

By MAT D. BLOSSER

For nearly 44 years the news giver for Manchester and surrounding towns. We invite everybody to use the Enterprise's services. You know us. We want to know what you know. If it's worth telling to the public. If you want to write us, sign your name. We want to know. If you want to do your probate advertising. Ask Judge Leland to send notices to the Enterprise and he will.

We want to write or 'phone, don't ask for anybody just say: THE ENTERPRISE.

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1912

Are the frogs singing just to let the boys know where they are?

Some of our citizens did not wait for Gov. Osborne's "clean up day" which occurs next Wednesday, the 15th, but got busy and did their part. The idea is a good one, do it now, but do it on the 15th if not before.

Fearing a strike of the warehouse men at Chicago, the Lake Shore company picked out men from their country freight houses and took them to Chicago Sunday night to assist, if necessary, in carrying on the work. Otto Pfeiffel went from here.

The authorities at Chelsea are to be thanked for their promptness and care when they found that there were diphtheria cases in town. The schools, Sunday schools, theaters and other places where children go were promptly closed and fumigated to stamp out the trouble.

Work on the big dam and power house of the Barton plant for the Edison company on the Huron river has begun. It will cost about \$200,000 and about 2,000 horse power will be generated. The dam will make a lake nearly half a mile wide and several miles long. The fall will be 25 feet.

In view of the dangers that attend the crossing of the Atlantic to see Europe, as has been so vividly proven in the loss of the Titanic and its hundreds of passengers, would it not be vastly better to see America first. There are wonders and pleasures here awaiting the eager eyes of pleasure seekers.

Oscar Koch of Ann Arbor was killed near South Lyon Monday night when an auto he was driving slid down the embankment and crushed him. A. J. Sawyer who was also in the auto was badly bruised and is very serious. Herman Gause and Frank McLaughlin also of Ann Arbor were in the party but escaped with slight bruises.

There is no reason why a presidential year should be a dull year for the country merchant. His customers, or those who should be his customers if he advertises his goods in the local newspaper, are not affected by presidential or other political matters. Advertise and keep on giving your business the attention it requires and you will have as good business or better, than last year.

Everybody in this section appeared to be greatly surprised at the light sentence of 60 days in jail Judge Kinnane gave William Lewis who was charged with an offense which if it had worked as planned would have deprived Manchester of its leading hotel building and might have caused the destruction of all adjacent property, the business section of the village and perhaps more. They do not expect now that J. J. Beagle will be tried at all for his offense.

In the opening of the May term of circuit court in Jackson Howard LeVan was arraigned charged with indecency before a boy. He pleaded not guilty. The prisoner was not considered to be possessed of a great deal of intelligence, and it was finally concluded to give him forty-eight hours in which to leave the city and stay away. He had served sixty-five days in jail awaiting trial. Prosecutor Bailey told LeVan he would hold the case open, and if he returned the case would be tried. We suppose that is the way some officers think a criminal should be treated. Shove him off on some other place to commit the same offense. We can't see why Jackson should want to be freed from the contestable scamps more than some other place. Why not teach him a lesson so that he will remember not to repeat such a crime.

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Personal Items.

Mrs. Mary Welch is a Orsova visiting friends.

For Sale—One 3 year old Colt. WM. LOGAN.

For Sale, a Brood sow and 12 piglets. PRYE

For Sale, a house with 6 1/2, weight 140 pounds. ALBERT WIDMAN

Purebred Langshan Eggs \$1 a setting. Good winter Layers. THOMAS HEIM.

For Sale. A full blooded Holstein Bull Calf. FRED MAUER.

I will pay the top price for chickens brought in early in the week. J. E. BOWLER.

Live poultry wanted every Wednesday at the Central Market. A. M. KIEBLER.

All colors of tissue paper on hand. Just received a fresh supply. SNOWMAN'S DRUG STORE.

