IN FIGURES

Thousands of Mohammedans know the Koran by heart.

Among the instruments of the band which played before Nebuchadnezzar's golden image on the plains of Dura was the psaltery, a stringed instrument (Daniel 3:5, 10, 15).

The National Assembly of Salvador has added to the list of taxes in the city of San Vicente a monthly tax of five pesos (about \$2.25) on automobiles used in the public service.

Approximately 10,890 acres of denuded lands within the national forest were reforested in 1916, the total number of trees planted being 6,146,687.

China imports great quantities of old newspapers from the United States to manufacture into a thin paper for the inner wrappings of rolls of silk.

An automatic stabilizer for airplanes employing electricity but not a gyroscope and weighing less than 20 pounds, has been invented by a Chicagoan.

STATE IMPROVING CAMP AT GRAYLING

BUILDING OPERATIONS ON AN EXTENSIVE SCALE ARE BEING PLANNED.

PROVIDE FOR 8,000 TROOPS

Plans for a \$25,000 Hospital and a \$10,000 Administration Building Approved By Military Board.

(From Our Special Correspondent.) Lansing.

Permanent quarters for 8,000 troops will be built at the state military reservation at Grayling by the state military board.

Plans for a \$25,000 hospital and a \$10,000 administration building have already been approved by the board while specifications are now being drafted for barracks, mess halls and other buildings.

No orders to prepare have been received, but word from Major-General Thomas H. Barry commanding the central department at Chicago, indicates that fixing the Grayling grounds for the housing of an entire division of 26,000 men would be timely.

Under the present tentative guess that the entire division may go to Grayling, it has been thought advisable to arrange matters there so that tents can be dispensed with, and all soldiers be housed in structures. To erect these for an entire division, however, would cost a lot of money and it would have to come from the war loan, the state taking the chance that eventually the government will refund.

Rasmus Hansen, of Grayling, who donated the 14,000-acre tract to the state for a military camp, has given a \$10,000 club house to be used by the governor or anyone whom he may choose, while at the camp.

Officials here believe that the Michigan National Guard will be in Grayling by July 1 and expect to have the buildings well under way by that time.

Eleven Acts Vetoed

Governor Sleeper vetoed eleven of the acts passed by the legislature, eight more having been decided on in addition to the three heretofore announced.

The eight bills vetoed were: Rep. Daigneau's bill to repeal the famous presidential primary law of the extra session of 1912.

Rep. Woods' bill permitted a municipality to seize and confiscate fuel, or food, on the railroads in times when there is a shortage of either commodity.

Rep. Wells' bill making it unlawful to take or steal any property from cultivated lands, the real intent being to protect grape arbors and melon patches. The general substance of it is already on the statute books.

Rep. Leighton's bill to pay witnesses on the part of the state, either in courts of record or not of record, a witness fee of \$2.

The "mugging" bill of Senator Wilcox, which aimed to prevent the use of pictures of persons arrested for misdemeanors unless they were convicted.

Senator White's bill permitting the use of moving picture machines with inflammable films on places other than the first floor of a building.

Senator Morford's bill amended the embalming laws. In a repealing clause this bill repealed the very act it was trying to amend.

Senator Morford's bill permitting savings banks to invest in Canadian bonds.

Minimum Price Favored

Minimum prices—\$6 for beans, \$4 for corn and \$1 for potatoes, guaranteed by the government—would enormously increase Michigan farm production, according to scores of producers, bankers and business men to whom State Market Director James N. McBride recently sent a questionnaire on the minimum price proposition.

Mr. McBride gave out a statement warning the public against confusing minimum prices with maximum prices. "Iteration and reiteration must make the fact clearly understood that maximum prices do not apply to the producer and that minimum prices increase food supplies and benefit both producer and consumer," said the state market director.

Flint Is Complimented

"Flint has grasped its war problem more firmly and completely than any other Michigan city," said Maj. M. J. Phillips of the governor's military staff. "The war preparedness board of Lansing accepts without reservation the plan under which the Flint constabulary and other preparedness work is being formed."

