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The Problem of Life.

BY ETHEL M. COLSON.

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If there was one particular characteristic or quality for which Mrs. Charles Billings was especially distinguished it was that of truthfulness. He was truthful, moreover, for reasons quite apart and aside from his calling. As a slim and pallid youth at boarding school he had been famously popular because of his exceeding candour. Later, as the devoted and cobtentious rector of the Andrian Catholic church of Oak Ridge, he was popular and beloved in spite of it. And if ever the meek and lowly-minded clergyman knew a temptation of spiritual pride it was because of the absolutely spotless and unstained condition of his life-record in the matter of truth-telling.

To have expected the Rev. Charles Billings therefore, to have developed, by—shall unwillingly—yielded to the temptation to give utterance to an untruth, would, he would have been manifestly outrageous. And yet—

The dean of the church study opened one evening to admit a—what—woman tall, slender, of good figure and expression, face mirroring just such a—shall we say—soul as might be the Rev. Charles Billings kings her for one of his parishioners, the wife of Solid John Webster, merchant of the old-time Chicago, and a man who was popularly suspected of being a better business man than husband. Certain it is, the fine eyes of his wife had long since acquired a look of weary and patient—resignation.

Straight up to the table at which the priest sat buried the woman, in a—a—greeting and salutation she—she saw the surprised but soothing gesture which beckoned her to a chair. But she—she—she—

Manchester Enterprise

By MAT D. BLOSSER.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1901.

TAKEN BY BRIGANDS.

Miss Stone of the Woman's Board of Missions, lately abducted by Bulgarian brigands, had two very similar exciting experiences, some years ago with bandits in the mountainous region of Turkey. She never before was captured and held for ransom, but she knew not how to account for one escape she had on any other ground than she was considered "too poor to be a good catch."

"It was in a wild mountain pass," she said, in speaking it afterward. "I was halted by a band who offered me no violence. They ransacked our baggage, but finding we had nothing valuable, repacked everything neatly and quietly went their way, expressing their regret at giving us any trouble."

While the bandits were searching her luggage she told them that she was a missionary and, to her great surprise, they at once became less boisterous in their manner.

Another experience she had was rather alarming. This, too, was in the mountains. After a long journey she reached a little hut, in which she took refuge. During the night she was aroused out of a sound sleep. Footsteps were heard on the floor and a hand passed over her face. Evidently she was not the person for whom the brigand was seeking, and he left without giving her any further annoyance.

Mrs. Roosevelt's Church.

Mrs. Roosevelt's determination to attend St. John's Episcopal Church while the President is faithful to the little chapel of the Dutch Reform Church has given rise to some misconception. Not people who do not understand the facts have assumed there was some radical difference of opinion in religious matters between the President and his wife. They do belong to different churches, but that is a matter of hereditary association, writes a Washington correspondent. The President belonged to the Dutch Reformed Church, as his ancestors had done, and he has kept up the connection as a matter of course. Mrs. Roosevelt was a Carew, and she is an Episcopalian

Talks with Birds in Their Own Tongue.

MISS REINA WRIGHT.

Reina V. Wright, a talented young girl of Oshkosh, Wis., has mastered the language of birds in a manner which enables her perfectly to understand their conversation. Miss Wright, who is now 18, has made a study of bird sounds since she was 12 years old. She began by talking to her feathered friends in their own tongue, and was soon gratified by noting her power of calling them together and imposing silence upon them when she tried their songs. The birds not only listen but answer her, something she chooses and again one at a time. Miss Wright is now a teacher of elocution at Grafton Hall in that city. She was born in Nebraska and came hither when a child of 3. She has been a student in the Ralston University of Expression and Physical Culture at Washington, where she worked under the private direction of President Edgely. She was graduated last year and then returned to teach.

F. Abreu, a Filipino merchant from Manila, traveling in this country to gain a knowledge of American methods, has presented President Roosevelt with a handsome cane and several pieces of cloth of insular manufacture. The stick was mounted in gold mined in Turon and was the work of native artificers.

Sir Henry Irving has a ways about him both at the theatre and at home a great number of pairs of spectacles. He is always losing or mis'aying a pair and so believes that he should have another. Hence this hint. Consequently he has at his theatre some sixty of them.

Waves Furnish Buoys with Light.

Man has long since succeeded in preparing the running waters—the rushing brook and the majestic stream—into his service, but he does not yet avail himself of the unlimited power

AN OCEAN SIGHT.

wasted by the mighty, restless sea. He still falls to gather any transmissible power even from the immeasurable force of the tides.

Lately Mr. Gabes, a German engineer, has invented a buoy whose merit consists in that wave action lights it electrically. The apparatus needs no attention for months at a time. Even the lightest waves generate the light, while the heaviest storms fail to put it out. Furthermore, in this device wave action also operates a large bell, three resounding strokes being given before every flash of the light. These buoys are now being largely employed in the shallow waters along the German coast.

Many watches beat five times each second, 300 each minute, 13,000 every hour, 432,000 per day. A few turns of the key once a day store up a power in the spring which is plus divided into nearly 500,000 beats. Multiply the daily beats by 365, the number of days in a year, and we find that the watch ticks 157,788,000 times while the earth is making one journey round the sun.

The colored people of Cuba have a kind of rattle made of Castilla cane with hard seeds about the size of marbles, placed inside to produce the effect desired. It is used in dances as an accompaniment for a guitar

LIVED LONG ON THE EARTH.

Evidence that Men Existed Before Date Fixed by Accepted Authority.

