

SHOT MEANT LIFE OR DEATH

Salvation of Arctic Exploring Party Depended on Accurate Aim of One Man.

After they had existed on the barren ice-bound Wrangel island for six months, the dozen survivors of the ill-fated Karluk of Vilhjalmur Stefansson's arctic expedition, were rescued.

"On one occasion," said Munro, "after our food supply had become exhausted and we were wondering where the next meal was coming from, I saw a seal out on the ice. I crept to within a hundred yards of him before I had to stop to steady my nerves."

MANCHESTER

In the southwest corner of Washtenaw County, 23 miles from Ann Arbor, the County Seat and University City: 2 miles from the East Main Street Normal School; 20 miles from Jackson, the Prison City; 54 miles from Detroit; 50 miles from Toledo.

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EIGHTEEN CONVICTS BURN TO DEATH

TWELVE MORE WERE SERIOUSLY INJURED BY EXPLOSION IN CITY JAIL.

FIFTY TAKEN OUT UNHARMED

Fire Department Quarters in the Same Building Quickly Extinguished the Fire.

El Paso, Tex.—Eighteen dead, six probably fatally burned, and a score or more less seriously injured, was the toll of an explosion and fire at the city jail.

H. G. Bagley, a trusty, named H. M. Cross, whose home was said to be Davenport, Ia., as the man who struck the match which started the fire.

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TREBIZOND THREATENED BY THE RUSSIANS



This is a view of Trebizond, the Turkish port on the Black sea toward which the Russians have been pressing since the capture of Erzerum.

IN THE DAYS OF '49

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CORPSE SPEAKS TO THEM

'Say! What Do You Want?' Supposed Dead Man Demands of Coroner's Assistants.

Omaha, Neb.—Coroner's assistants were preparing to place Sam Larson in the "dead basket" and carry him away to the undertaking parlors.

When nothing was seen of Sam, who is seventy-five years old, for several days, an investigation was made.

WANTS TO GO TO HEAVEN

Woman While Celebrating One Hundredth Anniversary Declares She Is Willing to Go.

St. Louis—Mrs. Macie Reine Techsaren-Fusz has celebrated her one hundredth birthday by an after-dinner speech to 50 of her descendants and near relatives.

"I know it must have been an evidence of divine grace to have been permitted to live to such an age," said Mrs. Fusz.

BRAIN FOOD FAILS

Diet to Overcome Drowsiness in Classes Given Up.

Hungry Girl Students Raid Sweets Shops—"Feeds" Off the Campus Blast Professors' Dreams of More Intellectual College.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—When Vassar professors got together recently to discuss the reason for pretty drooping heads and eyelids that just wouldn't stay open during afternoon classes,

HEAD OF AVIATION CORPS



Lieut. Col. Samuel Reber, head of the aviation corps of the army, and the zero branch itself, is under the probe of the war department following the charges of Senator Robinson of Arkansas that the aviation service was "contemptibly inefficient."

SHE TAKES THE PRIZE



Miss Louise Delano, daughter of Frederick A. Delano of the federal reserve board, carried off first prize for costume at the Beau Arts ball given in Washington by the capital's "smart set" for the relief of families of French artists who have been killed or wounded in the war.

M. A. C. BUILDING BURNS QUICKLY

STUDENT VOLUNTEERS AND FIREMEN SAVE MEN'S DORMITORY.

WITH A LOSS OF \$240,000

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The fire is believed to have started in the basement of the engineering building where there were gas ovens for heating bricks.

FAVORS A BATTERY AT M. A. C.

President Kedzie Is Said to Have Changed His Mind.

East Lansing—President Frank S. Kedzie, of M. A. C., is lending his support to the cause of preparedness and more efficient training for home defense.

MAN OBJECTS TO A BATH

Ran Away From Poor Farm Because It Was First Scrub in 20 Years.

Jeffersonville, Ind.—Man's constitutional right not to take a bath has been raised in the case of D. W. Dodson, who ran away from the poor farm near Charleston because he was put in a tub and scrubbed.

STARTLING DISCOVERIES

Victims of Tuberculosis Are Far More Numerous Than Reported.

Lansing—Out of 2,533 persons examined for tuberculosis by the state board of health clinics in eight counties, 610 persons were found to have positive cases of tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Governor Ferris has honored extradition papers for Barney Smith, an alleged pickpocket under arrest in Detroit, who is wanted by Cleveland authorities.

The return to Jackson prison Thursday of George Lawrence, of Detroit, following his capture in Portland, Ore., removed worry from the shoulders of Detroit detectives who had followed in the nation-wide search for Lawrence, following his escape from Jackson prison January 10, 1915.

John McCullough, 42, came to Owosso to visit his son and the trip resulted in his marriage to Mrs. Zoe McCullough, 37, employed in an Owosso newspaper office. She divorced him about 10 years ago.

