

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Dor City—George H. Randall, Sr., well known retired lumberman, was found dead in his bed at the Imperial hotel. Coroner H. M. Simon decided death was due to natural causes.

Kalamazoo—William Richey, 60, who escaped from the Kalamazoo hospital for the insane, later hanged himself on a tree south of the hospital grounds. A posse was searching for him when his body was discovered.

Bay City—T. M. O'Brien was named executor for Messinger brothers, in an action started before Judge S. G. Houghton by the stockholders, asking dissolution of the corporation. The concern deals in ice, fuel and butchers' supplies.

Cadillac—Names of all Wexford county men who died in service during the World War are wanted by the Cadillac post of the American Legion for a memorial tablet to be presented Armistice day by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Ann Arbor—Miss Sarah A. Hall, oldest daughter of Arthur A. Hall, registrar of the U. S. M. has accepted the position of Chief actuary of the Ladies of the Maccabees, in the head office of the organization, at Port Huron. She will begin her duties on October 1.

Saginaw—T. Leo Jones, Michigan district president of the United Mine Workers of America, has resigned to go on a vaudeville tour with a local orchestra, in which he plays a saxophone. He has been succeeded by George Torrey, St. Charles, district vice-president.

River Rouge—River Rouge will soon be a signless city. A resolution was passed by the city commission ordering that no billboards could be erected and that those already in use must be taken down by January 1, 1923. The commission declared that the billboards destroyed the beauty of the city.

Mears—A broken arm and other injuries are not preventing Swift Lathers, editor of the News News, from publishing his weekly newspaper. The newspaper is being edited from a room in the Paulina Stearns Hospital at Ludington, where Lathers was taken after the truck on which he was riding upset.

Saginaw—When Dr. Ralph S. Jiroch saw flames in the basement of the home of Miss Agnes B. Muir, an invalid, he jumped from his automobile, rushed into the house and carried Miss Muir, who was one of his patients, to a place of safety, before she was overcome by the dense smoke. Firemen were compelled to use gas masks to fight the fire.

Saginaw—Resumption of service on the Saginaw street car lines, which have been idle more than a year, is asked in initiatory petitions circulated here by the Saginaw Auto Dealers' association. It asks that Otto Schupp, trustee, representing holders of first mortgage bonds, be permitted to operate the lines at a fare of 10 cents for a single ride, or 20 rides for a dollar.

Charlotte—Miss Minnie Mills, educated in Olivet College and a mission-ary in Smyrna, when that city recently was destroyed by fire, escaped from that port while hundreds of others were being killed by the Turks. Word of her safety came in a cablegram from her sister, Mrs. Abbie Threlkeld, of Charlotte. Miss Mills, the cablegram stated, now is quartered in a girls' school in Athens.

Mt. Clemens—Unable to furnish \$10,000 bail, Fred "Pug" Hamilton, charged with criminal assault upon Robert Connolly, Detroit city clerk, lodged in the county jail. He was arraigned before Justice William J. Dussé, waived examination and was bound over to the next term of circuit court. Detroit authorities are adding local officers in tracing Hamilton's police record.

Ionia—Suit for \$10,000 has been started against the Ionia Free Fair association by Ernest Thorpe, by his next friend as a result of the fireworks explosion in which he lost part of his right hand. Thorpe obtained fireworks from the grounds which he carried home. They exploded on the way tearing his hand to pieces and a hole in his throat. The throat has healed and all that is left of the hand is the thumb and little finger.

Marquette—Appointment of a commission of physicians to determine the mental condition of Arthur "Gypsy" Bob Harper, Jasper Perry and Charles Roberts, Marquette prison inmates, charged with the murder of Fred C. Mennehan, deputy warden at the Marquette branch prison, who died as a result of knife wounds alleged to have been inflicted by them during the fight in the prison chapel, December 11, 1921, will be petitioned for in circuit court.