Fortunately there is no chance for a religious controversy over recent discoveries that seem to upset the accepted chronology of the Bible. That chronology is admittedly of human origin and therefore liable to be fallible. Professor Flinders Petrie, in a lecture recently delivered in London, presented some rather startling theories as to the antiquity of the human race that will doubtless give rise to more or less heated discussion. The professor's proofs as to his theories are said to be incontrovertible. He contends that there is an unbroken chain of historic record going back to 5,000 B. C., besides objects of art and industry that carry history back 2,000 years further, thus making the indubitable record of human history cover 9,000 years. Yet dates 7,000 B. C. do not take us back to the beginning. There are traces, he says, of a civilization that came to Egypt from some other country. The earliest grave have figures of a race of bushmen of a type like that discovered in France and Malta, suggesting that one race formerly extended from northern Africa into Europe. Beyond these bushmen there are figures of women apparently from still earlier races—probably of the palaeolithic age. Of this latter age there are many evidences in the elevated plateau east of the Nile, where, in a region at present wholly uninhabitable, are found the remains of many settlements. The existence of a population here indicates that there was a time when the climate of Egypt was totally different from what it is today—when a rainfall fertilized lands now barren. In such a climate could hardly have existed unless the desert of Sahara was then under water. A rise of the Saharan area, coinciding with a sinking of the present bed of the Mediterranean, would explain the indisputable fact that the fauna, flora and racial affinities of northern Africa are with Europe rather than with the parts of Africa south of the Sahara.

Egypt supplies, according to Professor Petrie, with physical evidences of the antiquity of man in the shape of 9,000 years' continuous remains, but other countries, notably Mesopotamia, furnish similar indications. The "finds" made by recent explorers in the sites of the old cities in the valley of the Euphrates seem to prove the existence of an empire extending from the Persian gulf to the Mediterranean at a period when Egypt itself was in its infancy.—Chicago Chronicle.

LOUBET'S ECONOMY.

Substantial Food the Kind the French President Likes.

Besides his salary of $150,000 a year, the president of France has a civil list of $120,000 a year and an allowance of $60,000 a year for traveling expenses. This allowance—traveling expenses was voted to Marshal Macmahon to keep him from "running wild" with the Bonapartists, but he never touched a franc of it. It was allowed to accumulate until M. Grevy became president, when that worthy drew the money and pocketed it. The allowance for traveling expenses is largely clear profit, for the president travels free on all the railroads when on a journey is given in the way of tips. He is exceedingly generous in regard to tips—as he will be anyhow, in spite of his large income. President Loubet exercises a rigid economy at the Elysee. At early luncheon there is a handsome "set out" but the fare is more substantial than luxurious. At dinner the right hand man is armed with all the skill of a "chef" to figure on the luncheon table, the good vegetables being served up as "salade mixed." The dinners vary in luxury according to the guests are for the present. When only ordinary people have been invited to partake of the president's hospitality the cost is about $4 a plate. When a lot of really "big shots" people are to be present the bill is $8 a plate. When the visiting royalty is coming to dinner the cost goes up as high as $24 plate. The dinners are supplied by a well-known cook shop and partly in the kitchen force of the palace. After dinner the wife of one of the officers of the presidential household slips out and holds a consultation with the chef, at which it is decided what is to go from the dining room to the servants' table and what is to be fried up for tomorrow's luncheon. Dishes supplied from the pastry cook shop and not broken are taken back at a reduced price. Yet with all his economy it is said that President Loubet does not save a cent out of his salary and allowances. When ever he needs an extra allowance for some special "function" it is cheerfully granted him by the ministry of domestics. The president gives away each year, which cost him $15,000 cash. He also gives great parties, concerts and theatrical entertainments, the last arranged so as to cost little or nothing

Vegetable Butter.

is the cow to be whose butter is eliminated from the dairy. The British consul-general at Marseilles hears that a new fatty substance is for consumption in the United States. It is to take the place of butter, is being put on the British market. It is called vegetaline and is neither else than the product extracted from cocoa-nut kernels, refined, and with salt and shell and tasteless flavored by a certain process it becomes like sweet lard, and is intended to compete with margarine on the breakfast table as a substitute for butter." A Liverpool firm, we are told, will this year help in an effort to popularize the stuff.—London Telegraph.

A New Milk Adulterant.

A new milk adulterant has been discovered by the dairy inspectors in Minnesota. It is called viscogen and is composed of sugar, lime and water. It has the effect of making milk appear richer than it is, as the lactic acid in the milk turns the lime to a thick, white substance that assimilates with the milk and improves its look while it does not impair its taste. It is not considered injurious to health.—Philadelphia Times.

The itinerant musician steals many march on the composer.

SEATON W. ANDERSON.
THE WHITE FRONT.

NEW LONG COATS
Capes and Jackets
Now on exhibition. They are handsome, come and see them.

500 Pairs Lace Curtains
Bought cheap, will be sold at wholesale, $1 to $3 per pair.

New Lowell Carpets
New Rugs, at low prices. 10c
Flannelette for 8c per yd.

NEW UNDERWEAR
for Ladies, Children, and Men, splendid values at 25c and 50c, to the all wool union suits.

Tecumseh. Seaton W. Anderson.

LET US SHOW YOU
The Toney Shoe, $3.00
For Men and Boys. Style, Fit, Material and Workmanship the best. Just ask to see it.
It is by far the best shoe for the money.

New Fall Goods
for the whole household are arriving and we are ready to fit you out. Remember early callers are seldom disappointed.

J. FRED SCHAIBLE.

Our Flours
will make the baking and cooking a success. It is proven so every day in hundreds of homes.

"STATE SEAL,"
"STANDARD PATENT,"
"THE LATEST,"
Are the best that you can ask for. They cannot be beaten. A fair trial wins you to them.

The Manchester Roller Mills
also grind and have constantly on hand all kinds of FEED. Come to us.

LONIER & HOFFER

A Pure, Permanent Well is what everyone should have. They are cheap in the end and prevent sickness.

TUBULAR
DRIVE WELLS
put down by me are the very best obtainable. They go down to a pure and plentiful supply of water, are free from sewerage and surface water, and they last for generations. Get

WATER OR NO PAY.
That is certainly a fair plan. Let me put down one for you. That old well may be the cause of much sickness in your family. Typhoid Fever generally comes from bad drinking water. You cannot afford to run the risk.

CHAS. KREITNER.

NEWS BREVITIES

LATEST GLEANINGS FROM VILLAGE AND VICINITY

H. E. Root has made some improvements in his store.

Lonier & Hoffer shipped in a carload of new white wheat last week.

The sale Saturday was just the thing and everybody ought to rejoice.

Look over Gallup & Lewis' new advertisement in another column.

Considerable wheat is being marketed at the Manchester roller mills.

The steam fire engine purchased by the village is expected here next week.

Most of the flags that were at half mast the past month have been taken down.