Peter Murphy was feeding chickens at the home of the Little Sisters of the Poor in Grand Rapids when an attorney from Dallas, Tex., informed him a rich man had died there, leaving him an estate of \$25,000.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Charles B. Germaine, arrested for arson in Traverse City, has been released in \$10,000 bail.

A three days' campaign in Crosswell has resulted in the raising of \$4,000 to pay off the indebtedness on the new First Methodist church.

A bill of tax limitations is urged by the Michigan State Tax association. The body also went on record as favoring a state budget system.

Christopher Krasnet, of Zilwaukee, blew his head off with a shotgun Sunday. He pulled the trigger with a stick which he still held when found.

Major Guy M. Wilson of the Michigan National Guard announces that preparations are under way for the organization of a machine gun company in Flint.

The date for the 1916 Milford fair has been set for September 19-22, two weeks earlier than ever before, to give the farmers a better chance to attend.

A mysterious aeroplane, reported seen flying over Wyandotte about a week ago, again appeared Thursday night, according to residents in West Wyandotte.

The city of Lapeer has obtained from the navy department the bronze bow ornament from the U. S. S. Michigan and will mount it on a granite boulder in City hall park.

The new American channel in St. Clair river at this point which will be 7,000 feet long and dredged five feet deeper, will not be completed before the fall of 1917 at the earliest.

John Wertz left an estate of \$19,500 to be divided among eight children. He was a Civil war veteran of Nashville, who died some weeks ago from exposure while living as a recluse.

Harry West of Detroit, convicted of victimizing Frank Farkas, Muskegon Heights merchant, of \$1,500, has asked to be paroled in order that he may marry Miss Mary Urban, of Detroit.

Louis P. Hall, 23, of Ann Arbor, will leave March 15 for France to drive the ambulance presented as a memorial for his brother, Richard, who was killed at the front on Christmas eve.

Struck by a swinging door in a Pullman on a Great Western train in Iowa, Mrs. John A. McClelland, of Portland, died in a Des Moines hospital of her injuries. Her funeral took place Sunday.

Sessions of Farmers' Week at the Michigan Agricultural college closed Saturday. "I estimate that the total attendance at the sessions this week has been over 10,000," said Superintendent L. R. Taft.

Charles F. Foug, 70, of Grand Rapids, president of the Citizens' Telephone Co., president of the Alpena Gas Co., president of the Tanners' Supply Co., and owner of the Livingston hotel, died in Chicago early Monday morning.

Miss Mary Zelink, under arrest on a charge of forgery in New York, and who says she did it to be near her lover in Muskegon, collapsed when a Gotham detective arrived with papers to take her back to face the judge whose name she is said to have forged while in his employ, has sustained a nervous collapse.

The funeral of Isaac Rogers, known to newspaper men all over the country as "The Galesburg Liar," was attended by practically the entire community Sunday. Rogers' plausible tales aroused interest all over the country and brought considerable prominence, of its kind, to this village which had never before figured as a source of news.

The discovery of a case of scarlet fever in the home of Mrs. Bells Withereil in charge of the North Muskegon postoffice has led to the scene of postoffice operations being moved to a nearby building and the thorough fumigation of all mail found in the postoffice at the time. To head off any epidemic Mayor Hardy has ordered the public schools closed.

Liquor men in Detroit and Michigan have already subscribed \$750,000 for a campaign to defeat prohibition at the polls next fall, and that sum will shortly reach more than \$1,250,000, said Rev. W. H. Wray Boyle, pastor of the Woodward Avenue Methodist Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, in a spirited sermon exhorting his auditors to support the fight against "the greatest evil of the world."

Judge George Welmer, of Kalamazoo, gave Elmer Bowlin, colored, his freedom when Bowlin was brought before the judge for sentence on a contempt charge, the judge permitting him to go because he had saved the life of Deputy Sheriff Thomas Dorgan when he was attacked by an insane man. The judge lauded Bowlin for the bravery he had displayed in entering the cell with the crazy man and rescuing Dorgan, who had been knocked down.

Lucy M. Whitehead, who brought suit against Frank Rogers, of Big Rapids, for \$5,000 damages because of injuries received last fall when Rogers' automobile struck her leg near Reed City, has been awarded \$500 damages in circuit court.

Edward C. Shields, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, announces a call for a meeting of that committee for Lansing on March 14. The meeting will fix a date and place for the spring-state convention as well as dates for district and county conventions of the party.



INTERESTING ITEMS FROM THE CITIES

Why Owners of Gotham Apartment Houses Rave... NEW YORK—The average tenant in an apartment house, said a real estate man when a prospective tenant kicked on the high rentals...