Flint—A warrant was issued in justice court charging Joseph Morrow, Alderman from the First Ward, with embezzling the city of \$50. According to the complaint, Morrow, on July 1, sold gravel pit equipment owned by the city for \$350, received a check for \$250 and \$50 in cash. It is alleged that he reported to the council that the equipment brought only \$250. The warrant grows out of a John Doe investigation started here by Circuit Judge F. W. Brennan and Harry Galt, prosecuting attorney. Morrow denied the charges.

The KITCHEN CABINET

(By 1922, Western Newspaper Union.)
The warm rain drops against the sun
Add in the rain the robin's song.
Across the cross in trees and through
The hawking swifts and swallow
wing.

WHAT TO EAT

The right kind of breakfast, as any other meal, begins the day before, which means, being planned before. The first meal of the day is to many housekeepers the most difficult meal of all. Of course, if you go without breakfast the problem is solved; but a breakfast lounge in bed; however, the breakfast habit is fairly well established, having been active for any number of centuries, so that the household, present and to come, will probably still plan and execute breakfasts.

It is wise to remember that the first meal should be a happy, quiet one, starting the family off to their various duties in a cheerful frame of mind. There have been no statistics compiled which tell us of the tragedies, crimes and miseries which have been caused by poor food, but in a wild and disordered household, who can tell the far-reaching effects of such conditions?

When proper thought has been given the menu, there is no vast task to be should not be varied, as there are countless ways of serving the common things. Heavy, hearty foods are not good for inactive people and when one feels stupid and dull an hour or two after eating it is wise to look into the menu.

Most people enjoy a bit of fruit in season the first thing, then a dish of some kind, which, because of the variety, may be different every morning; an egg or bacon and toast with a cup of coffee, will be sufficient for the average appetite.

Hot breads, waffles, griddle cakes may occasionally take the place of toast, though the season and temperature affects the appetite.

Tomato Butter—After cooking ripe tomatoes, carefully removing all the seeds possible, use nearly equal measures of sugar and cook until thick. Add an equal amount of well-cooked slightly sweetened apple puree to the tomato and when put into glasses and covered with paraffin. This is very nice with meats in winter.

Southern Pudding—Take two cups of mashed sweet potatoes, add the yolks of four eggs well beaten, two pints of milk, one-half cup of sugar, and a teaspoonful of cinnamon; stir in lightly the whites of four eggs beaten stiff and turn into a well-buttered baking dish to bake. Serve with any sauce or without.

This is a great one, when a man, impressed with a great idea, can carry out his project without being hindered or thwarted or prevented in any form.—Dickens.

MORE PICKLES

Some mustard pickles which are blended with just a little vinegar and combination, are especially good. Try these:

Mustard Pickles.—Take 21 small cucumbers, one quart of small onions, two cauliflower flowers, two

quarts of green tomatoes, six green peppers, one-half pound of mustard, one-half ounce of turmeric powder, three-fourths cup of flour, one cup of sugar, 3/4 quart of vinegar. Cut the vegetables into small pieces and let them stand overnight in a brine, using one cupful of salt to a gallon of water. In the morning scald and drain thoroughly. Mix the mustard, turmeric, flour and sugar with a pint of the vinegar and pour over, add this to the remaining vinegar which has been brought to the boiling point. Cook twenty minutes, add the vegetables and when cool place in jars and seal.

Pepper Hash.—Take twelve red and twelve green peppers, remove the white ribs and seeds, peel twelve onions the size of an egg, chop all very fine, then add boiling water to cover. Let stand five minutes and drain. Cook together three pints of vinegar, two cupfuls of sugar, three level table-spoonsful of salt, add the vegetables, cook for one hour and turn into sterilized jars. Seal.

Spiced Grapes.—Remove the skins from and place in a separate dish, eight pounds of grapes. Cook the pulp in three cupfuls of vinegar with four sticks of cinnamon, one ounce of cloves and two blades of mace tied in a cloth. Pass as much as possible through the sieve, keeping back the seeds. Add the skins which have been simmered slowly until tender, add four pounds of sugar and the spices and cook until thick. Seal in glasses. Very nice with venison.