For Sale. Buick touring car, cheap if taken at once. Elmer B. Stetler, Manchester, R. 6

We wish to thank the friends for their sympathy and assistance at the burial of our brother John Gleason. THE BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

Insure Your Automobile. The Liverpool, London & Globe Insurance Co., one of the best in the country, is insuring Automobiles against loss or damage by fire, arising from any cause whatsoever, including explosion, self-ignition and lighting. Call on C. W. CASE, Agent.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy given us during our late bereavement, also for the beautiful floral offerings and choir. MRS. THEODORE DAVIDTER. MRS. ANNA DAVIDTER, AND CHILDREN.

Bonds. We own and offer for sale 27000 Manchester Water Works Bonds, due 1000 on May 1st each year after 1915. Denomination 500. Interest 5 per cent semi-annually. Price to yield 4 10. The people of Manchester have first chance on these bonds not sold. For further information address RUMPS & COMPANY 806 Penobscot Bidg. Detroit.

Elton Ben Chase certainly fooled the circus crooks yesterday when he shaved off his mustache and made his way to Keeley park.—Jackson Patriot, Wednesday.

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Mrs. Helen Chapin of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong her sister whom she has been visiting, went to Ann Arbor last week to visit their brother, John Wisner and John and family came here to visit them on Sunday.

One Day Only.

The Northwestern United Doctors largest doctor specialists in the United States, practicing in Minnesota, Michigan, Iowa, Nebraska, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota, organized and licensed by the states for the purpose of treating diseases, deformities and all curable ailments without surgical operation. All that is asked in return for these valuable services is that every person treated will tell the result to their friends, and thus prove to the sick and afflicted that at last treatments have been discovered that are absolutely sure and certain in their effect.

By their developed system no more operations for appendicitis, gall stones, kidney stones, tumors, goiter, piles or cancer. They were among the first in America to do away with the knife, blood and pain in the unsuccessful treatment and cure of these dangerous diseases.

Diseases of the stomach, intestines, liver, skin, nerves, heart, spleen, kidneys and bladder, rheumatism, sciatica, diabetes, bedwetting, leg ulcers, epilepsy, fits, etc., all treated with gratifying success.

Selected cases of consumption, asthma, bronchitis and catarrhal diseases absolutely cured with combination of medicine, hygiene, diet, exercise and the important uses and advantages of clothes, occupation, etc.

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Patients with growths larger than two inches are not invited to call.

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G. H. Putnam has been sick the past few days.

Charles Brooks of Ann Arbor was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. & Mrs. Xavier Bauer drove to Ann Arbor last Friday on business.

Mr. & Mrs. E. F. Burtiss of Lansing visited here from Friday until Sunday night.

Will Sloat and family spent Sunday with Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Heseman at Sharon.

Mrs. Rosa Pister of Pleasant Ridge, Ohio, is visiting her sister—Mrs. Jacob Wulffman.

Wm. Mount and Truman Burton of Norwell were in town on business Tuesday forenoon.

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Wheaton of Jackson visited Mrs. Armstrong and other friends here Sunday.

Miss Viola Ahrens spent Saturday with her sister Mrs. Robert Recknecker at Ann Arbor.

Miss Edna Crockett went to Mt. Clemens Friday afternoon and spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mr. & Mrs. John Koebbe of Macon visited his brother Wm. Koebbe and family, Monday.

Fred Bentler was down from Lansing where he has lately moved, last Friday settling up some matters.

E. J. Ennis an old time merchant and still a leading business man of Brooklyn, was in town Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Carrie Jacqueman has shipped her household goods to St. Joseph where she and her husband will reside.

Misses Amanda and Tillie Lutz of Ann Arbor spent Sunday and Monday with their sister, Mrs. Daniel Feldkamp.

Misses Edna Hendershott and Louise Goodyear who are attending the normal spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents.

Ezra H. Frye who is now with John E. Brennan & Co., real estate, loans etc., Detroit, visited his parents here Wednesday and was shaking hands with friends.

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New Advertisements.

The Fair.

People's Bank

Yocom Marx & Co.

Union Savings Bank

Morschheuser & Husted.