The star chapter holds its regular meeting next week Friday evening, Oct. 25.

E. W. Freese & Son of Clinton have a new advertisement you should not fail to read.

Business was pretty nearly at a standstill Saturday night on account of the storm.

Hummler has a new advertisement that will be interesting to readers and writers.

The first snow storm of the season struck us this forenoon. It wasn't much however.

Stevens Gage shipped two cars of celery this week, one to Pittsburg and one to Columbus.

Shoes is the heading of an advertisement well worth reading, from Blum, Jaeger & Co.

You cannot fail to see Yocum, Marx & Co.'s announcement of the sale of clocks, furs, etc.

Mrs. F. A. Rundell has something more to say about millinery in a new advertisement this week.

The Manchester Creamery Co. have been asked to furnish butter to the eastern Michigan asylum at Pontiac.

S. M. Merithew lost his favorite family horse last week. It broke its leg while in the pasture and had to be shot.

The price of potatoes took a drop last week and farmers are not as anxious to sell. They want 50 cents a bushel.

The old ice house at the creamery is badly dilapidated and a foundation has been built for a new one to be erected soon, near the creamery building.

Remember absent friends by sending them a copy of the ENTERPRISE. You could not make a more timely or appropriate gift, nor one which would give the recipient more pleasure.

This water has been very low in the river ever since the Norvell dam was repaired. Our millers, Lonier & Hoffer, have so much work that they cannot wait for the water to rise so its usual height.

Rev. Louise Haight was called to her home in St. Thomas Oct. today to attend the funeral of her uncle, Samuel Haight, consequently there was no sermon at the universalist church last Thursday.

We wish that everyone would tell us when they go out of town or where they have company from out of town. We can't see everybody that goes and comes and how can we give the news if we do not learn it.

Justice Hagaman had a lawsuit on tap last Friday. Two Sharon men quarreled over money matters but when one of the parties had a very the other willed and wanted to withdraw the suit and pay the costs. So it was settled.

E. S. Hagaman, ever searching for more light, has erected one of the old street lamps in front of his harness shop. He gave the lamp and post a coat of paint and furnishes the oil to run the lamp until midnight.

Lewis & Co., shipped a carload of onions from here and a carload of potatoes from Bridgewater Station, to Pittsburg, today. On Saturday they will ship from here a carload of celery and one of onions to the same place.

The officers of the junior league of the M. E. church are:

President—Max Stark
Vice President—Vivian Westgate
Aide Case, Jack Kingsley
Treasurer—Mort Rose
Secretary—Florence Emery
Organist—Frances Goodyear.

Our townsman, Fred Schaible seems to have quite a reputation for furnishing building stones. Whenever any one needed for bridge abutments or foundations for buildings he generally takes a hand in furnishing stone, and now as Spring last and weather are not so anxious to sell. They want 50 cents a bushel.

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FREEDOM.

J. Bernhard Koebbe is on the sick list.

Joe Kraft of Dexter spent Sunday here.

John Dresselhaus went to Ann Arbor on Monday to attend a meeting of the board of supervisors.

SHARON.

Miss Mabel Lemm visited friends in Chelsea last week.

Mrs. Jacob Schaible of Freedom is spending the week with relatives in Sharon.

Miss Clara Benz came home to spend Saturday and Sunday, accompanied by two of her pupils.

A number of guests were present Sunday at the baptism of the voungest son of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Dresselhouse.

NORVELL.

Melvin Case and family intend to move back to Jackson soon.

Mr. & Mrs. Payson Bancroft of California are visiting his brother, Wilder.

Fred and Aggie Schaible of Manchester visited Chris Frey and family on Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Orr of Andover, Ohio, visited her brother, John Eny, from Friday until Monday.

The baptist society met with the pastor, Rev. Slaybaugh at Napoleon Wednesday and had a chicken pie dinner.

IRON CREEK.

Chas. Kirk went to Brooklyn Monday on business.

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Green are visiting relatives in Kent county.

E. H. Van Winkle of Detroit visited relatives here the past week.

Miss Mary E. Divine of Chicago is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Jas. Eagan.

Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Johnson and daughter, Miss Martha Taylor, are visiting at Hastings.

Mr. & Mrs. C. A. Stringham expect to take up their residence at Adrian in the near future.

F. J. Kirk has returned from Bluffton, O., where he has had charge of a laundry for the past four weeks.

WAMPLER'S LAKE.

Mr. & Mrs. Winfield Roberts will move back to Jackson soon.

D. S. Fuller's new home presents a fine appearance since it was painted.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Valentine of Manchester visited at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Winfield Roberts on Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Lawrence has sold her place to a Mr. Snyder of Jackson who will move his family here soon.

C. W. Akin of Wolf lake was at the farm here last Thursday, drawing corn and hay to the place at Wolf lake.

W. Aylsworth has sold the place on which he lives to his grandson, Charlie Dresner, of Brooklyn and will move to Brooklyn.

Mr. & Mrs. Dan Beckwith of Norvell visited Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Mais on Tuesday last. The men spent some time hunting.

The ladies aid society met again after a long rest last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Arnett Williams. They finished some work that was left from the last meeting.

BRIDGEWATER.

Gottlob Paul has been confined to the house with lung fever.

Archer Crane has a large force of men and boys picking up potatoes.

Miss Anna Raiser has gone to Ann Arbor to spend a few weeks with her sister and Saturday and Sunday, accompanied by two of her pupils.

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Temporarily Stopped Work.

The Hastings Industrial Co., who had secured stock for the erection of a canning factory here, and had their representatives busy at work preparing for the erection of a building Friday morning ran up against the first hitch of fermentation. One has to understand the business thoroughly and proceed correctly in the canning business or the stuff is likely to spoil on their hands.

As stated in the ENTERPRISE last week, a site had been selected and bargained for. And here it appears was the difficulty. The promoter called a few of the stockholders together and a committee of three—W. J. Holmes, W. H. Lehr and Wm. Koebbe was selected to locate a site, etc. The three Williams are not noted for letting grass grow under their feet and who will say they did not act promptly and wisely. They bought a strip of land eight rods wide and 20 rods long, with the Lake Shore railway on one side and a street on the other, of Mr. Breitenwischer for $200.

