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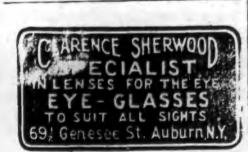
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"Well, of course, one learns by Bennett. doing. If you're not allowed to go near the ice you can't learn to skate; but then I'm not so sure that all the boys of twenty-one know much about voting, either," a suffragist de murred.

"Why, of course, they do. They're trained to know," maintained the

"But who trains them?"

"Why their mothers, of course, and if they don't train 'em they ought

Loyal to James.

One does not often hear of feminine protest against the military note in prevalent fashions of dress. But a certain jokesmith offers this: Why, my dear, how sober you look! There isn't a single bright color about you." "No; I thought now that James is in the diplomatic service I had better wear neutral tints.'

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From Nearby, Towns.

Venice Center.

April 25-Hiram Wallace was in Genoa last Thursday on business.

Henry Fell and daughter Lydia of Auburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crawfoot last week. Ralph Cady of Auburn is in town

oading lumber. Mrs. Wm. Heald went to Locke

Wednesday, April 19, to attend the district, meeting of Past Noble Grands of the Rebekah degree. Miss Elizabeth Ketchum spent

Easter at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crawfoot visited their daughter in Syracuse over

Mrs. Chas. Wood was in Auburn

for Easter. Mrs. Lizzie Holden of Genoa spent

last week at Mrs. J. R. Coulson's. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horton visited their daughter, Mrs. Crumley, in

Locke over Easter. Mrs. A. M. Sisson and Miss Alberta Graves were in Auburn last Satur-

Mrs. Hannah Muldoon and son of Auburn were in town last Saturday. Wm. Heald and family spent Easer in Moravia at Mrs. S. J. Wade's.

Fred Clark and family were Easter guests of Byron Williamson and family.

John Murdock of Auburn was in town Easter Sunday.

about town for a few days.

Chas. Wade Heald of Moravia High school is spending the Easter vacation at his home in town.

Assemblyman Whitman-and wife arrived home Tuesday afternoon from Albany.

.Sherwood.

April 24-Sherwood Select School will give a play "The Elopement of Ellen," at Sherwood hall, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week.

Miss Althera Folts of Auburn is ruest at the home of E. S. Chase.

Benjamin Weyant of Dryden spent everal days the past week at the nome of his brother, Wm. Weyant demonstrating with a wonderful new oil stove.

Harris Owen of Cortland was in town last Friday calling on old friends.

E. L. White was home from Au-

burn for the week-end. Dr. Susan Taber, who has been spending the winter in Ann Arbor with her nephew, Dr. Geo. Slocum,

returned home last Friday. We are glad to know that Mrs. Wm. J. Searing is home from the

hospital much improved in health. Claude Weyant spent several days last week at his grandfather's, Chas.

Lansingville.

Bower spent Sunday with the lat- put up. ter's sister, Mrs. D. C. Mosher, at

Miss Agnes Kelley has returned to Auburn.

Wm. Breese has purchased a new automobile.

Misses Marion and Bernice Minturn of Auburn spent Saturday and Sunday with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith. They are spending their Easter vacation Sunday school at 11:45. with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith at Five Corners.

Bastedo were guests of Mr. and who ought to be interested become Mrs. Wm. Breese one day recently, more active. We can resume our Mrs. Fred Thompson of Ithaca was an over-Sunday guest of her

daughter, Mrs. Orin Drake. There was no service at the church Sunday as the pastor was ill.

Venice.

The annual election of officers of the Venice Baptist Sunday school will be held in the church on Sunday, May 7. All members are requested to be present.

Carrie Arnold, Secretary,

A Youthful Cynic.

Teacher: "Now, children, what

King Ferry.

April 25-Mr. and Mrs. Ray White of Ellsworth have moved into the house recently vacated by Joseph Dempsey.

Lilburn Smith recently purchased a fine new bicycle:

The High School teachers spent their Easter vacation at their respective homes: Miss Belle Seymour at Copenhagen, Miss Marie Farrell at Syracuse, Miss Jane Mont- dell: rose at Binghamton and Miss Julia Grey at Scipio.

Miss Sarah Goodyear has returned to her home here, after spending the winter at Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Locke have been spending some time with their son, Henry Locke, at Ellsworth.

Misses Carmen and Lucile Hatch

spent Easter with their aunt, Mrs. Heatherington, at Cortland. Misses Bessie Tuttle and Marion

Smith spent the week-end with their cousin at Ithaca. Miss Marion Atwater of Syracuse

spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Atwater, at Clear

Mrs. Frank Holland and son Lee made a business trip to Auburn Thursday.

ing a few days at Poplar Ridge. Warren Counsell of Union Springs

Counsell, Thursday.

Archibald Bradley of Auburn Chas. Crippen of Homer is visiting spent Easter at his home.

Miss Rose M. Pidcock of Richland spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pidcock.

spent a few days in town last week, jolly good time. The bodies of Mrs. Mary Bradt. of Ledyard and Mrs. Fred Peckham daughter Mabel spent last Friday of Poplar Ridge were placed in the with their daughter and husband, were very interesting. The special receiving valut at King Ferry came | Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gosbee. tery on Friday and Monday respectively.

Mr. Minier of Cornell University s a guest of Prof. R. H. VanScoik-Mrs. E. Frear of Ithaca and Miss Fred and wife near Lansingville. Lois Smith of Slaterville spent a few days last week with the latter's Hunt spent last week Wednesday grandmother, Mrs. Lois Smith.

The Firemen's dance which was held at McCormick's hall Monday is spending the Easter recess with night, April 24, was largely attended her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. and enjoyed by all. Proceeds cleared Todd.

April 26-A force of men are at work on the state road and expect to have it completed in June.

have returned from Ovid to King Lyon.

Ferry to reside. Kit Ellison is building a large hen house on the Alfred Avery farm.

Fred Stilwell and Allen Barger is attending him. will build new hay barns on their

Star will attend the district conven- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Minturn. tion at Ithaca to-day.

Covert property near here and it is the death of her aunt, Mrs. Elvenah April 24-Mr. and Mrs. Charles reported that new buildings will be Mead, returned to her home at

Mrs. Marietta Rennyson, who has been ill for some time, is much im-

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday morning service at 10:30. The pastor will preach a series of sermons on Immortality during the next few Sundays. The first sermon will be given next Sunday morning.

No meeting of Christian Endeavor society. It will take a vacation un-Mrs. Parmalee and son Walter til Christian Endeavorers and those meetings at any time when such interest is shown.

Evening worship at 7:30.

The play will be given during the econd week in May instead of the first week.

The Sunday school children gave an interesting program last Sunday and we are grateful to those who prepared them for these exercises.

7:30 p. m. The Communion of the Lord's Supper on the first Sunday in May.

Prayer meeting on Thursday at

Willie's Philosophy.

"Willie, when did you wash your is imme want most in the world to face last?" "Mother, don't let's bring up the past."-Judge.

Advertise! Advertise! Advertise! day.

Five Corners.

April 24-Mr. and Mrs. George Ferris attended the funeral of their widow of the late Frederick A. aunt, Mrs. Bradt, at Ledyard last Peckham, passed away at her home 11 o'clock Friday morning at her Friday.

Miss Maria DeRemer is spending About a year ago Mrs. Peckham had some time with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Breed, at the Forks of the Creek.

week-end with his father, S. B. Mead, and cousin. Miss Bertha Run- two weeks ago she became very ill Poplar Ridge for forty years or

Major Palmer still remains very leased her. Mrs. Peckham came poorly. He is suffering from 'rheu- here about thirty-five matism.

an Easter sermon last Sunday and friends who will deeply regret her purchased a dwelling not far from Easter music was rendered by the demise. Mrs. Peckham is survived the former farm home. Mrs. Peckchoir. Much praise is due Mrs. L. Couse for decorating the church with Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Byron ty, this state. Surviving are two such beautiful flowers.

atives at Locke. Listen for the wedding bells which

will ring in the future. Mr. Wood spent last Sunday with at King Ferry.

friends at West Groton. L. A. S. of this place will be held at her uncle, Rowland Hazard in the home of Mrs. Albert Ferris next Bristol, Penn. week Friday afternoon, May 5.

Mrs. Wm. Cook attended the Miss Elizabeth Atwater is spend- lowville last week Tuesday.

living on Mr. Corwin's farm.

Messrs. Burnett and Kenneth Atwater with their friends, Earl Rea and Gerald Covill all of Auburn, cation with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Boles and urday of last week.

We learn that Wm. Cook has purchased the S. B. Mead place. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Doyle spent

last week Wednesday with their son

Mrs. John Palmer and Mrs. Oscar with Mr. and Mrs. Laselle Palmer. Miss Florence Todd of Waterloo

Miss Esther Stevenson returned to her school at Cortland last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaBar of Easton, Penn., are spending a few

Mrs. Anna Mulvaney and family days with their sister, Mrs. E'izabeth J. D. Todd had the misfortune to hurt his knee very badly and suffers much pain. Dr. John Gard of Genoa

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith are entertaining her two nieces, the Misses Several members of the Eastern Minturn of Auburn, daughters of

Miss Bertha Rundell, who has been J. G. Atwater has purchased the with her uncle, S. B. Mead, since McLean this week Wednesday.

> Jerome Barger is spending a few days at Groton. Miss Maud Ford of Lake Ridge spent the week with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford. Miss Mildred Corwin returned to her home at Auburn Saturday evening on the train as the rain came so they could not run his auto. Frank returned Monday morning.

Mrs. Ed Barnes spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Auburn.

Auction.

Elvenah A. Mead estate, will sell at kind at the time of her death and lining of the Eustachian Tube. When public auction at his residence in burial; also the pastor for his kind this tube is inflamed you have a Five Corners Thursday, May 4, at 12 words. o'clock, the following household goods: Marble top center tables, extension and drop leaf tables, stands, couches, bureaus, bedroom suits, springs and mattresses, draperies, several easy rockers, Morris chair, parlor, dining room and kitchen chairs, lace curtains, sewing machine, 75 yds, ingrain carpet, geese feather beds and pillows, sheets, pillow cases, spreads, comfortables, towels, table cloths and spreads, trunks, dishes, knives and forks, oak heater, cook money." Dedbroke-"Then let's be stove,75 lbs. salt pork, several hams, made one. I have the health and 100 cans fruit, garden tools, etc. you have the money."-Boston J. A. Greenfield, auct.

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Poplar Ridge.

April 25-Mrs. Laura E. Peckham, here Friday, April 21, aged 72 years. a shock from which she never fully Clyde Mead of Auburn spent the with assistance until a few weeks 73 years of age. she has been gradually failing. About suffering intensely until death reafternoon. Rev. Thomas Husk of cock of the town of Scipio. Scipioville assisted Mr. W. J. Reagan at the funeral services. Interment

The next business meeting of the here after spending the winter with ted. Burial in King Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Owen of Cortland, funeral of Marcus Searles near Lud-W. H. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Baker of Rochester, who Frank Corwin and daughter Mil- were called here by the death of dred are spending some time with their mother, Mrs. Sarah Baker, re- on how they secured much of their visited his mother, Mrs. Emma Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barnes who are turned to their home Friday after- business. He said:

Normal is spending her Easter va-

spent last week with the former's Miss Beatrice Allen of West Vienna consequence in our trade territory grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. was the guest of her sister, Mrs. that our bureau does not get. This Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw of Ithaca Atwater. The young men had a Paul Ward, and grandparents, Mr. bareau looks over these papers and and Mrs. A. Allen, Friday and Sat- when we find a town where the mer-

> The Easter services at the church by the children were fine.

> Mrs. Alfred Ellis is at Andrew Aller's for a time.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock church, Auburn, wil render their petitors by advertising regularly in Easter music at the church here.

North Lansing.

April 25-Myron J. Smith of I'mira will commence evangelistic meetings with the Rev. F. J. Allingion on Sunday, May 7.

Bertha and Hazel Howell have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Small Some of our women are nearly hrough housecleaning.

Some plowing has been done. Mr. Kilmer and John made sugar in Mrs. Kate DeCamp's woods. It was

exceptionally fine. The W. C. T. U. will hold a bake sale at the home of Mrs. Ella Beardsley on Saturday afternoon of this

The Easter exercises by the chil dren on Sunday were very fine.

Cards of Thanks.

I wish to thank all friends and neighbors also the sister Maccabees for flowers and postal cards sent me at the hospital.

Mrs. Burt Longstreet, King Ferry.

I wish to sincerely thank th sisters of the West Genoa W. C. U. and all my other friends who so kindly sent me a post card shower. Thank you; thank you.

Mrs. Mary C. Parr. The relatives of the late Anna C.

Smith of Genoa wish to thank all ness, and that is by constitutional who assisted in caring for her during remedies. Deafness is caused by an S. B. Mead, administrator of the her sickness, and those who were so inflamed condition of the mucous

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Get some neatly printed letter Take His heads and envelopes of THE TRIBUNE.

Laura E. Peckham.

Laura E. Peckham, widow of Frederick A. Peckham, died about home in Poplar Ridge. Mrs. Peckham had been ill for some time. It was said the immediate cause of her recovered. She was able to walk death was paralysis. She was about

Mrs. Peckham had resided at more. Her husband, the late F. A. Peckham, conducted for many years years the farm now owned by Gordon ago with her husband and children Montgomery, but retired from farm-The Rev. E. L. Dresser delivered from the West and has many warm ing some years before his death and by two children—Arthur Y. of ham was a native of Delaware coun-Hitchcock of Scipio. The funeral children, Arthur Y. Peckham of Daniel DeRemer is among rel- was held at her late home Monday Minneapolis, and Mrs. Byron Hitch-

Funeral services were held at the house, Monday afternoon, April 24, at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. J. Reagan, Miss Mary Hoag is at her home pastor of the Friends church, officia-

A Pointer for Merchants.

The advertising manager of one of the biggest mail-order houses in the country, in a talk before mem_ bers of an advertising club recently gave some interesting information

"We have a bureau whose duty it Miss Elizabeth Mosher of Oswego is to read each week the country newspapers from all over the country. There is not a paper of any chants are not advertising in the local paper, we immediately flood that territory with our literature. mus.e by the choir and the program It always brings results far in excess of the same effort put forth in

territory where local merchants use their local paper." Local merchants can kill much of the choir of Calvary Presbyterian the business of these foreign com-

lei, home paper.