ANTS ANTS AND MORE ANTS... PESTS... There is a number of big brick apartment houses whose walls above the eighth floor let in the beating raindrops...

Wanted the Front Door Key of New York Hotel... NEW YORK—Henry Lightman, who hails from Farbridge, Nev., and whose previous metropolitan experience was all garnered in Goldfield...

Opoka Invaded by an Army of Hungry Rabbits... TOPEKA, KAN.—Some time on a recent night Opoka was invaded by the most timid army ever gathered together—an army made brave by the pangs of hunger...

Brewers are Indicted... PITTSBURGH—One hundred and one indictments of which 100 are against the brewers...

Philadelphia Woman Took Her Pet for a Ride... PHILADELPHIA—A woman rider in a Woodland avenue trolley car the other day presented an appearance as possible and as queer...

FAVORS 1,324,790 MEN IN ARMY

HOUSE BILL OFFERS SOMEWHAT FROM THAT OF THE SENATE MEASURE... BUT NOT VERY RADICALLY... The Total Cost of the Plan for the First Year is Estimated at \$116,319,271.

WASHINGTON—With the introduction of the house army bill by Chairman Hay, of the military committee, the second of the national defense measures recommended by President Wilson was introduced last week.

MICHIGAN NAVAL RESERVES... Detroit—Spanish American war veterans in this city are being asked to help in the formation of a Michigan naval reserve.

SEED CORN POOR THIS YEAR... East Lansing—Reports bearing on the seed corn situation indicate that the supply for spring planting is of lower quality this season than in years in the history of the state.

ITEMS OF INTEREST... London—Keen disappointment as to the result of recruiting bids in the city of London...

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST... George Lagrange, a long-term convict from Detroit, was sentenced to a term of one year in the Michigan State Prison...

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock... DETROIT—Cattle Receipts, 2,890. Best heavy steers, \$7.60; best light steers, \$7.40; mixed steers and heifers, \$6.60...

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle, 115 cars. Market 10¢ higher; choice to prime native steers, \$8.50; fair to good, \$7.75; heavy, \$7.00...

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.12 3/4; No. 3 red, \$1.10 1/2; No. 4 red, \$1.08 1/2; No. 1 white, \$1.14; No. 2 white, \$1.12 1/2; No. 3 white, \$1.10 1/2; No. 4 white, \$1.08 1/2.

General Markets... Mushrooms—35-60¢ per doz. Strawberries—25-30¢ per quart. Grapefruit—10-15¢ per doz. Apples—10-15¢ per doz.

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FAIR FARM STOCK FOR WAR REVENUE

So Wisely Distributed That Taxation Will Affect Farmers to a Degree Practically Unnoticeable... Many rumors have been circulated regarding war taxation in Canada...

SPLENDID TYPE FOR FARM... The shoes and give them daily exercise in the yard every available day...

TREATING SHEEP FOR WORMS... The stomach worm is the worst pest afflicting sheep. Lambs are more susceptible than older sheep...

THE FIRST TASTE... Learned to Drink Coffee When a Boy. He saw Not Roddy, but a Woman...

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THE LONE WOLF

By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE... SYNOPSIS... One had started to panic for the door, then stopped in terror. Words followed—the stranger he had been invited—was spoken in a gentle and tremulous voice.

CHAPTER IV—Continued... The girl said no attention; she was thinking only of herself and the monstrous position into which her infirmity had tricked her.

CHAPTER V... The surprise was complete; but it's a question which party thereto was the more affected. Lanyard stared with the eyes of a stargazer...

CHAPTER VI... He fitted key to latch and quickly let himself into his flat by a private entrance from the street...

CHAPTER VII... The door opened on the coat and under the eye of the concierge, distinguished by his black uniform and military bearing...

CHAPTER VIII... "What shall I do to get warm?" he asked, with a shiver. "You can't get warm by sitting in a chair."

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THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916

Let us unite in imploring the Supreme Ruler of nations to spread His holy protection over these United States; to enable us all at times to root out internal seditions and put invasion to flight; to perpetuate to our country that prosperity which His goodness has already conferred; and to verify the anticipations of this government being as safeguard to human rights.

The United States must stand alone. There is no nation of consequence to tie to. In fact according to statements made by jobbing and wholesale houses, there is no twine on hand to bind them together.

Reading the dispatches from Europe we learn that the battalions of England, Germany or any other nation are the pink of perfection in every way, protected by heavy armour, provided with mighty guns and swift as eagles, though they may have been in commission many years.

Mr. J. A. Waters and family arrived home from their long journey south week Monday afternoon.

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Every week we receive notices from some factory or dealer that the price of their goods has taken a jump upwards and previously quoted prices are all off.

We take this means to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their beautiful floral offerings and also to Rev. J. Wolfman and the choir of Emmanuel's church for kind words and song at the house and also at church at the funeral services of our mother Katharina Huber.

