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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

Washington

President Taft replying to a message from the governor of Arizona asking protection for citizens of Douglas from the fire of the Mexicans, stated that he was loth to endanger Americans in Mexico by taking so radical step as sending American troops across the border to prevent further fighting.

Upon the suggestion of Mr. Ashbrook of Ohio Speaker Champ Clark ordered the prayers of the chaplain of the house of representatives to be incorporated in the daily record of the house proceedings.

Action in the United States senate indicates that the direct vote for senators bill is going to have a stormy time of it. An effort was made to refer the house measure to the judiciary committee and the plan failed, at least temporarily.

By a practically unanimous vote the national house of representatives passed the ante-elections campaign contributions bill and then swung immediately into consideration of the Canadian reciprocity bill.

Domestic

Seven American citizens were wounded in Douglas, Ariz., by Mexican bullets during an all-day battle between federal troops and rebels around Agua Prieta, Mex., in which 250 federals were killed and many wounded. The rebels had 30 killed and 50 wounded. The insurrectos were victorious.

Steadily increasing interest in the postal savings bank system is indicated by a statement made public by Postmaster General Hitchcock. The statement shows that $201,961 was on deposit at the 48 postal banks at the close of business March 31, an increase during the month of $68,092.

In attempting a cross-country flight from Mineola to Montauk Point, Long Island, Leo Stevens, the aeronaut, and William Hilliard, formerly a racing automobilist, fell 100 feet in a Burgess-Curtiss biplane and they had recovered about two miles of their journey. Both men were stunned but not seriously injured.

While a game of dice was in progress in the village prison at Auburn, Ill., Jes Rigen shot and killed Henry Lindsey of Auburn in a dispute over a ten-cent wager on a throw.

Mrs. Ethel Croker Breen, youngest daughter of the former Tammany chieftain, Richard Croker, has begun suit in Hudson county, New Jersey, for the annullment of her marriage to John J. Breen, the Durland groom.

The Daughters of the American Revolution met in annual convention in Washington with prospects of an exciting contest between Mrs. Mathew T. Scott and Mrs. W. C. Story for the office of president-general.

With various rumors floating into Washington of the imminence of another conflict at Agua Prieta, Mexico, President Taft ordered the entire regiment of the Sixth cavalry from Des Moines, Ia., to reinforce the posts there. This will add 800 men to the guard in Arizona.

State bank notes issued before the Civil war again are circulating in Pacific coast cities, much to the worry of secret service officials.

Dissatisfied over the indifferent manner in which Governor Osborn of Michigan received the action of the house in adopting the minority report of the committee that investigated Marquette prison it is said a majority of the representatives will favor impeachment proceedings against the governor unless he brings about the removal of Warden James Russell and the members of the prison board of control.

Daniel Kissam Young, descendant of the Knickerbocker families of New York, relative of the Vanderbilts and writer on sociological topics, killed himself at his residence in Philadelphia by swallowing cyanide of potassium.

John Sundwell, a Chicago pathologist, has been employed by the federal government to investigate the cause of epidemics of goiter. A locality in Utah has been found where every woman inhabitant is a sufferer from the disease.

Pants-stricken when their ship, the Ottawa, struck a reef near Algoma, Wis., in a heavy fog, Capt. Claus Wesberg and five members of his crew took to their gasoline launch and were drowned when the boat capsized in the heavy sea.

A homesteader in North Dakota returned a land patent to Washington asking that the president's wife sign it. The document bore the signature of the president only. He thought the patent like North Dakota deeds should be signed by the wife as well.

Six men and one boy escaped from the Macon county jail at Decatur, Ill., by overpowering the turnkey and taking from him his keys.

David Jayne Hill of Rochester, N. Y., has resigned his place as ambassador of the United States to Germany. The resignation was accepted promptly by President Taft, but in the formal letters given out there is no intimation of the reasons for Mr. Hill's withdrawal.

Three men were pinned into a pool of mud and drowned when the automobile in which they were racing through Melrose Park, Ill., skidded and pitched into a ditch.

The Polo grounds, the New York Nationals' magnificent home—the biggest baseball arena in the country—was swept by fire. Everything inside the fences was ruined, except the left field bleachers and the club house.

Adrian C. Joss, batter known in the baseball world as "Addie," well-known pitcher of the Cleveland American baseball team, died at his home in Toledo, O., of tubercular meningitis.

