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The Seat of Punctuation.
At the time Colonel Roosevelt was carrying on his simplified spelling movement in Washington there was a meeting of educators at Battle Creek, Mich., and they visited the great sanitarium there. They were shown through, and particular stress was laid by the guide on the success that attended operations there on enlarged and diseased colons. It being claimed that here was the seat of most disease. There was a banquet that night, and one of the visitors opened his speech like this:
"Washington, as we all know, is the seat of spelling reform; but, I take it, Battle Creek is bound to be the seat of punctuation reform, for, as we were told today, you come here with a colon and you depart with a semicolon."—Saturday Evening Post.

Chrysanthemums.
Chrysanthemums stand fourth in commercial importance among flowers. Only the rose, the violet and the carnation surpass them, and that chiefly because the chrysanthemum season is so short, while the others can be had from the florist nearly the whole year round. Greece gave us the name. Chrysanthemum means "golden flower." But the name was invented long before the big butter yellow globes were known in the world. It referred to the prevailing gold in the small varieties that were known. Strangely enough, the first chrysanthemum brought into Europe was not gold, but purple. It was a small flower, about two inches across, shaped like an aster. Somebody took it to Europe from China in 1700—and, presto, the modern history of chrysanthemums was begun.—Argonaut.

Why He Could Beat McGregor.
Alexander Ure, the lord advocate of Scotland, is a keen golfer, and he has a good store of golfing tales. These he is always ready to relate, even if they tell against himself.

Playing on a certain course in Scotland, he remarked incidentally to his caddie: "By the way, I played a round with Todd McGregor the last time I was here. Grand player, McGregor?" "Aye," said the caddie, "but ye could bate McGregor the noo."

"Do you think so?" exclaimed the gratified lord advocate, being well aware of McGregor's prowess. "Aye," drawled the caddie. "McGregor's deid."—Golfing.

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COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1909.

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Liquor Licenses of said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|----------|
| To amt from Gerow & Gerow | 200 00 | By amt credited State account | 150 00 |
| " " C. F. Weaver | 200 00 | " " County account | 90 00 |
| " " G. W. Buhl | 100 00 | " " Tionesta Boro road acct | 240 00 |
| " " J. J. Young | 100 00 | " " Jenks Twp. road acct | 120 00 |
| | \$600 00 | | \$600 00 |

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the State of Pennsylvania for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To amt from liquor license | 150 00 | By balance January 2, 1909 | 1 98 |
| To amt from Mercantile tax 1909 | 944 48 | By State treasurer's receipt | 2,200 14 |
| To amt from Constables returns | 7 28 | By exonerations mercantile tax | 8 10 |
| To penalty for non payment before July 1 | 2 00 | By postage | 6 13 |
| To State personal tax 1909 | 1,135 72 | By Printers bills | 108 27 |
| To Brokers license | 30 00 | By 5 prct. com. on \$1,135.72 | 11 35 |
| To restaurant license | 10 50 | By 5 prct. com. on \$1,536.20 | 66 81 |
| To wholesale licenses (Mer.) | 2 80 | | |
| To hunting license | 10 00 | | |
| To billiard license | 200 00 | | |
| | \$2,492 78 | | \$2,492 78 |

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Dog Fund of said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To balance January 2, 1909 | 630 52 | By sheep orders redeemed | 468 00 |
| To tax for 1909 | 657 75 | By 4 per cent commission | 18 72 |
| | | By exonerations | 73 85 |
| | | By 5 prct. com. on \$53.60 | 2 68 |
| | | By balance | 71 02 |
| | \$1,278 27 | | \$1,278 27 |

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer of Forest County in account with the Redemption Fund of said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To balance January 2, 1909 | 46 03 | By amt paid J. T. Brennan | 27 61 |
| To amt from Elia Lyons | 56 01 | " " Dan & Felton | 111 96 |
| To amt from McOllstock & Kenter | 27 61 | By 4 prct. com. on \$139.57 | 5 58 |
| To H. W. Smith, trustee | 111 96 | By balance | 176 51 |
| To N. P. Wheeler | 80 05 | | |
| | \$321 66 | | \$321 66 |