Died at Ludlowville. Marcus W. Searles, rged 84 years, died Saturday night, / pril 15, at his home near Ludlowvile. He had been ill for several months. Mr. Searles was born in Lansing. He spent part of his life in Medina, but returned to Tompkins county in 1882 and took up his residence on the Searles homestead, where he lived at the time of his death. He is survived by four sons; William F. of Ludlowville, Sherman of Rochester, Adelbert of West Dryden, Charles of East Lansing; and two daughters, Miss Susie S. Willis, Mrs. Adela S. Cummings of Groton. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the home, with interment at North

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"Monsieur Beaucaire," "The

Conquest of Canaan, "

"Penrod," etc.

It was a brave and lustrous banquet: and a noisy one, too, because there was an orchestra among some plants at one end of the long dining room, and after a preliminary stiffness the guests were impelled to converse-necessarily at the tops of their voices. The whole company of fifty sat at a great oblong table, a continent of damask and lace. with shores of crystal and silver running up to spreading groves of orchids and lilles and white roses-an inhabited continent, evidently, for there were three marvelous, gleaming build ings; one in the center and one at each end, white miracles wrought by some inspired craftsman in sculptural icing. They were models in miniature, and they represented the Sheridan building, the Sheridan apartments, and the pump works. Nearly all the guests recognized them without having to be told what they were, and pronounced the likenesses superb.

The arrangement of the table was visibly baronial. At the head sat the great Thane, with the flower of his family and of the guests about him; then on each side came the neighbors of the "old" house, grading down to vassals and retainers-superintendents, cashiers, heads of departments, and the like-at the foot, where the Thane's lady took her place as a consolation for the less important. Here, too, among the thralls and bondmen, sat Bibbs Sheridan, a meek Banquo, wondering how anybody could look at him and

Nevertheless, there was a vast, continuous eating and the talk went on with the eating, incessantly. It rose over the throbbing of the orchestra and the clatter and clinking of silver and china and glass, and there was mighty babble.

And through the interstices of this clamoring Bibbs could hear the continual booming of his father's heavy voice, and once he caught the sentence, "Yes, young lady, that's just what did it for me, and that's just what 'll do it for my boys-they got to make two blades o' grass grow where one grew before!" It was his familiar flourish, an old story to Bibbs, and now jovially declaimed for the edification of Mary Vertrees.

It was a great night for She ic nthe very crest of his wave. smooth, red face grew more and more radiant with good will and with "" simplest, happiest, most boyish vanit; He was the picture of health, of good cheer, and of power on a holiday.

He dominated the table, shouting jocular questions and railleries at everyone. His idea was that when people were having a good time they were nolsy; and his own additions to the hubbub increased his pleasure, and, of course, met the warmest encouragement from his guests. He kept 'time to the music continually-with his feet, or pounding on the table with his fist, and sometimes with spoon or knife upon his plate or a glass, without permitting these side-products to interfere with the real business of eating and shouting.

"Tell 'em to play 'Nancy Lee'!" he would bellow down the length of the table to his wife, while the musicians were in the midst of the "Toreador" song, perhaps. "Ask that fellow if they don't know 'Nancy Lee'!" And when the leader would shake his head apologetically in answer to an obedient shrick from Mrs. Sheridan, the "Toreador" continuing vehemently, Sheridan would roar balf-remembered fragments of "Nancy Lee," naturally mingling some Bizet with the air of that uxorious tribute.

No external bubbling contributed to this effervescence; the Sheridan's table had never borne wine, and, more because of timidity about it than conviction, it bore none now. And certainly no wine could have inspired more turbulent good spirits in the host. Not the family. As their father habitually even Bibbs was an alloy in this night's happiness, for, as Mrs. Sheridan had hard-working young business men." sald, he had "plans for Bibbs"-plans which were going to straighten out some things that had gone wrong.

So he pounded the table and boomed his echoes of old songs, and then, for- shop lithographs of young business men getting these, would renew his friendly railleries, or perhaps, turning to Mary Vertrees, who sat near him, round the corner of the table at his right, he would become autobiographical. Gentlemen less naive than he had paid her that tribute, for she was a girl who inspired the autobiographical impulse in every man who met her-it

needed but the sight of her. The dinner seemed, somehow, to center about Mary Vertrees and the jocund host as a play centers about its hero and heroine; they were the rubicund king and the starry princess of this spectacle-they paid court to each othor, and everybody paid court to them. Down near the sugar pump works, ing. I've thrown him into confusion." where Bibbs sat, there was audible speculation and admiration. "Wonder She laughed, and then, leaning to him who that lady is-makin' such a hit a little, said in a tone as confidential Mary interrupted, turning to Jim, who We could have fived a year on it. I with the old man," "Must be some as she could make it, under cover of had grown red again, "He's going to think the orchids alone would have

Edith and Sibvl were radiant; at with an almost haggard anxiety, wondering what disastrous effect Sheridan's pastoral gayeties-and other things-would have upon her, but she seemed delighted with everything, and with him most of all. She treated him as if he were some delicious, foolish old joke that she understood perfectly, laughing at him almost violently when | too!" he bragged-probably his first experience of that kind in his life. It enchanted him.

As he proclaimed to the table, she had "a way with her." She had, indeed, as Roscoe Sheridan, upon her right, discovered just after the feast began. Since his marriage three years before, no lady had bestowed upon him



He Pounded the Table and Boomed His Echoes of Old Songs.

so protracted a full view of brilliant neighbor said-and it was her first peech to him-

"I hope you're very susceptible, Mr. |

Honest Roscoe was taken aback, and, "Why?" was all he managed to

which was noted, with a mystification the table. No one, reflected Edith, could imagine Mary Vertrees the sort of girl who would "really flirt" with married men-she was obviously the "opposite of all that." Edith defined her as "thoroughbred," a "nice girl;" and the look given to Roscoe was astounding. Roscoe's wife saw ft, too, and she was another whom it puzzled -though not because its recipient wa. married.

"Because!" said Mary Vertrees, replying to Roscoe's monosyllable. "And also because we're next-door neighbors table, and it's dull times ahead for bo. of us if we don't get along."

I'. was a literal young man, all pearls, a le. steras a bonds, and he had been broagit a believe that when a man married he to "i'd and settled down." He know that might have 1. for Lamborn: 1. and Lamborn "ays very never "flirted" -: .. matter-of-fact with would have been tremb. ever told Lamborn st. 1. susceptible.

"Yes-we're neighbors, b. awkwardly. "I live across the street."

"Why, no!" she exclaimed, and peated Mr. Lamborn. seemed startled. "Your mother told

with the old folks the first year, but that's all. Edith and Jim live with them, of course."

"I-I see," she said, the deep color still deepening as she turned from him and saw, written upon a card before the gentleman at her left, the name, "Mr. James Sheridan, Jr." And from that moment Roscoe had little enough cause for wondering what he ought to

reply to her disturbing coquetries. Mr. James Sheridan had been anxiously waiting for the dazzling visitor to "get through with old Roscoe" and give a bachelor a chance. "Old Roscoe" was the younger, but he had always been the steady wheel-horse of boasted, both brothers were "capable, Physically neither was of the height, breadth or depth of the father. Both wore young business men's mustaches, and either could have sat for the tailorwearing "rich suitings in dark mix-

Jim, approving warmly of his neighbor's profile, perceived her access of color, which increased his approbation. "What's that old Roscoe saying to you, Miss Vertrees?" he asked." "These young married men are mighty forward newadays, but you musn't let

'em make you blush." "Am I blushing?" she said. "Are you sure?" And with that she gave him ample opportunity to make sure, repeating with interest the look wasted upon Roscoe. "I think you must be mistaken," she continued. "I think it's your brother who is blush-

"How?"

This might well be a style new to first they had watched Miss Vertrees Jim; and it was. He supposed it a nonsensical form of badinage, and yet | sleeve!" it took his breath. He realized that he wished what she said to be the literal truth, and he was instantly snared by that realization.

"By George!" he said. "I guess you're the kind of girl that can say anything-yes, and get away with it,

She laughed again-in her way, so that he could not tell whether she was laughing at him or at herself or at the nonsense she was talking; and she

"But you see I don't care whether I get away with it or not. I wish you'd tell me frankly if you think I've got a chance to get away with you?"

"More like if you've got a chance to get away from me!" Jim was inspired to reply. "Not one in the world, especially after beginning by making fun of me like that."

"I mightn't be so much in fun as you think," she said, regarding him with sudden gravity.

"Well," said Jim, in simple honesty, you're a funny girl!"

Her gravity continued an instant onger. "I may not turn out to be funny for you."

"So long as you turn out to be anything at all for me, I expect I can manage to be satisfied." And with that, to his own surprise, it was his turn to blush, whereupon she laughed again.

"Yes," he said, plaintively, not wholly lacking intuition, "I can see you're the sort of girl that would laugh the minute you see a man really means anything!"

"'Laugh'!" she cried, gayly. "Why, it might be a matter of life and death! But if you want tragedy, I'd better put the question at once, considering the mistake I made with your brother."

Jim was dazed. She seemed to be playing a little game of mockery and nonsense with him, but he had glimpses of a flashing danger in it; he was but too sensible of being outclassed, and had somewhere a consciousness that he could never quite know this giddy and alluring lady, no matter how long it pleased her to play eyes; and, with the look, his lovely with him. But he mightily wanted her to keep on playing with him.

"Put what question?" he said, breath-

"As you are a new neighbor of mine and of my family," she returned, speaking slowly and with a cross-examiner's severity. "I think it would be in was marked the most vital differ- her house with them-her husband and well for me to know at once whether ence between Mr. and Mrs. Vertrees Edith and Mr. Lamborn and Jim Sheriyou are already walking out with any equal to his own, by his sister across young lady or not. Mr. Sheridan, think well! Are you spoken for?"

> "Not yet," he gasped. "Are you?" "No!" she cried, and with that they both laughed again; and the pastime proceeded, increasing both in its gayety and in its gravity.

Observing its continuance, Mr. Robert Lansborn, opposite, turned from a ely conversation with Edith and reed covertly to Sibyl that Miss Veras "starting rather picturesque-'im." And he added, languid-

" suppose she would?" sibyl gave no sign or the 5 of havin, n, but seemed interested in t. t of a long "rope" of ich she was allow-" 'er fingers, resting to swi ing her elbo topor table and following with her . o twinkle of ing married people diamonds and platia · clasp at like his wife's the end of the loop. " many jewels. She was preff was not the kind of prettin. ded Roscoe with too sumptuous acres ind "I had jeweled head-dresses are they may emphasize the w: :. the wrong wearer.

"I said Miss Vertrees seems to be starting pretty strong with Jim," re-

"I heard you." There was a latent me this afternoon that you lived at discontent always somewhere in her home." Slowly a deep color came into eyes, no matter what she threw upon the surface to cover it, and just now "No." he said; "my wife and I lived she did not care to cover it; she looked sullen. "Starting any stronger than you did with Edith?" she inquired.

"Oh, keep the peace!" he said, crossly. "That's off, of course."

"You haven't been making her see it this evening-precisely," said Sibyl, looking at him steadily. "You've talked to her for-'

"For heaven's sake," he began, keep the peace!"

"Well, what have you just been do-

"Sh!" he said. "Listen to your fa-Sheridan was booming and braying

louder than ever, the orchestra having begun to play "The Rosary," to his vast content.

"I count them over, la-la-tum-teedum," he roured, beating the measures with his fork. "Each hour a pearl, each pearl tee-dum-tum-dum- What's the matter of all you folks? Why'n't you sing? Miss Vertrees, I bet a thousand dollars you sing! Why'n't-"

"Mr. Sheridan," she said, turning cheerfully from the ardent Jim, "you don't know what you interrupted! Your son isn't used to my rough ways, and my soldier's wooing frightens him, but I think he was about to say something important."

"I'll say something important to him if he doesn't?' the father threatened, more delighted with her than ever. "By gosh! if I was his age-or a widower

right now-' "Oh, wait!" cried Mary. "If they'd only make less noise! I want Mrs. Sheridan to hear."

"She'd say the same," he shouted "She'd tell me I was mighty slow if I couldn't get shead o' Jim. Why, when

I was his age-"

out of a feacup-and you could see for steal 'em and sell 'em, and soyourself he didn't get them out of his I did what I could!"

At that Sheridan pounded the table till it jumped, "Look here, young lady!" he roared. "Some o' these days I'm either goin' to slap you-or I'm goin' to kiss you!"

Edith looked aghast; she was afraid this was indeed "too awful," but Mary Vertrees burst into ringing laughter. "Both!" she cried. "Both! The one

to make me forget the other!" "But which-" he began, and then suddenly gave forth such stentorian trumpetings of mirth that for once the whole table stopped to listen. "Jim," he roared, "if you don't propose to that girl tonight I'll send you back to the

machine shop with Bibbs!" And Bibbs-down among the retainers by the sugar pump works, and watching Mary Vertrees as a ragged boy in the street might watch a rich little girl in a garden-Bibbs heard. He heard-and he knew what his father's plans were now.

CHAPTER VI.

Mrs. Vertrees "sat up" for her daughter, Mr. Vertrees having retired after a restless evening, not much soothed by the society of his Landseers. But Mrs. Vertrees had a long vigil of it.

She sat through the slow night hours in a stiff little chair under the gaslight in her own room, which was directly over the "front hall." There, book in hand, she employed the time in her dinner he made the whole regiment of own reminiscences, though it was her us follow him all over the house, while belief that she was reading Madame de Remusat's.

Her thoughts went backward into ber life and into her husband's; and if they thought he intended to make the deeper into the past they went, the brighter the pictures they brought her -and there is tragedy. Like her husband, she thought backward because hall. He made us look at all the she did not dare think forward definite | plumbing-bathrooms and everywhere ly. What thinking forward this troubled couple ventured took the form of Bay of Naples. He said it was a huna slender hope which neither of them dred and eleven feet long, but I think could have borne to hear put in words, it's more. And he led us all into the and yet they had talked it over, day ready-made library to see a poem after day, from the very hour when Edith had taken a prize with at school. they heard Sheridan was to build his They'd had it printed in gold letters new house next door. For-so quick- and framed in mother-of-pearl. But ly does any ideal of human behavior the poem itself was rather simple and become an antique-their youth was of wistful and nice-he read it to us, the innocent old days, so dead! of though Edith tried to stop him. She 'breeding" and "gentility," and no was modest about it, and said she'd craft had been more straitly trained never written anything else. And then, upon them than that of talking about after a while, Mrs. Roscoe Sheridan thir is without mentioning them. Here- asked me to come across the street to and their big new neighbor. Sheridan, danthough his youth was of the same

morning fire in the country grocery while they were still dancing. It was after one o'clock when Mrs. Vertrees heard steps and the delicate clinking of the key in the lock, and then, with the opening of the door, Mary's laugh and, "Yes-if you aren't

He had been chopping wood for the

afraid-tomorrow!" The door closed, and she rushed upstairs, bringing with her a breath of cold and bracing air into her mother's rcom. "Yes," she said, before Mrs. Vertrees could speak, "he brought me

She let her cloak fall upon the bed, and, drawing an old red-velvet rocking chair forward, sat beside her mother after giving her a light pat upon the shoulder and a hearty kiss upon the

"Mamma!" Mary exclaimed, when Mrs. Vertrees had expressed a hope



"Why Don't You Ask Me?"

that she had enjoyed the evening and had not caught cold. "Why don't you ask me?"