State Tax Nearly \$10,000,000

With some estimates on bills carrying small indeterminate appropriate the state tax necessary for the next two years as follows: 1917, \$9,621,241.49; 1918, \$9,269,892.63. Total for the biennial period, \$18,891,134.02. This is an increase over the years 1915-1916, the last biennial, of \$2,165,213.51.

Two hundred and fifty men have answered the call issued for volunteers for the Flint constabulary.

Michigan has 305,831 men eligible for the draft of those from 21 to 31 years old, according to an estimate of the bureau of vital statistics of the state department.

The state board of health is soon to be enlisted in a sanitary reserve corps, directed by the United States health department. Matters to be looked after are sanitation of temporary training camps, sanitation of troops on route, sanitation of munition factories, canning factories and other industrial institutions.

SPEEDING UP NATIONAL GUARD RECRUITING



Officers of a National Guard regiment enrolling new members as the regiment mobilizes in response to the president's call.

TRAINING THE OFFICERS WHO WILL COMMAND UNCLE SAM'S NEW ARMIES

Thirty-Five Thousand Bright, Earnest Young Americans Assemble at Fourteen Camps Scattered About the Country to Be Drilled in the Science of War—Picked for Mental and Physical Qualities.

Washington.—Thirty-five thousand bright, energetic, earnest young Americans are assembling at 14 camps, scattered throughout the country, to form the nucleus of Uncle Sam's new armies.

From them will be chosen three months hence the 10,000 subalterns needed for the first army increment of 500,000, who will begin training about the first of August.

The war department called for the "most experienced natural leaders the country possesses" to fill the officers' training camps, and high military officials here agreed as to the fine caliber of the material obtained.

Every one of the 35,000, besides passing a rigid physical examination, is either a college graduate or has had a business career indicating his special intelligence, personality and capacity for organization and inspiring leadership.

The 35,000 themselves are picked men. Even of those who passed the requirements only a part, those deemed most promising, can be accommodated in the camps. And when it is considered that only two out of every seven men attending the camps will be assigned a post in the new armies at the close of the three months' grueling study and drill, it is obvious no drones, no "honeyheads" and no weaklings physically, mentally or morally, should get the coveted assignments.

But those who failed to obtain entrance to a camp, or who are not chosen at the end of the first three months need not give up hope of serving their country as officers. Another set of camps, probably larger than the first, will immediately follow these, and the facilities for turning out leaders for the new troops will be expanded as America gradually develops the full force of her power.

Have an Advantage

Many of the young fellows now at the mobilization points already have commissions in the officers' reserve corps, others have had good records in the National Guard or other military organizations, or school training for war work. These men have an advantage over the rest, for no one is barred from the camps by entire lack of direct military experience. The more experienced, however, are most likely to get their commissions first. The rest may attend a second or even a third camp and then be drafted into the new armies.

Training in the camps will be intensive as possible, but will be severely handicapped by a lack of suitable instructors. Officers of the British and French armies, some of them wounded, have been coming back from the western battle front in the last few weeks and it is expected the small corps of regular army instructors at each camp will be materially assisted by these veterans, who are fresh from the most awful struggle in history.

The eyes of the whole nation will be on these camps, a unique establishment in American history. Every town and almost every village has furnished a camp member, and his career will be closely watched by his friends and relatives.

The best account of how the camps will be conducted is given in an order issued by the adjutant general at Washington, brigadier general H. B. McCain. The details will have to be worked out at each camp and it will be a strenuous business, for minutes count. General McCain says:

"During the first month of the camp those in attendance will be divided into 15 companies, regardless of the arm of the service for which the individuals are destined. During this month the qualifications of each man will be studied, with a view to assigning the necessary numbers for further instruction in the separate arms of the service.

Selected by Merit. "At the end of the first month men will be reassigned in due proportion so as to form nine infantry companies, three batteries of artillery, two troops of cavalry and one company of engineers.

Some likely lads. When they come in, cap, and tell ye they're from Tom Riley, take me word they'll be all right."

This was one day last week. Since then more than 25 huskies have come in, saying they were "recruited" by Tom Riley. Barring black eyes and bruised faces, they were ideal recruits and were gladly accepted.