The Enterprise, Free Press, Farmer, The Housewife and Green's Fruit Grower all for a full year to rural route subscribers, for \$3.50.

For Sale, good farm one mile south of Manchester. F. D. Kern.

For Sale, several thoroughbred Barred Rock Cockerles also eggs for hatching from good laying stock.

For Sale—Homes, barns and four lots in village of Manchester, all together or will divide. Mrs. Joseph Kramer.

Personal Mention

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Frey have moved to Jackson.

Robert Mahrie is laid up again with rheumatism.

Roy Conklin was in Tecumseh on business Monday.

Raynor Hausler was in Toledo Monday on business.

Miss Leona Davider of Detroit visited her parents over Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. David Kern have returned from a somewhat extensive visiting trip.

Mr. & Mrs. Bennett Burt visited Mr. & Mrs. Adam Goll at Clinton, Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. Ampoker visited Miss Opal Hogan at Clinton last Thursday.

Wm. Jennings Bryan is to speak three times in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Hiram Logan who has been at Battle Creek for treatment, was at home Saturday.

Miss Edith Kapp came out from Detroit Friday night to visit her parents until Sunday.

Carl Schable came from Detroit Tuesday night for a few days' rest. He is not feeling first rate.

Fred M. Freeman attended the opening of the March term of circuit court at Ann Arbor, Monday.

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SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK 7 cans Sardines for 25c 7 Sals Mackerel for 25c Fresh Oysters, qt. 30c

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BUY ALL YOUR FRUITS Candies, Cookies Cigars, Tobacco THE BEST SIDE FRUIT STORE SAM PAGE

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Clarence Cooch moved to Manchester from the Home Farm on Tuesday week. The house which he bought the farm has moved on.

John Schable who worked for Fred Spotted last year, will work for Wilbur Spotted this season and has moved into his latest home.

The auction sale of Elijah Walworth's tools and tools well attended and Frank Marvise treated about \$800 more money out of bidders than the goods were appraised.

There is a talk of a new school house being built at the Center some time during the summer. Also it is proposed to buy another site near the Center.

Mr. C. J. Harper spent last week with relatives in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Mr. Geo. Nide of Manchester was the guest of her cousin Mrs. Clyde Backlund, Thursday.

Mr. Lloyd Lesalle of Napoleon was the guest of her sister Mrs. Josephine Beckwith Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. A. M. Dea resigned home Thursday after a few days' visit with friends near Wolf Lake.

The Enterprise publishers were greatly pleased last week because of the kind individuals, all farmers and readers of weekly newspapers, voluntarily applied for space in The Enterprise to advertise the goods they wish to sell at auction.

Why were we pleased, because these goods were sold at a profit. Yes, that was of course a pleasant consideration. But we were especially pleased because these farmers did just what every merchant, every tradesman should do: tell what he has to sell, when and where, in an attractive and business-like manner.

Every citizen that is qualified to vote, should vote on next Monday and Tuesday. Show your interest in your home town by voting for competent and honest men to manage the village affairs the coming year.

The Enterprise press has printed caucus notices and the date of both republicans and democratic township caucuses will be Monday next, March 11th at 8:00 p. m., and the latter at 2:30 p. m.

We have been unable to find out who is responsible for the report that Littman the jeweler was stabbed while having a dispute with a man in Detroit. How such stories are circulated is beyond our comprehension.

Louis Louie said that the worst road he found Monday on the drive from Toledo was between Tecumseh and Manchester. But he did not leave Tecumseh until after the rain at night and the roads were then muddy.

I have bought a sorghum press and boiler to be installed at my cider mill in Hickey and White Ash, Handley Bros., 33 inches long. Will say highest cash price. Address, Manchester Handle Co., or inquire at mill.

A span of Colts, 4 years old in the spring, weight between 1300 and 1400 and, well matched in height and weight. William Logan.

The Iron Creek church will have a Mitten Social at John Louie's, Friday evening, March 10. Every lady is to bring two mittens.

Mr. Pittman will move onto Frank Hall's farm on Monday where they had been to see the farm on Tuesday.

The funeral of Mrs. John Klud was held at Boggs' corner church Thursday the 10th.

The republicans caucus resulted in the nomination of the old officers for the head of the ticket.

John Olson is in Ann Arbor serving a circuit court jury. He was drawn on last judicial case.

Mrs. Albert Heinemann and children will leave Friday for Ann Arbor where they will be here Sunday.

Miss Nellie Raymond returned to Reading on Monday after spending several days visiting her sister Mrs. Elmer Brown and the Parks family.

Mr. & Mrs. D. M. Alford returned from Jackson on Monday where they had been to see their son-in-law Millard Deak who is very sick with pneumonia. They report him somewhat better. They brought their two grandchildren home with them.

