

WITHIN THE LAW

By MARVIN DANA FROM THE PLAY OF BAYARD VEILLER

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CHAPTER XIV.

The Noiseless Death. RED suddenly made a slight hissing noise that arrested the attention of the others and held them in moveless silence. "I hear something," he whispered. He went to the keyhole of the door leading into the passage. Then he whispered again, "and it's coming this way."

At the words Garson snapped his fingers. The room was plunged in darkness. There was absolute silence in the library after the turning of the switch that brought darkness. Long seconds passed, then a little noise—the knob of the passage door turning. As the door swung open there came a gasping breath from Mary, for she saw framed in the faint light that came from the single burner in the corridor the slender form of her husband, Dick Gilder.

The next instant he had stepped within the room and Chicago Red had pounced on his victim, the huge hand clapped tight over the young man's mouth. There came a sound of scuffling feet, and that was all. Finally the big man's voice came triumphantly: "I've got him!" "It's Dick!" The cry came as a wall of despair from the girl. At the same moment Garson flashed his torch, and the light fell swiftly on young Gilder, bowed to a kneeling posture before the couch, half throttled by Chicago Red. Close beside him, Mary looked down in wordless despair over this final disaster of the night. Garson retired a step farther before he spoke his command, so that, though he held the torch still, he, like the others, was in shadow. "Get away, Red." The fellow let go his grip. Freed of that strangling embrace, Dick stumbled blindly to his feet. Then, mechanically, his hand went to the lamp on the table back of the couch. When the mellow light streamed forth he uttered an ejaculation of stark amazement, for his gaze was riveted on the face of the woman he loved. "Good God!" It was a cry of torture wrung from his soul of souls. Mary swayed toward him a little, palpitant with fear—fear for herself, for all of them, most of all for him. "Hush, hush!" she panted warningly. "Oh, Dick, you don't understand!" "I understand this," he said brokenly at last. "Whether you ever did it before or not, this time you have broken the law." A sudden inspiration

Dick Gilder Throttled by Chicago Red, on his own behalf came to him. For his love's sake he must seize on this opportunity given of fate to him for mastery. "You're in my hands now. So are these men as well. Unless you do as I say, Mary, I'll jail every one of them." "Who's this, anyhow?" Chicago Red demanded. "I'm her husband," Dick answered. "Who are you?" "Don't speak any of you," Mary directed. "You mustn't let him hear your voices."

Dick was exasperated by this persistent identification of herself with these criminals in his father's house. "You men back there!" he cried. "If I give you my word to let every one of you go free and pledge myself never to recognize one of you again, will you make Mary here listen to me? That's

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ward the draperies that shrouded the great octagonal window. "Oh, \$200 or \$300, I suppose," he answered. "Why?" "Never mind that. How long have you had them, Dick?" "Ever since I can remember." "And they're not famous masterpieces which your father bought recently from some dealer who smuggled them into this country?" "I should say not." "It's a trick! Burke's done it!" Mary's word came with accusing vehemence. There was another single step made by Griggs toward the door. Mary's eye caught the movement, and her lips soundlessly formed the name: "Griggs!" The man strove to carry off the situation, though he knew well that he stood in mortal peril. He came a little toward the girl who had accused him of treachery. "He's lying to you!" he cried forcibly, with a scornful gesture toward

Gilder Leaped Toward Garson. Dick Gilder. "I tell you those tapestries are worth a million cold." Mary's answer was virulent in its sudden burst of hate. "You stool pigeon! You did this for Burke!" "I swear I didn't! I swear it!" "It's a frameup!" Garson broke in ferociously. His tones came in a deadened roar of wrath. On the instant, aware that further subterfuge could be of no avail, Griggs swaggered defiance. "And what if it is true?" he drawled, with a resumption of his aristocratic manner. He plucked the police whistle from his waistcoat pocket and raised it to his lips. He moved too slowly. Garson had pulled the pistol from his pocket, had pressed the trigger. There came no spurt of flame. There was no sound—save perhaps a faint clicking noise. But the man with the whistle at his lips suddenly ceased movement, trembled horribly and in the next instant crashed to the floor, dead. In the first second of the tragedy Dick had not understood. But the falling of Griggs before the leveled weapon of the other man, there to lie in that ghastly immobility, made him understand. He leaped toward Garson—would have wrenched the pistol from the other's grasp. In the struggle it fell to the floor. Before either could pick it up Chicago Red called his warning. "Somebody's opening the front door!" Garson sprang to the octagonal window as Dick took possession of the pistol.

"The street's empty! We must jump for it! Come on, Mary," he cried. Already Chicago Red had snapped off the lights of the chandelier, had sprung to the window, thrown open a panel of it and had vanished into the night, with Dacey at his heels. As Garson would have called out to the girl again he was interrupted by Dick: "She couldn't make it, Garson," he declared coolly and resolutely. "You go. I'll take care of her!" "If she's caught!" There was an indescribable menace in the forger's half uttered threat. "She won't be." "If she is, I'll get you, that's all," Garson said as he dropped out of sight.

Continued next week. OBITUARY. Mrs. Mae Churchill departed this life Saturday morning, Mar. 28, 1914 at her home in Novesta. Miss Mae Hutchinson was born at Lapeer, Mich., May 6, 1878. Her mother died when she was two weeks old and she always made her home with her grandmother, Mrs. Gibbs. Her father died when she was a young girl. She was married to Wm. Churchill Nov. 19, 1902, from the home of her aunt, Mrs. Orrin Stowell, near Deford. One little boy, Ernest, aged 10 years, and the bereaved husband, besides more distant relatives and a wide circle of loving friends are left to mourn her loss. She was converted a year ago last winter in revivals held at Novesta and united with the Baptist church of that place. Since that time, her life has been that of a true Christian, winning the love and respect of all. Funeral services were held at the Novesta church, Rev. J. Willerton officiating, aided by Rev. Shinn of the Menonite church. Interment was made in Novesta cemetery. In Memory. We loved her, yes we loved her, But angels loved her more And they have sweetly called her To yonder shining shore.