This inquiry obviously made her mother uncomfortable, "I don't-" she "How I got along and what he's

faltered. "Ask you what, Mary?" like."

"Oh, it isn't distressing!" said Mary, And I got along so fast-" She broke off to laugh; continuing then, "But that's the way I went at it, of course We are in a burry, aren't we?" "My dear, I don't know what to-"

"What to make of anything!" Mary finished for ber. "So that's all right! Now I'll fell you all about it. It was "You must listen to your father," gorgeous and deafening and tectotal. helicent Golly, I guess I the upwar, "By trying to begin with Jall us how, when he was your age, let instead us a couple of months. There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months. There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." There cheerfully, "And so it doesn't. It's make the property of the couple of months." The cheerfully is the couple of months. There cheerfully is the couple of months.

She leaned back and laughed reassuringly to her troubled mother. "It

seemed to be a success-what I could," she said, clasping her hands behind her neck and stirring the rocker to motion as a rhythmic accompaniment to her narrative. "The girl Edith and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roscoe Sheridan, were too anxious about the effect of things on me. The father's worth a bushel of both of them, if he knew it. He's what he is. I like him." She paused reflectively, continuing, "Edith's 'interested' in that Lamhorn boy; he's good-looking and not stupid, but I think he's-" She interrupted herself with a cheery outcry: I mustn't be calling him names! If he's trying to make Edith like him I ought to respect him as a colleague."

"I don't understand a thing you're talking about," Mrs. Vertrees complained.

"All the better! Well, he's a bad lot, that Lamhorn boy; everybody's always known that, but the Sheridans don't know the everybodies that know. He sat between Edith and Mrs. Roscoe Sheridan. She's like those people you wondered about at the theater the last time we went-dressed in ballgowns; bound to show their clothes and jewels somewhere! She flatters the father, and so did I, for that matter-but not that way. I treated him outrageously!" "Mary!"

"That's what flattered him. After he lectured like a guide on the Palatine. He gave dimensions and costs, and the whole b'ilin' of 'em listened as them a present of the house. What he was proudest of was the plumbing and that Bay of Naples panorama in the else-and then he made us look at the

vertrees was shocked. "Jim!" epoch, knew nothing of such matters. she timed. "Mary, please-" ourse," said Mary. "I'll make y for you as I can, mamma. it a

es Sheridan, Jr. We went over Mr. al Mrs. Roscoe explained that in were dying for a drink,' I noticed that Mr. Lamborn only one near death's door on tha & count. Edith and Mrs. Roscoe said : "y knew I'd been bored at the din et They were objectionably apologet about it and they seemed to this s now we were going to have a 'go d time' to make up for it. But I hat a's been bored at the dinner, I'd ber 1 imused; and the 'good time' at doscoe's was horribly, horribly

sti ic." it. Mary," her mother began, "is And she seemed unable to co : te the question.

ver mind, mamma, I'll say it. Is . imes Sheridan, Jr., stupid? I'm ie's not at all stupid about busi-Otherwise- Oh, what right have I to be calling people 'stupid' because they're not exactly my kind? On the big dinner table they had enormous icing models of the Sheridan

building-"Oh no!" Mrs. Vertrees cried. "Sure-

ly not!" "Yes, and two other things of that kind-I don't know what. But, after all, I wondered if they were so bad. Well, then, mamma, I managed not to feel superior to Mr. James Sheridan, Jr., because he didn't see anything out of place in the Sheridan building in sugar."

Mrs. Vertrees' expression had lost none of its anxiety and she shook her head gravely. "My dear, dear child," she said, "it seems to me- It looks-I'm afraid-"

"Say as much of it as you can, mamma," said Mary, encouragingly. "I can get it, if you'll just give me one keyword."

"Everything you say," Mrs. Vertrees began, timidly, "seems to have the air of- It is as if you were seeking to-to make yourself-"

"Oh, I see! You mean I sound as if were trying to force myself to like

"Not exactly, Mary. That wasn't quite what I meant," said Mrs. Vertrees, speaking direct untruth with per- suce and the sudden deadliness with fect unconsciousness. "But you said that-that you found the latter part of the evening at young Mrs. Sheri dan's unentertaining-"

"And as Mr. James Sheridan was there, and I saw more of him than at dinner, and had a horribly stupid time in spite of that, you think I-" And then it was Mary who left the deduction unfinished.

Mrs. Vertrees hodded; and though both the mother and the daughter understood, Mary felt it better to make the understanding definite.

"Well," she asked, gravely, "is there anything else I can do? You and papa don't want me to do anything that distresses me, and so, as this is the only thing to be done, it seems it's up to me not to let it distress me. That's all there is about it, isn't it?"

"But nothing must distress you!"

the mother cried. "That's what I say!" said Mary,

over her arm, as if to go to her own. room. But on the way to the door she stopped, and stood leaning against the foot of the bed, contemplating a threadbare rug at her feet. "Mother, you've told me a thousand times that it doesn't

really matter whom a girl marries." "No, no!" Mrs. Vertrees protested, "I

never said such a-" "No, not in words; I mean what you meant. It's true, isn't it, that marriage really is 'not a bed of roses, but a field of battle'? To get right down to it, a girl could fight it out with anybody, couldn't she? One man as well as another?"

"Mary, I can't bear for you to talk like that." And Mrs. Vertrees lifted pleading eyes to her daughter-eyes that begged to be spared. "It sounds -almost reckless!"

Mary caught the appeal, came to her. and kissed her gayly. "Never fret, dear! I'm not likely to do anything I don't want to-I've always been too thorough-going a little pig."

She gave her mother a final kiss and went gayly all the way to the door this time, pausing for her postscript with her hand on the knob. "Oh, the one that caught me looking in the window,

mamma, the youngest one-" "Did he speak of it?" Mrs. Vertrees asked, apprehensively.

"No. He didn't speak at all, that I saw, to anyone. I didn't meet him. But he isn't insane, I'm sure; or if he is, he has long intervals when he's not. Mr. James Sheridan mentioned that he lived at home when he was 'well enough'; and it may be he's only an invalid. He looks dreadfully ill, but he has pleasant eyes, and it struck me that if-if one were in the Sheridan family"-she laughed a little ruefully -"he might be interesting to talk to sometimes, when there was too much stocks and bonds. I didn't see him aft-

er dinner.' "There must be something wrong with him," said Mrs. Vertrees. "They'd

have introduced him if there weren't." "I don't know. His father spoke of sending him back to a machine shop of some sort; ' glanced at him just then and he was pathetic-looking enough before that, but the most tragic change came over him. He seemed

just to die, right there at the table!" "Mr. Sheridan must be very unfeel-

'No," said Mary, thoughtfully, "I don't think he is; but he might be uncomprehending, and certainly he's the kind of man to do anything he once sets out to do. But I wish I hadn't been looking at that poor boy just the I'm afraid I'll keep remembering—"

"I wouldn't." Mrs. Vertrees smiled faintly, and in her smile there was the remotest ghost of a genteel roguishness. "I'd keep my mind on pleasanter things, Mary."

Mary laughed and nodded. "Yes, indeed! Plenty pleasant enough, and probably, if all were known, too goodeven for me!"

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Infantile Paralysis Is Spread by th Stable Flies

FARM AND FIRESIDE declares that stable flies, which differ somewhat from housefies, are exceedingly dangerous. Following is an extract from an article which contains many interesting and important

facts about stable flies; Most insects are destructive in their earlier stagles, but these flies do most damage when full grown. They bite through the skin and suck the blood of warm blooded animals, including man. After piercing the skin the fly gorges itself with blood, commonly staying in position, until full fed for the time, unless brushed off. In such a case it flies to another animal. In this way the fly may carry disease germs quickly from the blood of one creature to the blood of another.

After a full meal the fly usually rests a few hours on a leaf or board, digesting it, before it is ready for another attack. It seems to take two meals a day when it can get them, and it is

generally successful. It has been believed for years that this fly is an active agent in spreading the germs of anthrax and glanders. .. ately it has been convicted of being the carrier of the dreaded infantile paralysis, which has long baffled the doctors by the mystery of its appearwhich it comes.

FLIES are carriers of disease seed. Live and breed in all kinds of filth. Infect food and drink by germ laden feet. Each female fly can by 150 eggs. Should be kept out of dwellings.

The Inwardness. "Please, ma'am," said the small boy on the doorstep, "ma says kin she ber rer a can o' mustard."

"Certainly." replied the bousewife-'Is mamma going to make a salad?" "No, ma'am," declared the veracious child, "but pu said she gave him a pain in the neck, an' she wants ter sock a plaster on to him."-Browning's

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spectacular about the work of the legislature of 1916, but its percentage of important constructive legislation was

Economy was practiced as far as it was possible to practice it without impairing the efficiency of government, but provision was made for carrying

on all necessary work. Numerous improvements were made in the state's business methods.

'The policy inaugurated last year of paying all the state's obligations as they came due was adhered to without attempting to make any false show of economy.

All this was done without the necessity of levying a direct state tax.

Brief reviews of the session's work by Speaker Sweet of the assembly. Senator Elon R. Brown, majority leader in the senate, and Assemblyman Simon L. A'dler, the majority leader in the assembly, are given below:

Promises Faithfully Kept.

Reviewing the work of the 1916 assembly, Speaker Sweet made the followin, statement: "A good promise faithfully kept is a

substantial cornerstone to a good character and an assurance of an enviable reputation.

"It is said that promises make debts.

If so fulfillment pays them. "Promises make friends, but performances keep them. The old Danish proverb is true, "There is no virtue in a promise unkept.' Neither is there safety.

"These observations apply to individuals and may as fittingly apply to a state, a legislative body or a political

"The legislature of last year made a credit of the state by meeting the direct tax of \$19,600,000 due to misrule and the extravagance of former administrations. The maintenance of the credit of the commonwealth is as important as maintaining the credit of an

"The legislature of 1916 has kept this promise, and as we conclude our work we confidently go before the people with the obligations of the state all paid and no direct tax.

"The provisions for the budget bill will facilitate prompt attention to all the financial needs of the state government. It will be admitted that in the present session we have made a step forward in the intelligent presentation of the appropriation bill, which carries a clear understanding of all the provisions relating to the interests of the different departments, and it will sure ly be noted that the bill has passed the legislature after full discussion without the necessity of an emergency message.

"We have not forgotten the agricultural interests of the state. We have made provision for continuing the work of good roads, for making effective the laws for payment of condemned cattle: have made liberal appropriations for the elimination of grade crossings when a previous administration gave nothing, and we have made an additional appropriation for the department of foods and markets, from which, with the co-operation of the grange and state officers with the department, much good can be derived to the mutual ad-

antage of both producer and consumer. "We have done our part toward placing upon the statute books laws which will facilitate the collection of taxes from those heretofore escaping their

duty to the state by evasive methods. "We have demonstrated our purpose and desire to relieve the city of New York from the overburden of taxation resulting from a vicious financial policy.

"Responding to the mandate of the onstitution, we have made a reapportionment of the senate and assembly districts of the state. If this legislation has not entirely satisfied our personal wishes we may at least feel a satisfaction in the contemplation that we have obeyed the constitution, as all good cit. izens are bound to do,

"We have passed laws for an intelligent and effective system of physical training in the public schools to the end that our youths may be trained to a more sturdy manhood and higher ideals of good citizenship and thumeet the problems of self protection and self government.

"Much convenience will come from legislation which makes the fiscal year of the state end upon the 30th of June

instead of the 30th of September. "We have strengthened the national

guard in order to increase effectiveness "It is a satisfaction to feel that be tween the executive and legislative departments harmony and good fellow ship have been maintained, and in the service of the state we may justly feet a sense of pride that we have met the expectations of the people."

A Successful Business Administration. Commenting on the work of the ses sion. Senator Brown said:

"The legislature of 1916 has made progress in setting the finances of the state in order. Eubstantially all of the appropriations are included in a single all which has been printed and open to the criticism of members and the public for at least ten days before its passage. To make this reform permanent a budget statute has been passed and a constitutional amendment providing

gency message. The serial bond amendment to the constitution has also been passed.

"With an annual expenditure of \$60,-000,000 the legislature has devoted itself to correction of faults in administration and to preventing waste. This vast sum will be provided by indirect taxes, which have been but slightly increased, and without the levy of any direct tax in the state. New sources of Kind of Plants That Can Be revenue have been found in amendments to the transfer tax, \$2,150,000: the secured debt tax, \$1,000,000; mov ing pictures, \$1,000,000; excise taxes. \$2,000,000. These additions to the pres-Albany; April 24.-There was nothing ent revenue of the state have enabled us to avoid a direct state tax this year and will have a permanent influence in reducing tax rates. It has been a successful business administration. Leg-Islation has been passed marking out a division of interest and jurisdiction between the affairs of the city of New York and the state, Greater economy of administration in both city and state is thus insured and the designs of those who would embroil city and state in

controversy frustrated. "Appropriations have been made for the training and mobilization of the national guard and for military train ing in schools. The workmen's com pensation law and the labor law, enacted before this administration came into office, have been greatly improved and corrected. The work of the civil service committee, the statutory revi sion committee, the public service committee and other legislative committees have already insured the enactment of important legislation, improved the ad ministration of the law, preventing waste from excessive salaries, duplica tion of service and useless employment. A legislative apportionment act com plying with the provisions of the con stitution has been enacted on the basis of the population.

"A committee has been appointed to inquire into the distribution of milk poultry and live stock with a view to stimulating production by securing to producers the value of their products and securing to consumers a whole some and abundant supply at market rates unaffected by monopoly.

"The legislature has been free from a spirit of sectionalism, and laws have been passed and administered equally promise when it assured the people to all people without distinction of that it would make good the impaired race, religion, social condition or place

of residence.' Sane and Profitable Legislation.