There was a kick among certain of the stockholders because they had nothing to do with the selection, etc., but work went on and Mr. Breitenwischer preparing to drive a well and lumber was being hauled for the building when over the hills towards Freedom might have been seen a great cloud of dust. Mr. Breitenwischer discovered that he had leased the land to Mr. Rauschenberger for a pasture and as the company had not a deed of the land he hastened to town on Friday morning and quickly put a stop to all proceedings.

After consulting with lawyers and business men the representatives of the new concern decided to select another site, and one was secured of Wm. Hensch near the Ypsilanti branch where the work of laying a foundation for the large factory is now going merrily on.

School Notes.

Mrs. Lloyd Cady of Traverse City visited school last week.

Genevive Brown was appointed critic for the Alpha last Monday night.

Charlie Miller, and Alvin Beuchner of Adrian visited the high school Monday morning.

The organization of the junior class is as follows:

President—Carl Emery
Vice President—Harry Atkinson
Secretary—Ada Palmer
Treasurer—Minnie Kramer

All other things being equal the boy or girl who is the most regular in attendance is the most proficient in scholarship. With this in mind we wish to emphasize the necessity of children being in school every day. While our attendance is good yet there are some who absent themselves for little reason. We trust that parents will not consent to absence unless for the most urgent necessity.

The alpha sigma was well attended Monday night. The program opened with quotations from Whittier, followed by a well written critic's report by Nate Schmid. The debate relative to the appointment of a press censor was decided by the judges Frank Lesser, Frank Rawson and Bessie Holmes, in favor of the negative. Miss Nina Rundell sang a pretty song "Say, Yes" in her usual good taste and responded to an encore.

Mistaken for a Deer.

JACKSON, Mich., Oct. 12, 1901.

EDITOR—I write you this 12th of Oct. it being Saturday, the date 50 years ago on a clear Saturday afternoon when a party of hunters were out to the big swamp in Sharon. Our dogs started a deer in the timber south of the swamp and the late D. D. Fitzgerald and myself were hurrying along on a by-road when we were startled by a report of a gun—seven rods to the right—a 32 caliber shot of which passed through the coat tail of Fitzgerald and another passed under my side striking the corner of my coat collar and lodging in my left shoulder where it still remains.

She late S. H. Perkins, my esteemed friend, being already on the runway and hearing us in the underbrush supposed the deer was there. He hastily raised his gun and fired with the above results. This of course ended the day's sport.

As the scene for the future is at hand, e thought suggested itself to me to remind my young friends of the necessity of extreme caution lest more serious results might occur from the use of improved modern firearms.

Very respectfully, ALBERT CASE.

Am ready to take in Beans at the factory near Lake Shore depot and will pay highest market price. F. KENDLER.

The subject at the M. E. church Sunday morning will be, "Beating in infirmities of the weak." In the evening, "Praying for laborers."

$15,000 to be Given away in 1,000 Prizes.

To the persons making the nearest correct guesses of the combined vote for governor in the states of Ohio, Iowa and Massachusetts, at the election to be held on November 5th next, will be awarded the prizes. The contest closes Nov. 1st, 1901, and all guesses must be in not later than above date.

By subscribing for The Daily and Sunday Free Press, for one month, and paying in advance at the regular price of 50c per month, you can have one guess, or you can have as many guesses as you subscribe and paid in advance. Do it now. Why not send in your order for the best paper and make a guess in this great contest. Address

THE FREE PRESS, DETROIT, MICH.

Home Market.

JOSEPH KRAMER.

APPLES—40@60c a bushel.
BEANS—Fair demand, screened, $1.20
BEEF—Best steers, $4@4.25; heifers, $3.25@3.75; cows, $2@2.50; calves, $5.50@$6.50.
BUTTER—Scarce, 14c@15c lb.
CABBAGE—3c@4c per head.
CORN—Ear, 25c ⅌ bu.
EGGS—Scarce, 14c@16c doz.
HAY—Good demand, timothy, $8.50; mixed, $6@7; clover, $5 per ton.
HICKORY NUTS—$1 per bu.
HOGS—Lower. Heavy, $5.75@5.90; pigs and yorkers, $5.50@$5.60.
HONEY—12c per pound.
LARD—5c@10c ⅌ lb.
OATS—In good demand, 32c bu.
ONIONS—Good demand 50c bu.
POTATOES—40c@50c bu.
RYE—50c per bu.
SHEEP—Wethers and yearlings, $3.00 @$3.25; fat ewes, $2@$3; fat lambs, $4.25 @$4.50; feeding lambs, $4@$4.25.
WHEAT—In better demand. Best old wheat 70c. Low grade, 55c@60c.

THOSE FADED GARMENTS
how is the time of the year that you should look looking over your Fall and Winter clothing. In almost every case you will find that

Something has to be Done to Them.

Perhaps the color does not suit, or it may be faded, sagging, ugly, will certainly need cleaning and pressing. We make a specialty of this kind of work and have the Tailors that thoroughly understand this particular branch of their trade.

Leaves from Dying and Cleaning Co.
ADRIAN, MICH
C. F. Yocum, Manchester, Local Agent.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE'S BANK.

At Manchester, Michigan, at the close of business, Sept. 30, 1901, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$98,665 71
Bonds, mortgages, and securities	1,500 00
Banking house	3,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,775 00
Due from other banks and bankers	23,300 00
Due from other banks and bankers	235 00
Due from banks in reserve	
Cash items	94,198.35
Exchanges for clearing house	474 92
U S and National Bank	
Currency	7,004 00
Gold coin	2,110 00
Silver coin	663 00
Nickels and cents	27 47
	56,115 64
Checks and cash items, internal revenue	43 67
Total	$260,743 64

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$25,000 00
Surplus fund	2,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,113 52
Commercial deposits	1,259 00
Certificates of deposit	2,500 00
Savings deposits	168,625 12
Certificates of deposit	56,130 19
	231,129 99
Total	$260,743 64

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.