The Golden Gates were opened; A gentle voice said "Come," And with farewells unspoken, She calmly entered home—Adv.

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"Don't you care for me at all?" he asked wistfully. The girl's answer was uttered with nervous eagerness, which revealed her own stress of fear. "No, no, no!" she exclaimed. "I know you do, Mary," he asserted confidently; "a little anyway. Why, Mary, can't you see that you're throwing away everything that makes life worth while? Don't you see that?" There was no word from the girl. Her breast was moving convulsively. "Mary, Mary!" he cried. "You've got to change. Don't be so hard. Give the woman in you a chance." The girl's form became rigid as she fought for self control. "I am what I am," she said sharply. "I can't change. Keep your promise, now, and let's get out of this."



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"You can change." Dick went on impetuously. "Mary, haven't you ever wanted the things that other women have—shelter and care and the big things of life, the things worth while? They're all ready for you now, Mary. And what about me? After all, you've married me. Now, it's up to you to give me my chance to make good. I've never amounted to much. I've never tried much. I shall, now, if you will have it so, Mary—if you'll help me. I will come out all right, I know that; so do you, Mary. Only you must help me. I need you, and you need me. Come away with me."

"No, no! I married you not because I loved you, but to repay your father

the wrong he had done me. I wouldn't let myself even think of you, and then—I realized that I had spoiled your life." "No, not spoiled it, Mary! Blessed it! We must prove that yet." "Yes, spoiled it," the wife went on passionately. "If I had understood, if I could have dreamed that I could ever care— Oh, Dick, I would never have married you for anything in the world!" "But now you do realize," the young man said quietly. "The thing is done. If we made a mistake it is for us to bring happiness out of that error." "Oh, can't you see?" came the stricken lament. "I'm a jailbird!" "But you love me—you do love me, I know!" The young man spoke with joyous certainty, for some inflection of her voice had told the truth to his heart. Nothing else mattered. "But now, to come back to this hole we're in here. Don't you understand at last that you can't beat the law? If you're caught here tonight where would you get off—caught here with a gang of burglars? Why didn't you go to Chicago, as you planned?" "Planned? With whom?" "Why, with Burke."

"Who told you that I had arranged any such thing?" "Burke himself did." "When?" Mary was standing rigid now, and the rare color flamed in her cheeks. Her eyes were blazing. "Less than an hour ago." "Where?" "In this room." "What was he doing here?" "Talking to my father."

The seemingly simple answer appeared the last straw to the girl's burden of frenzied suspicion. Her voice cut fiercely into the quiet of the room. "Joe, turn on that light! I want to see the face of every man in this room." The blaze of the chandelier flamed brilliantly over all. Griggs moved stealthily a little nearer the door into the passage. But Mary's next words came wholly as a surprise. "Dick," she cried, "what are those tapestries worth?" She pointed to-

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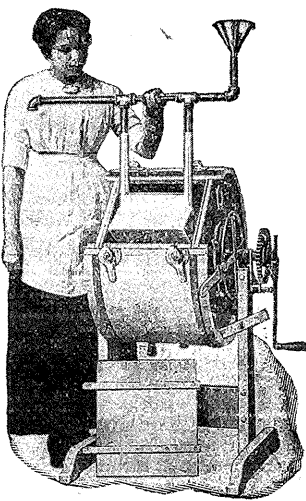
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In the "Dark Ages."

In what we scornfully speak of as the "dark ages," before the renaissance, professors at the University of Paris were teaching as facts the very laws of nature that Newton and Galilei subsequently codified, such, for instance, as those that govern the movements of heavenly bodies and the fall of objects.