Three persons in St. Louis and others in adjacent towns lost their lives in a storm. More than one million bushels of grain stored in the Burlington elevator was blown into the river.

County option for Illinois was killed in the lower house at Springfield by a vote of 83 to 63.

It will cost the city of New York $11,690 in fees to pay out $115 damages in connection with a recent extension on upper Broadway. Commissioners received from $2,800 to $5,100 each for their work.

Twenty-two firemen fell three stories to the ground when the roof of the Greve block, a three-story building on East Fourth street, St. Paul, Minn., gave way. Most of the other firemen were severely injured.

One of the proudest men in New York is "Kid" Morgan, who admits that he is regarded by the police of twenty cities as the champion pickpocket of the United States. The cause of his joy is the fact that he was arrested by a commissioner of police.

Bishop James Davis of the Roman Catholic diocese of Davenport, Ia., has issued orders putting into effect a decree of the pope requiring that all priests shall resign from positions which they may hold as officers or directors of banks or other business institutions.

Foreign

Lieut. Walter H. Rodney of the Second United States cavalry stationed in the department of Mindanao, Philippine Islands, was murdered by a Moro crazed with religious passion, who was thirsting for the blood of a Christian.

Harry Gordon Selfridge, the London merchant, formerly of Chicago, his mother, his wife and one of his daughters were painfully injured in an automobile accident near Ambleside, Westmoreland county, England.

Forty or more insurrectos were killed in a battle fought between Sauz and Santa Clara canyon, about fifty miles north of Chihuahua, Mexico. The federals report five killed. A number of women and children are believed to be among the slain.

Coal miners on strike in Alberta and southeastern British Columbia, to the number of 10,000, asked the intervention of labor at Ottawa for a board of conciliation, and Minister Mackenzie King wired his acceptance.

King Alfonso and Queen Ena washed and kissed the feet of ten poor men and women as a part of the Maundy Thursday celebration in the royal palace at Madrid.

Personal

Rev. Charles Taze Russell, known as "Pastor Russell" of the Brooklyn tabernacle, Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted the pastorate of the London tabernacle, Paddington.

John E. Lodge, only son of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, is to be married within the next few months, it is said, to Miss Mary Connolly, a Boston nurse, who says she is to be the bride.

Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who was stricken with vertigo at the pension office and was taken to a hospital, has sufficiently recovered to return to his hotel in Washington.

Mrs. Hetty Green, with the assistance of her son, Col. E. H. R. Green, has decided to consolidate her interests in a private bank in New York city, with a chain of branches running across the country.

Former President Roosevelt returned to New York from a seven weeks' tour of the west and middle west. As he stepped from a train from Chicago he came into contact with a crowd of outgoing Easter visitors, many of whom greeted him with cheers.

Denman Thompson, the actor who made "The Old Homestead" famous, died at his country estate in West Swanzey, N. H. Mr. Thompson had been ill with heart disease and uraemia for several weeks.

Washington society is stirred over an assignment filed by Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney, a wealthy Washington widow, whose engagement to Christian Hemmick, son of Ronald Hemmick, former consul at Geneva, recently was announced. In the assignment Mrs. Barney transfers all her property to her two daughters.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons, the philanthropist of Hinsdale, Ill., celebrated his ninety-first birthday by giving $300,000 to various small colleges and the American Board of Foreign Mission.

THE THINGS DONE AT STATE CAPITOL

WITH THE END OF THE SESSION IN SIGHT THE LEGISLATURE IS GLUTTED WITH WORK.

OVER 1,000 BILLS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED SO FAR AND MORE ARE IN SIGHT.

Governor May Call an Extra Session to Convene April 20, the Day Following Adjournment.

By Toby Candor.

The Michigan legislature is rushing to the close of the session of 1911. Saturday session was held last week and this week it is proposed to hold a session on Sunday. Not only must this be done if the legislature is to accomplish anything at all but it will be necessary to work from day to day after April 19 and even then a great mass of bills will be left upon the calendar.