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To balance January 2, 1909 | \$11,031 25 | By orders redeemed | \$19,717 00 |
| To transferred from liquor license | 90 00 | By 4 per cent commission | 788 68 |
| To sealed lands returned, 1908 | 315 00 | By note Forest Co. Nat'l Bank | 2,000 00 |
| To sealed tax, 1909 | 20,138 39 | By 4 per cent commission | 80 00 |
| To unseated tax, 1909 | 2,918 30 | By teachers institute | 145 66 |
| To interest on unseated tax | 10 68 | By school directors convention | 25 00 |
| To 60 day list, 1909 | 34 00 | By Board of health | 85 75 |
| To bounties returned by State | 420 19 | By 4 prct. com. on \$236.41 | 10 25 |
| To J. J. Young | 16 00 | By errors in assessment | 121 89 |
| To primary election ret'd by State | 454 86 | By sealed land returned, 1909 | 229 10 |
| To State tax 1/4 ret'd. by State | 848 38 | By exonerations County tax | 117 79 |
| To fines | 125 00 | By 5 prct. com. on \$102.09 | 6 15 |
| To 3 prct added to collector bal. | 89 57 | By exonerations state personal tax | 9 94 |
| To land redeemed from County | 27 31 | By 5 per cent commission | 50 00 |
| To acct Morganza inmates | 75 00 | By 5 prct. abatement to collectors | 703 85 |
| To gas Tionesta township | 14 00 | By collectors commission | 649 40 |
| To money borrowed | 1,966 67 | By balance | 14,075 93 |
| To mileage book | 92 00 | | |
| To land sold by County | 78 84 | | |
| | \$38,647 89 | | \$38,647 89 |

GEORGE W. HOLEMAN, Treasurer of Forest County in account with Poor Funds of said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To balance January 2, 1909 | \$11,914 89 | By orders redeemed | \$ 7,425 97 |
| To sealed lands returned, 1908 | 118 49 | By 4 per cent commission | 297 04 |
| To sealed tax, 1909 | 7,858 39 | By bonds redeemed | 10,000 00 |
| To unseated tax, 1909 | 1,093 78 | By 1 per cent commission | 100 00 |
| To land sold by County | 29 60 | By interest on bonds | 690 09 |
| To redemption land sold to Co. | 7 26 | By 4 per cent commission | 24 60 |
| To 5 prct. to collectors balance | 33 59 | By land sold to County | 34 60 |
| To M. Clark insane acct | 50 00 | By exonerations | 34 94 |
| To John Black insane acct | 14 00 | By 5 per cent commission | 100 00 |
| To J. Hinder insane acct | 5 00 | By lands returned, 1909 | 82 49 |
| To Mrs. A. C. Urey insane acct | 55 75 | By 5 prct. collectors land returns | 4 12 |
| To Mrs. Stroup insane acct | 23 00 | By 4 per cent com on \$4.12 | 17 00 |
| To insurance on County Home | 178 30 | By collectors abatements | 263 95 |
| To insurance on cow | 10 00 | By commission collectors | 202 65 |
| To maintenance of indigents | 64 30 | By errors in assessment | 39 73 |
| To Washington County | 39 86 | By balance | 2,670 34 |
| To Jefferson County | 4 56 | | |
| To coal sold | 38 94 | | |
| To County fund | 50 34 | | |
| To produce sold | 93 07 | | |
| To hay sold | 40 76 | | |
| To corn sold | 53 00 | | |
| To straw sold | 10 00 | | |
| To apples sold | 14 00 | | |
| To butter sold | 4 53 | | |
| To eggs sold | 6 85 | | |
| To meat sold | 162 28 | | |
| | \$21,782 00 | | \$21,782 00 |

S. H. MAXWELL, Sheriff of Forest County in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To orders drawn | \$ 502 38 | By fees allowed | \$ 305 21 |
| To County fund | 14,075 93 | By expense taking prisoners to penitentiary and Morganza | 159 17 |
| To poor fund | 2,670 34 | By board of prisoners | 38 00 |
| To township school fund | 3,527 29 | | |
| To township road fund | 2,388 11 | | |
| To township cash road fund | 1,137 64 | | |
| To township school building fund | 1,359 68 | | |
| | \$502 38 | | \$502 38 |

J. C. GEIST, Prothonotary etc., of Forest County in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To orders drawn | \$ 250 85 | By fees allowed | \$ 250 85 |
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A. C. BROWN, District Attorney of Forest County in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To orders drawn | \$ 400 00 | By salary | \$ 400 00 |
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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, of Forest County, in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1910.

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| To orders drawn, W. H. Harrison | \$ 900 00 | By Salaries | \$ 1,600 00 |
| To orders drawn, H. H. McCellan | 500 00 | | |
| To orders drawn, H. H. McCellan | 500 00 | | |
| | \$1,900 00 | | \$1,600 00 |

RECAPITULATION OF BALANCES.