"The session of 1916 was productive of much sane and profitable legisla tion," said Assemblyman Simon L. Ad ler. "The management of the finances and the financial policy of the state are deep in the sand. Thoroughly moisten ever of the first interest. This year a the sand after placing the cuttings in distinct advance was made in provi position and cover the box for twensions for budget making. At the open ing of the legislature the governor pre sented to it a complete tentative budg the form of a legislative bill. During of newspaper when the sun is too inthe period the finance committees were perfecting the appropriation bill the sun does not shine directly on the the hands of all the members of the any considerable extent upon the glass legislature and in form for general dis tribution. The merits of this plan have been perpetuated and perfected by the passage of a budget bill which fur nishes facilities to the finance commit tees of both houses for scientific budget making and provides legislative authority for the presentation by the governor to the legislature of a proposed budget at the opening of the legislative session. It further provides that department heads shall when requested by either house appear and answer inquiries and that the appropriation bill shall be a special order in both houses for eight full legislative days.

"Another measure of the session that will have a positive effect on the state's finances is the change in the fiscal year, which will under the new law begin on July 1 instead of Oct. 1. This will enable budget making to be much more econom ical and certain.

"A concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution was passed providing for the issuing of serial bonds for all indebtedness, thus instituting in future the pay-as-you-go policy in the state's finances. Other minor financial measures were passed calculated to perfect and simplify the state's financial operations.

"The reapportionment of the state into senate and assembly districts pursuant to the constitution and the recent enumera tion was one of the duties undertaken and

"In the field of general legislation the legislature of 1916 has done efficient and competent work. Many of the general statutes were carefully studied, revised and perfected. The workmen's compensation law was revised in most of the particulars in which it had been found from the experience of the past few years to need revision and amendment. The labor laws of the state were revised with the same end in view and with the result of making them more reasonable and workable. In arriving at a decision as to what amendments should be made to the law in each of these cases the committees of the legislature having the matter in charge adopted the plan of inviting into consultation the representatives of the interests involved, and the final amendments to these laws, which were then presented to the legislature and passed by it, were the result of intelligent co-operation and compromise. Careful and conscientious work was also done in revising and perfecting the tax law and the inheritance tax laws and also the election law of the state.

"Special attention was given to making provision for the necessary increase in capacity in many of the state's institutions, particularly those of the insane and feeble minded. The result is that the svercrowding which has existed in both classes of institations will be rectified at

"The legislature also took action upon a series of enactments known as the Brown committee bills, which were the result of the investigations made by that commitcity of New York and having to do with the relations between the city of New York and the state. These bills were con-ceived in a broad and statesmanlike spirit, and enactment into law will not only be of advantage to the city of New York, but will improve relations between New York city and the rest of the state,

nation in the state which had existed for many years This legislation will provide

WINDOW BOXES

Used For the Purpose.

PREPARATION OF CUTTINGS.

The Boxes Should Be Made Comparatively Deep and Contain Plenty of Soil-Plants Should Be Small and Compact In Habit of Growth or Those Which Can Be Trained on Strings.

[Prepared by United States department of agriculture.)

Window boxes must be made comparatively deep and must contain a larger quantity of soil than is commonly necessary for the growth of plants in greenhouses in order that the adverse conditions of the rooms in which they are kept may in part be counteracted. Boxes intended for window gardens should therefore be made at least six to eight inches in depth, should be rather broad and of a length to conform to the window opening. The soil should be rich garden loam or a compost consisting of rotted sods and stable manure thoroughly mixed together and screened through a screen with at least a half inch mesh.

Before filling the box a layer of broken pots or coarse gravel or clinkers from the ash heap should be placed over the bottom of the box to the depth of one inch. If the box is made air tight, holes should be provided in the bottom in order that any excess of moisture which comes from watering the plants may escape from the bottom. After placing this drainage material in the bottom of the box fill it to within one inch of the top with the soil above described. Window boxes which are to be used for propagating plants from cuttings need not be more than six inches deep and should have the drainage material above mentioned, with about three inches of clean sand placed over the clinkers.

The cuttings may then be prepared as suggested and planted in rows about three inches apart, with the ends of the cuttings inserted about one inch ty-four hours with an old newspaper. After that time replace the newspaper by panes of glass, which should et, which was promptly introduced in themselves be shaded by a single sheet in several patterns. tense. Remove the shade when the governor's preliminary budget was in plants, and if moisture condenses to lift or partly remove the glass so as to give ventilation, but do not allow the

cuttings or the sand to become dry. Plants to be used in window boxes can be grown from seeds sown in four inch pots, prepared somewhat as follows: Place a layer of broken pots gravel or clinkers in the bottom of the pot, and on top of this fill the pot to within about an inch of the surface with a compost similar to that suggested for filling window boxes. If the seeds to be sown are small and fine, like the begonia, sprinkle a thin layer of sand over the surface of the soil in the pot and sow the seeds in the sand. Moisten the earth by setting the pot for a minute in a receptacle which contains water of sufficient depth to bring it to within an inch of the surface of the soil in the pot. Lift the pot from the water as soon as the soil is moistened; place it in a warm, sunny situation and cover it with a piece of glass. 'As soon as the seeds begin to germinate remove the glass to a slight extent by placing under one edge a match or by slipping it partly off the surface of the pot. Judgment must be used as to the amount of air to be given to prevent the plants from becoming drawn and yet keep them from being injured by becoming too dry.

Large seeds, like seeds of the nasturtlum, should be planted about an inch deep in the soil of the pots, prepared as above described, butino layer of sand need be used with plants of this character.

The character of plants to be used in a box will be determined by the prefer-

ences of the cultivator, but in general they should be small and compact in habit of growth or those which can be trained readily on strings. The following list will serve as a guide in their selection:

Plants Which Can Be Grown From Seed.-Ageratum, petunia, sweet alyssum, mignonette, Lobelia erinus, portulaea, Bellis perennis, Primula obconica, coleus, nasturtium (dwarf), dianthus, stock.

Other Plants. - Geranium, fuchsia, calla, begonia, lantana, abutilon, German ivy, tradescantia, vinca.

French System of Rural Credits. The French system of rural credits is described in a report made to the St. Paul Commercial club by a subcommittee of the organization's tee in connection with the finances of the rural credits committee. The report is one of a long list to be made to the club, from which a rural credits system suitable for the United States will be formulated and probably submitted to congress, with a petition that the system be established by "Legislation was further enacted to law. The report of the French sysclear up the conditions in the prison sit- tem sets forth that the French government had made provision for loans for a new term prison under modern lines upon tarm taking since of France and for the demolition of the condemned Realty Estate company of France ed in an annual supply bill and an annual appropriation bill which must be passed without the aid of an emer-

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WILLIAM N. Y



Friday Morning, April 28, 1916

Death of Mrs. C. F. Benson.

Mrs. C. F. Benson of East Lansing died last week Thursday afternoon at her home, from blood poisoning. Mrs. Benson was 57 years old.

About three weeks ago Mrs. Benson fell and hurt her right elbow. The injury improved and was practically healed, when she accidentally injured the member again. A little .sore formed and when it seemed well, Mrs. Benson removed the scab which had formed. An infection got in the wound and local blood poisoning ensued. She sought the advice of a physician, and while the wound apparently was yielding to treatment, the poisoning spread through her system. A council of physicians was held, but nothing could be done to relieve the condition.

Mrs. Benson leaves her husband, a son, Charles Fay Benson of East Lansing; a daughter, Mrs. Merton Carpenter of Syracuse; her father, Anthony Decker, aged 97 years, of Genoa; two sisters, Mrs. F. D. Brinkerhoff of Genoa and Mrs. Frank Bassett of Skaneateles, and a brother, Charles Decker, also of Skaneateles.

The death of this estimable woman is lamented by a large circle of at the home where she died for 32 doubled. years. She was a member of East Lansing Baptist church and a great worker in missionary work, the Ladies' Aid and the W. C. T. U., in all of which she will be greatly missed.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from the home D. Chrisjohn, pastor of the East Lansing Baptist church officiated, assisted by Rev. Howard Springer, a cousin of Mrs. Benson. Interment ton of Avoca, resigned. was in West Groton cemetery.

Announcement.

I wish to say to the people of Genoa and surrounding towns that I navigation on May 15, General Wothhave withdrawn from the Genoa erspoon, state superintendent of pub-Realty Co. and that I will continue in the real estate business in this locality. If you have farm or village property for sale or exchange, mort- ter of tile and concrete there. gages or loans to liquidate, give me an opportunity to figure with you.

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Annual School Meeting.

Genoa, N. Y., April 7, 1916. Notice is hereby given that the degree of the order there. annual school meeting for District No. 6, town of Genoa, will be held at the school house in Genoa, N. Y., He is reported to have two desirable

Tuesday, May, 2, 1916,

at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two trustees to serve three years in place of Mrs. Helen Mastin and J. W. Myer, whose terms of office expire, and vote on the proposition for raising money to install a heating plant and remodel the hall into school rooms, and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Trustees recommend the following sums to be raised to meet the ex-

enses for the coming y	ear:
For teachers' wages	\$2,700.00
Janitor	100.00
Fuel	300.00
Repairs	300.00
Insurance'	40.00
Medical Inspection	55.00
Total	\$3,495.00

This amount is reducible by esti- ment put into operation, mated receipts from state \$1,200.00

Leaving balance to be \$2,295.00 raised by tax J. Mulvaney, clerk.

NEW YORK NEWS

Paragraphs of Interest to Readers of Empire State.

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and Sc Reduced in Size That It Will Appeal to All Classes of Readers.

Work on Medina's projected cana erminal has begun.

There are still 22,000 barrels of ap ples in storage in Lockport. The Rev. William G. Wheeler has

been elected moderator of the Buffalc Presbytery. To make room for a \$250,000 Maonic Temple the Chapman home-

stead in Lancaster is being razed. Frank H. Whipple has been elect ed president of the Medina chamber

The village of Interlaken, in Seneca county, was swept by fire, the loss being estimated at \$50,000. Governor Whitman has accepted an invitation to speak before the Corn-

of commerce.

ing Automobile Club on May 5. Senator Robert F. Wagner declines nomination as New York postmaster, sent to senate by President Wilson.

Frank L. Smith, a Chautauqua couny lawyer convicted of grand larceny was disbarred by the appellate court. The Walker-Coffey so-called "pure bread" bill failed of passage in the senate by a vote of 18 ayes and 30

The Clifford tile plant in Lockport has been sold to New York residents. friends and relatives. She had lived It is stated that its capacity will be

About \$375,000 will be spent by the Lehigh Valley railroad in improveara Falls.

Robert W. Hebberd has tendered his resignation as secretary of the state board of charities, to take effect May 1. F. S. Tousey, for eight months ad-

with the company. Henry L. Deister of Elmira has

been appointed deputy collector

falo on May 11 and 12. The Erie canal will be opened for

lic works, has announced. Clayton Wood of Hornell has pur-

chased a lot on South Main street in Perry and will erect a modern thea-

The Maier bill, appropriating \$10, 000,000 for the construction and maintenance of state highways, has been signed by Governor Whitman.

Former Warden Osborne's trial on take up in detail with you, so if you the second indictment against him term of the supreme court in White

Sterling F. Highley, city chamberlain of Seneca Falls since 1910, killed nimself with a revolver in his office. Auditors had been investigating his

Solon B. West, who recently resigned as chief of police of Fredonia, after a long service, has been ap pointed a deputy sheriff by William H. Marvin.

Harry Pardue, aged 51, a tuberculosis patient who jumped from a window of the county hospital in Rochester, died from a fractured skull, an

autopsy disclosed. The E. D. Clapp Manufacturing company and the Auburn Woolen mills, each employing 200 men, announced a voluntary increase of ten per cent in wages.

Governor Whitman has accepted an invitation to attend the state convention of the Knights of Pythias in Dunkirk in July and receive the third

Rev. F. L. Metcalf, for five years rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Dunkirk, will tender his resignation. parishes under consideration.

The bill transferring jurisdiction over Saratoga's mineral springs from the reservation commission to the conservation commission has been signed by Governor Whitman,

Having received an increase in wages of 25 cents a day the 12,000 subway construction workmen in New York who had been on a strike two

weeks have returned to work. The Welsh Slater bill, designed to provide for compulsory military training for boys between 16 and 19 years

of age, passed the assembly, 127 to 114. It now goes to the governor. Mayville had planned to hold an old home week this year. It has been found that enough money cannot be raised to finance the project and the celebration has been postponed until

next year. Work on the new plant of the Seneca Falls Manufacturing company has progressed so far that plans for occupying the shops are being made. The foundry will be the first depart-

lug the coming summer.

operators and signal men on the lines of the New York Central between New York and Chicago will soon be presented to the management of the

George F. Willis, formerly president of the Auburn chamber of commerce and former president of the common council, died as the result of being struck by an automobile. He was a retired carriage manufacturer and was 70 years old.

Professor C. W. Whitney has re free from all foul stuff. signed as principal of the Silver 40w3 Wm. Wilcox, North Lansing. Creek High School to take a position as teacher of history at Masten Park High School, Buffalo. Eugene De Melt of Penn Yan, succeeds him at Silver Creek.

Frank A. Humbert, a carpenter, hv ing in Lyons, is laid up with blood poisoning in both hands and arms. He had been spraying fruit trees and wore mittens which chafed his hands The chemicals entered his system doing him a bad job.

With the initiation of a class of 55 candidates at the first meeting in May, Fredonia grange No. 1 will win back the distinction of being the largest grange in Chautauqua county. This honor is now held by Union grange of Jamestown

By a vote of 75 to 58 the assembly defeated a motion to discharge the rules committee from further consideration of the bill designed to give the city of Elmira permission to vote on the local option question. This action killed the measure.

Hornell automobilists are incensed over the fact that tacks are being spread over the state road between that city and Andover. A large number of cars were temporarily put out of commission along this road. Local authorities are investigating.

Attorney General Woodbury has au. thorized the bringing of an action to determine who was elected supervisor of Albion at the March town-meeting. The election of G. A. Porter, ments at its north end yards in Niag- Republican, is contested by W. E. Karns, the Democratic nominee.