LOCAL ITEMS

John Schwaderer is seriously ill at his home.
Lewis G. Seeley was a caller in town Wednesday.
Mrs. Duncan Crawford is numbered with the ill.
Gus Berger spent Tuesday night at his home at Pigeon.
John Slattery of North Branch was a caller in town Friday.
Mrs. Archie Karr of Gagetown visited friends here Tuesday.
Vern Nichols of Shabbona visited Miss Daisy Hainey Sunday.
Miss Nora Collins left Saturday for a visit in Detroit and Lapeer.
Duncan Crawford is preparing to build a residence on Pine St. west.
John Waldon, who has been quite ill, is able to be out of doors again.
Dan Delong of Pontiac visited Miss Lottie Gemmill over Sunday.
Miss Malvina Cambell spent the week end with friends at Pontiac.
L. D. Reagh of Pontiac was the guest of Miss Eva Masters over Sunday.
The next Christian science lesson- sermon subject is "Probation after Death."
Mrs. Laura E. Post of Lansing is the guest of her niece, Mrs. H. D. Schiedel.
Ray Patrick of North Branch was the guest of Miss Belle Hildebrand Sunday.
Lester Carpenter of Pontiac was the guest of Miss Grace Leitch over Sunday.
Walter Henke of Pigeon was a guest at the home of Albert Henke Friday.
John Mark of Leslie visited at the home of A. Mark from Friday to Monday.
Hiram Bearss has moved from his farm to the Kehoe residence on Pine St.
Miss Myrtle Gulick of Marlette visited at her parental home here over Sunday.
Earnest Bronson, who has been at Nahma for some time, returned to Cass City Thursday.
Mrs. R. M. Smith of Caseville spent a few days this week at the home of H. B. Snyder.
Rev. D. J. Feathe and Miss Hazel Feather returned Monday after spending a week in Detroit.
Robt. H. Orr and Mrs. R. G. Orr spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCrea near Owendale.
Mrs. Herb Ehlers and Mrs. O. W. Nique and daughter, Eleanor, of Decker spent Sunday with friends here.
Miss Jennie McIntyre of Argyle visited at the homes of A. J. Knapp and A. A. Hitchcock the first of the week.
Miss Madeleine Auten attended the Gentlemen's Evening of the Twentieth Century club in Caro Tuesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitfield, who formerly lived near Wickware, have moved into part of the residence occupied by Alfred Seegar.
Miss M. Auten gives a demonstration lecture in cooking in Pigeon tonight under the auspices of one of the Pigeon church societies.
Harry Koppelberger and Miss Eudora Bearup were united in marriage Tuesday evening at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. G. A. Fee.
W. A. Lamb left for Lincoln, Nebraska, Monday where he has accepted a position as travelling salesman for a stove manufacturing concern.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Miller and daughter, Irene, who were the guests of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons, returned to their home in Detroit Monday morning.
H. B. Outwater, a former Cass City boy, is now located in Toledo, where he is district assistant superintendent of the International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa., with offices in Toledo.
The Volunteers of the Evangelical Sunday school met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. E. W. Kaercher, Monday evening. After a short business session, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.
Announcements have been received of the marriage of Dr. Ray Harmon Hunt of Portland, Ore., to Miss Gladys Merle Taylor of that city on March 25. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hunt and formerly lived at Cass City.
Stanley Striffler has accepted a position as bookkeeper and stenographer in the office of his uncle, C. P. Miller, a hardware merchant in Detroit. Stanley has been a student at the Cleary Business College for several months. He expects to go to Detroit today.
About 50 couples attended the Easter ball given Monday evening by the Cass City Dancing Club. Doerr's hall had been newly decorated for the occasion and Easter colors, purple and white, gave the place a very pretty appearance. Finzel's Orchestra of Detroit supplied the music.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jaus entertained a company of guests at their home for dinner Sunday. They were Mrs. Louisa Schwegler, Benjamin Schwegler, Mr. and Mrs. Orton Klinkman, Miss Lena Mark, Mrs. Jacob Joos, Miss Lizzie Joos, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Joos, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joos, Mrs. Christina Jaus, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jaus and Fred Schaaf.
Miss Madeleine Auten will soon give a series of five demonstration lectures in domestic science under the auspices of the Eastern Star lodge. The lectures will be of a most practical nature. Subjects demonstrated and discussed are meats, salads, left-overs, table service, trays for invalids, some new dishes, correct methods of combining ingredients and temperatures in cooking different foods. Dates and terms for these lectures will be announced later. These lessons are open to anyone wishing to join the class.

Go to church Sunday.
Mrs. James Tennant is numbered with the ill.
Irvine Striffler is numbered with the ill this week.
Miss Florence Smith of Gagetown was a caller here Tuesday.
William Murphy went to Saginaw Tuesday on a business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Farrell were visitors in Detroit last week.
Grocery men are keeping their stores open again in the evening.
Mrs. J. M. Bittner returned Monday after a visit at Flint and Detroit.
Miss Mabel Robinson went to Detroit Tuesday to visit friends a short time.
J. D. Crosby went to Mt. Clemens Monday to receive medical treatment.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell visited friends at Caro Friday and Saturday.
Good morning. Have you invited your next door neighbor to go to church next Sunday?
Miss Joanna McRae is spending the week at her home at Greenleaf on account of ill health.
Mrs. Edward Henke and Mrs. Henry Shaffel of Pigeon visited at the home of John Henke Friday.
Mrs. T. L. Tibbals and daughter, Anna Belle, went to Saginaw Wednesday for a short visit.
George Casey and Miss Ella Tewksbury of Detroit visited at the latter's home here over Sunday.
Frank Weldon of Kingston was the guest of his brother, William Weldon, from Monday to Wednesday.
Miss Myrtle Mead, who has been visiting at her home here, returned to her work at Grace Hospital Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Armbruster of Pigeon were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Henke last week.
Miss Vera Shaw of Decker is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colwell, for a couple of weeks.
A company of young people numbering a dozen enjoyed a beefsteak roast at the south river Monday evening.
Misses Erma Hadley and Pearl Weaver of Marlette were the guests of Miss Lola Fanning from Saturday to Wednesday.
Guy Lamb, who spent Easter at his parental home here, returned to his studies at the Bliss-Alger College at Saginaw Monday.
Mrs. Ben Hamilton and Mrs. Otis Chambers of McCue visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tewksbury Tuesday.
Miss Marion Read, who has been visiting at the home of G. A. Tindale for a week, went to Deford to visit friends Wednesday.
Mrs. Angus McPhail and Miss Ruth Striffler of Argyle visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sandham Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. W. A. Seeger, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Ford, for nearly four months, expects to return to Edmonton, Alta., next Tuesday.
Wm. C. Holtz of Novesta township and Miss Wilhelmina Russell of Gagetown were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at the M. E. parsonage. Rev. G. A. Fee performed the ceremony.
The regular monthly meeting of the Methodist missionary society will be held at the home of Mrs. Jesse Cooper next Wednesday, April 22, at 2:30 p. m. The mite box opening will be a feature of the program.
L. I. Wood and Isaiah Waidley have grown tired "watching the Fords go by" and each one has purchased a machine of that manufacture and are now going by their less fortunate neighbors who must still plod along on foot.