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|----------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| To balance dog fund | \$ 715 02 | By balance Tionesta Boro | \$ 3 41 |
| To redemption fund | 176 51 | By balance | 26,047 11 |
| To County fund | 14,075 93 | | |
| To poor fund | 2,670 34 | | |
| To township school fund | 3,527 29 | | |
| To township road fund | 2,388 11 | | |
| To township cash road fund | 1,137 64 | | |
| To township school building fund | 1,359 68 | | |
| | \$26,050 52 | | \$26,050 52 |

COUNTY AND POOR TAX UNCOLLECTED JAN. 3, 1910.

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| Tionesta borough 1903 | 164 79 | Tionesta township 1908 | 100 37 |
| " " 1904 | 109 75 | " " borough 1908 | 345 68 |
| Hickory township 1905 | 45 70 | Barnett township 1909 | 794 70 |
| Jenks " " 1906 | 28 45 | " " Green 1909 | 490 50 |
| Harmony " " 1906 | 255 94 | Harmony " " 1909 | 1,166 83 |
| " " 1907 | 186 68 | Hickory " " 1909 | 352 95 |
| Tionesta " " 1907 | 329 09 | Howe " " 1909 | 3,315 29 |
| Barnett township 1908 | 256 85 | Jenks " " 1909 | 974 63 |
| Harmony " " 1908 | 3 16 | Kingley " " 1909 | 751 34 |
| Hickory " " 1908 | 281 79 | Tionesta " " 1909 | 418 63 |
| Jenks " " 1908 | 75 12 | " " borough 1909 | 739 61 |
| Kingley " " 1908 | 251 06 | | |
| | \$11,736 09 | | |

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF FOREST, ss. We, the undersigned Auditors in and for said County, do hereby certify that we met at the Court House according to law, and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Prothonotary, Sheriff, District Attorney and County Commissioners for the year ending January 3, 1910, and find them as set forth in the foregoing report. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 24th day of January, A. D. 1910.

Attest—D. W. CLARK, Clerk. A. C. GREGG, (SEAL) Auditor. J. P. KELLEY, (SEAL) Auditor. G. H. WARDEN, (SEAL) Auditor.

Commissioners' Statement of Expenditures

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| Expenditures of Forest County for the year ending January 3, 1910. | | Commissioners' salaries | \$ 1,500 00 |
| Constables | 145 91 | Commissioners' Clerk | 780 00 |
| Sheriff | 512 38 | Janitor's salary | 480 00 |
| Prothonotary | 270 85 | Commissioners' traveling expenses | 67 65 |
| District Attorney | 400 00 | Law Library Association | 59 00 |
| Stenographer | 237 40 | Grand Army of the Republic | 43 90 |
| Telephone and telegraph | 74 25 | Insurance | 351 00 |
| Refunding orders | 291 98 | Incidental expenses | 94 24 |
| Commonwealth costs | 62 01 | County's portion macadamized road, Tionesta twp., 1907 | 1,829 81 |
| Printing | 829 52 | County's portion macadamized road, Jenks twp., 1907 | 500 00 |
| Solicitor | 100 00 | County's portion macadamized road and paving, Tionesta Boro, 1908 | 2,189 71 |
| County's expenses | 63 28 | Repairs Cooksburg and Clearing ton bridges, '06, '07, '08, '09 | 344 45 |
| Express and draying | 15 94 | Repairing twp. house, Kingsley twp. | 66 90 |
| Court Auditor | 10 00 | Repairing twp. house, Jenks twp., '06, '07, '08, '09 | 108 75 |
| Bridge repairs | 340 01 | Witnesses | 32 22 |
| Road views | 24 80 | Justice of the Peace | 30 05 |
| Election expenses | 1,171 94 | Damage awarded property owners new road Tionesta twp. | 500 00 |
| Western Penitentiary | 255 72 | Markers for soldiers' graves | 31 25 |
| Reform School | 309 69 | Medical attendance Jail | 14 75 |
| Board of prisoners | 88 00 | Livery, 1908 | 43 00 |
| Fuel, lights and water | 393 14 | School Directors' Convention | 25 00 |
| Postage, books and stationery | 310 85 | Teachers' Institute | 145 66 |
| Commissioners' office | 75 24 | Am't appropriated to Harmony twp. in 1908 for bridge | 1,100 00 |
| Books and stationery, Prothonotary's office | 75 24 | Treasurer's commissions | 540 40 |
| Books and stationery, Sheriff's office | 20 00 | Collectors' abatements | 7 |