After January 1, 1917, the salary of the Ontario county surrgate will be increased to \$2,000 a year as Governor Whitman has signed the bill. Surrogate Judge Harry I, Dunton's term vertising manager of the Dansville of office expires on Dec. 31, 1916, and and was largely attended. Rev. A. Breeze, has severed his connection the increase will go to the new sur-

> The senate has rejected the nominations as postmasters of Sanford revenue, succeeding Charles O. Cot- W. Abbey at Canandaigua, and Samuel T. Duzenberry at Tuxedo Park. There will be a convention of the They were objected to by Senator Western New York District School O'Gorman, because they were not en-Superintendents' association in Buf- dorsed by their local Democratic organizations.

> > Ernest H. Summer, instructor in mathematics at West High School, Rochester, was arrested on a warrant accusing him of sending objectionable matter through the mails. Information leading to the arrest was obtained from advertisements inserted in Chicago newspapers.

The Western New York Newspaper Publishers' association will meet in Buffalo in July. About 50 or 60 editors are expected to attend. The officers of the association are Frank Walker of Hamburg, president; C. F. really mean business and are willing has been postponed until the May Milliken of Canandaigua, vice president, and Rex E. Perkins of Le Roy, secretary and treasurer.

The Lyons Business Men's associaion has appointed a committee composed of Judge Clyde W, Knapp, William H. Holloway, Charles W. Coffey and Edson W. Hamm to confer with Congressman Norman J. Gould regarding the Lyons postoffice. The money has been appropriated but no selection of a site has been made,

Employes of the Waterloo woolen mills have received notice of a general increase of wages of 10 per cent, to go into effect on May 1. Following so soon after the recent strike, which was settled by granting increases of 71/2 and 5 per cent, respectively, to woolen weavers and worsted workers, the announcement was received with much satisfaction by the employes.

From the general offices of the Wayne Telephone company in Newark instructions have been issued to the effect that any of the company's employes who are now members of the National Guard and Naval Militia or who are desirous of attending a federal military training camp will be excused for such purpose and will receive full pay during their absence. Jobs for 50 single and nine married men with their wives are waiting for applicants at the state employment

bureau in Auburn. The demand for men is greater than the supply, and for the first 19 days of this month 82 farmers have called on the bureau for assistance and only 75 men were available. · Several of these were inexperienced and could not fill the positions offered.

For some time past the Erie railway has been operating two of its Buffalo-Jamestown trains on a schedtle ignoring Conewango, Cherry Creek and South Dayton. was made to the public service commission, but before that body had time to take action the Erie officials Fated that beginning April 30 both of these trains would make regular stops at these villages,

'Agricultural Commissioner Wilson met several superintendents of his department at the state fair in Syracuse and went over with them plans sition. The success of the farm boys' Directors of the Curtiss Aeroplane camp, to be supplemented this year ompany have voted to make the by a contingent of 50 farm girls, sug-Hammondsport shops of the company gested further developments which permanent and to that end some ex- would make the fair of real educatensions will probably be made dur tional value to young people of raral Square Deal Nursery Co., Inc. nections, Commissioner Wilson said,

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_____ Village and Vicinity News.

-School meeting next Tuesday evening, May 2.

-Miss Hazel Bethel is assisting in Singer's store.

-Miss Mary Smith is visiting

friends in Auburn. -M. G. Shapero was in Syracuse from Saturday to Wednesday of this

Get your new hat at Mrs. Singer's,

-Farmers have done some plowing but most land is to wet to be plowed yet.

-Miss Anna Myer retureed to her school work in the Cortland Normal Monday afternoon.

-Easter Sunday was a dark, disagreeable day, a light rain falling most of the time.

-Mrs. W. H. Mosher of Auburn was an Easter guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Foster.

-A new roof is being put on the main part of the High school building. Neponset shingles are being

-Misses Louise and Alice Montgomery of Auburn were Easter guests of their sister, Mrs. Morell Wilson and family.

Millinery-Trimmed and untrimmed hats and millinery novelties at the lowest prices. Mrs. Lena Mack, Genoa, opposite Dr. Skinner's.

-Mrs. Howe and Mrs. Turner of Fair Haven are guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, this week.

-D. C. Mosher, for the past three vears manager of the Banker Hardware store, has given up the position on account of ill health.

-Mrs. Rachel Sanford has so for recovered from ner recent illness that she will return in a day or two

from the hospital to her home. Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Scott were in Syracuse Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Scott attended a conference on Home Missions, being one of the

speakers on the program. -Mrs. A. B. Fox, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Norman, returned to Ithaca Tuesday. Mrs. Norman went to Ithaca with her to spend a few days.

-Chas. Dean has had rather an unfortunate week. Monday, he stepped on a nail and suffered from that for a few days. Now he is quite ill with the mumps.

-Mrs. F. D. Brinkerhoff was at East Lansing Monday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. C. F. Benson, an account of whose death appears in another column.

-Mr. and Mrs. Millard Green and two children of Groton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller. The little daughter and son remained to spend two weeks with their grandparents.

-Announcements have been received in town of the marriage of Miss Grace Lillian Gazlay of Hamiltn to Mr. Rodney Shurger of Earlville, formerly of Genoa. Mr. and Mrs. Shurger will reside at the home of the former in Earlville.

Ice cream and sodas at Mrs. Singer's, Genoa.

-R. W. Hawley of Moravia spent more than five weeks. She is much are engaged in agriculture. improved this week.

freshments will be served, following Mohonk Mountain House.

transformation will take place.

-L. B. Norman spent Sunday at his home here.

-W. R. Mosher spent Easter with riends at Moravia.

-Mrs. Wm. Loomis is spending a

few days with relatives in Auburn. -Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tighe were over-Sunday guests of friends in Rochester.

-The Cortland summer school will be held this year from June 27 to August 4.

-Mr. F. L. McCausland of Rochester was a Sunday guest at the home of G. B. Springer.

-Mrs. Chas. N. Tupper of East Genoa was an over-Sunday guest of Auburn friends.

-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bower of Lansingville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mosher.

-Mrs. Chas. Cannon and daughter Marjory are spending several days with Mrs. Emeline Shaw.

-Mr. Andrew Brink of North Lansing was a Sunday guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Géo. Curtis.

-Calvin Atwood and daughter, Miss Celia, reached their home at East Genoa, Saturday last, after spending the winter in Florida.

We have a limited quantity of good eating potatoes on the way. If you desire any, book your orders at Clear View, Genoa or Venice Center by the grand Jury of Tompkins promptly. J. D. Atwater.

-Attention of W.,C. T. U. members is called to the program of the months in the penitentiary were susinstitute to be held May 9 at Port pended. Byron, which is given in full in this

—Chas. Decker of Skaneateles was in town Saturday, being called to this vicinity by the death of his sister, Mrs. C. F. Benson, of West

The Rebekah lodge of Five Corners will hold a dance at Odd Stanton, and George Leonard Fellows hall, on Friday evening, May 5. Smith's orchestra of Genoa will furnish the music.

Assemblyman Witter's bill providing formed the ceremony. for the election of school directors at the biennial town meeting in towns holding spring elections.

-Mrs. L. B. Mead returned Wednesday evening from East Lansing, where she spent a few days at the home of her brother, and attended the funeral of Mrs. C. F. Benson on

an address to Wells College students operation was performed by Dr. at Aurora on Thursday afternoon of Ledra Heazlit.

America first" crusade consequent were damaged by fire last Friday to the European war, more people night to the extent of \$8,000. That visited the Yellowstone park last the damage was not much greater is year than in any previous year in its considered a remarkable achievement

-Geo, F. Wills, a prominent citizen of Auburn, was struck by an automobile Thursday evening on South St., in that city and received injuries which caused his death at 3 o'clock Friday morning.

-Mrs. H. Hugunin and children returned to their home at Ludlowville Friday last after visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Close. While here the children had the measles and the house was quarantined.

-There are now engaged in agriculture 375,000 persons in this State, raisin industry has reduced raisin out of the total population of 9,687,- imports from 38,000,000 pounds in Easter at the home of Mrs. A. Lan- 744. There are 57 cities in the State 1885 to less than 3,000,000 pounds terman. Mrs. Hawley has been here and 465 incorporated villages, both last year when California produced several weeks caring for her sister, having a population of more than 250,000,000 pounds. Mrs. Lanterman, who has been a 8,000,000, leaving only 20 per cent great sufferer with rheumatism for in the rural districts, part of whom State president of the W. C. T. U.

The ninety-seventh anniversary will be represented at the Lake address at Union Springs on Monday of the establishment of the Indepen- Mohonk Conference on International evening, May 8. The people of that dent Order of Odd Fellows in Arbitration to be held at Mohonk community will be afforded an un-America is being celebrated through- Lake, N. Y., on May 17 to 19, by usual opportunity to hear such an inout the country. The local lodge will Superintendent of schools and Mrs. teresting and pleasing speaker on a celebrate the event in appropriate Henry D. Hervey. The delegates much discussed subject. manner at the regular meeting on will be the personal guests of Mr. Miss Caroline C. Roe, a member Wednesday evening. May 3. Re- and Mrs. Daniel Smiley at the Lake of the Senior Class of Wells College,

-Rev. Geo. A. Pearsall, a well which is offered each year by the By proclamation of the state known Methodist clergyman, died Wells College Eastern Association commissioner of health, Dr. H. M. at his home in Port Byron on Thurs- for the best English essay. Miss Biggs, next week will be official day, April 20, aged 69 years. His Roe is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. "Clean-Up Week" for the state. As ministry covered the greater part of W. E. Roe of Jamestown, N. D., suggested by Dr. Biggs, everything his life. Surviving are a wife and who formerly resided in this vicinity, should be done to put our houses and two daughters, Mrs. Florence Mr. Roe having been pastor of premises in a sanitary condition for Roberts of Summerhill and Mrs. Presbyterian churches at King Ferry warm weather. All rubbish and Howard Derby of Port Byron and and Auburn. filth of all kinds should be removed, one sister, Mrs. Henry Webb of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders ash piles and tin cans removed, lawns Moravia. A short service was held and barnyards cleaned up, cellars from the late home Friday at 2 thoroughly cleaned, and everything o'clock, and the body taken to Momade fly-proof. Genoa should get ravia, where the funeral was held late the Bowels and are a pleasant in line with other towns in a general from the home of Mrs. Webb, Satur- remedy for worms. Used by mothers clean-up. Let each family do their day morning. Rev. E. J. Brooker, for 28 years. They never fail. At part in this campaign, and what a pastor of the Methodist Episcopal all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. church, officiated at both services. Address, Mother Gray Co., LeRoy,

-The residence of C. J. Foster is being newly painted.

-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ford are again residing at J. M. Tarbell's.

recently aged 56 years.

-Burglars who looted the post away 822 money order forms.

-The way of many who are not transgressors is likewise hard, but there is no ready explanation for

-Misses Mary and Emma Waldo were among those who heard Mme. Schumann-Heink in Auburn Tuesday

-William Lamey of Auburn will celebrate his ninety-ninth birthday on Monday, May 1. He is said to be the oldest Odd Fellow in the world.

-Warren M. Brinkerhoff of Auburn is already making plans for the annual picnic of 6,000 boys and girls of Auburn, to be held at Lakeside Park in June.

-Paderewski has given all his fortune—a million dollars, for the relief of striken Poland. Here is an idea for persons who like to talk about what they would do if they had a million.

-Joseph and Rose Uher, indicted county for excise violations at Ludlowville, were fined \$200 each in Supreme Court. Sentences of six

League of the World's Court League miss it. Inc. of New York.

-The marriage of Miss Elma Belle Lyke, both of Seneca Falls, took place Sunday evening last at the rectory of Trinity church in that -Governor Whitman has signed place. Rev. William B. Clarke per-

-A number of farm owners in Cayuga county have leased land to the Red Sand Natural Gas company, and drilling for oil will probably be begun during the present season. It is believed a belt of oil runs through Central Cayuga and Seneca counties.

-Jennie Babcock, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Up-to-date millinery at right Babcock of the town of Fleming, prices, at Mrs. Singer's, Genoa. 40tf was taken last Friday to the Auburn was taken last Friday to the Auburn -Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the Otty hospital where she underwent noted suffragette of England, gave an operation for appendicitis. The

-Frank T. Brock's planing mill, -As one result of the "see- lumber yard and feed mill at Ithaca on the part of the fire department. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

-L. H. Jayne '16, of the Cornell Varsity debate team won the New York State Peace League contest in Syracuse with a speech entitled "The Common People." The prize consisted of \$200 and the right to represent Cornell in the interstate contest to be held in Massachusetts on May 1.

-California now produces about three times as many raisins yearly as Spain, the home of the raisin industry. Growth of the American

-Mrs. Ella A. Boole of Brooklyn, who is coming to Port Byron for the -Auburn Chamber of Commerce county institute, May 9, will give an

captured the English prize of \$50,

for Children.

For Feverishness, Bad Stomach,

Diamonds ARE Trumps

Diamonds are good to have and to hold anytime, but this -Frank S. Mitchell, cashier of the month they are TRUMPS. The DeRuyter Banking company, died Diamond is the April birthstone. But when you buy a Diamond -when you give a Diamondoffice at Savannah recently carried be sure it is a diamond of QUALITY.

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Genoa Presbyterian Church.

Morning service at 11 o'clock. Last Sunday we had an unusually good service. In spite of the rain there was a very good attendance. The chorus choir was very much appreciated by everyone. We were glad to welcome into the fellowship of the church, several of the younger members of the congregation. Under the direction of Miss Emma Waldo, the church was very tastefully decorated.

Sunday school at close of morning service. This service is growing in interest, but is worthy of a much better support on the part of the older members of the church.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45.

Evening service at 7:30. If you -Robert L. Zabriskie of Aurora like to sing, come and have a part in has been appointed a delegate to the this service. Last Sunday evening Second World Court Congress to be the music was fine. We are hoping held in Carnegie hall, New York, to have an added treat for this ser-May 2, 3, 4, by the New York State vice some evening. Be sure and not

Mid-week service Thursday even-

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Trains No. 21 and 23 going South, and No. 22 and 24 going North are the motor cars and do NOT stop at Flag stations. Sunday trains No. 422 and 421 are the motor cars and these stop at all stations.

Additional Trains between Ithaca and Rogues Harbor leave Ithaca 10:00, (daily except Sunday) 12:15, (Sunday only) 2:00 and 4:40 daily and 9:30 p. m. (Saturday only.) Also leave Rogues Harbor at 10:40 a. m. (daily except Sunday) 12:50 (Sunday only) 2:35 and 5:15 p. m., daily, and 10:05 p. m. Saturday only.

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REVIEW OF WORK OF LEGISLATURE

Many Measures Adopted In Fourteen Weeks' Session.