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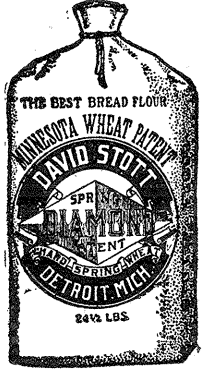
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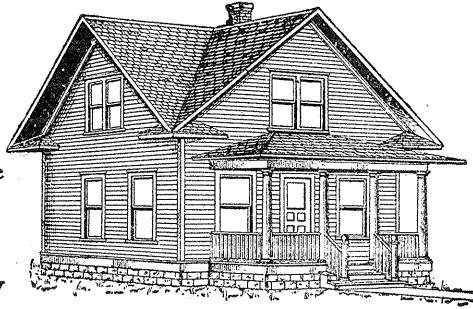
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Oscar Dalrymple drives a Metz car.

Chas Anderson of Ann Arbor spent Easter at his parental home here

J. L. Cathcart visited with relatives at St. Thomas, Ont., over Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Tully visited her sister at Milford from Friday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Atwell are spending the week in Detroit and Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Frutchev of Swartz Creek visited relatives here over Sunday.

Mrs. Jane McBurney left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Huron county, Ontario.

Miss Carrie Thomas went to Tyre Wednesday to spend a few days at her home there.

Lyle Koepfgen left Monday for Portland, Oregon, where he expects to spend a few months.

Editor Brookins and bride of the Owendale Herald were callers in town Monday afternoon.

Harry Striffler of Ann Arbor was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Sandham, Saturday and Sunday on his way to his home at Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Davenport and little son returned from Detroit Monday. Their little son is getting along very nicely after the operation.

Miss Marie Brooker entertained a few friends at an afternoon tea Thursday in honor of Miss Julia Barksdale, who has been her guest.

Mrs. Charles Moss of Goderich, Ont., and Mrs. M. Carner of Gagetown were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke E. Walsh Monday.

Leo Dingman of Sandusky was a business caller in town this week.

Edward Johnson, who has been employed at Detroit for several months, returned home Monday.

The young ladies of Mrs. John Fanning's Sunday school class of the Baptist church spent a pleasant evening with Miss Mary Burt Tuesday.

Six of Miss Gwendolyn Jones' friends helped her celebrate her fourth birthday anniversary Monday afternoon. The little folks had heaps of fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Ruhl announce the birth of an eight-pound son on April 15. A name good enough for the young man has not yet been selected.

Stanley A. Striffler, Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons were callers in Caro Thursday.

Among those from out of town who attended the Easter ball given Monday night were Douglas Ferraby of Ypsilanti, George M. Davis of Bay City, Frank Riley of Owendale, Nelson Ferraby of Port Huron and Miss Olive Wood of Elkton.

Mrs. George Zinnecker and children, Louise, Helene, Kathryn and Henry, who have been visiting here, left Wednesday for their new home at Starkweather, N. D.

C. R. Crosssett underwent an operation at Pleasant Home hospital Tuesday morning and at present is getting along nicely.

Dr. Harrington of Bad Axe and Dr. Crossett of Eidsburg, Ohio, were in attendance with Dr. A. N. Treadgold, Mrs. Anna Culver of London, Ont., and Charles Freshner of Pontiac, relatives of the patient were also here for the operation.

A company of ladies gave a pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. M. M. Schwieger Tuesday for Mrs. George Zinnecker of Owendale. As a pastime each lady made a block towards a quilt, worked their name on it, and the quilt was given to Mrs. Zinnecker as something with which to remember the day.

The interior of the post office has changed much in appearance during the last week owing to the thorough cleaning and fresh paper it has received.

Adoniram Pollard, an inmate of the State Hospital at Pontiac, died Friday night of acute dilation of the heart. His body was brought to the home of his sister, Mrs. Selina Brown, Monday noon and a private service, conducted by Rev. H. A. Hayward, was held that afternoon and interment was made in Elkland cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. E. Hunt of Bad Axe attended the funeral from out of town.

The Presbyterian ladies will serve 20-cent supper at the church next Wednesday, April 22, from 5:30 until all are served.

Get your housecleaning supplies at Jones'

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods like wheat, oats, beans, corn, etc. in Cass City, Mich., for April 16, 1914.

INSPIRING ADDRESSES ON MISSION WORK

Continued from first page. Radical President of Home Missions, had some "Practical Suggestions" which were gathered together from her long and varied work throughout Michigan.

The ladies then went to the dining room where they feasted on the dainties prepared by the members of the M. E. Ladies' Aid.

At 2:00 p. m. the afternoon session began with a devotional service led by Mrs. Hays who read a very interesting paper on "Temperance." Mrs. Mitchell of Detroit gave an address on "The Freedmen" after which Mrs. Geo. Schwab spoke on "Africa."

The feature of the popular evening meeting at 8:00 p. m. was an illustrated lecture on "Africa" by Mrs. Schwab. There were given about 50 views of African people and conditions which were vividly described by Mrs. Schwab.

The conferences on Tuesday were given over to "Home Missions," the motto being "Our Land for Christ." Mrs. Hanley of Marlette presided. The devotional was in charge of Mrs. Schiedel. The annual reports showed good progress in most of the church missionary societies.