At the present time the calendar shows a daily something like 50 bills awaiting third reading while more than 100 bills on the general order. The committees are still dumping bills into the general order at the rate of 25 a day and are still swamped with work. The great state printing plant, one of the largest in this section of the country is so congested with work that the House has been notified it will be impossible to print any more bills until the present great batch of them has been cleaned up. That is not all. Bills are still being introduced and the total number is far more than 1,000 for this session. As a result of the condition and the important measures which stand little chance of passage a general demand has been made for a reconsideration of the adjournment resolution and the extension of time for two or three weeks. The House, however, is bull-headed in the matter and many of the members declare they will not reconsider. Meanwhile the governor refuses to take an active hand to force the legislature but has said he may call a special session to convene at 2:00 p.m. the day following that set for adjournment. He has also suggested he might call the members back about August 1, which would take the farmers away from the busiest time of the year and make the city members work during the hot weather. This is a thing which does not appeal very strongly to the members and may have some influence in making them stick to their work now and finish it up.

While the legislature has been squabbling over one day's pay for the employes of the House, Rep. Enright has shown that if the legislature adjourns April 19 as agreed upon, each member will go home with $250 in his pocket that he doesn't earn. Members are paid $800 for their service, but are paid at the rate of $5 a day and they get $5 a day during special sessions. At the rate of $5 a day for the adjournment April 19 they will have earned just $550, but will be paid $800, so Mr. Straight sets forth that they'll be taking $250 which they have not earned.

If because of the early adjournment a special session is called, each member will receive ten cents a mile for a round trip from his home and $5 a day in addition, which with the regular expense of running the legislature will make the cost to the state something like $50,000, while each member will receive at least $100 salary in addition to say nothing of the mileage.

One fine feat of the senate during the last week has been the complete emasculation of the home rule bill demanded by every city in Michigan. It was demanded that the home rule act should be amended to make clearly possible the initiative, referendum and recall provisions, and a bill was introduced for this effect. The Detroit United Railway is opposed to such a measure as by the recall, some of the aldermen who are now the friends of the company might be taken out of the council while by the initiative, the city might apply the municipal ownership clause which the council refuses to give them a chance at.

In accordance with this desire on the part of the D. U. R. Senator Guy Miller with the aid of 19 other members of the senate cut the recall measure from the bill entirely and makes the initiative possible through the petition of 25 per cent of the voters, the petitions to be signed at the polls on election day. Such a measure naturally makes the initiative impossible and destroys the entire principle. The bill in such a form has passed the senate with 20 votes back of it. The House has amended the bill by reinserting the original clauses and will refer it in this way, but the senate will refuse to concur and the result will finally be no amendment to the bill.

The Glasner bill to repeal the act establishing the board of pardons has passed the House committee of the whole.

The Jerome bill appropriating $10,000 for pensions to the families of convicts and which was lost early in the session was taken from the table last week and passed by the House. The senate refused to take it up that while the state is to take care of the family of a man who commits murder no provision is made for the family of the victim.

The Stewart central board of control bill, an administration measure, has passed the House. The board will handle all the affairs of the penal and reformatory institutions of the state, will consist of three members to receive salaries of $2,500 each.

L. Kobacker, wanted in Chicago on a charge of embezzlement was brought to Lansing last week for a hearing on extradition which he was fighting. Immediately after breakfast on the day of the hearing he went to his room and swallowed a big dose of chloroform. When found he was nearly dead but physicians managed to save his life.

The Edwards bill providing that township treasurers may give surety bond for only ten per cent more than the total taxes they collect instead of double the amount is now provided for in the House.

The House has found still another way to obstruct legislation. This time it is the appropriation bills, the most important feature of this or any legislative session that must suffer. The House has taken a stand against concurring in any of the senate's amendments to appropriation bills which increase the appropriations over what the House committee has allowed. One bill came in from the senate with an increase of $500 over what the House had determined. The House promptly refused to concur, ordered a conference committee and ordered the conference committee not to agree to a penny more than the House had allowed. As the senate has taken a similar stand it is rather difficult to see what is going to become of some of the appropriations.

Warden James Russell of Marquette prison is in Lansing with an agreement from the contractors running the box factory at the prison to surrender their contract at once and turn over their machinery to the state. Mr. Russell is therefore anxious that he be given a sufficient appropriation to make the purchase and put the plant at work on state account. He estimates the physical value of the property at about $21,000 but has not yet secured a figure from the contractors as to what they will take for it all. He has their agreement however that they will surrender their contract. The appropriation bill provides for $62,000. Mr. Bushnell thinks he should have $80,000 to put the plant into operation for the state.