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WE'VE CAUGHT Some Dashing Styles in Spring Suits Some Red-Hooded STADIUM EFFECTS That will just suit you. They're every inch a fit; every inch hand-tailored, and perfect in style! There's a "Go" about them that keeps going and doesn't sag with wear.

LOOK RESOLVED YOU ARE GOING TO SEE WHAT IS IN THIS SPACE EVERY WEEK FOR TWO REASONS 1st YOU'LL LOOK FOR IT 2nd YOU'LL SEE IT WHETHER YOU LOOK FOR IT OR NOT.

BUSTER BROWN IS COMING TO TOWN, TO WORK FOR OUR STORE EVERY WEEK FOR A WHOLE YEAR. COME INTO YOUR HOME AND TELL US ALL ABOUT OUR MERCHANDISE AND OUR METHODS. WE HAVE ALWAYS GOT A BIG, CLEAN STOCK OF HIGH-CLASS MERCHANDISE AND OUR PRICES WILL ALWAYS SAVE YOU MONEY. WE HAVE BUT ONE METHOD—TO GIVE YOU A SQUARE DEAL.

A "COME BACK" NEXT Monday we will elect President Waters for the second time in succession. Two years ago he was "turned down," but has "come back" — and this morning he's "turned down" since we have taken the reigns of management.

Valuable Information EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING VALUABLE HE CAN TELL AND MOST PEOPLE ARE ANXIOUS TO GIVE INFORMATION. ONE NATURALLY ABSORBS INFORMATION IN HIS DEALINGS WITH A BANK AND WE ARE HEREBY TO ENCOURAGE THE GIVING OF VALUABLE HELP AND INFORMATION REGARDING ALL BUSINESS MATTERS.

Dressmakers Particularly, Please Note That this is the first week of our ANNUAL SPRING SALE OF NOTIONS AND SUNDRIES in which we offer the largest and most complete assortment of Dressmakers' Supplies that we've ever gotten together for this unique event.

GUARANTEED Not to Rust, Break or Tear Do you want Corsets that will stand the hardest kind of wear; that will keep their shape and always fit with comfort?

Warners' Rust-Proof Corsets at whatever price you pay are the most satisfactory and economical Corset purchase you can make.

JUST RECEIVED A Carload of Old Corn ALSO A Carload of New Corn AT THE WAREHOUSE It pays to feed Hog's TANKAGE with your Ground Feed LONIER & HOFFER Manchester Mills

WALL PAPER of Quality Alfred Peats' PRIZE Wall Paper All New 1916 Patterns NO JOB LOTS Price run from 21c to 87¢ per roll. A postal brings a demonstration. 20 per cent Discount on all orders where I hang the goods. Am ready to do your painting and decorating on short notice. G.H. ANTHONY DECORATOR

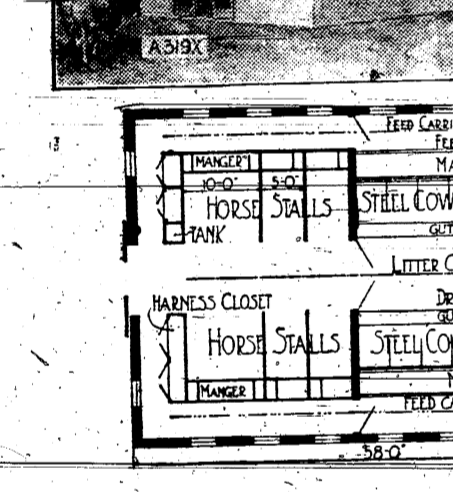


BARN FOR STOCK. BASEMENT STABLE

Type of Construction That Appeals to the Farmer Who Is Up to Date.

Concrete Foundation One of the Most Important Items—Designed With a View to Its Keeping It Clean and Healthy.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD. Modern barns will answer questions and give advice FREE OF CHARGE.



The name basement stable formerly meant a head and back into a side hill. Such a type of construction is becoming obsolete at the present time.

There was a particular reason for building barns of this type a few years ago. All farmers thought it was necessary to do their threshing indoors.

China Here! Here! Again. New decorations to commemorate the inauguration of the new empire will be issued to officials on the 15th.

Spain's Coal Purchases Big. The United States has purchased 1,000,000 tons of coal from Spain.

Horticultural News

Cover Crops for Orchards. Means Provided for Preventing Winter Erosion, and to Hold Moisture in Spring.

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FARM SUCCESS SURE FARM OPPORTUNITY MIXED FRUIT RECIPES

Young Men and Women Should Stick to Agriculture. Country Citizen Has Advantages Over His City Relative When It Comes to the Best Opportunities.

W. E. think we are facing a new condition of affairs in the life of the young people of the cities. In the steady rise in the cost of living, and in the decline of the export trade, it is true, for this is a new situation, but for the world it is as old as civilization.

