



Manchester Enterprise

By MAT-D. BLOSSER

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Sadly Misunderstood, A London Journalist says that American women go abroad for husbands because they want to be bossed. And the great mass of American husbands will rise to remark feelingly to a man, "How little he knows our noble women!" - Baltimore American.

Originators of Slang, It is estimated that more than one-half of all the slang in current use has emanated from New York City, and an observer says that college boys and girls are responsible for more of it than are the boys and girls of the Bowery.

Life of Paper Money, A five-dollar bill lives on an average two years before it is worn out, and the government is called upon to replace it. Ten-dollar bills last about three years, and \$20 bills more than four years.

Man's Food Consumption, An average man needs 1,600 pounds weight of food yearly.

MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

DIVISION OF SCHOOL MONEY IS SAID TO BE ON WRONG BASIS.

BABE BORN IN SNOWBANK
Horse Bit Off Man's Ear—Things That Have Happened During the Past Few Days.

A New Basis Asked.

The department of public instruction is urging the passage of a bill now before the legislature providing for a division according to the number of teachers employed rather than the number of pupils, as at present. A statement issued says:

"The present law limits the use of the school interest money to the payment of teachers' wages and there are 1,300 districts in the state which receive more money from this fund than is used for teachers' wages, and the balance tied up at the end of the year in the treasuries of these districts amounts to over \$800,000.

"At the same time there are 1,000 districts in the state with less than 15 children, and \$50 districts in the state unable to maintain school for more than six months. If this surplus could be distributed to these small districts the state would be doing its full duty toward the education of all the children. The present system of apportionment makes it impossible to relieve the people in the sparsely settled and poorer portions of the state.

The following conclusions are drawn from statistics which are quoted in the statement:

"Nearly 1,300 districts receive more than their share of the money.

"That 2,600 districts receive less than they need for teachers' wages.

"The cost of schools does not depend upon the number of children, therefore, the number of children is an unfair basis for state aid."

A Pitiful Story.

Miss Brita Haugtun, aged 22, a Finn girl who has been in this country for three months and can speak no English, was arrested at Painesdale on the charge of infanticide, it being alleged that she was the mother of the babe found dead in a pile of rubbish near the business part of Hancock. The girl confessed and told a most pitiful tale.

She said she had been recently employed in the home of a Hancock family, but on the 22d of March she was driven to the child she had been turned out of the house into the cold and the babe was born in a snowbank. When the friendly mother became conscious of her circumstances she says the babe was dead from cold and exposure and she wrapped the body in some old clothes she found and put it in an old basket she picked up on the street.

Lost an Ear.

Luke Manning, of Grand Rapids, was the victim of a most peculiar and painful accident Saturday morning. He went to his barn to take care of his horses, and when he entered the stall he found one lying down. As he passed between the two, one of them reached out and bit his ear and dropped it on the ground. Manning quickly picked it up and rushed for the doctor, holding the severed member in his hand. The ear was taken off as cleanly as it would have been if an operation had been done with a surgeon's knife. An attempt is being made to graft it on his head again.

Missing Candidates.

The probable drowning of two of Bay City's best known people has caused a search for the bodies that had not proved successful up to Sunday. Roger Cutright, a young student, and Mrs. Maurice Wheeler went to the Saginaw Canoe Club at Saginaw, and brought back a canoe. They thought they did not reach the home city that night a search revealed their overturned canoe floating in the river. Every effort is being made to locate their bodies. Mrs. Wheeler is the wife of Maurice Wheeler, a bookkeeper for John Gorkin, lumberman. Young Cutright is a cousin of Mr. Wheeler.

Tea Pot Exploded.

Heating tea in an air-tight syringe can was disastrous to Herbert Mohart, of Greendale. Mohart was at work at the Lewis mill and carried his lunch. He set the syringe on the stove to heat the tea. When he thought it was near the boiling point, he took a nail and pried on the cover. Impressed steam shot the cover into the air and a large quantity of the liquid struck Mohart in the face. Dr. Spooner fears the man's sight has been destroyed. Mohart's face is swollen beyond recognition. Mohart's mother, who lives with him, is almost helpless as the result of breaking her arm.