The closing meeting was called to order at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Irwin Bradford of Harbor Beach read a paper in which she described certain phases of mission work as carried on in cities by Institutional churches.

Whereas: The women of the Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Flint Presbytery were so fortunate as to be invited to hold their 24th annual 1914 meeting with the First Presbyterian church of Cass City and

Whereas: The women of this church have given us all such a hearty welcome to their hearts and homes, it is therefore

Resolved: That we hereby tender them our most appreciative thanks for their kind and thoughtful hospitality.

Resolved: That special thanks are due the ladies who so pleasingly brought the dear children before us, to the children themselves whose thorough preparation, bright faces and happy voices are always an inspiration bringing joy to these meetings; to Rev. Hamblin, the pastor, for his presence and assistance; to those ladies who graciously rendered their services in song; and to our Methodist sisters for the delicious and beautifully served dinners.

Resolved 3: That we will carry to our homes most pleasant memories of this meeting, fully realizing that our Cass City sisters know how to entertain in the most up to date fashion, inspiring their guests with the sincerity of genuine interest in the causes so near our hearts.

The names of delegates follow: Presbyterian church of Lapeer—Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. James.

Presbyterian church of Flint—Mrs. Hotchkiss, Mrs. Stirner, Mrs. Berston, Mrs. Ritchie.

From Detroit, the following Synodical officers: Mrs. Mitchell, president of the Woman's Home Mission Board; Mrs. Kitch, secretary of Woman's Foreign Board.

From Marlette First Presbyterian church—Mrs. Hanley, Mrs. Mahaffy, Mrs. Rotz, Mrs. Caldwell, Miss Dale, Miss McRoy, Miss Fellows.

Marlette Second Presbyterian—Mrs. Beldin, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Wellwood.

Flynn Presbyterian church—Mrs. Hugh Mahaffy.

From Caro Presbyterian church—Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Seeley, Mrs. Schall, Mrs. L. G. Seeley, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Taggett.

From Pt. Huron 1st Presbyterian—Mrs. Monteith, Mrs. Neeley. From Pt. Huron Westminister Presbyterian—Miss Ross, Mrs. Butlish.

From Yale Presbyterian church—Mrs. Yuill. From Harbor Beach Presbyterian church—Mrs. Irwin Bradford.

"What are you going to wear to the Glee Club Concert?"

Many a good bread maker makes mighty poor butter. Why? The demonstrator at Bigelow's April 27th 2:30 p. m.

Watch for date of Glee Club Concert. "Yes, we are going." Glee Club Concert.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank the kind friends who extended their sympathy during our recent bereavement. Mrs. Selina Brown and family. Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Hunt.

The Chronicle, one year, \$1.00.

LITERARY CONVULSIONS

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How Cities Are Made.

A station is a point on any railroad where there is a cinder platform on one side of the track and an elevator on the other. The inhabitant of stations operates the platform twice a day and the elevator three months in the year.

It requires only two generations and continued good crops to attract a general store, newspaper, and a cemetery. The opera house, church, school, and politician follow in their order, after which the station has only to await the next census enumeration to get on the map in lowly case letters and as a village.

box numbers do not run higher than 275, and while the residents point out every telephone pole with more than one cross-arm as evidence of their right to recognition in the commercial world.

Another twenty years, void of cyclones and conflagrations, generally develop such a feeling of unrest that something more than matrimonial ties is needed to hold the population together and keep the municipal metamorphosis headed in the right direction.

PUBLICATIONS OR SEEDS?

Congressman Cramton Wants to Know Which You Want.

To the Public: The Department of Agriculture has recently undertaken the publication of the Agricultural Outlook, which will appear at irregular intervals during the year.

The Outlook will be made up of short articles prepared by recognized authorities. A limited number of these have been placed at my disposal for distribution in the Seventh Congressional District.

Farmer's Bulletins

The Department of Agriculture publishes a large number of bulletins pertaining to fruit raising, farming, household questions, etc., which are of much value to those interested in the subjects treated.

The department of Agriculture allotted to the Seventh District of Michigan 20,000 packages of flower and vegetable seeds.

Flower and Vegetable Seeds. The department of Agriculture allotted to the Seventh District of Michigan 20,000 packages of flower and vegetable seeds.

A request from you for either flower or vegetable seeds or both, will cause your name to be included in the list.

Availing myself of the liberal courtesy of the press of the District I am able to bring these matters to the attention of everyone in order that all interested may be included in the distribution.

Yours truly, LOUIS C. CRAMTON, Member of Congress, Seventh District, Michigan.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES.

Topic of Sunday morning sermon, "Forgetting God-Cause and Cure." There will be a full chorus choir morning and evening.

Do you know Mellotone? Ask Bigelow's.

AGRICULTURAL CONTEST

Continued from first page.

one-fourth of an acre of potatoes shall be the area planted. No contestant shall raise both corn and potatoes.

Seed shall be furnished by the contestant. If your own seed corn is not suitable write the Commissioner of Schools who has a supply of "Golden Dent" in his office.

Twelve ears of corn shall constitute an exhibit. One peck of potatoes shall constitute an exhibit.

Report of yield must be certified by two responsible persons. Enrollment must be sent to Commissioner of Schools or Sec. Hazen Reavy before June 1.

The Advisory Board have decided to give the following prizes: For schools—a beautiful American flag to the school having the largest number of students competing.

For contestants—a trip to the State Fair for the best crop of corn, quality and yield considered.

A trip to the State Fair for the best crop of potatoes, quality and yield considered.

B. H. McCOMB, Commissioner of Schools.

Bids Wanted.