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GOOD FINANCIAL PROSPECT

Wisconsin Official Shows Why Young Men and Women Should Stay in Country and Make Money in Their Own Homes.

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DRINK HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST

Says you really feel clean, sweet and fresh inside, and are calmer all day.

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THE BICHLER CABINET

Good wholesome bread is the great food in our homes and is often times the most ill prepared.

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HAD FAITH IN HIM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson to Be Drawn From the Actions of Jairus and the Sick Woman.

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—Run-down? —Tired? —Weak?

Every Spring most people feel "all out of sorts"—their vitality is at a low ebb. I believe that to be the best blood medicine.

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Advertisement for BEECHER, PECK & LEWIS, DETROIT, featuring 'Certain-teed Roofing' and 'Liver Sluggish? BEECHAM'S PILLS'.



**SCHOOL**

There is nothing more kingly than kindness  
There is nothing more loyal than truth.  
—Alice Cary—

Miss Edith Sutton '15 and Miss Alma Ahrens were visitors of the high school the past week.

Rev. Conklin gave a very interesting talk to the high school pupils Monday morning on education, past and present.

Owing to the weather and absence of the Alpha Sigma, was postponed from Monday until Wednesday evening. The next regular meeting will be held March 20th.

One will surely not miss it by attending school Monday morning and hearing Galen Starr Ross who has consented to speak to the pupils at the opening exercises. Friends will be welcomed.

The civics class has been studying the state government the past week. American literature for the seniors will begin Monday. Spelling in the high school, also mental arithmetic, is meeting with success.

The class of 1916 numbers 15 members, nine young ladies and nine young men. The members are busy writing their commencement productions which must be handed in for correction the last of the month.

A few years ago the school district bought that corner lot just west of the high school building. It was bought for school grounds and by a little work could be made very beautiful if properly laid out and some flower beds arranged throughout. Why not try it this spring?

You cannot afford to miss hearing Galen Starr Ross discuss Preparedness, at 8 p. m., sun time, Monday evening, March 13, 7:30. Given under the auspices of the High School Athletic Association. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

**CHURCHES**



CATHOLICS especially are preparing for the proper observance of the Lenten season which began on Wednesday last, and will be Easter Sunday, April 23, which will be Easter Sunday.

There will be special services at 7:30 Sunday evenings during Lent. Rev. Wulfmann announced last Sunday that beginning next Monday evening and on Monday and Tuesday evenings thereafter, he will give instructions in German to members of his congregation, free of charge.

**Washington County**  
The county board of poor commissioners consisting of Wm. Murray, judge of probate, Michael Stashko, C. C. Dore and P. W. Ross, superintendent of the poor, made their semi-annual inspection of the county jail and found it as well cared for as could be expected.

There will be a good roads meeting at Ann Arbor on Wednesday, March 29. The purpose will be to make plans for securing the adoption of the county road system. We presume that the highway commissioners in Ebron, Freedom, Bridgewater and Manchester, and perhaps other interested people from this section will attend it.

**Community Photo Plans**  
Until after Easter one continuous program will be given each week, on Wednesday evenings, beginning at 7:30 sun time. The pictures will be in keeping with the spirit of the Lenten season, consisting of a series on the Passion Play; Biblical scenes from the Old and New Testament and some subjects of a purely educational character.

Found, a gold S. S. pin. Call at The Enterprise office.

**Fine Reception for Dr. & Mrs. Tracy**

In view of the fact that Dr. B. A. Tracy and family are about to move away from Manchester, the Methodist society of which they have been members gave them a reception at the church Tuesday evening. There were so many present who were not members of the society that the function might have been called a community gathering, all seeming desirous of showing their friends their friendship and appreciation of the many things done for the good of the community as well as of the church.

A bountiful pot-luck supper was served in the banquet rooms after which all went to the audience room where a charming program was given by many of our best musicians: Miss Torrey, Bennett Root, Miss Nagel, Mrs. Freeman, Miss Renaud, and recitations by Mrs. Edith Lowery. The selections were exceptionally well rendered and every one was recalled. Gifts were presented to Mr. & Mrs. Tracy and to Guy Tracy, the presentations being made by Rev. Johnson and Suppl. Smith.

Some of the young lads about the country have shown their ingenuity and skill by the erection of wireless telegraph outfits at their homes and occasionally pick up messages from some of the large wireless stations. But some of the amateur outfit was demonstrated a few days ago when a S. O. S. call from an outlying section was caught by a city lad. A disturbance was started by a man and he had out the telephone wire so he might have free range, but the lad used the wireless and an officer was sent to the scene.

All the teachers have been invited by the school board to remain another year. Suppl. Smith will remain and perhaps most of the teachers but they have not signed their acceptance as yet.