I, E. S. Kempf, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ED. E. ROOT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct. 1901. JAMES KELLY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest
FRANK SPRAGUE,
FREDK STEINBACH,
E. M. CONKLIN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The UNION SAVINGS BANK

At Manchester, Michigan, at the close of business, Sept. 30, 1901, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$121,976 06
Bonds, mortgages and securities	71,276.79
Overdrafts	14.71
Banking house	11,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,775 00
Real estate owned other than banking house	1,000 00
Due from other banks and bankers	235 00
Due from other banks in reserve	
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I, E. S. Kempf, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ED. E. ROOT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct. 1901. JAMES KELLY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest
GEORGE REIMERDINGER,
JOHN WURSTER,
JOHN R. SCHLUNT,
Directors.

SHOES!
Are you looking for Shoes or Rubbers? The East Side Store has a complete line of up-to-date Ladies', Children's and Men's Shoes and Rubbers. Shoes that fit the foot and also the pocket-book. Have you seen those

LADIES' PATENT ENAMEL
J. W. Jenkins make, every pair warranted not to crack, and only
$2.25
Well worth $3. See the new FREAK, the only shoe that has a perfect tread, extension heel and sole. We have them from $2.00 to $3.50. If in need of Shoes it will pay you to call and see our line before buying. Remember we also carry Dry Goods, Groceries and Crockery.

BLUM, JAEGER & CO.

Wanted—Beans, Onions, Potatoes, Apples, Hickory Nuts, Butter and Eggs. We pay highest market price, cash or trade

GIVE US A CHANCE
to show you goods and quote prices and we will

Sell You Furniture

We have bought a large stock for you to select from. Not cheap goods but

Good Goods
CHEAP,
and we have the LATEST STYLES in everything. See us before buying. Goods delivered.

JENTER & RAUSCHENBERGER.
UNDERTAKERS.

DESIRING ADDITIONAL HELP FOR THE Season of 1901 and 2, which is now on, we can give employment to 100 girls from 16 to 25 years of age. Work is nearly lighter than ever before with power machinery. For full particulars write to Standard Mfg. Co., Jackson, Mich.

A Handsome and Tempting Display of...
Trimmed Millinery...
Comprising the very best creations known to the Millinery Art.
Our display never was more interesting and our prices are way down.
Mrs. F. A. Rundell

Special Sale
...OF...
CLOAKS and FURS!
Friday and Saturday, Oct. 18 and 19.
We will also make
SPECIAL LOW PRICES
during these two days, on the following goods:

75c Cotton Bed Blankets, full size,	60c
10c Lonsdale and Fruit of the Loom cotton,	7½c
6c Anderson LL unbleached cotton,	4½c
Good standard Apron Ginghams,	4½c
All of our new fall styles 6c Print,	4½c
A large line Dress Goods suitable for children's school dresses,	1-4 OFF
Best Cinderilla Outing Flannels, per yard, (last year's price, 12½c)	10c
A good, heavy Outing Flannel at (the kind that sells everywhere at 10c)	8c
Children's School Umbrellas,	40c
Guaranteed Black Taffeta Silk, per yard,	75c
Complete line of Colored Taffeta Silks, yd.	60c

COME EARLY
Respectfully...
YOCUM, MARX & CO.

Do We need an Introduction?
NOT ON YOUR LIFE.
When you are talking of
Lumber, Lath or Shingles,
We are known so well and so successfully in this line that you ask no questions.
But we do seek the opportunity to make known to you that we do carry in connection with our Lumber, a large stock of
LIME, HAIR AND BRICK.
We are prepared to furnish promptly any order for the goods.
WESTGATE
MANCHESTER.

A. B. Van De Mark & Co.
Have added to their large stock of
Hardware, Agricultural Implements, Wagons and Carriages.
A full line of
Light and Heavy..... HARNESSES
And Harness Sundries.
All are invited to call and inspect our goods and prices.
Our Present Price of No. 1 Salt
85c per bbl.
CLINTON, MICH.

Manchester Enterprise

By MAT D. BLOSSER.

Established in 1867. Six Pages—Published every Thursday afternoon. Office first door north of Exchange Bank.

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Business No. 31. Call on or for News, Job Work or Advertising.

Advertisers wishing to change their advertisements, must get the copy to us so we can do it, or be done as early as Tuesday, else it will be set through the paper in old cut and be inserted the next week.

Advertisers wishing additional space should inform us of the amount desired as much ahead as before publication day as possible, in order that we may arrange for it.

Notice of church meetings free. But notices of any kind where an admission is charged must be paid for at the same as other business announcements.

Births, Marriage and Death notices, free.

Obituaries, five cents a line.

Card of Thanks, five cents a line.

Those having business at the Probate Court can save a long walk or expense in hiring a lawyer by the deputy to send the advertising for the Notice to the Newspaper.

Address, ENTERPRISE Manchester, Mich.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1901.

Returns that are almost complete from the tenth district show that Tip Aplin, Rep., has been elected over Jackson, Dem., by a plurality of from 500 to 700.

It begins to look as though Hawks & Angus would be selling bees at Jackson now. They have extensive railway franchise and seek another to erect a plant to furnish light, heat and power.

The special train of six coaches bearing J. Pierpont Morgan and nearly 100 eminent episcopal ministers, who were his guests, made the run from New York to San Francisco in 96 hours including stops. It is understood that John Townsend was on the engine that drew the train from Elkhart to Chicago.

The fifth general conference of the health officers of Michigan, will be held in Lansing, October Nov. 21 and 22, for presentation of facts and comparison of views and subjects relating to public health work. Representations from the medical department of the University of Michigan, and marine hospitals, etc., are to be present.

The November Century—in many respects an unusually striking number—will begin the magazine's thirty-second year, which is to be a year of American humor. A group of humorous stories, poems, etc., including "Two Little Tales" by Mark Twain, "More Animals" by Oliver Herford, and another crazy verse by Carolyn Wells, Paul Dunbar and other well-known humorists, will be preceded by "A Retrospect of American Humor," by Prof. W. P. Trent, with more than thirty portraits of famous humorists of the past and present, from Benjamin Franklin to "Mr. Dooley."