Bids are wanted for building two miles of state gravel road in Elkland township, Tuscola county. Specifications and profile may be seen in the clerk's office in the town hall at Cass City, Mich.

JOHN J. GALLAGHER, Highway commissioner of Elkland township, Cass City, Mich. 4-17-2

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They also hold the record price for the highest priced draft sire by the Bearon of Bulchvie who sold at auction for \$47,500.00. This has all former records eclipsed. For a draft mare, they also hold the record. Nerissa sold to the British Columbia Gov't. for \$5,775.00. For a draft gelding they hold the record, by the three-year-old gelding, Archie, who sold at auction in Chicago for \$1,000. He weighed 1960 at the age of 3 yr., 4 mo.

Respectfully yours,

THE ELKLAND CLYDESDALE ASSO.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wm. Van Gresen and wife to Frank A. Ellis and wife, pt village of Caro, \$600.

Lewis A. Bird and wife to Charles F. Forsythe and wife, nw 1/4 of se 1/4 section 36, Arbela, \$1.

Mathew Pickelman and wife to Gustavus Heimlein, pt ne 1/4 of nw 1/4 section 32 Denmark, \$1,000.

George M. Rogner and wife to Henry Rogner, n 1/2 of se 1/4 section 15 Denmark, \$5,100.

John Sebert and wife to Henry Sebert, nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 section 27 Millington, \$2,000.

Jacob Strohauser to Walter McBain and wife, pt village of Caro, \$285.

Wm. Geron and wife to Charles Andrews and wife, se 1/4 of ne 1/4 section 12 Almer \$3,500.

Don C. Nutt to Dugald Duncanson, pt village of Deford, \$1.

David Gray and wife to John McLellan and wife, lot 7 blk 1 Seed's addition to village of Cass City, \$1.

David McConnell to Anna A. Parker, lot 3 blk 2 Pinney's add to village of Cass City, \$650.

Wm. J. Fisher and wife to James Delong and wife, pt village Cass City \$775.

Wm. J. Youmans and wife to Leo L. Nixon, nw 1/4 of nw 1/4 section 8, Akron, \$2,800.

Thomas Nixon and wife to Leo L. Nixon, sw 1/4 of nw 1/4 section 8 Akron, \$1,750.

Anna D. Parker to Walter A. Walker and wife, pt village of Cass City, \$2400.

Maud C. Seeley to Dennis Fader, sw 1/4 of se 1/4 section 10 Columbia, \$1,600.

Charles Andrews and wife to Miles R. Geron and wife, pt village of Caro, \$600.

Charles McLalin to Joseph H. Beckton, pt Cooper's add to village of Caro, \$225.

Judson B. Howe and wife to John J. Tompkins and wife, pt village of Fostoria, \$1,850.

Bessie B. Reglin to Max G. Richardson, w 1/2 of sw 1/4 section 6 Fremont, \$1.

Nettie M. Sheardy to Wm. F. Sheardy, pt section 2 Fremont, \$1.

Luther J. Beers and wife to Stephen A. Lockwood, pt section 16 Millington, \$1,000.

Ella Reed to Alonzo J. Sherman, pt village of Fostoria, \$2,900

Carrie Evans to Charles L. Whitcomb, e 1/2 of sw 1/4 section 1 Millington, \$1.

Zacharias Bartholomew and wife to James H. Colton, w 1/2 of ne 1/4 section 1 Koylton, \$1.

Charles L. Whitcomb and wife to Carrie Evans, sw 1/4 section 1 Millington, \$1.

SHABONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin J. Ehlers were in Detroit a few days last week.

O. W. Nique and H. W. Ehlers of Decker visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Loucks returned home from a pleasant visit with friends at Holly and Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Cumber spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lorenzen.

Mrs. Henry Vanorman, sr., is on the sick list.

Little Doyle Ferguson has been seriously ill with croup.

Mr. Floyd spent Sunday with his wife at Cass City.

The following is taken from the newspaper published at Oxford, Mich: This community was plunged into profound gloom last week by the death of Walter G. Van Wagoner, stone mason, and a life long resident of this community, after two weeks' illness with bronchial pneumonia.

Walter G. Van Wagoner, the son of Jedediah Van Wagoner and Lucina Graham, was born Dec. 9, 1852, in Oxford township. Jan. 17, 1883 he was married to Sarah Snyder and moved to the farm in Addison township where he lived up to seven years ago when he moved to this village.

To the first union was born one daughter, Mrs. Mark Chamberlon, who resides on the old farm. His first wife having died, he later was married to Luella Travis June 30, 1892. Besides the widow and daughter, Sarah, one sister survives, Mrs. Thomas Stitt, of Deford. He was a member of the Oxford Men's Club also of the Maccabees. The funeral was held Saturday at 2:00 p. m. from his late home in this village. Rev. Hicks of the Methodist church officiating. The remains were laid to rest in Oxford cemetery.

PINGREE.

Miss Fern Phetteplace is visiting her brother, Wm. Phetteplace.

Chas. Mudge is soon to return from Pontiac where he is employed.

Chas. Dorre has rented the Geo. Hubble 40-acre farm.

Dugal Duncanson has bought Wm. Flint's farm. Price \$4,500.

Don C. Nutt is moving to Greenleaf where he has purchased a farm.

Hiller Craig and bride on arriving at the home of Robert Craig, his uncle, Friday, was greeted later in the evening by a nice old fashioned chivari. Have a cigar, boys!

Wm. Mudge and Chas. Mudge will work the farm formerly owned by Wm. Flint.

Wm. Flint is trying to locate a home again in Cass City which no doubt he will and we wish him the best of luck.