BOVERNOR CONSIDERS BILLS

Mas Thirty Days In Which to Sign or Veto Hundreds of Proposed Laws Lawmakers Left In His Hands a Total of 790 Bills, the Largest Number In Years-No Direct State Tax This

[Special Correspondence.]

Albany, April 25.-Following a legislative session of fourteen weeks' duration the law:naking body of 1916 which concluded its labor on Thursday last, left in the hands of Governor Whitman 790 bills for him to either veto or sign. This is the largest number in some years.

Up to the present writing the executive has signed 250 laws and has vetoed a number of bills, though his disapproval has been infrequent in comparison with his approval.

The legislative body adopted six constitutional amendments-providing for woman suffrage; providing that no state debts shall be contracted for a period of longer than fifty years; pro viding for the construction of a highway through the Adirondacks; authorizing the legislature to delegate to a convention of supreme court judges power to make rules of practice and procedure in the courts of the state; exempting water supply debts from the debt limit of Buffalo and Rochester as well as New York; providing that the prohibition against the sale or lease of canal property shall not apply to certain canal property within the city of Utica.

Bills In Governor's Hands.

Of the bills in the hands of Governor Whitman, which under the law he has thirty days from the date of their reception to act upon, the following are of the most importance:

Authorizing villages to establish athletic fields and playgrounds and to accept gifts of land for such purpose or lease such land.

Providing that a state or county highway within a village shall be the same width and type as outside the village unless a greater width is desired by the municipality, in which case the additional expense is to be

borne by the village. Striking out the provisions for the construction or improvement by the state of highways to connect streets or highways within second and third class cities which have been improved

with county highways. Providing that an action may be maintained to anhul a marriage where one or both of the parties have not attained the age under which the consent of the parents or guardian was required by the laws of the state where the marriage was contracted.

Providing for physical training of boys over eight years old in elementary and secondary schools and for the milltary training of boys between fifteen and aineteen in agricultural colleges and secondary schools. The bill provides in addition that there shall be a military training commission established to supervise such physical and military training. The bill carries an appropriation of \$100,000.

Providing for the appointment of a commission of three to examine and reject or approve moving picture films. Providing for the construction of a new state prison at Wingdale, Dutchess

Prohibiting the employment of children under sixteen years of age in the making of moving picture films except with the written consent of the mayor of the city or other officials where the films are made or exhibited.

Providing for the pensioning of employees of state hospitals.

Amendments to Military Laws. A series of bills amending the military law, the purpose of which is to strengthen and enlarge the national guard and to perfect its equipment.

Appropriating \$7,500 for continuing investigations into civil service conditions of the state.

The bill reapportioning senate and assembly districts pursuant to constitutional provisions.

Providing that the United States flag shall be carried in all street parades in cities, except in parades of firemen or policemen.

Appropriating \$500,000 for the mobifixation of the national guard and for the encampment and field exercise of that organization.

Establishing a mosquito exterminating commission by countles with a population of 200,000 people adjacent to New York city.

Increasing by 25 per cent liquor tax license fee for the various classes of

Mcenses. Providing for pension for prison employees.

Providing for the establishment of clearing houses or the mentally deft. pared for use at the primary election. cient to examine and diagnose cases of persons suspected of being mentally deficient.

Bills Already Signed. Jasong the laws signed to date the new statutes of the most importance

Soldiers.

Amending the highway law by providing that supervisors may by resolution provide that the cost of county highways shall be borne at the rate of 35 per cent as a general charge and 15 per cent by the town or towns within which the improved road is located.

Exempting miniature motion picture machines which use certain films and lamps from requirements from the pro | tion shall submit its final report. visions governing commercial moving picture machines.

Incorporating the Buckhorn associa tion to continue the philanthropic work heretofore carried on by the board of home missions of the Presbyterian church of Buckhorn, Ky.

the liquor traffic.

Amending the general city law by any city may appropriate annually nec essary funds to meet the expenses of when a proposition therefor has been city officials of the state, with a spemayors. At the present time second proval by the board of trustees of the and third class cities enjoy this privdege only.

Agriculture Law Amendments.

Amending the agriculture law by providing for registration with the commissioner of agriculture of the owners' designation or mark of milk number of such containers and prohibiting the use of such containers by another without the consent of the

Providing that trusts of real property may be created for the perpetual care of animal cemeteries.

Amending the general municipal law and the state finance law by providing that a clause may be inserted in a contract hereafter awarded by the state or any municipal corporation, department or official of either, providing that a contractor may from time to time withdraw the whole or any portion of the amount retained from payments to him pursuant to the terms of the contract upon depositing with municipal disbursing officer corporate stock or bonds of the municipality in case of a municipality or depositing with the state comptroller in a case of state contracts securities of a character in which savings banks may invest equal in market value to the amount so withdrawn.

Appropriating \$40,000 for the improvement and repair of highways and bridges in the Indian reservations of drill and parade with the consent of the state.

Amending the village law by authorizing villages, upon adoption of a resolution therefor by a majority of voters at a general or special village election, to establish a publicity fund at such amount as the resolution may direct for advertising the advantages of the village.

Change In Railroad Law.

Amending the railroad law by proiding that where a railroad crosses a highway at grade the corporation owning or operating it shall construct and maintain a roadway at least sixteen feet wide, to be constructed of planking or equally serviceable material, and the outside rails, through and across partment. the entire space between the rails at such crossings

The secured debt bill, which provides for the registration with the state ingredients therein upon containers. comptroller during a period of one year of secured debts and the payment thereon of a tax of three-quarters of 1 per cent, which exempts the debt from other taxation for five years.

Amending the election law by providing that in determining the number of members of a county committee to be elected from any district in the county, the boundaries of which district have been changed since the last preceding gubernatorial election, the party vote cast for member of assembly is to be used as the basis of the proportion. Appropriating \$50,000 for various con-

ingent expenses of the legislature. Appropriating \$10,000 for the purpose of paying the expenses of special legislative committee investigating civil service conditions in the state. Amending the county law by extend-

ing the powers of supervisors regarding streets and highways to counties containing a population of less than 200,000. Under the present law such power is limited to counties with a population of 100,000 and under.

Jail For Breach of Promise.

Providing for imprisonment for not more than five years or for a fine of not more than \$1,000, or both, for deceiving an unmarried female under pretense of marriage.

Amending the town law by providing that the supervisor of a town when present shall preside at all meetings of the town board.

Appropriating \$37,000 for the expenses of the forestry bureau in the conservation department.

Amending the village law by providing that villages may acquire by purchase or condemnation easements for right of way for drains or culverts. Amending the village law relative to the election of officers and delegates by

fire companies constituting the village fire department. Amending section No. 374 of the election law by providing that In a year when a president is to be elected ballots may be destroyed after four months in counties in which no con-

test has been noted and the boxes pre

Amending the education law by providing for a reduction in the saluries of the members of the bill drafting Providing for the appointment of commission. This also provides for justices of the peace of Indian reser. payment of traveling and personal expenses and provides that the office of the commission shall be open from Dec. 1 until the close of the legisintive session instead of from Sept. 1 up-

the close of the session.

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Amending the village law by permitring a village lighting system to be extended along the highways within a town adjoining that in which the village is situated if the village is wholly liue or payable under such notice. within one town.

Extending until June 30, 1916, the time when the New York state commission for the Panama-Pacific exposi-

Amending the membership corporation law by increasing from thirty to forty the maximum number of directors of membership corporations.

Canal Improvements.

Appropriating \$27,000,000 from the proceeds of bonds for improving the Providing that deputy sheriffs and Erie, Oswego and Champlain canals deputy excise commissioners shall be and to reimburse the general fund for probibited from being identified with the advances therefrom for such improvements.

Amending the village law so as to providing that the common council of permit the acceptance by dedication of streets less than two rods in width submitted to and adopted at a village cial reference to the conference of election after consideration and ap-

village. Adding a new section to the insurance law by providing for the incorporation of mutual automobile fire insurance corporations to insure owners against loss by legal liability for damage to property resulting from the use of automobiles. Personal injuries are cans, jars or bottles, together with the not insurable. Twenty-five or more persons may form such a corporation. Appropriating \$10,000 for stenographic fees, wages of clerks, etc., for the civil service committee of the New York state legislature, except during the session of the legislature when a

ined in Albany.

civil list of the state is being exam-

Change In Fiscal Year. Making the fiscal year of the state end June 30 instead of Sept. 30 and making various changes of a corresponding nature in the finance law. the state charities law, the insanity law, prison law and agriculture law.

Relative to the practice of dentistry, the licensing of dentists, the appointment of members of the state board of dental examiners.

Amending the military law by permitting members of a drill corps for national defense, all of whom are native born or naturalized citizens, whose commanding officers are active or retired officers of the regular army or the national guard or are certified cadets of a war department training camp, to the governor.

Amending the penal law by making if a felony to manufacture, sell or have in possession a firearm silencer, except

for sheriffs, policemen, etc.

Amendment to Banking Law. Amending the banking law by regulating the borrowing of money by sav- bill incorporating the Artists' Aid soings and loan associations and the lending of money and the issuing of bonds by the Land Bank of the State

of New York. Amending the village law by providing that village policemen over fortyfive years of age and under sixty-five at the time of the organization of the village police department shall be law. to extend at least one foot outside of eligible for appointment in such de-

> Amending the agricultural law by prohibiting the misbranding of vinegar and requiring a statement as to the

> Returning to the general fund unexpended balances of all appropriations made prior to Jan. 1, 1916, from the general fund and the unexpended balance thereof in the canal maintenance fund, less the amount of liabilities chargeable to such appropriations or fund and incurred or to be incurred not later than June 30, 1916, except appropriations for construction work or permanent betterments and repairs.

Insurance Regulations.

Amending the insurance law by proriding that the maximum contingency reserve of domestic life insurance corporations the net value of whose policies is over \$25,000,000 shall be onefourth of 1 per cent for each additional \$5,000,000 up to \$50,000,000. If the value exceeds \$50,000,000 the contingency shall not exceed 71/2 per cent thereof.

Amending the insurance law by excepting taxes on real estate from the limitation of expenses of life insurance companies. The law provides also that mutual companies may incur a total expenditure exceeding the limit of the expenditures defined by section 97, not greater than sixty-five of the aggregate net premiums according to the standards adopted by the company. Another provision of the new law is that no mutual company shall after June 30, 1916, issue any life policy or endowment insurance upon which the premium loading is less than would enable the company to comply with the limitations of total expenses if the premium loading for all its policies were calculated according to the rule employed by it for the calculation of

premium loading. Amending the insurance law by extending for five years from Dec. 31, 1916, the time within which domestic life insurance corporations must dispose of holdings of shares of stock other than public stocks of municipal corporations and of bonds not secured by adequate collateral as provided in sec-

tion 100. Amending the labor law by making violations of the eight hour law on public works a misdenteanor. Upon conviction for a second offense the contract on which violation incurs is

Optional City Government. Amending the optional city government law by providing that a petition for change in the form of city government may be presented at any time

ifter June 30, 1917, Amending the banking law by providing that if deposits in savings ac in."-Detroit Free Press.

counts are not withdrawn within nfteen days after the expiration of the sixty days' notice of intention to withdraw the deposits shall then be not

Amending the conservation law by providing that the conservation commission on the request of a common council of a city may regulate the taking of fish and game in that community for a period not exceeding ten years with reference to birds and other game and not exceeding three years with reference to fish.

Amending the penal law by increasing from twenty-four to twenty-eight consecutive hours the maximum period during which animals in transit in cars may be kept confined without unloading. The bill reduces from ten to five consecutive hours the period which must be given for rest and feeding when so unloaded.

Amending the penal law by making it a misdemeanor to place upon a road, highway or public place glass, tacks or other substance which might injure an animal or a person or puncture a tire of a vehicle.

Tax on Motorcycles.

Amending the highway law in relation to motorcycles. The law fixes the fee of registration at \$2.50, provides for distinctive number plates and regulations governing the vehicle on

the public highways. Consolidating the several organizations affiliated with the order of the Eastern Star in the state of New York under the corporate name of Order of the Eastern Star of the State of New York. The law regulates the management of the organization also.

Amending the public health law by making the penalty for failure to file a birth certificate not less than \$5 or more than \$50 for the first and second offenses. Subsequent offenses are made misdemeanors, punishable by a fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$100 or imprisonment for not more than sixty days or both.

Prohibiting corporations and voluntary associations from practicing law. The bill does not preclude a corporation from furnishing a qualified attorney for professional or clerical service along these lines.

Budget System Adopted.

Requiring the governor annually within one week after the convening of the legislature to submit to the senate and assembly a budget of desired appropriations of each state department and institution. The senate finance and the assembly ways and means committees, acting jointly or separately, shall submit to the legislature not later than March 15 annually a budget. A single appropriation bill placing all proposed appropri-

ations in each budget. Governor Whitman has vetoed the ciety to administer funds for the aid of disabled artists and to assist families of deceased artists. He has also vetoed the bill giving cities preferential rights to acquire abandoned canal lands. This bill has been amended to meet with the objections of the governor, and it is expected to become a

Planets of the Solar System.

The planets of our system, commonly called the solar system, are Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune, in the order of their distance from the sun. Mercury being nearest and Neptune most distant. Whether there are oth- faces are not durable under present er planets than those now known is a matter of conjecture, but the improved telescopes of the future may disclose new planets in farther regions of space. The ancients only knew the five planets of our system, Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. Uranus was discovered in 1781, having previous to that time been regard ed as a fixed star. It is about nineteen times as far from the sun as the earth is, and its period of revolution around the sun is eighty-four of our years. Neptune, the outermost planet of our system, was discovered in 1846. Its distance from the sun is about 2,800,000,000 miles, and its period of revolution around the sun is about 164 of our years.

A secondary planet is one that re volves around another planet and with the other around the sun, as the moon with the earth and the five moons of Saturn with that planet.

Oriental Art.

The difference in character between English and oriental art is explained by the difference in natural environ-

ment. The empty spaces with which a delicate art likes to surround itself are supplied for the Englishman by his comradeship with nature, his ranging habits and the reticence of his imagination. There the unexpressed dimension, the background of pregnant silence, exists for him in all its power. For the Saracen, on the contrary, nature is an abyss-parched deserts, hard mountains, night with its overwhelming moon. Here the human scale is altogether transgressed. Nature is cruel, allen, excessive, to be fled from with a veiled face. For a relief and solace he builds his house without windows he makes his life simple, his religion a single , brase, his art exquisite and sight, like the jet of his for tain. It is sweet and necessary that the works of man should respect the human scale then everything in lature so infinitely ranscends it .- New Republic.