The military organization bill introduced by Rep. Stewart of Kent has passed both Houses and is now up to the governor for signature. This is one of the most important measures of the session and results in a real housecleaning which lies entirely in the hands of the governor. The bill cuts out the three brigadier generals whose duties were to appear in gold braid upon state occasions and to maintain expensive offices with their staffs. All of these departments disappear and the governor declares he will clean out the clerks and put the guard not only upon a sound military basis but on a basis of economy for the state.

The state land commissioner's office which Governor Osborn recommended be abolished and which is provided for in the constitution, will not be abolished. Rep. Dusenbury introduced a bill providing for this and had it referred to his own committee on public lands. The committee in spite of Dusenbury voted to indefinitely postpone further consideration. Dusenbury tried to have the House relieve the committee of further consideration and failed but he accomplished the purpose of placing the members on record.

Liquor legislation is still playing a prominent part in the work of the legislature. The Kingman bill permitting breweries in dry counties to operate so long as their product is not sold there in the county has been reported out in the senate while the bill making druggists equally liable with physicians for supplying liquors for medicinal purposes only and the bill providing that saloon keepers having good records shall be given preference when seeking licenses have been reported out in the House.

The administration bill providing a commission to make a thorough investigation of the state departments and commissions stands little show of passage. It has been fought tooth and nail by the departments and is now on the general order of the senate where every time it is reached a motion is made to pass it for the day and action never takes place. This investigation was promised by Governor Osborn and he has used every possible method to bring it about but without success.

The McBride bill to establish township meat inspectors was killed in the House committee of the whole. While it was not mandatory on the townships to appoint such inspectors, the members feared it would result in expense. In arguing for his bill, Mr. McBride said, "We have spent hours arguing and passing bills to protect the life of bees, of trees, of dogs and of sheep but when a bill comes up to protect human life we promptly holler about expense and kill it."

A concurrent resolution has been adopted by both Houses authorizing the railroad commission to take whatever steps are necessary to make the G. R. & I. railroad company observe not only the letter but the spirit of the 2 cent fare law. The road charges two cents in Michigan and two cents in Indiana but on a passenger starting in Michigan and finishing in Indiana a rate of 2½ cents is charged.

Rep. Graves has secured the passage of one of his many tuition raising bills. After the bill raising the tuition in the normal schools had once been defeated by the House in last week and secured the passage. His attempt to attach a rider to the University of Michigan appropriation bill by which the regents were not to receive the appropriation unless they raised tuition failed to pass.

After months of arguing and attempts to embarrass the administration, the salary of the insurance commissioner has been definitely fixed at $5,000 a year. It was formerly $2,000 with fees amounting to from $2,000 to $5,000. The fees are now cut off.

The much talked of old cell block at Jackson prison is to be torn down and a new one constructed with an appropriation of $225,000. Senator Fowle fought hard against the passage of this bill, declaring the structure was not worth spending so much upon. Governor Osborn took this view of the matter, but the senate couldn't see it and voted the appropriation.

Senator Cartier's bill providing a commission of inquiry to locate a permanent camp ground for the National Guard has passed both Houses and become a law.

The Taylor bill providing for teachers' retirement fund has passed the senate and has passed in the House where it is believed the bill will pass without difficulty.

The bill providing for an expert commission to investigate the tax system of Michigan as promised by Governor Osborn and all the other gubernatorial candidates seem to be dead. It once passed the House after a bitter struggle, went to the senate was amended, came back to the House and has been placed on the table where there is every likelihood it will expire.

IMPEACHMENT OF WARDEN RUSSELL

LEGALITY OF THE ACTION IS APPROVED BY ATTORNEY GENERAL KUHN

HEARING OF ACCUSED WARDEN TO BE COMMENCED ABOUT MAY 16.

Prisoners and Guards to Be Brought From Marquette at Heavy Expense.

In a session attended by great confusion and lasting nearly two hours the house elected three managers to prosecute the charges against Warden Russell in the impeachment trial to be conducted before the senate. The men finally chosen were Rep. John Kalmbach, of Chelsea, Rep. Henry Straight, of Coldwater, Rep. Charles Flowers, of Detroit.

At a midnight conference between some members of the house and Attorney-General Kuhn and Deputy Attorney General Chase, it was decided that proceedings to impeach Warden James Russell, of Marquette, would be good as far as the constitutional side of the question was concerned. A resolution to impeach Russell was prepared by Reps. Straight and Kalmbach.