Albert Kitchen and son are progressing finely on their newly acquired farm. It begins to appear as though somebody was going to use that pile of wood up this summer and coming winter.

Miss Rosileen Hufford of Marlette visited her cousin, Helen Craig. Theodore Parker was the guest of Earl Britt Sunday.

Duncan McDonald, the merchant at Beasley, lost his store and contents by fire early Tuesday morning.

GREENLEAF.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hewitt, Wednesday, April 8, by the Rev. Wm. Davis, Miss Florence Maud Hewitt and Thos. Henry O'Brien of Sheridan.

Ephraim Herr of Minis-Kirk, Ont., transacted business in town last week.

Andrew Patrick, jr., has purchased an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Patrick entertained friends from Detroit last week.

Geo. Baskin of Ubyly was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Miss Becky Chisholm, who has been ill for several weeks in Bad Axe hospital, has returned home much improved in health.

DEFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Spencer ate dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neil.

Miss Joyce Retherford entertained a number of the mothers at a Mother's meeting in her room at school Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Franklin visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. McCain will begin serving ice cream Saturday evenings at the old stand.

Wells Spencer purchased a larger hen house of A. L. Bruce and moved it to her home east and north of town this week.

Mrs. John Elley is on the sick list.

Elmer Cross visited friends here Sunday.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Thomas Colwell buzzed wood for Arthur Van Blaricom Monday.

John McCracken spent Saturday at Kingston.

James Thomas of Owosso spent Easter at his home here.

We hear that Wilnot has a new doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Matthews of Decker visited at B. Sharp's Sunday.

Novesta Ladies' Aid society met at the home of B. Hicks last Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Gooden and daughter, Miss Ida, were visitors at Geo. Martin's one day last week.

M. E. quarterly conference met at the home of Mrs. Carrie Leek last Wednesday morning.

Mrs. George Boughton was called to Mt. Clemens Saturday, owing to the serious illness of her sister.

Eber Coleman, who has been attending Pontiac high school, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen, who spent the winter at R. A. Moshier's, have moved into Mrs. McLeish's house at Novesta.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Geo. Collins is remodelling his house.

Mrs. Wm. Sangster visited at the home of Mrs. Julius Wentworth Tuesday.

Elmer Collins and Roy Snell were in Cass City Tuesday.

Culbert Watson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Winn of Imlay City were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Rodgers for Easter.

John Wentworth's foot is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bunker visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weeks Sunday.

Harry McCaughna is on the sick list.

Elmer Allen has moved his family into the Mrs. McLeish house.

Dave Collins is having his share of bad luck. He lost one cow a short time ago and has another sick at this writing.

Little Ruby and Stanley Palma-tee have been staying with their grandmother, Mrs. J. Wentworth, a few days.

NOVESTA NOTES.

Mrs. C. L. Livermore of Clifford came Saturday to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Tal- madge.

Prayer meeting was held at the home of John Kilbourne Wednesday evening.

The Easter supper which was held at Bern Kelley's last Friday evening was very well attended. The proceeds amounted to \$10.00.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McArthur and the Misses Sarah and Alta McArthur visited at the home of Wm. Little Sunday.

John Coulter had the misfortune to lose his house by fire Sunday afternoon. The loss was only partially covered by insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Kelley of Cass City visited at H. Kelley's Sunday.

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M'GREGOR ASKS NEW HEARING

Lack of Evidence to Convict Accomplice Is Mentioned.

Dr. Robert McGregor, who is serving a life sentence at Jackson for the murder of Cyril Sparling, has made application to the supreme court for a rehearing.

supreme court where his conviction was unanimously affirmed. No action has been taken by the court on the last application. Until a few months ago Mrs. Sparling was held under bonds, charged with complicity in the murder.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

(Contributed by Local Union). With the death of Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, who held office for 16 years, Miss Anna Gordon of Evanston, Ill., automatically becomes president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The officers of the local union for the ensuing year were elected at the regular meeting on April 10: Pres., Mrs. Anna M. Hays; vice pres., Mrs. Charles McCue; recording sec., Faustina Brown; cor. sec., Mrs. Mary Martus; treasurer, Mrs. Koepfgen.

The gentlemen of the union will have charge of the meeting on Friday evening, April 24, at the home of Mrs. I. A. Fritz.

Mrs. Etta Sadler Shaw of Grand Rapids, Mich., a national evangelist of the W. C. T. U.; also state evangelist for Michigan, is in a special three months' campaign for the Kansas W. C. T. U. Good reports come from many places where she has lectured, and either organized new unions or revived and strengthened existing unions. She will remain in Kansas until June. Pray for her.

TIME TABLES

(Special Chronicle Service.)

Time tables are small printed instruments of torture, issued by the railway companies for the purpose of increasing the discomforts of railway travel.

No man, from the birth of the first time table, has been able to read one of them, yet no one has ever denied his ability to do so.

When a woman, upon deciding to visit her old school chum at Seldom-Spend-by-the-Pike, asks her husband to look up the trains, he picks up the printed brain wrecker and with nonchalant and debonnaire ease, runs his fingers down the list of trains, and after an interval, announces that she had best go over the P. U. N. Q. U. E. line, on the train leaving the Union Station at 9:15 a. m. She accordingly makes her arrangement to get the 9:15, and upon arriving at the station next morning learns that this schedule is for Sunday only, the week day accommodation leaving at 7:45.