Cream Separator—A. Frye, Agent.

People are having gardens plowed and planted.

A basket maker is at work in Schmidt's factory.

Leaves on the maple trees are now as large as rabbit's feet.

Fruit trees have begun to blossom and the busy bee is gathering honey.

Haeseler & Son have bought a new Jackson 45 trading in their E. M. F.

The bids for waterworks will be opened by the council at noon on Friday the 17th.

Meridian chapter B. A. M. worked the P. and M. E. M. degrees Monday evening.

Men and boys enjoy fishing for bull heads up the river, these pleasant evenings.

We issue another supplement this week. There is both news and advertising in it.

John Schaefer received a new Ford runabout Saturday night turning his old car in as part pay.

The sound of the lawn mower is heard again, the frogs are singing and mosquitoes are in evidence.

Clinton parties have been up here trying to buy some property of James Kelly which adjoins the cemetery there.

E. S. Blythe was thrown off a breaking cart about two weeks ago and struck on the head, injuring him so he has since been laid up.

When in Chicago last winter, Mart Traub had some iron forms made to take the place of the wooden ones he used in making cement silos.

Suckers and stone-rollers are "running" as the fisherman term it, and the boys are catching them as they attempt to swim up the dam.

A hand of gypsies were in town Monday and as usual the women went to store and house trying to induce people to have their fortunes told.

The W. C. T. U. will have charge of the services at the Methodist church Sunday evening. The program will be appropriate to Mother's Day.

Frank Logan sheared a two year old ram last week whose fleece weighed 40 pounds. That sounds like a prize fleece and it will be hard to beat it.

The waterworks bonds were brought here last night for signatures of the president and clerk of the village. You can then buy one if you have the price.

We learn that J. E. Teeter has set out 300 fruit trees for Dr. Servis on his farm in the west part of the village. That is a pretty good job for a man 88 years of age.

Enoch Silkworth sold a year old heifer of his own raising to John Bowler Tuesday, that weighed 815 pounds—and Chas Knorp says that he never dressed a better one.

Some of our citizens who opposed the waterworks proposition show their good citizenship by telling the president that they want to take water as soon as the system is complete.

Leo Watkins fixed up the flower bed on the top of the old water tank in front of the Manchester house, this morning. The council should remove that obstruction from the street.

We presume that more oats have been sown this spring than perhaps ever before. So many farmers dragged over their poor wheat fields and sowed oats. If there is a big crop the price is likely to fall.

The council has been petitioned to build a cross walk from the corner of Jefferson and Water street from in front of John Decker's store to Mr. Kingsley's corner. This would accommodate many.

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Township Clerk Chase reports that there were seventeen births and six deaths in the township outside the village last month. All the deaths but one were persons over 60 years of age. Village Clerk Hoffer reports that there were 15 births and an even number of deaths last year in the village.

Miss Sophia Vogelbacher who was taken ill last Wednesday with peritonitis is somewhat better but still unable to sit up.

Dr. Klopferstein and Merrick Borch went to Anderson, Ind., Sunday in the former's auto to get a new auto for the doctor. We understand that they encountered bad roads and made rather slow progress but are expected home today.

The ENTERPRISE press has printed for the village the specifications for waterworks to be installed in this village, the coming season, and Village Clerk Hoffer has mailed them to manufacturers and contractors all over the country to invite bids for material needed or the full completion of the system.

Dear subscribers, after you have read the ENTERPRISE if you do not care to keep it, don't burn it or throw it away. Think of some friend who might be interested in reading it and send it to him or her. It will make that friend glad, especially if he ever lived in Manchester or vicinity, and surely, you will get your reward.