The corner stone of a new medical building at Ann Arbor, was laid Tuesday with impressive ceremonies. The new building, which was designed by Spier & Rohns of Detroit, will have a frontage of 175 feet 8 inches by 144 feet 8 inches in depth. The walls of the basement and first story will be of rock-faced field stone, laid in regular courses of ashlar. Of the upper portion will be faced with pressed and molded brick. The main entrance will be of Bedford, Ind., limestone. The building will be heated and ventilated on the fan system and lighted by electricity. There will be two power elevators and all modern conveniences will be provided.

O. P. Berdan, better known as "Cub," died last Thursday at his home which he has lived for 25 years, and was buried at Adrian Monday. Berdan's father kept hotel on the ridge road in Macon for many years and his doors were attended by people living more than 30 miles away. He used to have a verse of so called poetry on his invitation cards. We remember one read: "Now Mr. Berdan will give a ball, on independence day; if you have time, just give a call, and see if it's all O. K. The music will keep in tune for dance and promenade, and D. Berdan will treat the crowd to ice cold lemonade." It was in his father's tavern that "Cub" first tortured the fiddle string but afterwards became a noted violinist and traveled quite extensively. He opened a music home in Detroit about 20 years ago which he conducted until stacked with refusing of the world. Rev. S. W. Fridoe, formerly of the episcopal church of Brooklyn, conducted his funeral services Sunday.

The ENTERPRISE has always considered The Adrian Daily Times one of the best newspapers in the state. Under the management of the late Tom Applegate it was a power in southern Michigan and the republicans party found in it a strong advocate of its principles. Mrs. Applegate, and those in charge since the death of the esteemed lady, have worked nobly to maintain this standard of excellence and knowing the men who are to control its destines in the future, the ENTERPRISE feels confident that there will be no diminution of effort to increase its usefulness. Mr. Daily the manager and Mr. Wessell the city editor have spent years in the office of the Jackson Citizen and that paper owes much of its popularity to these industrious workers. We understand that Geo. Lawsh, whose ability as a journalist is well known, having been connected with The Times since it was established, and others connected with the establishment, are to be retained. As a newspaper The Times is not surpassed by any paper outside of the larger cities and it will be ably supported under the new management.

Washtenaw County.

The October term of circuit court opened Tuesday.

Hawks & Angus announce they do not want to buy the Leland roads.

Louis F. Lutz of Byron, was buried at Saline, his former home, today.

S. B. Pike of Ypsilanti has been granted an original pension of $6 a month from July '95.

Now that Schumaker has gone to Jackson on a 10 years sentence, horsecowners can rest easier.

The annual meeting of the county board of supervisors was held at Ann Arbor Monday.

The Everett & Moore syndicate threaten to build an electric line from Detroit to Ann Arbor via Northville. As shakspeare said, "What fools we mortals be."

The board of supervisors elected Dorsey R. Hoppe of Chelsea, member of the county board of examiners, to succeed himself. Hoppe is a democrat.

Some one was mean enough to paint the stone which had been prepared for the corner stone of the new medical building, a lurid red. It is generally supposed that some law student did the dirty trick.

We have before us a letter from W. N. Lister, who says he is and has been for several weeks piled up with rheumatism which will knock him out of his college prospects unless it lets up soon.—Saline Observer.

In Ypsilanti township the Allen and Centennial schools were closed and in Augusta township the Island school and school just west of Willis was closed by Commissioner Foster, on account of diphtheria.

They are agitating the subject of better protection for the records in the county building. Some favor fire-proof vaults, others think steel shelves for the books to stand on would be sufficient. The board of supervisors will consider the question.

W. K. Childs of Ann Arbor has just received notice from Gov. Bliss that he has been appointed county agent of corrections and charities, to fill vacancy caused by the death of Attorney F. J. Lehman. The appointment comes entirely as a surprise.—Times.

The trial of James Davis, the man arrested at Albion for the theft of Alvin Nichols' bicycle, was finished Tuesday. He got two and a half years at Jackson.—Times. Davis is the man who was caught in the act of sawing out of jail. He is wanted in Indiana for an escape which was effected by knocking down the wife of the sheriff.

M. C. Peterson and A. J. Smith of Ann Arbor have a kennel of bloodhounds, two old dogs and five young ones. They expect soon to add a number of pure blooded Cuban bloodhounds to the pack. When these dogs are in full working trim, there is little question but there services will be in demand in this and adjoining counties.—Times.

Lenawee County.

Monday the board of supervisors met in annual session at Adrian.

The old Lancaster hotel at Clinton is being painted and repaired.

S. W. Anderson, the merchant prince of Tecumseh, left for New York Monday to purchase goods.

Thursday and Friday an examination for second and third grade certificates will be held at Whitney opera house Adrian.

R. V. Wilson, of Tecumseh has been appointed deputy game warden, having filed his oath of office with County Clerk Eliza.—Times.

The death of Mrs. Mackey, mother of A. E. Mackey of Tipton, occurred Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Had she lived, Mrs. Mackey would have been 90 years old the 4th of next April.—Times.

Rev. C. C. Kemp, of Clinton, and pastor of the Clinton and Tecumseh episcopal churches, has published a booklet, entitled "The kingdom of God; the gospel according to Jesus Christ," it is particularly intended as a normal course for Sunday school teachers.—Tecumseh News.

Jackson County.

The board of supervisors met Monday at Jackson.

The people of Jackson county will pay this year $87,501.33 to support the state government.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Beach, deceased, of Norvell as inventory was filed in probate court showing property valued at $6,633.17.

The chairmen of the various township boards of school inspectors met in the supervisors' room at the court Tuesday and elected F. D. Shall of Concord as successor to Prof. M. Harlow, deceased, as county school commissioner.

Real estate transfers:

Abbie R. McCready to Jacob and Catherine Miner, land on section 31, Napoleon, $200.

Virgil P. Robson and wife to Rhoda A. Lewis, lots 24 and 25, block 3, and other land village of Parma, $800.

The union Sunday school institute will be held at the methodist church in Napoleon, on Wednesday, Oct. 23, afternoon and evening. The music will be under the direction of Mrs. E. A. Hough and Hon. A. J. Westhewer, of Jackson.

Miss Westgate is very sick.

Lewis Loser was in Clinton today shipping hay.

Miss Bertha Lehn visited in Toledo last week.

Mrs. J. A. Goodyear visited in Jackson last Friday.