Old Tom himself appeared again at the station, and was informed that all of his recruits had been accepted. The sergeant in charge desired to know

why all of them bore marks of having been thoroughly manhandled. Old Tom chuckled and rubbed his hands.

"It's a little way of me own," he confided. "I know ye wanted good, two-handed scrappers, and I went about the streets lookin' for them. I engaged in a thrife of an argument wid every wan of them, to make sure they was scrappers. After it was over I sint them in."

In Alabama a movement is on for all together free schools.

Whole Family Enlisted for War. Cincinnati.—The entire family of James A. Vine of Cincinnati was enlisted for war duty. Vine's son, a National Guardsman, persuaded his father to join the regimental band and his mother and sister to enlist for duty as Red Cross nurses.

Seems he led his men in the battles of the Marne, Ypres, Dixmude, Arras and in the Vosges.

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The papers are filled with the appeal for soldiers, sailors and farmers, and all are timely, all are necessary. The sailor is needed to man the ships that protect the shores, police the seas and clear the ocean of tormenting and meddlesome masked buccaners, to give help to the allies, to make more efficient the present fighting units that are keeping free the sea lanes and ocean routes. The soldier is required to keep alive and intact the unity of the nation and the freedom of the world, to protect the lives of its citizens from incursions without and raids within, to guard the honor and preserve the dignity of the great United States, to render not only sentimental but practical assistance to those who for two and a half years on the battlefields of Flanders and the steppes of the East have been fighting for the freedom of the world against a dominant autocratic and militarist Prussianism, which, were it to become successful, would mean autocracy, militarism and Prussianism, and a "get-off-the-side-walkers" over the entire world. The allies are proud to welcome these new accessions to the fighting forces, which mean an earlier termination of the war and the dawn of an era that will be historic, one that we will all be proud that we lived in. Throughout all Canada, Great Britain, France, and all the allied countries, when the news was received that the United States had entered the war, a thrill went up and down the nation's sides, and the pulses throbbed with a new life, keenly appreciative of the practical sentiment that had brought to their sides an ally of the strength and virility of the United States.

But the soldier and the sailor need to be fed, and therefore the cry for agricultural enlistment. The strength of the fighting man must be maintained. In his absence from the field there comes the necessity for provision to take his place. The appeal for farm help is well timed, opportune and important. There are vacant lands aplenty in the United States that, given a fair opportunity under competent advisement and reasonable help, will produce abundantly. Western Canada also provides an excellent field for the prosecution of work in growing wheat and other grains, and while it is not the desire of the Canadian Government to draw from the resources of the United States, believing that it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to do all he possibly can to build up the stores of depleted foods and making use of every energy at home, the wish is to lay before the public the fact that Canada has millions of acres of excellent land capable of producing wonderful crops. If for any reason the reader, having patriotism and a love of his country in his heart, and a desire to forward the cause of the allies, cannot avail himself of the opportunities afforded in the United States, Western Canada will be glad to render him any assistance it can in locating him on its vacant areas, where large crops can be grown at minimum of cost. Let us grow the grain, raise the cattle, produce the food to feed our soldiers, our sailors and provide food for our allies, no matter whether it is done to the North or to the South of the boundary line that in the object in view should not be known as a boundary. Let us keep up the spirit of patriotism, whether it be growing grain in the United States or in Canada, but Canada, fully alive to the necessity, joins in the appeal of its allies—the United States—for more food and more food.—Advertisement.

Speaks German Only, Gives Son to Navy. Yoakum, Tex.—Naval recruiting officers here were forced to look for an interpreter when G. Holmege of Shiner personally brought in his seventeen-year-old son, Otto, for enlistment in the navy.

Holmege, a farmer, was born in Germany and cannot speak the English language. Through the interpreter he said: "Please accept my son. It is my offering to America."

"THE BLUE DEVIL OF FRANCE"

Lieut. Col. Jean Fabry of Marshal Joffre's Staff Has Thrilling Experiences in War.

Washington.—Lieut. Col. Jean Fabry, Marshal Joffre's chief of staff, is known in his own country as "The Blue Devil of France." He has probably experienced as many thrills as any man in the French army. As commander of a battalion of Alpine chas-

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