At the meeting of the E. Worthy league last Friday night the following officers were elected:

President—Joseph Lamb
Vice Presidents—Lucy Schaefer, Clayton Parr, Mrs. Silkworth, Emma Leeson
Secretary—Taylor Gage
Treasurer—David Hatch
Organist—Gates Waters

A telegram was received here Sunday night announcing that John Gleason of South Bend, Ind., and brother of Mrs. H. L. Rose and Mrs. S. Sherwood of this village, had been run over and killed by the cars at that city. The remains were brought here for burial in the family lot at Oak Grove, Tuesday by his brothers James Gleason of South Bend and Thomas Gleason of Jackson. John was in the country and was waiting for a car back to the city and stepped from track to another to avoid a train and another car struck him and killed him instantly. He leaves one daughter who resides in Canada, beside the brothers and sisters above mentioned. He was 63 years of age. Mrs. Fannie Pittenger—Bergeron of South Bend also came here to attend the burial. Mr. Gleason lived here in his boyhood days, his father, Jonas Gleason being a butcher he also followed that trade.

First Telephone Subscribers.

Thirty two years ago Thos J. Keech of Ann Arbor succeeded in getting a proposition from the Telephone and Telegraph Co. of Detroit for a certain amount of "promises to use telephones" the company would expand the line from Ann Arbor to Manchester. Mat D. Blosser of the ENTERPRISE was appealed to help the project along and after some labor the following were induced to give promises and they subscribed all the way from \$100 to \$10 each and the extension was made. Script was issued for the amount of the subscription, which could be used to pay for telephoning. The list comprised practically every business man or firm in the village for our merchants were as progressive then as now. Following is the list:

S. W. Clarkson J. L. Stone
V. P. Clegg Kinsler Bros.
Mack & Schmidt Wm. Buttles
J. H. Kingsley Underhill & Remmel
A. C. Taylor Geo. J. Haeusler
W. T. Hewett Wm. F. Kehoe

J. H. Miller & Co. Bailey & Dorn
Wm. G. Dietrich G. W. Doty
Pottie & Lewis M. Dealy
H. Kirchhofer Conrad Lohn
Gilliam & Swinkohl W. Kimble
A. F. Freeman O. W. Case
A. Cuklin F. Freeman
B. H. Norris J. A. Lynch
J. D. Corey Eugene Underhill
A. G. Tompkins

SIXTY-DAYS.
In Jail What Wm. Lewis got for Setting Fire to the Manchester House.

William Lewis, the former proprietor of the Manchester hotel, accused of having attempted to set fire to the hotel last November, pleaded guilty of being accessory before the fact before Judge Kingsley Monday and was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.

Lewis has been in jail five and a half months since his arrest, and in view of this fact Deputy State Fire Marshall Wolfe recommended through the prosecuting attorney that Lewis be given a light sentence. When he has completed his sentence Lewis will have been in jail about eight months. James J. Beagle the owner of the hotel, whom Lewis accuses of conspiracy to commit arson will be tried in October, his case having gone over the term at his own request. He is out on \$500 bail.

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SHARON.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the past month in district No. 1, Elsie O. Feldkamp, teacher: Leroy Breitenecker, Arthur, Cora and Vernon Dreschelhous, Ida Feldkamp and Lawrence Koebe.

The spelling contest will be held at Howe's corners school and in the Dorr district Friday p. m. A large number of contractors all over the country to invite bids for material needed or the full completion of the system.

Theodore Jacob and family of Detroit were here to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Theodore Davidter, and visited his father, Caspar Jacob.

R. N. Frye and family entertained his son Rev. Harvey Frye and family from Ohio, last week.

A large number from here attended the funeral of Theodore Davidter in Manchester Monday.

Sam Haselwerdt is riding about in a new Jackson touring car which he purchased.

Herman Strahle and family spent Sunday with relatives in Freedom.

Mr. & Mrs. Bert Gillhouse of Detroit are visiting friends here.

IRON CREEK.

Iron Creek, May 8.—Mr. & Mrs. Theo. Holmes returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit in Tuscola county. They had a delightful visit with former Manchester and Bridgewater friends all of whom have done well since moving there. But they were glad to get back home again.

The Sunday school here is making preparations to observe children's day, June 2, with appropriate exercises.

Supervisor Henry L. Bauer has been here this week taking the annual assessments.

