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## Supervisors In Session

### Preliminary Work Completed and Routine Taken Up.

The annual October session of the Board of Supervisors convened at Charlevoix, Monday. Frank M. House of Boyne Valley township was elected chairman. On Tuesday the Board members went to Eveline township to look over the proposed route of the road to be built next summer by the county road commissioners. There is a difference of opinion as to which of two routes is preferable, and this matter will be settled next week.

Below are the committees named by Chairman House:

Claims—Wm. J. Gallagher, F. J. Meech, Wm. H. Benjamin, Dwight L. Wilson, J. C. Karcher.

Ways and Means—George Durance, Jacob E. Chew, Theron J. Smith.

Settle with County Treasurer—Wm. F. Bshaw, Clarence Miller, Wm. H. Mayne.

Settle with Poor Commission—Frank C. Burnett, Wm. Townsend, Theron J. Smith.

Equalization—Elmer Ingalls, Wallace Bailey, Malcom McDonald, J. C. Karcher, Franklin L. Smith.

Apportionment—Wallace Bailey, Elmer Ingalls, J. E. Chew.

Township Clerk's Report—Jacob E. Chew, Fred Mitchell, M. A. McDonald.

Rejected and Charged Back Taxes—J. C. Karcher, E. S. Brintnall, Theron J. Smith.

Printing—George Durance, T. J. Smith, Jacob E. Chew.

Insurance—J. W. Green, C. J. Zeitler, Frank Clute.

Court House—F. C. Burnett, E. S. Brintnall, Fred Mitchell.

Roads, Bridges and Dams—Harrison Berdan, W. J. Gallagher, Frank Clute.

County Road—C. J. Herron, Wm. F. Bshaw, C. J. Zeitler.

To Check up on County Road Orders—Jacob E. Chew, C. J. Zeitler, John W. Green.

### Commission Proceedings.

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms Friday evening, October 7, 1915.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Cross. Present—Cross, Gidley and Lancaster. Absent—none.

Minutes of the last meeting were not read.

On motion by Lancaster, the following bills were allowed:

Elec. Light Co., street lighting. \$184.85

Electric Light Co., pumping. . . . 114.52

Application was made by H. I. McMillan to move a one and one-half story building through Second, Williams and Fourth streets to Lot 3, Block 16, Nicholls' second addition.

Moved by Gidley, supported by Lancaster, that the above request be granted. Carried.

On motion by Lancaster, meeting was adjourned.

OTIS J. SMITH,  
City Clerk.

If the world owes us a living, why not pull off our coats and proceed to collect it?

Poverty would soon be unknown if men could only dispose of their experiences at cost.

About the time we imagine that our cup of happiness is going to run over it springs a leak.

Young man, beware of the dear girl who lets you do all the talking during courtship. She's playing a waiting game.

It may be you have noticed that after meeting a great man you discover his reputation is three or four times greater than he is.

### BOLTS WANTED.

We want to buy a few hundred cords of four-foot bolts in hemlock, spruce, pine and balsam, 6" and up in diameter, smooth, straight stock, all cut 49" long. Will buy same delivered on E. J. & S. R. R. or in our yard. EAST JORDAN, CABINET CO.

### HOW AN ENGINEER KEEPS WELL.

Railroad engineers are more exposed to catching cold than other workers. E. G. Dunaphant of Monette, Mo., has run a Frisco engine 25 years and all the medicine he has taken is Foley's Honey and Tar. He writes: "I always keep it in my house and recommend it to all who have a bad cough or cold."—Hites Drug Store.

## MICHIGAN CROP REPORT

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 7, 1915.

**WHEAT.**—The estimated yield of wheat in the State is 20.18, in the southern counties 21.17, in the central counties 21.61, in the northern counties 16.22 and in the Upper Peninsula 21.53 bushels per acre. The final estimated total yield for the State, sections and counties will be given in the November Crop Report. The per cent. of acreage sown this fall as compared with last year is 94 in the State, 95 in the southern counties, 90 in the central counties, 96 in the northern counties and 99 in the Upper Peninsula. The average date of sowing wheat in the State is September the 24th, in the southern counties the 27th, in the central counties the 23rd, in the northern counties the 20th and in the Upper Peninsula the 16th.