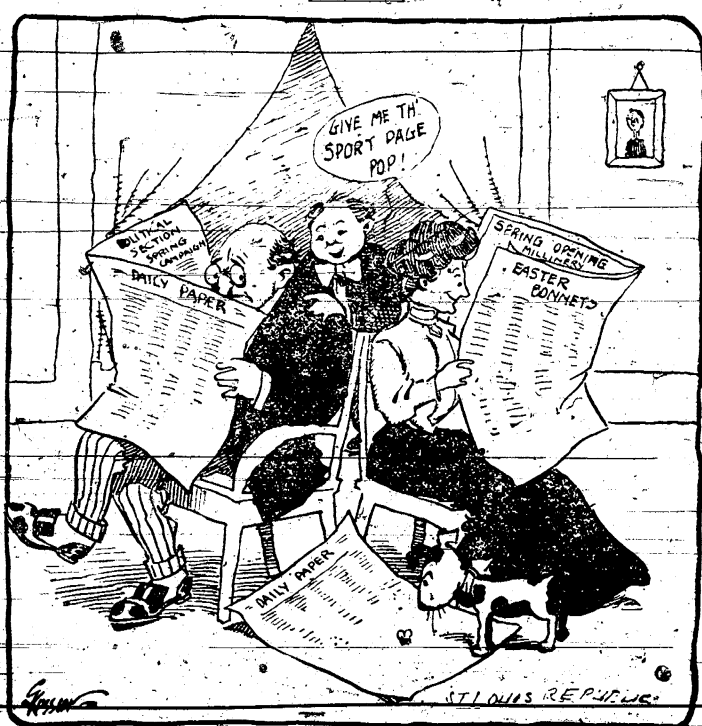
The University Tax.

The senate and house committees on the university will accord a hearing, soon to a pleader of unusual ability, when President J. B. Angell, of Ann Arbor, will come to ask that the university tax be doubled, that is, raised from the present one-quarter mill on each \$1,000 of total valuation to one-half a mill, making a total per year of about \$20,000.

Work on the bulk of two large river tugs at the plant of the Port Huron Construction Co. has been resumed, despite the fact that fire completely destroyed the buildings of the company.

Things were moving too slowly for George Hasse, brakeman on the Grand Trunk, and so for the mere excitement he afterward explained, he jumped from the military street bridge, Fort Huron, into Black river. He was an expert swimmer, but the leap had winded him and he was going down for the third time when he was pulled out.

SPRINGTIME THOUGHTS!



ASSERTS PRESIDENT AIDS THE SOCIALISTS

VICTOR L. BERGER SAYS MR. ROOSEVELT HAS STOLEN THEIR IDEAS.

People Are Awakening—Executive Board of Party Has Classified the States for Spreading the Doctrine—Plans Lively Campaign.

Milwaukee, April 1.—Victor L. Berger, founder of the Social Democratic party and the man who converted Eugene V. Debs to socialism, Sunday announced the plans of the national executive board of which he is a member, for spreading socialism into 25 states of the union where interest is now awakening.

Mr. Berger, who is one of the most thoughtful students in the party, also said that he thought it would be a mistake for Roosevelt to have stolen many of his ideas from the socialists.

"All this recent agitation and unrest," said Mr. Berger, "and the showing up of how corporations run things is making votes for us and swelling our membership."

"Roosevelt Paving the Way."

"The people are awakening. They are becoming more liberal, and beginning to understand social conditions better. Why, look at President Roosevelt. His agitation and exposures are helping us immensely. He is paving the way for socialism. While he is not of our faith, nevertheless he is helping us. Every time he shows up the corporations he makes votes for us. The more he agitates, the better we like it. He is convincing the people that we know what we are talking about. He has even stolen some of our ideas. He is using them. In fact he admits they are ours."

The entire country has been divided into three distinct classes of states. The first class comprises those states that do not need national laws. The second class is the list of states which the national leaders regard as states which for the present are to be abandoned.

Socialists Classify States.

"The states are classified as follows: Class 1, New Jersey, Illinois, Wisconsin, California. Class 2, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, New York, New Hampshire, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Vermont, Washington, and West Virginia. Class 3, Alabama, Arizona, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nevada, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Virginia, Wyoming."

The scheme of the socialists is believed to be the preliminary campaign which they are making for the presidential year. It is known that the leaders figure on taking full advantage of existing conditions in the next campaign and in this connection they are denouncing in bitter terms the recent attack of Col. George Harvey, editor of the North American Review and Harper's Weekly, on President Roosevelt in his Charleston address. It is stated here that they may prepare literature on this subject.

Morgan Buys Famous Collection.

Brussels, April 1.—It is currently reported that J. Pierpont Morgan, of New York, has acquired for \$1,200,000 the unique collection of Jules Van Den Broeck, which comprises furniture, pictures, arms, bronzes, ancient engravings and chimney pieces.