Mr. & Mrs. C. D. McMahon and daughter Miriam were at North Sharon Sunday.

Mr. C. F. Bauer and daughter Margaret were in Jackson from Friday until Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. A. D. English and daughter Jean were Clinton visitors Wednesday.

BRIDGEWATER.

Bridgewater, May 8.—A lot of nomads camped by the roadside by the Lowery farm Sunday night but they did not trouble the farmers much and "got a move on" early Monday forenoon. They had a lot of horses, trading stock and the women told fortunes.

Miss Mabel Ager who is working in Tecumseh spent Sunday with her parents.

FREEDOM.

Miss Edna Williams bookkeeper in the Ford auto factory at Detroit is spending a week's vacation with Misses Lillie and Julie Schable.

Mr. & Mrs. Will Gibson who live northeast of Tecumseh have purchased 13 acres adjoining their farm, from Philip Kehoe. Mrs. Gibson was formerly Miss Altenbernd.

Wanted—A girl for general housework. Family of three. Inquire of Mrs. James A. Parkinson, Jr., 122 Third St., Jackson, Michigan. Bell phone 1362.

Two competent girls wanted for general housework in separate families. Mr. Robert Davier, 601 First St., Jackson.

Wanted—Girl for general housework.

Mrs. H. A. Matthews, 120 North Elm St., Jackson, Mich. Bell phone 1525.

Lost, an almost new Brown Horse

Blanket with blue stripes. Please leave at the ENTERPRISE office.

Wanted, a competent girl for general housework. N. S. Potter, Jr., Chelsea.

May Basket Paper of all shades just received at Snowman's Drug Store.

For Sale, House and three lots. Enquire of Louis Lontier.

Local livers pay well when inserted in the ENTERPRISE.

House and lot for sale. Enquire of E. H. Gommer.

Died.

DAVIDTER—In Sharon on Friday, May 3, 1912, of heart trouble, Mr. Theodore Davidter, aged 36 years.

HEWITT—In Sharon at the home of her daughter Mrs. C. O. Hewitt, on Tuesday May 8, 1912, of heart disease, Mrs. Miriam Hewitt, aged 80 years.

Beside many friends and relatives she leaves five daughters, two brothers and five sisters.

For Sale—A quantity of Hay.

NOVELL.

Wm. Spokes was in Jackson on business Saturday.

Wm. Mount spent Saturday with relatives in Manchester.

A. Osborne spent Sunday with his parents in Ann Arbor.

Miss Ila Foor is the proud possessor of a fine new piano.

Fred Green and Chas Cole were in Manchester Saturday.

C. Atkinson was in Brooklyn on business last Wednesday.

C. Mahrie of Clinton was in town calling on friends Saturday.

Miss Lula Baumhiller spent a few days in Jackson last week.

Mr. & Mrs. Earl Beckwith were Jackson shoppers last Wednesday.

C. Jewett and family of Jackson spent Sunday at H. F. Schofield's.

Earl Smith of Manchester visited relatives here one day last week.

Dr. Hyndman entertained his sister Mrs. Newcomb of Jackson, Saturday.

Warren Kimble of Manchester spent Sunday at the home of Z. T. Kimble.

The banks of the mill pond are frequently lined with fishermen these warm days.

Mr. Naldrell and a party of children made an auto trip to Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Pittman and children visited her parents in Indiana part of last week.

Miss Mary Richardson of Jackson spent Sunday with Rev. & Mrs. C. H. Heaton.

The Watkins families are enjoying a fine new Jackson automobile recently purchased.

Rev. Hill of Manchester and Rev. Rowe of Napoleon were pleasant callers in town Friday.

Mr. & Mrs. F. E. Green spent Sunday with the latter's parents in Brooklyn.

Howard Clark of Manchester was here last week doing carpenter work on the Windham house.

Fred Linde went to Webberville Friday and was accompanied home Sunday by his brother H. Linde.

Mr. & Mrs. VanTyle of Clinton and Mrs. Silvers and children were here calling on friends while en route to Jackson Monday.