The total number of bushels of wheat marketed by farmers in September at 74 flouring mills is 175,055 and at 89 elevators and to grain dealers, 229,712 or a total of 404,767 bushels. Of this amount 297,626 bushels were marketed in the southern four tiers of counties, 93,452 in the central counties and 13,689 in the northern counties and Upper Peninsula.

The estimated total number of bushels of wheat marketed in the two months, August-September, is 1,750,000. Thirty-seven mills, elevators and grain dealers report no wheat marketed in September.

**RYE.**—The per cent. of acreage sown this fall as compared with last year is 96 in the State and southern counties, 93 in the central counties, 99 in the northern counties and 103 in the Upper Peninsula.

**BARLEY.**—The estimated yield per acre in the State is 28.12, in the southern counties 28.19, in the central counties 28.91, in the northern counties 25.34 and in the Upper Peninsula 30.04 bushels.

**OATS.**—The estimated average yield per acre in the State is 39.72, in the southern counties 42.67, in the central counties 37.85, in the northern counties 34.46 and in the Upper Peninsula 40.64 bushels.

**CORN.**—The estimated average yield in the State is 27.77, in the southern counties 31.49, in the central counties 26.78 and in the northern counties 18.15 bushels per acre.

**POTATOES.**—The estimated average yield in the State is 67.56, in the southern counties 68.98, in the central counties 60.99, in the northern counties 60.14 and in the Upper Peninsula 96.38 bushels per acre.

**BEANS.**—The estimated average yield in the State is 9.44, in the southern counties 9.90, in the central counties 9.30, in the northern counties 8.55 and in the Upper Peninsula 12 bushels per acre.

**SUGAR BEETS.**—The estimated average yield in the State is 9.88, in the southern counties 10.38, in the central counties 9.74, in the northern counties .09 and in the Upper Peninsula 8 tons per acre.

**BUCKWHEAT.**—The estimated average yield in the State is 14.42, in the southern counties 16.25, in the central counties 13.48, in the northern counties 12.10 and in the Upper Peninsula 5 bushels per acre.

The estimated yield of beans, corn and potatoes is 26, 15 and 22 per cent respectively, below the ten years' average from 1905 to 1914, inclusive.

Seventy-three per cent of our crop correspondents in the southern counties complain of severe damage to corn beans, potatoes and sugar beets by cold weather, excessive moisture and blight and eighty per cent of correspondents in the central and northern counties and Upper Peninsula, report corn, beans and potatoes badly injured by rain and frost.

COLEMAN C. VAUGHAN,  
Secretary of State.

The remnant of the Progressive party in Massachusetts, whose who insist upon maintaining the party organization and upon running a party ticket, have demonstrated once more that their real purpose is to punish Republicans if they can. They have endorsed the Democratic candidate for state treasurer, though the Republican candidate, and the present incumbent of the office, was a Roosevelt delegate at Chicago in 1912. Doubtless Victor Murdock and George W. Perkins approve of this. Happily, though, the trick will not work. The vast bulk of Progressives, in Massachusetts and elsewhere, are back in the Republican party.

When a wise young wife discovers that she is unable to keep up with her music and her husband at the same time she gives up her music.

## Lecture Course Opens Next Wednesday

### Excellent Course Provided by Citizens' Committee.

The annual lecture course provided for the city by the Citizens' Committee will be opened at the Temple Theatre next Wednesday evening by Byron W. King, the famous lecturer and reader. There are five numbers in all on the course and every one of them will be a winner.

Mr. King has made a reputation all over the country as a masterful lecturer and a captivating entertainer. Judging by the advance sale of tickets there will be a large audience on hand for the opening number of the course. The price is so low that everyone should attend. Course tickets are sold for \$1.00 for adults and 75c for pupils. Tickets may be purchased of Harry Potter, C. C. Mack, L. P. Holliday, or the members of the senior class of the high school. This course provides five good entertainments for the price of one. If you attend them you will have five evenings of humor, sense and music.