Wm. Kern went to Ann Arbor Monday on business.

Mrs. W. G. Springer visited friends in Bridgewater, Tuesday.

Mrs. Rev. Winton of near Ypsilanti is visiting at N. H. Wells'.

Fred Layher has been very ill this week, but is better today.

Chas. Atkinson of Norvell was in town this morning on business.

E. D. Maio of Brooklyn was a guest of Sam Smith last Saturday.

Charles Miller came home from Ypsilanti and visited over Sunday.

F. M. Freeman and T. R. Bailey were in Adrian Tuesday on business.

Miss Rosie Torrey returned to Detroit last Friday to resume her studies.

C. J. Robison was down from Jackson visiting his family over Sunday.

A. F. Freeman left Monday for Grand Rapids and other northern cities.

Mr. & Mrs. Jas. Kelly visited at Henry Cash's in Brooklyn over Sunday.

Miss Cynthia Bailey went to Ann Arbor Monday to attend a wedding.

Mrs. Ford took Earl to Ann Arbor last week for treatment of the throat.

Chas. Burtless went to Buffalo with stock and is taking in the Pan-American.

Mrs. S. W. Lockwood went to Detroit yesterday afternoon to visit her son Will.

Henry Townsend went to Chicago last Saturday to visit his son, returning Tuesday.

Mr. & Mrs. T. T. Barlow of Petersburg are guests at Frank Magino's this week.

Miss Marie Miller, who has been working in Stockbridge, is home for the winter.

Mrs. Hattie Johnston of Clinton visited her sister, Mrs. Conklin, Monday and Tuesday.

Seth Smith of Hillsdale visited at Geo. Pardee's and M. B. Wallace's Saturday and Sunday.

Capt. Allen of Ypsilanti was in town last Saturday to visit Mrs. Campbell and Miss Marvin.

Mrs. A. J. Austin of Norvell visited her sister, Mrs. Mat D. Blosser, Monday and Tuesday.

J. V. Urquhart who had been visiting at Chas. Trefethern's, returned to Cleveland Tuesday.

Mrs. Eleanor Root and Mrs. Douglas Baldwin went to Adrian Monday to visit friends a few days.

Seymour Coon who now is now at Los Angeles, Cal., has our thanks for a late copy of the Herald.

Fred Steinkohl went to Ann Arbor Tuesday morning to see his mother who is ill in the hospital.

Mrs. Chas. Willis and daughter, Mrs. Silley, of Dundee were guests at Mat D. Blosser's over Sunday.

We learn that John Jaynes, brother of Alf Jaynes of this village, has moved his family to Alberta, B. C.

Mesdames A. F. Freeman and E. M. Lorch went to Brooklyn yesterday to visit Mrs. R. W. Jones.

Mr. & Mrs. Donald Roll of Muskegon and Mrs. Iva Roll of Springport are visiting Mrs. Smalley and Jennie.

Mrs. HardenBurgh and daughter, Mrs. Fisher, of Tecumseh visited Mrs. Lynn HardenBurgh the first of the week.

Sidney Cooper came home from Boston last Saturday and left at once for Grand Rapids to take a position as bookkeeper.

At the grand chapter of the O. E. S. at Grand Rapids last week, Mrs. S. W. Anderson of Tecumseh grand chaplain.

Mr. Wilson of Chicago, nephew of Mrs. Randall visited her Tuesday on his way from the Buffalo exposition to Tecumseh.

Mrs. Harriet Royal who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. D. C. Valentine, returned to Tampa, Florida, Monday.

Geo. Snow, assistant managing editor of the Detroit Journal, together with his wife and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Spafard.

Miss Elizabeth Nestell was offered a position at Jackson but the Freeman's could not think of letting her go and she will remain with them this winter.

Mr. & Mrs. Sidney A. Wilsse of Jackson were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Craw Monday until today while en route home from a short wedding tour to Detroit.

Miss Sophia Kraft of Freedom is the guest of Mr. & Mrs. Louis Rhode. She is in the city looking after her brother, John Kraft, who was recently hurt on the Michigan Central, and is lying in the university hospital.—Times.

Among those who came here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Miller were: Mr. & Mrs. Galager and children and Mr. & Mrs. St. John of Jackson, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Miller of Stockbridge, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. F. Van Duyn and Oscar Miller of Brooklyn, and Mrs. Royer and daughter of Ann Arbor.

Personal Mention

Another lot of Dishes for nearly half price at J. Fuller & Co.

200 bushels good shell bark Hickory Nuts wanted by Fred Kensler.

For Sale—Six Rams. W. H. Ross jr. on Kitchegesner's farm, two miles east of Manchester village.

A regular convocation of meridian chapter R. A. M. will be held next Wednesday evening, Oct. 23

The regular communication of Manchester lodge F. & A. M. will be held next Monday evening, Oct. 21.

Corn for Sale.

Corn 25 cents per bushel, Stalks 3 cents per bundle, delivered in Manchester, enquire of Elmer Stark.

C. M. PELLOWS.

The stockholders of the Manchester Prospecting Co., are requested to meet at the people's bank, Tuesday evening, Oct. 22, at 7:30. By order of E. C. Westgate, president. C. W. CASE, Secretary.

A GENTLE HINT.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day, it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept always on hand for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Get a sample bottle free from GEO. J. HAEUSSLER. Regular size, 75 cts. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

It's a Caution.

And you would think so too if you could stand around a little and station yourself near our shipping room doors. We have asked ourselves a thousand times, where on earth can all the Furniture, Carpets, Crockery, Draperies, Rugs and Window Shades, etc., etc., go to. It seems as you look on the stream of goods pouring out of our back doors that it would not take long at such a rate to flood the country, but our trade grows larger and larger each year and we are sending out more than ever before. We are selling more cheap than ever before to send it out, we can send out nicer goods and better for less prices because of the magnitude of our business. Instead of a dozen lots of this or that, we now order in many instances, solid cars and get the car-load price instead of the long price for single dribblets. If you would reap the benefit of this right buying call on us.

Truly yours,

GALLUP & LEWIS, Jackson.

Diseases of Skin and Scalp, eruptions, eczema, old sores, itching, dandruff, scalds, burns, quick relief in Piles. Clean and cooling. Vegetable antiseptic. 50 cts. Guaranteed. If your druggist does not keep it, send 50 cts. to Manchester Enterprise.