Must Be Old. "How old would you say he is?"

"About seventy." "Don't be ridiculous. He can't be a

ay over thirty-five." to-sa she had at least fifty years to do it ing 2,600,000 acres of public lands in

ROCK ROADS-ROCK VALUES.

Kansas City Banker Points Out Money Value of Good Roads.

Kansas and Missouri are very active in building good highways-"rock roads," as they are called in that country, where limestone is the handlest material. One of the good roads boosters is W. S. Webb, a Kansas City banker, and he puts year round highways in terms of banking.

"We bankers will lend \$10 to \$25 an acre more on a farm situated on a rock road," he says. "Bankers in this neighborhood are keen judges of farm values. Most of them have farms as places for rest and play. Few bankers are good farmers when it comes to making actual profits on crops, but their farming pays handsomely in health and in understanding of the problems confronting farmers, with [L. S.] whom we do much of our business.

"The first thing the banker does when you approach him for a loan on farm property is to determine the selling value of the farm. He will lend you half the selling value, and he arrives at the selling value by ascertaining three things: "First.-The soil, its character, con-

dition and producing eapacity, for a fertile farm in good tilth will grow crops, no matter where located or what the nature of its improvements. "Second.-Its location, which means

convenience to markets, schools, stores and other factors that increase value. Here is where the kind of road running past the farm plays a big part.

"Third.-Buildings and improvements. "These are all estimated in actual money. The money estimates are added. The total represents the selling value of the farm, and the banker will lend half of that.

"Suppose the land is set down as worth \$40 an acre. If it is located on a rock road over which the owner can haul crops any month in the year the banker will add \$10 an acre for that item. Probably the buildings will not come to more than \$10 an acre, so the hard road is worth as much as the buildings in actual money. The total selling value of that farm is \$60 an acre, and the banker will lend \$30. On land worth \$100 an acre a hard road adds \$25."-Country Gentleman.

\$250,000,000 FOR HIGHWAYS.

This Huge Sum Was Spent In 1914 For Roads In United States.

Very nearly a quarter of a billion dollars were spent in highway construction and maintenance in the United States during the year 1914, as shown by statistics issued by the office of public roads and rural engineering. One-fifth of the work was done under the state aid system, the various state highway departments paying \$24,220,-000 and the counties and townships \$25,220,000. State aid laws are in effect in forty-four states, New Jersey having instituted the system in 1891 and Tennessee and Georgia being among the last to adopt it.

Thirteen states spent, \$25,605,000 during the year in the construction and maintenance of state roads solely at their own expense, making a total of almost \$50,000,000 paid directly out of state funds. One-third as much (\$12,500,000) was spent for repairs and maintenance as was spent for new construction (\$35,500,000). This shows the enormous loss resulting from the building of types of roads whose surtraffic conditions. Six eastern states paid two-thirds as much out of the state treasury for maintenance as for new construction.

Maintaining Concrete Roads. The methods of maintaining the concrete roads of Wayne county, Mich., are set forth in detail in the ninth annual report of the county road compublished. For this work the authorities use a crew of seven men, provided with a team, tar 'kettle, several wire bristle brooms, wheelbarrow, tar bucket and sprinkling cans. The operating cost of this outfit is as follows: Foreman, \$5 per day; team and driver, \$5 per day; tar man, \$3 per day; two laborers at \$2.50 per day each and two laborers at \$2.25 per day each. All cracks or spalled joints are cleaned with wire brooms and then filled with tar heated to about 225 degrees F. This is allowed to stand for a few minutes to prevent bubbling and is then covered with clean, coarse, dry sand, spread with a shovel, an excess of tar and sand being used and the traffic allowed to smooth it out. Pitholes are treated in a similar manner. The material used is a special mixture of tarvia, which has a melting point of about 85 degrees F. A hole or crack that does not extend through the road, but is over an inch in depth, is cleaned and dried out, painted with hot tar and filled with stone of a suitable size, graded as nearly as possible to fill the voids. This is tamped or rolled in place, after which it is covered with hot tar, enough being used so that most of it will be taken up by the remaining voids. Coarse dry sand is then shoveled over the surface.

The State Highway Officials' Asso ciation of New Mexico has indorsed the state highway commission and the county road board system. It was rec-

Indorse County Road System.

ommended that where necessary for the sake of harmony a member of the board of county commissioners be appointed on the road board. The United States department of agriculture was requested to make provisions for an advance of \$2,000,000 annually for building roads in the national forests "He certainly is. No woman could of New Mexico, Congress also was tame a man as well as he is tamed un- urged to pass a joint memorial grant-

New Mexico for highway purposes.

LEGAL NOTICES.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF New York. To Kobert Tighe, Thomas Tighe, Hogh Tighe, Jerry Tighe, Katheine E. Noian and Margaret Pendleton:

Upon the petition of Joel B. Jennings of he town of Moravia you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's Court of Cayuga County at the Court House, in the City of Auburn on the 19th day of May, 1916 at 10 o'clock in the fore. noon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate an instrument in writing dated the 24th day of March, 1913, purporting to be the Last Will and Testa ment of Hannah Tighe, late of the town of Moravia, in said County, deceased, which relates to both real and personal estate.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of our said Sur. rogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Walter E. Woodin, Surrogate of the County of Cayuga, at the Snr. rogate's office in the City of Auburn, this 11th day of April.

CLAIRE W. HARDY. Clerk of the Surrogate's Court. WRIGHT & WRIGHT

Attorneys for Petitioner, Office and P. O. Address moravia, N. Y.

Notice to Creditors.

By virtue of an Order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Delilah Sharpsteen late of the town of Genoa, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouch. ers in support thereof to the undersigned. the Executor of, &c., of said deceased, at his office, 120 So. Aurora St., in the City of Ithaca. County of Tompkins, on or before the 9th day of October, 1916.

Dated March 16, 1916. Elmer Starner, Executor. John D. Collins Attorney for Executor

Office and P. O. Address 213 E. State St .. Ithaca, N. Y.

Notice to Creditors.

By virtue of an order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, notice is here by given that all persons having claims against the estate of Harrison Smith late of the town of Genoa, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the administrator of, &c., of said dectased, at his place of business in the town of Genoa, County of Cayuga, on or before the 10th day of September, 1916.

Date F b. 23, 1916. F. T. Atwater, Administrator.

Notice to Creditors. By virtue of an order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, notice is hereby given that a l persons having claims against he estate of Frances Shaw Upson, late of town of Venice, Cayuga County, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the administratrices of, &c., of said deceased, at the office of their attorney, Kennard Underwood in the City of Auourn, County of Cayuga, on or before the 6th day of September, 1916

Dated Feb. 24, 1916, Emeline Shaw

Carri S. Cannon Kennard Underwood Attorney for Admces. Auburn Savings Bank Bldg.,

Auburn, N Y.

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CHAUTAUQUA ENTERS NEW PHASE

Permanence of Parent Institution of Chautauqua Movement Now Definitely Established.

Over Quarter Million Dollars Being Spent on Plant at Chautauqua, N. V., This Year, Making Largest Single Year's Development In History of the Movement Since 1874-New Entrances, Public Buildings, and Residences, All of Permanent Construction, City of Tents No Longer the Type to Represent the Chautauqua Idea.

Y., in buildings, approaches and transportation facilities differ greatly from the prevailing notion of a chautauqua as a transitory thing. Brick paved highways, double track interurban car lines, entrances of brick and concrete in good architectural design, landscape treatment on a broad scale, educational buildings in comprehensive groups, hotel rooms with steam heat and other like convenjences, private residences costing a fortune to build do not grow up around an enterprise of fleeting character, yet all these things are taking shape this spring at Chautauqua. The fact is that the parent institution of the Chauhas within a decade passed into a wholly new phase, the "city of tents"

EW developments which are volves also the double tracking of the going on at Chautauqua, N. trolley line. the laying of needed switches and the construction of a new and complete station. The plans for the station building are by Freeburg & Fidler, architects, of Jamestown, N. Y.,

There will be a double track in front

and a switch to the rear for freight, baggage and express. The building will be 56 by 225, built of red brick, stone and concrete. The design will harmonize with the present permanent Institution buildings, with red tile roof and wide, projecting eaves. The outside passenger platform will be 28 by 72, so arranged that outgoing and incoming traffic may be separated. On the inside will be the Institution ticket office with incoming and outgoing passes, the exchange office, news and candy stands and the rest room for ladies. Toilet tauqua movement, on Chautauqua Lake. rooms, inside and outside, will be provided for both sexes. Adjoining the traction ticket office will be the giving way very fast to a city that baggage department with checking "has foundations." Electric light and and transfer offices, the freight depower plants, gas mains, water supply partment and the express department, and sewage systems, paved sidewalks. all to have ample platform space for

park, and the natural beauty of a stream and ravine at that point will be enhanced by planting trees and shrubs. A plaza near the station has also been reserved for park use. The planning of this addition has been done by George Y. Skinner, a specialist connected with the New York firm of Samuel Parsons & Co., landscape archi-

The Chautauqua High School, the Institution Garage and car parking place. the excellent Chautauqua golf links and the industrial center comprising repair shops of various kinds are located west of the Chautauqua enclosure on the highway and trolley line.

Chautaugua's New Water Gate.

Second in importance to the improvements of the land gate at Chautauqua, now under way, is the construction of the new pier building, on the site of the old wooden structure, which was torn down last fall. The Miller Memorial Bell Tower, erected in memory of the late Lewis Miller of Akron, O., co-founder with Bishop John H. Vin-

try and serve as a place for study on broad lines at a small expense.

New Music Studio at Chautauqua. The interest in orchestral and choral music at Chautauqua which has made the Chautauqua Music Week one of the annual music events of America affects also the Chautauqua Summer School of Music. Each year sees some improvement in the facilities for music study at Chautauqua, and this year a new practice studio will supply a greatly demanded addition to the plant

of the music department. The new building will occupy a position on the slope south of the Sherwood Memorial building, which all visitors remember, and will conform in style to the architecture of the College

The Packard Estate at Chautaugua.

Hill group.

The first really pretentious country state to be built on Chautauqua Lake is been laid out by Mr. William D. Chekard of Warren, O., a member of he Packard Car Company, on a large ract adjoining the Institution grounds on the north. Landscape work has een under way all winter. Mr. Pack: and is the son of the late Warren D. Cackard, one of the pioneer summer esidents of Chauteuqua Lake and one of those infinential in the development " Lakewood several years ago.

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lake and along the north boundary of the Chautauqua Institution enclosure. From this particular point there is an unexcelled view from Mayville on the north to Long Point on the south, and it is undoubtedly one of the most destrable residence sites of the entire lake region.

The house is to be three stories high, of brick, stone and steel construction. red tile roof, absolutely fireproof. It is set in a grove of elms, which surround it on all sides but one, that facing the

Directly to the south of the residence gardens are planned, terminating in a wild growth of shrubbery, threaded with trails leading to the docks and boathouse, to an artificial waterfall, a lily pond, tennis courts and vegetable

A cottage for the gatekeeper and tenants is now under construction, and other buildings will adjoin this cot-

The landscape work has been done of Cleveland. Eighty-four full grown trees, mostly elms, have been transformed an uninteresting, bare hillside into a well wooded slope. A great ing done.

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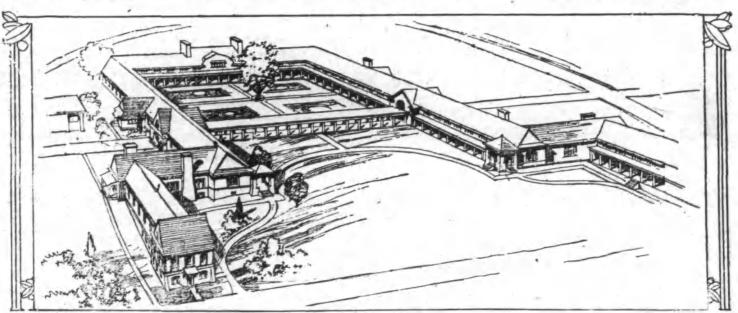
Hotel Accommodations Chautauqua.

Among the many excellent boarding houses at Chautauqua, that erected this winter by Mrs. A. J. Lewis and known as the St. Elmo will command attention. It is a handsome and commodious new structure and by its artistic blending into the general architectural scheme of the central plaza is a real ornament to the place. It will contain many steam heated rooms with private baths. Mrs. Lewis has shown very positive faith in the future of Chautauqua.

Hotel Athenaeum is building an addition to its service equipment. Several boarding houses and private cottages are being built or enlarged.

Fenton Home For Methodist Deacon-

In addition to projects already well under way at Chautauqua, N. Y., such as a new pier building, new traction station, new school buildings and boarding houses, there are expectations conunder the direction of Mr. H. L. Avery | cerning a home for Methodist Deaconesses provided for in the will of the late James Fenton of Buffalo, N. Y. planted by Mr. Herbert L. Hyatt of This his executor hopes to build this Cleveland, forester, who has trans- spring at an approximate cost of \$25,-000 to \$30,000. The construction will be of brick and stone and will be a quantity of small planting is also be- most desirable addition to the new Chautauqua buildings of permanent type. The year 1916 is clearly to go growth at Chautauqua.



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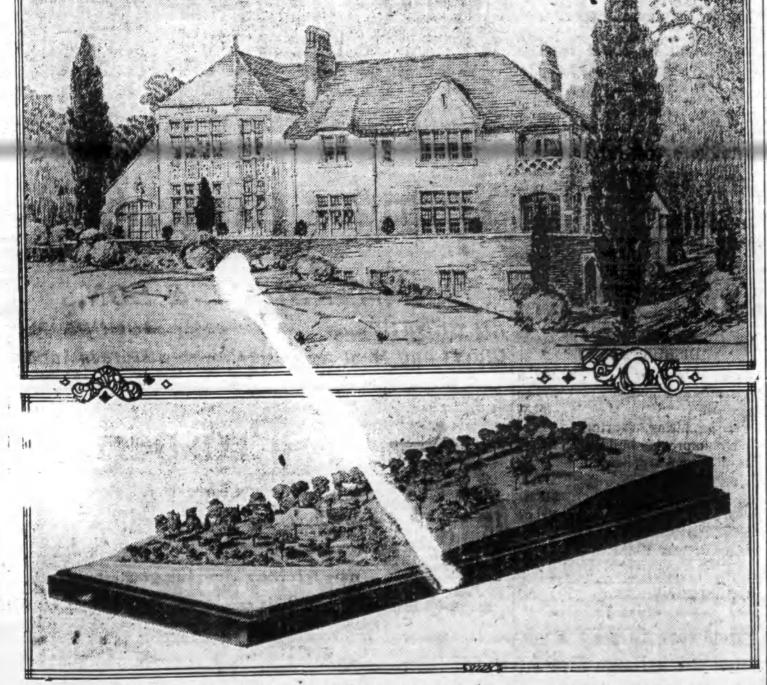
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PACKARD ESTATE ON CHAUTAUQUA LAKE, ADJOINING CHAUTAUQUA INSTITUTION GROUNDS. THIS PALATIAL NEW RESIDENCE WILL BE OCCUPIED BY ITS OWNERS THIS SUMMER. BOTTOM SECTION OF CUT SHOWS MODEL OF THE GROUNDS.

year -round office buildings of fire proof or slow burning construction are among the things that one by one have supplanted the earlier makeshifts. Over a quarter of a million dollars is just now being expended to present the assembly to 1916 visitors in its new character as a permanent institution. definitely come to stay.