Mexican Egg-Salt.—Salt three green peppers lengthwise and take out the seeds. Fry six very thin slices of ham and place on slices of toast, lay the peppers over the ham and put a poached or fried egg on each slice.

Nellie Maxwell

BETTER ROADS

SAFE WIDTH OF HARD ROADS

Bureau of Public Roads Makes Recommendation of 18 Feet to Provide Good Clearance.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A minimum width of 18 feet for hard-surface roads is recommended by the bureau of public roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. The maximum width of a hard-surface road should be 36 feet, and 5 1/2 feet is the ordinary clearance



Traffic on a 16-Foot Pavement.

width of automobiles. At an average speed of 30 miles an hour it is unreasonable to expect the driver of an automobile to drive with the wheels closer than 1 1/2 feet to the edge of the pavement, says the bureau. For trucks at an average speed of 15 miles an hour, this distance should not be less than 1 1/2 feet of the edge of the great width of the road wheel. Three feet seems to be a minimum safe clearance between bodies. Inasmuch as a certain amount of truck traffic is to be expected on all main country roads, the minimum width of surface should be 18 feet to provide these clearances when an automobile meets a truck.

Where the frequency with which trucks pass each other becomes a big factor, as in the neighborhood of large cities, the minimum width of pavement should be 20 feet "to provide a clearance of 3 1/2 feet and a safe distance of wheels from edge of pavement."

GRAVEL FOR ROAD BUILDING

Simple, Portable Apparatus Devised to Test its Suitability for Highways.

To aid the bureau of public roads, United States Department of Agriculture, in giving particular attention to the use of local material for road construction, a "gravel" testing apparatus has been devised for testing gravel to determine its suitability for concrete. The device consists of two steel balls arranged so that a pile of gravel can be placed on top of one of the balls and the other ball allowed to fall from different heights and strike the gravel. The height of the fall required to break the gravel, is an indication of its suitability to withstand the blows of traffic.

Heretofore, the test has been no satisfactory test of gravel as there has been fear of stone, with the result that in some instances more costly material has been used when a suitable gravel was available close at hand. Along this line the bureau is preparing wear tests on concrete to determine how many different materials to determine just how far it is safe to go in the quality of material is doubtful.

MONEY FOR COLORADO ROADS

Secretary Wallace Approves Expenditure of \$568,000 for Highways in Colorado.

An expenditure totaling \$568,000 of national forest highway funds for the construction of 106 miles of roads in Colorado have been approved by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace. This money was made available for roads of primary importance to the state, counties or communities within, adjoining or adjacent to the national forests.

GIVE DIRT ROADS ATTENTION

Farmers Enad to 'Haul' Larger Loads With Less Strain of Harness and Equipment.

Many communities have found it to their advantage to keep their dirt roads smooth by dragging. Dividing the work among individuals gives different more, a lot of the year. In such communities, farmers are able to haul heavier loads with less strain on harness, teams and equipment and the saving in the cost of transportation more than pays for the little time each one has spent on the roads.

Road Building in France.

In France, because of the increased strain on the highways caused by a larger use of motor traction, the French minister of public works has outlined a program of road-building on a large scale.

Children Can Attend School.

It is the condition of the highway which determines whether our children shall go to school every day or whether they shall have to stay at home to bother their mothers part of the time.

Some More Truths.

WOULD you use a steam shovel to move a pebble? Certainly not. Implements are built according to the work they have to do.

Would you use a grown-up's remedy for your baby's ills? Certainly not. Remedies are prepared according to the work THEY have to do.

All this is preliminary to reminding you that Fletcher's Castoria was sought out, found and is prepared solely as a remedy for Infants and Children. And let this be a warning against Substitutes, Counterfeits and the Just-as-good stuff that may be all right for you in all your strength, but dangerous for the little babe.