# Fifth Annual Clearing Sale

For One Day Only

## SATURDAY, MARCH 11

**O**WING to the fact that the prices in practically all the lines of Hardware and Implements are at least 10% higher and that most of our stock was bought before the raise in price, this Sale affords the best opportunity for the buyer of anything that has ever been pulled off in this vicinity.

Some people do not believe that prices have advanced, but when we say that pig iron has advanced from \$11.00 to \$21.00 per ton, we think that should be sufficient proof.

# 20% DISCOUNT

on all Tinware, Graniteware and Cooking Utensils, Wash Tubs, Wash Boards, Wringers and Flatirons, Builders' Hardware, Guns and Rifles, Axes and Wood Choppers' Tools, Shovels, Spades and Forks of all kinds, Sweat Pads, Collar Pads, and Interfering Pads, in fact all kinds of merchandise handled in a general hardware store, unless otherwise mentioned.

Last fall we had an exceptional opportunity presented to us when we bought our

## FOOD CHOPPERS

and on the above date we will share this opportunity with our customers and furnish you Food Choppers at prices that you never heard of before, so if your teeth are poor you will find this cheaper than patronizing the dentist.

Owing to the mild winter we find ourselves somewhat overstocked with

## HEATING STOVES and RANGES

and will offer for sale our line which is very complete at a discount of from 10% to 25% in spite of the fact that stoves of all kinds have advanced 10% since Jan 1.

## On CUTLERY

which includes pocket knives, razors, butcher knives, shears and scissors, common table ware, silver knives and forks and silverware of all kinds, we will give 30% discount on the above day. At this Sale we will offer our

## TEAM OF HORSES AT AUCTION

which we have driven since last May, weight 2600 lbs and coming 4 and 5 years old, an extra good farm team, sound and right, but too heavy for our business. We will also offer our entire stock of

## BUGGIES

at Auction and we wish to say that our line is very complete as we have just received several new jobs which have not been sorted over, so if you want to shine and can not afford an automobile and high-priced gasoline, you ought to attend this Sale.

## 600 CEDAR FENCE POSTS

at Auction in lots of 50. If you need posts, this is your chance. We will also offer a full line of

## FARMING TOOLS

such as wagons, hay and stock racks, spreader, mower, harrows, plows, harness, hay rakes, cultivators, rollers, scales and several other articles. This is an exceptional opportunity for the older ones to replenish their supply and for the younger ones who are just starting in.

The following goods we exempt from this Sale: Hand-made Harness, Collars, DeLaval Separators, Electrical Goods and Ammunition.

## Remember the Date---Saturday, Mar. 11

This Sale will be handled much the same as in former years, so we consider the main thing to do is to impress the date on your mind.

TERMS---Strictly cash or approved notes.

# DRESSELHOUSE & DAVIDTER

THE BIG STORE  JACKSON, MICHIGAN

## A Glimpse of The Easter Silks

Reveals some very beautiful colors in the plain weaves and many attractive novelties in plaids, figures and designs. Again tafetas and the firmer silks lend themselves best to the styles.

Taftetas in the new Spanish stripes suggest the picturesque modes of Old Spain. In street shades, pastel tones and Spanish colors, yard wide, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

Satin soiree-tafteta in a wide range of the new colorings for evening and afternoon wear, yard wide, \$1.75 the yard.

Chiffon tafetas, soft and beautiful, in light and dark shades, at only \$1.50 a yard.

Kayser's Italian silk in all pastel tints, 45 inches wide, \$1.50 the yard.

Black tafeta, 36 and 40-inch widths, range in price from \$1.00 to \$2.50.

We have the agency for the famous "Moneybac" Tafetas, yard wide, \$2.00 the yard.

Tub silks in no end of attractive varieties, the prettiest of stripes and colors, 59¢ to 78¢, \$1.19 yard.

**Annual March Sale of Silks Starts March 10**

**Busy Days for the March Sale of Kitchen Furnishings**

**Worth-While Savings in the Yearly Sale of Toilet Goods**

We have just received, and invite inspection of new models of the famous

# OVERLAND

Overland 6 Cyl.    Willys-Knight 4-Cyl.  
Model 83 4 Cyl.    Model 75 4 Cyl.

We will be pleased to demonstrate at any time. Now is the time to select and get early delivery.

We have 190 Second-hand Cars in first-class condition to trade for Horses

## Manchester Auto Company



**Scarcity of Dyestuffs**

Editor Enterprise: But few readers of your paper comprehended the dye situation at the present time. Never in the history of the United States have the conditions been so desperate as at the present. Not even the average retail merchant can grasp the situation. Advertisers upon advices have been coming so that he is beginning to wake up. Germany has 39 mills making indigo dye. She has a monopoly of them. We have been looking to Germany for them for a long time; now it being impossible to get them we are in a serious predicament. England must give her consent before we can get one pound of these dyes that were worth 30 cents before the war but are now selling for \$6.65 per pound.