J. M. Barre declares that time tables were originally designed as puzzles; but the dullest of us will see that this is erroneous, for puzzles are primarily created for pleasure, and the man, woman or child does not live who ever extracted the least pleasure from a time table. On the contrary they have been the means of filling our insane asylums with maniacs who have tried in vain to get at the meaning of "See Wallingford Jct. M* for Tue. and Fri." or "909 Is N. Orange S. B. 1:05 a. m. dly. ex. Sun. Con. H. E. L. L Hartford 2:01 p. m. arr. Newton ct. 8:07."

HOW CAN IT BE HELPED?

Any one seeking the reason for the continued decrease in the number of cattle in this country, may find some assistance by contemplating the market for veals, which now range in price in Chicago from \$10 to \$11.50.

The slaughter of veals is enormous, running into the millions yearly in Chicago alone, and in the country at large probably to eight or ten times that number. Then, too, milk traffic is so great and the demand so constant, that dairymen cannot resist the temptation to dispose of the calves as quickly as possible and stop their consumption of milk.

A hundred and fifty years ago the British parliament took notice of the scarcity and decreasing numbers of cattle in England, and enacted a law prohibiting the slaughtering of any meat animal under three years of age. We may have to resort to similar restrictive measures, and it is true that they have been discussed already in several of the states.

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FINE MUSICAL TREAT

Ashford's "Cross and Crown" Pleased Large Audience.

One of the finest musical treats which Cass City has ever been privileged to listen to was given Sunday night at the Methodist church. For some weeks the choir have been preparing, and their work and the splendid ability of each singer was evidenced from the opening chorus 'til the triumphal finale in that glorious old hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

The success of the concert was due not only to the work of the choir but to the untiring efforts of the director, Mrs. Caroline Fenn-Bigelow. Her work deserves the gratitude of the whole community as well as that of her church. Her promise that work upon another will be soon started is the only compensation that Ashford's "Cross and Crown" will not be repeated.

EVANGELICAL NOTES.

Go to church Sunday, April 19. Subject in the morning will be "Inseparable Love of God." Evening, "Universal Call to Salvation." A cordial invitation is extended to all. We trust every one will attend one of the four churches unless unavoidable circumstances will not permit attendance.

Services for Sunday: Sabbath school, 10:00 a. m.; sermon, 11:00; mission band, 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. A. service, 6:30; sermon, 7:30; Quick school house, 3:00. Mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

The pastor, D. J. Feather, is pleased in being returned to Cass City for another year. The past year has brought opportunity of acquaintance which has been enjoyed by both pastor and family. They are looking forward for a greater year than last.

PRESBYTERIAN NOTES.

Go-to-church Sunday will be observed with appropriate services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor's morning theme is "Why Go to Church?"

The young people's meeting at 6:30 will be in charge of Calvin Lauderbach.

Topic for next week at Thursday evening devotional meeting—"Jesus' Teaching about Prayer."

BAPTIST NOTES.

"The True Mission of the Church" is the subject of Rev. H. C. Hayward's sermon next Sunday morning. Evening subject, "Why Support a Church?"

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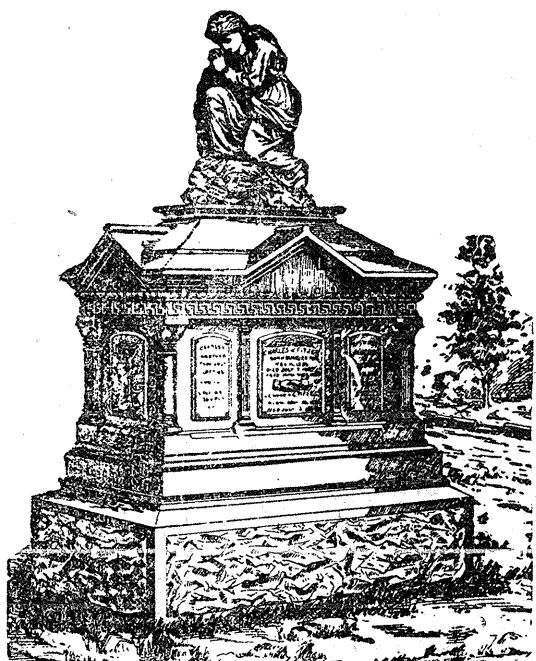
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April is House Cleaning Month April 18 to 25.

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The Charm of Fine Rugs.

Nothing adds so much to the charm of a room as pretty floor coverings.

You should see our room and hearth size rugs in Axminster, Velvets and Tapestry Brussels. Wool Fiber room-sized rugs in tan and blues for bed rooms.

Rag rugs 36x72 for bed rooms.

Lace Curtains

50 pairs of \$1.00 quality lace curtains House Cleaning Week per pr. 75c One piece each white and cream 42 in. curtain, net 25c value 19c One piece cream 36 in. 15c value 10c 2 patterns, colored scrim 25c value 15c A number of remnants in scrims and nets at a very low price.

ODD CURTAINS AT COST.

Printed and Bordered Scrims

Dainty for any room in white cream and ecru per yd. 12 1/2c to 35c

Bed Spreads

Crochet, plain, scallop and cut corners, also lace bed spreads with shams to match \$1 to \$5

Sheet and Pillow Cases

Seamless sheets 75c Seamed sheets 50c Pillow cases plain and hem stitch 20 and 25c Pillows per pr. \$1.25, \$3

Extra Special on all Ladies', Misses' and Children's Julia Marlow Shoes commencing Saturday, April 25

Watch for prices and announcements.

Produce same as cash.

A. A. Hitchcock

Farmers look over the columns of the Chronicle for the auction ads. If you're contemplating having an auction this spring, take the hint and advertise it right.