All the mother-love that lies within your heart cries out to you: Be true to Baby. And being true to Baby you will keep in the house remedies specially prepared for babies as you would a baby's food, hairbrush, toothbrush or sponge.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA. 900 DROPS. ALCOHOL-3 PER CENT. Vegetable Preparation for Assuaging the Acidity of the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN. Thereby Promoting Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Cures Colic, Wind, Flatulence, Worms, Stomach Ache, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, and all the other ailments of Infants and Children. A helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP resulting therefrom. Sold Everywhere. The Centaur Company, NEW YORK. 35 Doses - 40 CENTS.

10 Cents

Anticipatory People. "I really dislike to talk to her; she has such a habit of finishing one's sentences for one. You know the kind? 'Yes,' they listen faster than you can talk to them."—Boston Transcript.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. Pain in the back, head aches, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble. Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions. Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., P.O. Box 589, New York, for a sample bottle. When we write to you mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Close Quarters.

"I suppose you take the Sunday papers?" "No; they crowd our flat too much."

FREEDOM FROM LAXATIVES

Discovery by Scientists Has Replaced Them. Pills and salts give a temporary relief from constipation only at the expense of permanent injury, says an eminent medical authority. Science has found a newer, better way—a means as simple as Nature itself.

In perfect health a natural lubricant keeps the food waste soft and moving. But when constipation exists this natural lubricant is not sufficient. Medical authorities have found that the gentle lubricating action of Nujol most closely resembles that of Nature's own lubricant. As Nujol is not a laxative it cannot gripe. It is in no sense a medicine. And like pure water it is harmless and pleasant.

Nujol is prescribed by physicians; used in leading hospitals. Get a bottle from your druggist today.—Advertisement.

Incubable.

"Doctor, can you help me? My mother is Bogus." "Sorry my little girl, I can't do anything for that."—Boston Transcript.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA. Are You Prepared? A doctor in the house all the time would be a good idea. Yet you can't afford to keep a doctor in the family to keep baby well or prevent sickness. But you can do almost the same thing by having at hand a bottle of Fletcher's Castoria, because it is a wonderful remedy for indigestion, colic, feverishness, fretfulness and all the other disorders that result from common ailments that babies have. Fletcher's Castoria is perfectly safe to use. It is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrup. Children cry for Fletcher's Castoria, and mothers recommend it because they have found it a comfort to children and a mother's friend. If you love your baby, you know how sweet it is to be able to help baby when trouble comes. You cannot always call upon a doctor. But doctors have nothing but good to say of Fletcher's Castoria, because they know that it can only do good—that it can't do any harm—and they wouldn't want you to use for baby a remedy that you would use for yourself. MOTHERS SHOULD READ THE BOOKLET THAT IS AROUND EVERY BOTTLE OF FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS! Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

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Sweet Young Gardener. Numbered among my acquaintances is a very sweet young woman who, like many other maidens, during this year became obsessed with the desire to have a little garden of her own, and being like most young women, very fond of pickles, she tripped gaily one day into a store where they sold garden and flower seeds and wanted to know if they kept any pickle seed. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, please take note.—Washington Star.

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They'll Leave Together.

And Tankins says looking a friend an umbrella is a sign you don't care what if you lose both.

Usually it is very young men who are "looking for an easy job"; older ones are glad to get any.

Rumor or Deceit?

"There's a rumor that Woppat has a daughter once owned by General Lafayette." "Is there anything in it?"—Judge.

"Haste makes waste." is an old motto, but a lazy one. You've got to hurry to keep up.

Make your Old Walls NEW!

Every genuine package has the cross and circle printed in red. Redecorate with little trouble, less expense and greater satisfaction. There is one best way to do it.

Alabastine Instead of Kalsomine or Wall Paper. Doctor, can you help me? My mother is Bogus. "Sorry my little girl, I can't do anything for that."—Boston Transcript.