Cold Easter in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 1.—This city experienced the coldest Easter day in many years. After hovering around 25 degrees all the day the mercury fell rapidly at night. Easter fevers was obscured by heavy wraps and furs.

ALL BUILDING IS STOPPED

CARPENTERS OF MINNEAPOLIS QUIT THEIR WORK.

They Demanded Higher Pay, and Master Builders Offered Compromise, Which Was Rejected.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 2.—Following the example of the teamsters, painters and upholsterers, the carpenters have walked out and building operations all over the city are shut down temporarily as a result, although there is no strike. The walk-out Monday followed a decision reached at the meeting of the master builders held Saturday night.

Labor leaders say that for some time the carpenters have been asking for higher wages, and the contractors have been equally insistent in their statements that no higher wages would be granted.

After some discussion a compromise was offered, and in place of the 45 cents an hour that the carpenters asked for, the contractors offered them 37 cents an hour and agreed to business warranted if by July 1, to raise their wages to 45 cents.

The carpenters decided that in case their demands were not complied with they would walk out, but many men had begun work before they learned that the master builders had decided not to meet their demands but wished to make a compromise, and as soon as they heard of this, the men laid down their tools and walked out. About 1,500 men went out, it is roughly estimated, although the contractors assert only half that number are networking, and that in many cases union men are still at work.

San Francisco, April 2.—Twelve hundred laundry workers here and 600 in Alameda county Monday voted to go on strike when their employers refused an increase of wages. One hundred men were closed down. Only three hundred agreed to the terms proposed by the union.

Vancouver, B. C., April 2.—All carpenters and joiners in Vancouver went on strike Monday and building operations are at a standstill. Seven hundred and fifty carpenters threatened to strike if their demands for an increase of wages by one dollar per day were not met.

RED HAT FOR AMERICA LATER

Pope Tells Disappointed Cases They Must Have Patience.

Rome, April 2.—The disappointment of a large number of Americans yesterday that there is not an American among the papal candidates to be created cardinals at the consistory of April 15, has been brought to the attention of the pope, who said in this connection:

"Let them have patience; they will be satisfied later. The number of red hats is limited, while the candidates are many."

In addition the pontiff said he appreciated the situation in the United States and the progress that Catholicism has made there and that he soon would give these circumstances due consideration.

FOOD ON THE ISTHMUS BURNS.

Cold Storage Plant at Mount Hope Is Destroyed.

Colon, April 2.—The cold storage establishment at Mount Hope, one of the largest and most valuable on the isthmus, was almost completely destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. The loss is placed at several hundred thousand dollars. The cause of the fire has not yet been ascertained. The building was filled with a large variety of foodstuffs and other property.

Sheriff Arrested for Carrying Pistol.

Columbia, S. C., April 2.—Sheriff Raybon, of Aiken county, this state, was arrested in Jefferson county, Georgia, charged with carrying a pistol. He was convicted, the sentence being \$20 fine or four months in the chain gang. The South Carolina official was armed with requisition papers from Gov. Terrell and was endeavoring to arrest a fugitive from this state. The matter has just come to light.

LOOK FOR LUNACY REPORT THURSDAY

JUSTICE FITZGERALD ADJOURNS THAW TRIAL FOR THREE MORE DAYS.

Evelyn Thaw is subpoenaed to appear before the commission, much to her dismay—Alienists for defense may be heard.

New York, April 2.—It is probable that the Thaw lunacy commission will report Thursday morning. The case was adjourned last week until Monday morning, and when the jury was called before the court Justice Fitzgerald adjourned again the trial until Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The lunacy commission will meet Tuesday and it is expected that they will be ready to report Thursday.

In case the commission finds that Thaw is today insane within the meaning of the law the trial will be stopped, but if they find that he is capable of going on the trial, will be resumed at once. It is doubtful if the defense will call any other witnesses, although it has been said that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw would be recalled to repeat her story of the Hummel affidavit. As soon as the defense rests the summing up will begin and will, under the agreement made between the attorneys, last for two days.

Subpoena for Evelyn.

When Mrs. Evelyn Thaw made her daily visit to her husband in the Tombs Monday she was met by a process server who handed her a subpoena directing her to appear before the lunacy commission. Mrs. Thaw apparently had not anticipated this move, and she appeared very much distressed when the nature of the paper was made known to her. "Do they expect me to testify against my husband?" she asked. She was told that her presence probably was desired merely as a matter of routine, but this did not seem to assure her.