Russell Majority in Senate.

There was some hesitation in introducing the resolution, due to the consideration whether it would be of any use to attempt to try Russell before a tribunal that has formed a verdict before a single bit of evidence is introduced.

Then, too, the members of the house are suspicious of the attitude of the governor's office.

Reps. Warner and Perry, majority members of the committee and defenders of the committee and defenders of Russell, also were loud in their declarations that they favored the impeachment.

"We are not responsible for the final action of the senate," said Rep. Straight. "But as far as the house is concerned, having adopted the minority report, it cannot recede. We must assume the responsibility for our action in the house. We have a report, asked for the removal of Warden Russell. While the legislature is in session, the house is the only body that can remove an official. And this having decreed his dismissal, we must take the initial step. If the senate fails to adopt the view of the house, the responsibility rests with the senators. We will have done our duty to the people of the state."

Impeachments Rare.

Impeachment proceedings in Michigan are extremely rare. The last was in 1872, when Land Commissioner Edmunds was impeached.

The mode of procedure is this: A resolution in the house decrees the proceedings. Then charges are formulated and a committee of the house is appointed to present and prosecute them before the senate sitting as the judges. The accused has a right to be present in person and by counsel. A two-thirds majority is necessary for impeachment.

Says Marquette Board Won't Quit.

Ira Carley, of Ingalls, a member of the Marquette prison board, says that he and his fellow members will ignore the recommendation of the minority investigation committee's report to resign. In an interview he had no intention of turning in his resignation as the result of the minority report.

Mr. Carley says "Mr. Anthony and Mr. Johnson are both men of high standing. They are serving the state absolutely without pay, receiving only their actual expenses, and they are actuated by no other motive than to secure the prison the best possible administration.

Mr. Carley also says that he would be glad if the legislature would carry on the investigation still further and call before the lawmakers at Lansing the witnesses who testified in the former investigation, including a number of the convicts.

Special Session in December.

While there is nothing official on the subject it is understood that Governor Osborn will call the legislature in session in December. Just on what grounds he will make the call hasn't been decided yet but he will make an effort at that time to secure the laws which he advocated in his inaugural message and also to deal with the report of the special tax commission created by this legislature.

Takes Title From State Fair.

The special committee appointed to investigate the state fair at Detroit submitted a preliminary report to both houses of the legislature. The report recommends that no fair shall be conducted under the name, "Michigan state fair," unless the state has the supervision of its management.

Legal complications have arisen which make the recent incorporation of the village of Carleton invalid and the election of officials has been called off.

In an opinion handed down by Judge Wiest, in the suit of the Title Guarantee & Surety Co. against the state of Michigan, William Vedemeyer, receiver of the Chelsea Savings bank, and the several other surety companies on the bonds of Frank P. Glazier, ex-state treasurer, to which the surety companies entered demurrers, the court overruled the demurrers.

Charles E. Spencer, Grand Trunk engineer, whom the railroad blamed for the wreck at Durand last year, has been named as co-respondent in a divorce action between Police Sergeant Don Morry and his wife.

Charles H. Soule, Jr., of Chicago, has foreclosed a mortgage on one-sixth of the magnificent country estate of the late Alexander Dowie, on White lake. The estate is in the hands of his widow and son, who are in Battle Creek. The Farmers' State bank, of Monguagon, has also foreclosed a mortgage for $1000 on the household goods, which are said to be worth many thousand dollars.

WAR CLOUDS BLOW AWAY

Mexican Government Promises U. S. to Adopt "Restrictive Policy."

Positive assurance that the Mexican government will adopt a "definite restrictive policy along the border" and news from Douglas that the rebel forces have evacuated Agua Prieta, did much to relieve the high tension under which President Taft and members of his official family have labored for the past few days. The assurance from Mexico followed demands of the state department that fighting which endangered American lives in the border towns must be stopped.

That the situation is not now regarded as acute is evidenced by the fact that leaders of both the senate and the house, with whom the president conferred prior to the assembling of the cabinet, declared that no action is contemplated by congress at this time.

Rebels Evacuate Agua Prieta.

The rebel army, after almost 18 hours of incessant fighting Monday in defense of Agua Prieta, quietly evacuated the town during the night. It moved out silently and when day broke was nowhere to be seen. The Mexican national troops entered the city at dawn, encountering no resistance.