Only last week the Clinton woolen mills sold 500 pounds of those dyes with a net profit of \$2,500. Last week Monday I stopped in Cleveland on my way to Columbus for my fall samples. I visited two manufacturers and two jobbers, they related their experience of going to New York. Instead of completing their purchases in ten days as is usual, they were there four weeks and instead of confining their purchases to law, they bought wherever they could get their wants supplied.


Upon arriving at Columbus the story was about the same. Mr. Hershey one of the firm I am traveling for, was in New York three weeks and is compelled to go again. His decline is off of the market entirely. Now and then some broker will have a case to sell but at such exorbitant prices it scares the buyers. One broker offered Mr. Hershey a case at 30 cents per yard, to make into overalls; 4 1/2 yards to the dozen would mean an overall to retail at \$2. Many of the smaller overall concerns are closed, and more will follow should this dye situation continue six months longer. One overall manufacturer went into the hands of a receiver. Upon taking inventory they discovered a barrel of dye that had been covered by boxes. When the proceeds had been collected it not only paid up all debts but gave to the manufacturer \$2500 in cash.

The Michigan Central Railroad instruct each employe not to throw away the short indelible pencils but to send them to the purchasing department that they may take these and get out the dye. A certain New York wholesale concern is buying up all indelible pencils at five times their cost to the merchant, to extract the sensitive dye therefrom. What the outcome will be no one knows.

Only last week Germany released a shipment of three colors of dye for the United States to be used for the stamps, etc. Should congress protect the American manufacturer for five years he can then be in good shape not only to supply the wants of the United States but also send out to other countries. There are many dye mills being erected in the United States but at present it handicaps the users of dye. Unless we can get dye before long we will be forced to use the American dye which are inferior to the dyes we import. It is true much American dye is in use now but it is not fast color.

If it is removed the war will end in April, if this is true it will be a blessing for the possessor pays the bill.

CARL WURTHNER.



After a Careful man has worked hard for his money, he puts it into the Bank

Your money is safe when it is in Our Bank

Who gets the money you earn? Do you get it, or does somebody else who does not earn it?

Your "Earning Power" cannot last always. While you are making money bank it and be fixed for old age.

Just do a little thinking.

Bank With Us.  
We pay 3 per cent interest.

**The Union Savings Bank**

**Calendar Free!**

Just received; some beautiful calendars, size 11 x 14 inches, in full colors. To each of the first 24 people bringing this advertisement to our store, we will present one of these handsome calendars, free. Call for yours today!



Dr. LeGear's Remedies are prepared by an expert Veterinary Surgeon of 22 years experience. They get results.

For Stock and Poultry  
**Dr. LeGear's Remedies**  
One for every ailment

G. H. Breitenwischer, Manchester  
Geo. J. Bersander, Bridgewater



Weather prediction, March 9 to 13 fair and milder.

No. 9700  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 17th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of GOTTLIEB HORNING, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Gottlieb Horning praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Gottlieb Horning, or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, That the 20th day of MARCH next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing in the MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Washtenaw.

[A true copy] WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate  
CORNELIA ALLREDDINGER, Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor on the 15th day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of OWEN SULLY, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Mary Galloway, praying that a certain paper in writing and now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Owen Sully be admitted to probate, and that Charles Kirk or some other suitable person be appointed executor thereof and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, That the 14th day of MARCH next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Washtenaw.

[A true copy] WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate  
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Monday was called a genuine March day. We think it was all right.

The Enterprise press has printed bills for a St. Patrick's Day entertainment in the way of a drama, "A Loyal Friend," with moving pictures and songs, music, etc., between acts, at Arbeiter hall, Friday evening, March 17, for the benefit of St. Mary's church.

The Manchester Auto Co., brought six new Overland cars from Toledo Monday afternoon. Those who went after the cars were Lewis Lonier, Roy Blythe, Taylor Gage, Shorty Staib, Geo. J. Nisle and Lewis Schlicht. Part of them arrived here about 6 o'clock, the others stopped in Tecumseh to see a show.

A company of friends invaded Mr. & Mrs. Will Schaffer's home Monday night completely surprising them. With the usual games and joyous conversation the evening was pleasantly spent.

Prosecuting Attorney Lehman sent word that he was engaged on a case at Ypsilanti and could not be here last Friday to attend the examination of the parties arrested for larceny, and the case was adjourned until the 17th.


Mr. & Mrs. Charles Kalmbach moved here from Freedom last Thursday and are getting nicely settled in the place they bought of Mr. Deabler. We welcome these excellent people to Manchester and trust that they will soon feel at home in church and community.

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