District Attorney Jerome declined to make known his purpose in calling Mrs. Thaw before the commission. The members of the Thaw jury have drawn up a petition to Justice Fitzgerald asking him to allow them \$10 dollars a day for jury services instead of the customary allowance of two dollars a day. This action is based on an ordinance in which the court made a similar increase in the jury's allowance after the case had been extended to an unusual length.

Jerome May Call Thaw Alienist.

It was reported Monday that when the lunacy commission resumes its hearing Mr. Jerome will call as his witnesses Drs. Pilgrim and Gregory, to prove by them that Thaw is now insane. Dr. Pilgrim is head of the New York state lunacy commission and Dr. Gregory is in charge of the psychiatric ward of Bellevue hospital. Both of them are said to have had on several occasions conversations with the defendant during the trial.

CHAPLAIN IS BELLIGERENT.

Peculiar Prayer in the Texas House of Representatives.

Austin, Tex., April 2.—Chaplain Joyce of the house of representatives, Monday morning in his peculiar morning prayer at the opening of the session said:

"Hundreds of men in the state are today hearing the laws of the state of Texas. Why do they not come and curdle the bones of the people of this state? A wholesome law that men have tried to be knocked down their throats. The basis of the smart lawmakers' (hundreds of thousands are breathing those laws, why not dress the men that passed them?)"

The recent enactment of certain reform legislation has caused the members of the legislature to be the subjects of considerable criticism.

FOUR KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Two Kansas City Men and Their Wives the Victims.

Kansas City, Mo., April 1.—Four persons in a buggy, two men and two women—were instantly killed late Sunday afternoon at the fifth street crossing of the Chicago & Alton railroad, two miles east of this city, by the Alton's Red Flyer, west-bound, from St. Louis.

They were: George Henry, aged 23, and his wife, aged 30, and D. H. Monner, aged 30 and his wife, aged 40. The men were salesmen for local mercantile houses.

REVENGE ON A TORTURER.

Brutal Russian Killed in Jail by Peasant Prisoners.

Kursk, Russia, April 1.—Drunzanski, an ex-politician who was sentenced February 21 to a year's imprisonment for torturing peasants during a punitive expedition, has been killed by peasant prisoners in the jail here. They captured Drunzanski and held a regular court and executed him by dashing out his brains against the wall.

No More Gambling in Montana.

Helena, Mont., April 1.—The strict anti-gambling law, which prohibits all games of chance, went into effect Monday and for the first time since the discovery of gold in 1863, faro, roulette, poker, dice, card games of all kinds and even slot machines were tabooed in Montana.

GALUSHA A. GROW DEAD PRESIDENT NOT TO SPEAK IN ILLINOIS

PENNSYLVANIA STATESMAN SUCCESSORS TO OLD AGE. Has Record-Breaking Service in Congress—Was the Father of the Homestead Act.

Binghamton, N. Y., April 1.—Former Congressman Galusha A. Grow died at his home in Glenwood, Pa., Sunday afternoon as a result of a general breakdown attributed to old age. Mr. Grow was elected to congress from the Williamsport district of Pennsylvania in 1851, and after retirement from public life for nearly 40 years he reentered the house of representatives as congressman at large from Pennsylvania 11 years ago. When he retired four years ago, his public service in the house extended over the longest period, although not continuous, of any man who ever sat in that body.

During the antebellum days he was one of the best known men in the United States and in 1864 he came within one vote of being nominated

for vice president in place of Andrew Johnson, who became president on the death of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Grow was elected speaker of the house of representatives in 1861 and occupied that position during the first two years of the war, until his retirement from congress in 1869.

Mr. Grow's greatest public service was as the father of the homestead act, through which millions of acres of western farm lands were opened up to settlement by homesteaders, an act which has been credited with doing more than any other one thing for the development of the great west. He was the first surviving member of a family of six children. He was never married.

No Adverse Action Planned.

The statement was made from an authoritative source that even a most cursory examination of what the president has repeatedly said in speech and message will show the utter nonsense of supposing the government has the slightest intention to take any action which would invalidate the safety and stability of the railway securities now issued, the whole legislative programme of the president having been proclaimed against and again as one to insure the future against the mistakes and delinquencies of the past. The president holds that every executive action taken under his administration, whether by the department of justice or by the interstate commerce commission, has furnished its own ample justification.