The federals approached the town from the south and east during the early hours, coming in slowly and cautiously, fearing an ambush. Great was their surprise on finding, when they reached the outer works of the rebel entrenchments, that the trenches had been abandoned and no insurrectos were in sight.

The federals continued to come in, still more slowly, presumably expecting a every moment to encounter a surprise, but they found no rebels anywhere. The latter had vanished as completely as the night. There was no indication even of the direction they had taken.

The reason for their evacuation of the city after an all-day defense of it was not at first apparent. The most logical conclusion seemed to be that they had exhausted their ammunition.

In an interview on his return to Dublin, Richard Croker, the former leader of Tammany hall, expressed the opinion that Irishmen were ill-advised in incurring the hostility of King George.

THE MARKETS

DETROIT—Cattle—Market dull and 10c to 15c lower than last week's range. Best steers and heifers, $6; good to choice steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $5.50@5.75; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs., $4.75@5.25; mixed butchers' that sold, $4.50@4.75; canners $2.50@3.25; best heavy bulls, $4.75@5; bologna bulls, $4.

Veal calves—Market steady; best grades, $7.50@7.75; others, $4@7; milch cows and springers, $25@50.

Sheep and lambs—Market dull and 25c lower than last week's range; best lambs, $6@6.25; fair to good lambs, $5.50@5.75; light to common lambs, $4@5; best yearlings, $4.75@5.25; fair to good butcher sheep, $4@4.50; culls and common, $2@2.75.

Hogs—Market dull and 40c to 50c lower than last week's range. Quotations are: Light, $6.25; good to $6.50; pigs, $6.50; light yorkers, $6.50; heavy and mixed hogs, $6@6.40; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle dull. Hogs—Slow; heavy, $6.25@6.40; yorkers, $6.30@6.40; pigs, $6.40; roughs, $5.75. Lower; wool lambs, $6.40@6.50; clipped lambs, $5.25@5.50; yearlings, $5.50@6; sheep, $4.75@5; wethers, $4.75@5; ewes, $4.50@4.75. Calves, $4.50@8.50.

Grains, Etc

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 87 1-2c; May opened without change at 88¾c, advanced to 89¾c and declined to 88¾c; July and September opened at 87c, advanced to 87 1-4c and declined to 87c. No. 3 white, 86½c.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 49 1-2c; No. 3 yellow, 50c; car of No. 4 2-3c, closing bid.

Oats—Standard, 34c; No. 3 white, 33 1-2c.

Rye—Cash No. 1, 93c; No. 2, 92c.

Beans—Cash, $1.96; May, $1.98.

Clover seed—Prime cash and April, $8.60; sample, 30 bags at $8.25; 25 at $7.25, 9 at $6; prime alsike, $8.75; sample alsike, 6 bags at $8.

Timothy seed—Prime spot, 30 bags at $2.25.

Feed—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, $27; coarse middlings, $27; fine middlings, $28; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, $22; corn and oat chop, $27 per ton.

Flour—Best Michigan patent, $4.80; second patent, $4.70; straight, $4.45; clear $4.25; pure rye, $4.45; spring patent, $5.05 per bbl in wood.

Farm Produce.

Honey—Choice to fancy comb, 15@17c per lb.

Potatoes—Michigan, car lots, 45c; store lots, 55@58c per bu.

New maple sugar—Pure, 110 12c per lb; syrup, 75@80c per gal.

Dressed calves—Fancy, 10c; choice, 9@9 1-2c; ordinary, 8c per lb.

Nuts—Walnuts, 60@65c per bu; butternuts, 50@60c per bu; shellbark hickory nuts, $2@2.50 per bu.

Live poultry—Spring chickens, 15@17c; hens, 14@16 1-2c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 15@18c; geese, 12@13c; ducks, 15@16c per lb.

Dressed poultry—Broilers, 16@24c; chickens, 16@17c; hens, 16@17c; old roosters and stags, 12@13c; ducks, 17@18c; geese, 12@14c per lb.

Cheese—Michigan full cream, 15@16c; late made, 13@14c; York state, old, 16@18c; late made, 14@15c; Limburger, 16@17c; domestic Swiss, 18@20c; imported Swiss, 29@30c; cream brick, 17@18c.