The Chautauqua assembly at Chautauqua, N. Y., will this summer offer to the visitor's view two important and striking improvements in two approaches—the water gate or pier, where will enter the visitor coming by steamboat from other points on Lake Chautauqua, and the land gate, where will enter the visitor coming by trolley from any direction or by motorcar over the excellent highway which connects with the great east and west thoroughfare at Westfield, N. Y.

Chautauqua's New Land Gate.

The general highway improvement is the most extensive enterprise now under way at Chantauqua, N. Y. This has been secured by generous co-operation with Chautauqua Institution on the part of the State of New York, the county of Chautauqua and the Chautauqua Traction Company operating the electric railroad from Jamestown to Westfield. It comprises a modern passenger station, double tracking of the trolley line, a new brick paved highway and important changes in the boundaries of the Assembly enclosure, Plans were made in 1913 by the State for the improvement of the highway. A magnificent new state road is now open through Mayville to Westfield, connecting with the great roadway east and west, known to all automobilists. The line of the highway at Chautauqua was changed and straightened and paved with brick. This change has made possible the addition of a considerable acreage to the lot and

loading and unloading. Work has alcent of Chautauqua Assembly, is an ready been begun so as to assure completion before the season opens. The cost of the structure will be some \$30,-000 and incidental improvements by the Traction Company perhaps \$10,000

The Institution has expended for land and buildings and for the improvements made over \$40,000. The special piece of brick highway has cost the state and county \$17,000, while the Traction Company expenditures, as just indicated, will aggregate at least \$40,-

For a quarter of a century the water gate was the principal and almost the only entrance to Chautauqua, and it will be remembered for its natural picturesque beauty by every one who has visited the assembly during the past forty-two years. More recently, since the development of the electric railway and since the automobile has become so important a factor, the roadgate has received the larger share of visitors. yet it has had nothing to suggest the real character of Chautauqua. It has been like the railroad approach to many a town, a back door entrance, crowded and comfortless, without char-

acter or convenience. The change in the highway and troiley line has made available to the Institution a tract about 4,000 feet long. varying in width from 10 to 300 feet, or nearly thirteen acres, and brings the total area within the enclosure up to about 200 acres. The new section is laid out into eighty-eight lots and into parking. The lots thus made available for lease are somewhat larger than the older Chautauqua lots. Two of the new streets formed are named Harper and Massey avenues, to commemorate services to Chautauqua by Dr. William R. Harper of the University of Chicago and the Massey family of Toronto.

impressive enhancement of the natural charm of "the point." The new pier building, which will cost about \$10,000. will be another added ornament.

The new pier-building will be a two story structure of 40 by 100 feet, with concrete columns and red tile roofing. The first floor will contain the Institution ticket office, steamboat ticket office, waiting rooms, check room, bag gage room and refreshment booth. The second floor will be entirely devoted to a covered promenade. A most attractive building is promised by Green & Wiela of Buffalo, the Institution architects.

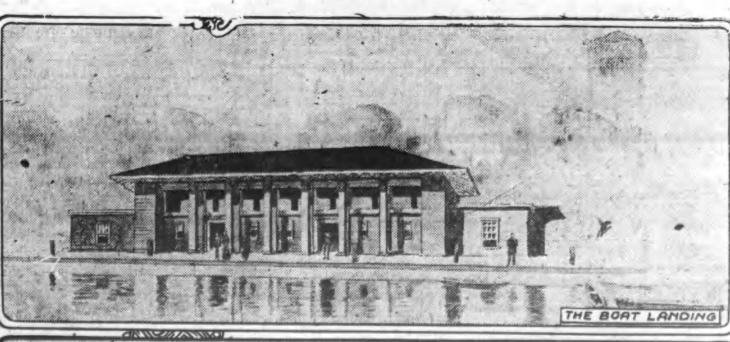
For the past two years there has been marked improvement in this entire section of Chautauqua, in ground, park and cottage betterments, to which the new boat landing and water entrance will give final emphasis.

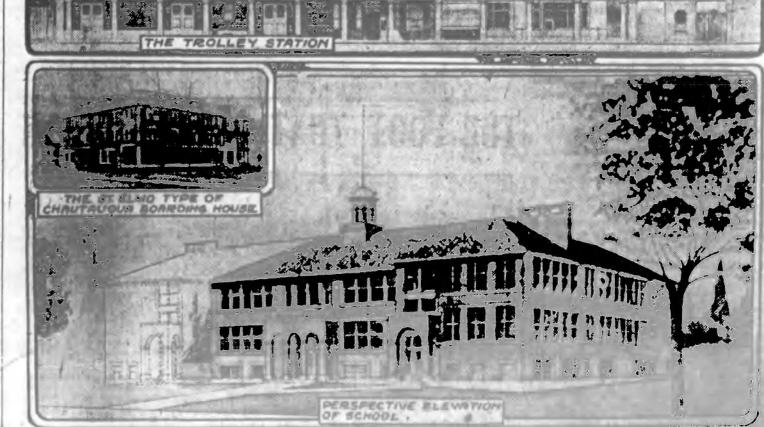
Summer Schools Growing.

The growth of summer schools throughout the country is being largey sharel by the ploneer summer schools at Chautauqua, N. Y. This rear's addition to the Chautauqua Sumner Schools on College Hill will be in the form of two sixty foot ends added to the sides of the rectangle already well defined. When completed all the classes, comprising 3,000 students, will be provided for in this building, with the open end of the quadrangle toward the lake and "the old chestnut tree" a venerable Chautauqua landmark in the center.

It is to be hoped that friends of popular education will come forward to make possible in the immediate fuours the completion of this unique group of buildings which will serve as cias rooms, laboratories and dormi-

The Chautauqua Summer Schools thornselves are unique in having al In this extension about two acres have ways been self supporting. They are lark space of the Institution. It in-





NEW IMPROVEMENTS AT SHAUTAUQUA, H. Y., THE BENGUB -NOTHER SHAUTAUQUA

CABINET LADY.

Wife of New Secretary of War, Newton D. Baker.

BOUND WASHINGTON.

The Newest Member of the President's Cabinet Brings a Wife and Three Charming Children to Grace Social Circles at Our Capital.

Once the wife of the mayor of Cleveland, Mrs. Baker is now presented to the cabinet ladies at Washington. Born Miss Elizabeth Wells Leopold. daughter of Howard Leopold, a retired merchant of Pottstown, Pa., Mrs. Baker was for several years an in structor in music at Wilson college



MRS. NEWTON D. BAKER

Chambersburg, I'a., of which she is a graduate. She married Mr. Baker

As well as being a talented soprano singer and pianist, Mrs. Baker is also the mother of three interesting children-Betty, the oldest; Newton D. Baker 3d, alias "Junior." and Peggy, the

Politically, then, intellectually and artistically. Mrs. Baker is well fitted to assume the responsibilities of her position in the social life to which our-

VARIOUS INITIALS.

Hints About Marking Child's Garments So They Won't Mix.

One can buy in the various stores initials by the yard, worked in red or blue outline stitch on narrow strips of linen tape, three-eighths or a half

These letters are used for marking plain underclothing, etc. They are of great use to the mother with a large family, who has neither mone, nor time to spare on embroidery and who finds it necessary to have sor ... distinguishing mark on the clothing. especially when there are two children the same size.

The letters are cut off from the strip when needed and overcast on the inside of the garment, any place where it will be invisible when worn,

When this system is used even stockings are easily paired. Sew each child's initial at the top of the stocking on the inside; then put a cross stitch in red under the letter on each stocking of the first pair. Use a blue cross stitch on the second, yellow on the third, etc.

It is an easy niatter to sort even a large pile of stockings, two M's with red crosses being a pair of Mary's stockings, two M's with green crosses another pair, while two J's with blue crosses are a pair of stockings belonging to Jack.

If two children have the same initial use the blue letters for one and red 4:00. for the other.

Street and Motor Coats.

The ripple coat for spring is made in both cloth and silk. Belts are placed Exercises by the L. T. L. at the normal waist line, at slightly higher than normal or a few inches below the point. Some are short waisted in the front and long waisted in the back. Both styles are liked.

Many coats have high collars and button up to the throat. They are made so that they can be worn open or closed. Oblong sailor collars, draped collars, ruche effect collars, cape collars and simple notched collars are approved. The cape collar is made detachable, being fastened with clasps or with buttons.

Sleeves are dressy, both in cut and by means of fancy cuffs. Motor coats are in plain colors, stripes, checks. plaids and mixtures.

Your New Veil.

If you would preserve that new novelty veil of yours and get from it the greatest possible wear do not fold it when putting it away. Instead take a piece of cardboard, around which you may roll it without creases, cover it with tissue paper and keep it in the box with your hat, and it will always be in the best condition and ready for

Child's Gereal Set.

Nowadays there are many American wares of rather coarse clay finished in beautiful colors and made in pretty shapes. A child's set, consisting of a -is yellow, and around the top of the Jug and bowl and around the e the plate is a decoration of white duck-

CLEAN-UP WEEK

ALBANY, April 20.—The following bulletin was issued today by the New York State Department of Health:

The State Commissioner of Health has designated the week beginning May 1 as "Clean-up Week," and has written to the Mayors and Presidents of Boards of Health asking their hearty co-operation in making it a success.

The past winter has been a long and severe one. Forced confinement within doors during much of the time has caused in many people a certain deterioration in physical condition. With the coming of Spring the desire to be out of doors is universal, and should be accompanied by the wish to set in order the home that has given warmth and shelter. SOAP AND WATER, SUNSHINE AND FRESH AIR are the most important factors in the preservation of health and the prevention of disease. Within the house from garret to cellar these should be given free play. Especial attention should been or are ill from any communicable disease. All accumulated rubbish should be destroyed or carted away. Screens for windows and doors, especially in the kitchen, should be overhauled and made tight against flies and mosquitoes.

cleaned. Both should be made FLY PROOF, and constructed in such a manner as to avoid any possibility of contaminating the well. The latter may need to be cleaned and repaired.

Flies are one of the most common agents for the spread of disease. They breed by preference in stable manure, but also in any mass of decaying material.

The daily removal and spreading of manure on the soil is a meas ure of GOOD FARMING and GOOD SANITATION. If it must be allowed to accumulate, the vault in which it is stored should be AIR TIGHT and WATER TIGHT. The grounds about the house and outbuildings should be cleaned up and made attractive. There is no clearer index to the character of the inmates, than the appearance of house and grounds.

Finally, there should be the closest co-operation between individuals, members of Village Improvement Societies, and the Health Officer, in giving a real significance to "clean-up week," not forgetting to direct special attention to that part of the community occupied by the POOR AND IGNORANT—often foreigners with little or no knowledge of the first principles of cleanliness and sanitation.

W. C. T. U. Annual Institute.

The annual institute of Cayuga County W. C. T. U. will be held in the M. E. church at Port Byron on Tuesday, May 9. The leader will be Mrs. Ella A, Boole, Ph. D., Brooklyn, N. Y., and the musical director will be Mrs. Alonzo Beach of Port Byron. The program will be as follows:

Institute called to order. Devotions-Mrs. Emma Phelps, Union Springs. Report of Executive Committee,

Appointment of Committees: Subscription. Membership. Resolutions.

Greeting from Port Byron Union

W. C. T. U. Exchange: (a) Raising Money—Our Part in the Mile of Dimes—by Treasurers. (b) Gaining Members—Can we Reach Our Goal, 20 per cent. advance -by Corresponding Secretaries.

Successful Programs—by Local Presidents. (d) Parliamentary Pointers-by County Superintendent, Miss Laura Post, Auburn.

Best Plans for Future Work-Institute Leader.

Bible Reading-Mrs. Elizabeth Hazard, Union Springs. Noon-tide Prayer. ,

Literature Announcements-Mrs. Charlotte Grant, Auburn. AFTERNOON

Executive Committee Meeting.

Institute Called to Order. Singing-Onward Christian Soldiers. Prayer-Mrs. Mary C. Hudson, Sherwood Minutes of Morning Session and Report of Executive Committee. Symposium—Campaign Plans for National Prohibition:

(a) Medal Contests as Campaign Educators. (b) The Y. P. B. as a factor—Mrs. Ella C. Ball, Weedsport. (c) How Can the Cai aren Help-Mrs. Maude Harrington, Auburn. (d) Would Woman's Vote Help-Mrs. Ella A. Boole.

(e) Poster Campaigns-Hustrative-Mrs. Elizabeth Hazard, Union (f) What steps must be taken before a Prohibition or Suffrage Amend-

ment is submitted and can become law-Mrs. Mary E. Laird

Plans and Methods of the Y. P. B.-Miss Maude A. Pratt, Dryden.

Address-Alcohol as an International Issue-Rev. H. M. Carey, Auburn. Solo-Mrs. Anna Smith, Port Byron. Recitation-The Whistling Regiment-Mrs. H. M. Carey, Auburn.

The Year's Achievements in the Temperance Reform—Mrs. Boole. Address-The Next Step in the Suffrage Campaign-Mrs. Lucy Wiedman

Reports of Committees.

Adjournment.

EVENING

Song Service in charge of the Musical Director. Devotions-Rev. E. J. Brooker.

Address-Mrs. Ella A. Boole, President of New York State and Vice President, of the National W. C. T. U. Collection.

Singing-America. Adjournment.

Meals will be served for 25 cents. Entertainment will be provided for all who remain over night.

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