It was pointed out in administration circles that the president had made no references in his speeches or messages on the question of the physical valuation of the railroads. His position on this question, it was said, is that the roads themselves will work out this problem as an item of bookkeeping and reference was made to the fact that two roads, the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern, already have submitted proposals to their physical valuation.

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KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Niece of Col. P. Huntington Victim of Her New Motor Car.

Oneonta, N. Y., April 1.—Mrs. E. S. Loveland, a niece of the late Col. P. Huntington, and a beneficiary under his will, was killed Sunday while operating a new automobile which had been delivered to her Saturday.

In attempting to turn around on Chestnut street Mrs. Loveland unintentionally turned on full power and the car shot across the sidewalk and plunged over a stone wall that crowns a 20-foot embankment. Mrs. Loveland was thrown from the car as it dropped to the ground and her neck was broken.

BLAZE IN GRISCOM'S HOUSE.

American Ambassador to Rome Is Scorched by Flames.

Rome, April 1.—Whitely Lloyd C. Griscom, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Griscom were returning from the Easter services at the American church Sunday, they were completely surrounded by the roof of the building.

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Snow in Maryland.

Cumberland, Md., April 2.—More than an inch of snow fell at Frostburg Monday. The temperature in the Alleghenies dropped to below freezing. It is believed that early vegetation is ruined.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1907.
The republicans carried the state by a good plurality, about 60,000.

The amendments to the constitution were carried by a slight majority.
Sept. 17, 1906, our public schools were elected county schools.

About Highways and Bridges.
A accident of Iron Creek went to a communication last Thursday, but it was too late for publication, and as it related to the condition of the highway, we have an appeal to the voters as a whole.

We have here a "stink" hole that has come the town of Manchester hundreds of dollars, which is now now, after years of labor, in a worse condition than when the road was first put through.

Another thing is the road on Larry and Ambrose Kirk's hills, which has been finely gravelled but made worthless by being plowed in the winter of the higher than the driveway.

When by Hank Huber's the Rocking-chair place there is a stonewall about 100 feet deep with a roadbed some six feet across. A splendid trap for anyone out in the darkness amidst the woods.

Let's see what the bridge over the wooden river, which is so old fashioned that if Adam I don't mean Mr. Schable should happen to drop down he would immediately recognize something that existed with a bridge.

Leavacow County.
Adrian voted to increase the saloon license to \$1,000.
In Woodstock John Bivins, a democrat, was elected supervisor.

Washburn County.
Best estate trustee: Joseph Hoffer, Sharon, to Christian Hoffer, parcel, Sharon, \$1.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Godyear visited in Brooklyn, Pa.
Mrs. H. L. Root has been quite sick with a severe cold.

George Schaefer came from Ann Arbor to spend Sunday at home.
E. B. Hagaman was taken sick Tuesday morning with the grip.

Mr. W. Kimball and daughter, Mrs. Freeman, returned from Wisconsin yesterday.
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PROCLAMATION

30 Days More, Commencing Saturday, March 23, At 8:30 A. M. Sharp.

Anent the wishes of the people of the surrounding country, we have decided to continue the GREAT SALE which we have inaugurated, for 30 DAYS MORE. First, because we have received numerous telegrams, telling us that the roads were almost impassable and that they could not get here, and second, because we have received several letters, asking us to continue the GREAT CUT PRICE on our goods a few days more.

THIS ENTIRE STOCK MUST BE MOVED OUT REGARDLESS OF COST

A GREAT CHANCE TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF MANY BARGAINS. REMEMBER THIS STORE WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAR. 21-22, TO RE-ARRANGE STOCK, OPENING THIS GREAT CONTINUATION SALE, SATURDAY, MARCH 23.

The Entire New 1907 Spring Stock of Carpets

Shoe Bargains! Shoe Bargains!

Two Big SHOE and RUBBER Stocks combined for this Continuation Sale.

Rubber Bargains!

Watches

Dust Proof

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INSIDE THE RED CANVAS FRONT.

J. S. TOWNSEND, Clinton, Mich.

Let Nothing Keep You Away.

Make Clinton your Dry Goods, Shoe and Rubber Market during these 30 Days.

The Hour is Set! The Day You Know!

Farmers, Dairyman.
We will pay you 25 cents per pound for the butterfat in your cream from any good hand separator until further notice.

For Good Laundry Work.
Carefully and Promptly Executed, patronize The Manchester Laundry.

Wanted! Farmers.
To bring to their Harness- To be repaired both the rub. We are doing Repairing.

HERE IT IS!
The thing you want for a Wedding Present.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

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