Eggs—Current receipts cases included, 17 1-2c per doz.; candled, 18c; checks, 16c; seconds, 15c; creamery, 19c; dairy, 16c; packing, 13c per lb.

Vegetables.

Beets, 50c per bu.; carrots, 50c per bu.; cauliflower, 75c per crate; cucumbers, hothouse, $1.50@1.75 per doz.; celery, 30@35c per doz.; dandelions, 15c per doz.; eggplant, $2.25@2.50 per case; escarole, $1.25@2 per doz.; green onions, 15@20c per doz.; garlic, 10c per lb.; horseradish, 10c per lb.; lettuce, leaf, 10c per lb.; head lettuce, $2.50@2.75 per case; parsley, 25c per doz.; peppers, 50@75c per doz.; radishes, hothouse, 25@30c per doz.; turnips, 60c per bu.; watercress, 25@30c per doz.

In deference to a protest against executing a man on Good Friday, Gov. Pennewill, of Delaware, reprieved Riese Roberts, a negro, until May 12. Roberts murdered Robert Casey, a storekeeper, and his wife, near Clayton, last August.

The wool and mohair growers are petitioning their representatives in Washington to oppose any reduction in the tariff on wool and mohair. The business has assumed large proportions and any material reduction would result in destroying the industry, it is claimed.

Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, was stricken with vertigo, and fell unconscious to the sidewalk as he was entering the pension office. He was hurried to a hospital, where it was reported his condition is not critical.

An immigration bill affecting all Mongolian peoples was introduced by Rep. Hayes. It provides that all laws now in force regulating the coming of Chinese into the United States apply to Japanese, Koreans, Tartars, Malays, Afghans, East Indians, Lascars, Hindoos and all persons of Mongolian or Asiatic race or extraction.

Loss of Appetite

Which is so common in the spring as upon the return of warm weather, is one of Hood's most vigorous friends. It often a forerunner of prostrating disease.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take.

Praise not a woman for what she hath, but for what she hath not, and thy reward shall be exceeding great.—Colett Burgess.

ASK FOR ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE
the Antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes. Relieves Corns, Bunions, Ingrowing Nails, Swollen, Sweating feet, Blisters and Callous spots. Good everywhere. 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y.

Cure for His Dyspepsy.

Hogan—Phwat makes ye wroite all your dinner in two minutes, Grogan? Are ye afin' on a bet?

Grogan—It's for the good av me dyspepsy, Moike. Sure the docther told me to shtand an hour after atin', and how can I shtand on Grafton strate the hour of fist in onless Oi are loike the divil?"

Bird, Jekyll and Hyde.

The catbird is our northern mocking bird. With high attitude its voice, it can warble as sweetly as the nightingale. You must catch it in one of its melting moods if you would know the charm of its liquid notes. It is not at all beautiful—no more is the mocking bird—only a gray bird—a perky, restless thing, of lesser size than the robin, with the soul of song in it.

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THE DEALER WAS WISE.

Purchaser—When you sold me this horse you said he was without faults. Now I find he's lame.

Horse Dealer—Well, lameness ain't a fault—it's an affliction.

COFFEE CONGESTION
Causes a Variety of Ills.

A happy old lady in Wisconsin says:

"During the time I was a coffee drinker I was subject to sick headaches, sometimes lasting 2 or 3 days, totally unfitting me for anything.

"To this affliction was added a trouble with my heart that was very painful, accompanied by a smothering sensation and faintness.

"Dyspepsia, also came to make life harder to bear. I took all sorts of patent medicines and doctored myself and was treated by doctors for the same troubles for any length of time.

"The doctors frequently told me that coffee was not good for me, but without coffee I felt as if I had no breakfast. I finally decided about 2 years ago to abandon the use of coffee entirely, and as I had read a great deal about Postum I concluded to try that for a breakfast beverage.

"I liked the taste of it and was particularly pleased to notice that it did not 'come up' as coffee used to. The bad spells with my heart grew less and less frequent, and finally ceased altogether, and I have not had an attack of sick headache for more than a year. My digestion is good, too, and I am thankful that I can enjoy more healthy victuals. I know my wonderful restoration to health came from quitting coffee and using Postum." Name given by the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is the Coffee has a direct action on the liver with some people, and causes partial congestion of that organ preventing the natural outlet of the secretions. Then may follow biliousness, sallow skin, headaches, constipation and finally a change of the blood corpuscles and nervous prostration.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.