For Sale by FRED K. STEINKOHL, GEO. HAEUSSLER, Manchester.

THE RED FRONT.

Headquarters for

Fine Tablets, Ladies' Stationery

Look for Something New Next Week.

C. J. HAEUSSLER.

J. B. Hause & Son, CLINTON.

Furniture, Furniture, Furniture!

Brand new stock of Furniture just in. No shop-worn goods to select from, but everything bright and new.

Don't forget to get your FLOWER POTS

Flower Pots....

Furniture and...

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Calls for undertaking given Swift attention.

No extra charge for embalming, or for going long distances.

Call by telegraph or telephone, at our expense.

LOW PRICES SATISFACTION NOW

We Guarantee

Goods delivered free of charge Pianos and Organs sold at your own terms.

Undertaking Business given prompt and courteous attention.

THE NEW FIRM....

Foster & Wurster Bros. & Co.

SATURDAY, OCT. 26

— is our —

Special Cloak Sale Day

On this day we will have an especially low price on an especially fine line of

Jackets. Capes, Winter Wraps and Furs

for Women and Children. We want you to wait and attend this Sale. We will save you money. We will give you with every cash purchase of five dollars or more, the privilege of buying from your grocer—

25 lbs Granulated Sugar for 50c, or 25 bars Queen Anne Soap for 50c, or 50 lbs Steffins & Son's Flour for 50c

Any of our grocers will give you these prices upon presentation of our order. We have a fine line of Dry Goods, Underwear, Overalls, Boots and Shoes and now is the chance to lay in for winter.

E. W. FREESE & SON, Clinton.

Clocks....

Fancy and Plain. A good Assortment. Come and see them today.

H. L. ROOT, Jeweler.

Repair Work a Specialty

Eaves Trough, Tin Roofs,

And other Tinwork needs attention at this time of year. I am prepared to do all such at low prices, in a workmanlike manner.

ALL GALVANIZED IRON, Sheet Iron and Tinwork promptly and properly done.

LOUIS KUEBLER, TINSMITH, Manchester.

File No. 8861 12-384

Frank E. Jones, Attorney at Law, Ann Arbor

Probate Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Understanding having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county and state, commissioners to receive and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Jacob Stewart, late of said county, deceased, we do hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed by order of said Probate Court for all persons to present their claims against the estate of said deceased and that we will meet at the late residence of said Jacob Stewart, in the township of Lima, in said county, on April 8, and on the 11th day of April, and on the 8th day of July, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated this 11th day of April, A. D. 1901.

GEORGE S. RAWSON,
WILLIAM E. DUD,
Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN BANKING DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that the Peoples Bank in the Village of Manchester, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, has complied with the requirements of the laws of this State of Michigan, and is authorized to transact the business for which such corporations are formed under the laws of the State of Michigan.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal of office at Lansing, this second day of September 1901.

GEO. L. MAXTY,
Seal. Com. of the Banking Department.

File No. 7848

W. H. Lehr,

Dealer in GROCERIES, Crockery, Glassware, Notions, Tobacco, &c.

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS.

FRESH LAGER BEER

Always on Draught. South side of Exchange Place, Manchester.

File No. 8863 12-384

A. F. A. F. M. Freeman, Attorney at Law, Ann Arbor

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday the 1st day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Hon. Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Anna E. Caldwell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jane Kingsley, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to John H. Kingsley, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the 5th day of November, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be held in the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIS L. WATKINS,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
GEORGE S. CURN, Probate Register.

File No. 8879 12-384

A. F. A. F. M. Freeman, Attorney at Law, Ann Arbor

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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

NIGHT SCENES IN GREATER CITIES, SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

Warns the Careless Visitors from the Metropolis, What of the Night—The Hour of Great Temptation.

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Washington, Oct. 13.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage describes some of the scenes to be witnessed late at night in the great cities, and warns the unwary of many perils; text, Isaiah, xxi. 11, "Watchman, what of the night?"

When night came down on Babylon, Nineveh and Jerusalem they needed careful watching; otherwise the incendiary's torch might have been thrust into the very heart of the metropolitan population or enemies, marching from the hills, might have forced the gates. All night long, on top of the wall and in front of the gates, might be heard the measured step of the watchman on his solitary beat. Silence was the only answer to the one passerby raised the question, "Watchman, what of the night?"

It is to me a deeply suggestive and solemn thing to see a man standing guard by night. Is disturbed through my twilight musings the tramp of an army at the gate of an arsenal in Charleston the question once smote me, "Who comes there?" Instantly the sharp command, "Advance and give the countersign." Every moral teacher and every sentinel on the wall is a watchman. His work is to sound the alarm, and whether it be in the first watch, in the second watch, in the third watch or in the fourth watch to be vigilant until the daybreak flings its "morning watch" over the sleeping city and across the trellis of the sky.

The ancients divided their night into four parts, each of them lasting from 6 to 9; the second, from 9 to 12; the third, from 12 to 3, and the fourth, from 3 to 6. I have heard one of the city in the third watch, or from 12 to 3 o'clock.

The Early Watch.

I never weary of looking upon the life of the city in the first watch. That is the hour when the stores are closing, the laborer has been paid off, the scaffolding and the shop, are on their way home. It rejoices me to give them my seat in the lock car. They have stood and hammered away all day. Their feet are weary. They are exhausted with the tug of work. They are mostly cheerful. With appetites sharpened on the tartness of the open air and the carpenter's whetstone they seek the evening meal. The clerks, too, have broken away from the counter and with brain weary of the long line of figures and the whims of those who go for shopping are on their way home. Let them have the seat in the car. They have earned their bread and are now on their way home to get it. Let them have the seat in the car. They have earned their bread and are now on their way home to get it. Let them have the seat in the car. They have earned their bread and are now on their way home to get it

MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE.

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MRS. IDA L. ROSER

Grand-Niece of Ex-President James K. Polk, Writes to Mrs. Pinkham Saying:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been married for nearly two years, and so far have not been blessed with a child. I have, however, suffered with a complication of female troubles and painful menstruation, until very recently.

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