The reserved seat board will be at Mack's store next Monday morning, Oct. 18.

## TREASURY STATEMENTS MANIPULATED

For the second time the present national administration has changed the form of its daily treasury statement, both changes resulting in a showing of larger net balances in the general fund and making it difficult or practically impossible to compare treasury conditions in 1915 with conditions under Republican administration. Thus, the promised "pitiless publicity" has changed to studied secrecy. The latest change was made on October 1. By that change there was an apparent overnight increase of \$87,000,000 in the net balance. That no such increase actually occurred is not claimed by the Treasury Department, yet the daily statements will hereafter show about that much more than would have been shown under previous methods of making the daily statement.

It has been the practice of many enterprising newspapers, Republican, Democratic and Independent, to print the daily treasury statement, with comparisons with previous years. Hereafter, no comparisons can be made. It will be interesting, therefore, for the American citizen who feels an interest in the business of his government, to take a look at the last comparison that can be made. On September 30, 1915, the net balance in the general fund was \$40,898,894, as compared with a balance of \$123,416,613 on the corresponding date in 1913, when Republican revenue laws and appropriations were still in effect. On that day the administration had spent, since June 30, \$43,486,740 more than its receipts. It was running behind nearly \$500,000,000 a day. Yet, by its change in book-keeping, the net balance jumped from \$40,898,894 on September 30 to \$128,063,545 on the following day. To those who have watched the steady downward course of the treasury balance, this mushroom growth in one day would be amusing if it did not deal with the business affairs of all the people.

The suggestion that we protect our markets against European "dumping" at the close of the war by having our consuls refuse to sign manifests for such goods is worthy of this Administration's policy of exalting individual, official judgment at the cost of enforcement of law. Under such a plan we would have a Supreme Court in every consulate, with more than fifty-seven different varieties of judgment. To protect ourselves against "dumping" we need a revised tariff law, uniformly administered. Such a law will be enacted by the Republican Congress to be elected next year.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy, at the death of our husband and son, Sylvester Davis.  
Mrs. Sylvester Davis  
Mrs. Amelia Davis  
Children, Brothers and Sisters

The more dignified a man is when sober the bigger fool when full.

Nothing warms up the congregation like cold facts from the pulpit.

A man doesn't necessarily feel girlish when making his maiden speech.

## SCHOOL NOTES

The class in Animal Husbandry has been learning the science of testing milk. The milk from about thirty cows owned by surrounding farmers was sent in for testing.

Because of the increased enrollment in the commercial department it has been necessary to purchase a new type writer. The school is now equipped with two Underwoods and two L. C. Smiths.

At the last meeting of the Board of Education it was voted to begin a course in manual training. The work will be started as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. An excellent room for the department is afforded by the unused space in the furnace room in the new building, which has a cement floor and is very well lighted. It is hoped to have the department organized by the first week of November.

The first issue of The Spectator, the new high school paper, appeared last week and was very readily sold, nearly all of the 195 students of the high school being subscribers.

The German II class held its annual Dutch picnic up the lake Thursday evening. Sausage and frankfurters formed the chief item on the bill of fare.

Supt. Holliday visited the manual training department at Boyne City Friday.

The Seniors and Sophomores met the Juniors and Freshmen in an exciting football game at the Commons Tuesday evening. This is the only game to be played here this year and there was considerable rivalry over the outcome. Both sides did good playing but the Juniors and Freshmen succeeded in scoring 13 points to 0 for the Seniors and Sophs. Miles and V. Cross starred for the latter and B. Cross and Milford for the winners.

Never try to dictate to a woman—unless she's your stenographer.

Occasionally a little sin grows up, weds, and raises a big family.

## AT TEMPLE THEATRE Friday Eve'g, Oct. 22

### The World Film Corporation PRESENTS



## "The Chimes"

BY CHARLES DICKENS

IN FIVE ACTS

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