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At Ann Arbor, Michigan., at the close of business May, 4, 1891.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$431,333 71	Capital stock.....	\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc.,.....	244,316 24	Surplus fund.....	100,000 00
Overdrafts.....	10,942 26	Undivided profits.....	33,339 97
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,930 85	Dividends unpaid.....	356 00
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	2,288 15		
CASH.		DEPOSITS.	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	101,140 90	Commercial deposits.....	159,736 82
Due from other banks and bankers.....	1,735 83	Savings deposits.....	455,535 90
Checks and cash items.....	229 80	Certificates of deposit.....	28,548 53
Nicksels and pennies.....	141 53		
Gold coin.....	15,000 00		
Silver coin.....	2,800 00		
U. S. and National Bank Notes.....	15,958 00		
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw. I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES E. HISCOCK, Cashier. CORRECT—Attest: Christian Mack, L. Gruner, W. D. Harriman, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1891. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.

Capital stock paid in, \$ 50,000 | Total assets, - \$761,291.31
Capital security, 100,000 | Surplus, - 100,000.00

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THE ARBEITER BUND.

Holding its Twenty-Third Annual in This City.

MAYOR DOTY'S ADDRESS OF WELCOME TO-DAY.

The Sessions of the Convention Opened.—A Dinner at the Rink.—The City in Holiday Attire.—Large Delegations of Visitors, To-Morrow.

The twenty third annual convention of the Arbeiter Bund of Michigan is in session in this city. It began its sessions today with President Christian Martin, of this city, in the chair. About 150 prosperous looking delegates are on hand and ready for business. The city is decked in holiday attire to greet the visitors who come from all over the state. Many of the delegates arrived yesterday and put in the time viewing the city. But the larger portion of them arrived this morning. These delegates do the real business of the state meeting. Besides them, tomorrow will see a large gathering of Germans, excursions being run from all sections of the state, who come to see the city and witness the parade of tomorrow forenoon and listen to the speakers of the day.

A dinner was served the delegates in the rink at noon and after ample justice had been done to it, President Martin introduced, in a few well chosen words, Mayor William G. Doty to make the address of welcome in behalf of the city. Mayor Doty said:

Mr. President:—In behalf of the city of Ann Arbor, I have the pleasure and honor as her chief executive, to extend to you and the State Bund of the Arbeiter Verein, a most cordial and hearty welcome to her hearts and homes.

I well remember the pride I experienced as a patriotic citizen when I learned that you had determined to hold your 23rd annual assembly in our city. In my message to our council I felt it my duty to call their attention officially to this event, feeling sure that our citizens, without distinction of nativity, would appreciate the compliment you thereby paid them as highly as I did myself. And I am proud to assure you, fellow citizens, that there was no mistake in my estimate of the civic patriotism of Ann Arbor. She has awaited your coming with eager, expectant eyes, and now that you are here she has arrayed herself in all her vernal loveliness with leafy verdure, bursting blossoms, and fragrant flowers to evidence her joyful radiant welcome to you all.

We know, Mr. President, that your mission here is not for pleasure simply for the sturdy German heart knows no pleasure that does not have its complement in work and duty. Pleasure to you springs out of labor, as the harvest follows the seed time and sunshine follows showers. But as the bow unbends when the shaft has flown so we hope that in the hours when your labors will permit, you will unloose the sinew, unbend the bow and freely test the fraternity, the friendships and the hospitality which we extend to you to-day. Go with us to our factories and our shops, promenade our busy streets where the kindly customs of fatherland have grafted themselves upon the severer habits of our distant past, note the robust German speech which mingles in melodious harmony with the English tongue, grasp the hands of countrymen and of kindred and let that saddest word which you call "heimweh" be at once and forever lost,—you are at home.

As citizens of the state let your interest take you to your great University and feel yourselves free to inspect its museums of science and art, its libraries, its laboratories and its halls of learning. Converse with its professors and its students, an army in themselves, and note the German types and the German methods which here exert their potent sway. Inspect our municipal and county systems, call upon our officers, the latch string is out. View our modern appliances for transit and for light wherein the thunderbolt of Jove has been harnessed for our use and the fiery messenger made as peaceful and as coy as the Mercury of the Gods, and wherever you go and whatsoever you do enjoy our liberties, our advantages and our hospitalities as freely as I now extend them to you.

I shall not attempt to symbolize the freedom of our city. I need not present to you the symbolic keys for you will not need them and if you do I am well assured that the massive key which a sister city once bestowed upon you will amply suffice to open

all the doors of Ann Arbor. For sirs, we know the work of your hands and well too, we know that the "Unterstützung" which you profess and do is a blessed ministry for the relief of your fellow men.

Ann Arbor is pre-eminently a city of fraternities. No city in the state can boast a greater array of those societies which are charitable, provident or fraternal in their aims; but among them all none shine with brighter luster than the German associations for fraternal aid.

It is indeed a happy coincidence that the great union of the state holds its convention here at the time when our own society celebrates the quarter-century of its birth. It thus enables this municipality not only to welcome her guests from abroad, but at the same time to set her approving seal upon the record which her own citizens have made. And I am sure that the honorable gentleman who presides over our city council, the colleague of Mr. Martin and myself in our duties as your hosts, will extend to you and them the thanks of the council for courtesies received and renewed and repeated assurances of welcome from the legislative body of which he is the honored head.

Mr. President and Gentlemen, allow me to present Prof. Mortimer E. Cooley, President of the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor.

As we go to press, President Cooley is addressing the Bund. He opened by stating that he represented the business portion of the government. His speech of welcome was being vigorously applauded.

Grand View Addition.

Walter S. Hicks has purchased the Crossman property on West Huron street. With the old Deacon Mills property adjoining, the land will be platted by Mr. Hicks and Jacob A. Polhemus and thrown into the market as Grand View addition to the city of Ann Arbor. About 100 lots will be platted. Streets will be laid out at once under the supervision of Detroit artists. The views from the Crossman property are very fine. All the principal buildings of the city may be seen, the University buildings, the new hospital, the churches, the court house, etc. For the property overlooks the city. It touches the city limits on the west and Huron street has been built up to the property. Hedges and fruit trees in abundance are on the property.

Prof. Harrington as Chief of Signal Service

This morning's Tribune contains the following dispatch: Prof. Harrington, in charge of the observatory of the Michigan University, and editor of the Meteorological Journal there, is being very favorably considered for appointment as chief of the signal service bureau under the law of the last congress, which takes effect July 1, placing this service under the jurisdiction of the agricultural department. Prof. Harrington is being considered solely on his merits as a well known meteorologist, but is endorsed by many prominent men in politics. He will be warmly recommended by Michigan congressmen of both parties.

PERSONAL.

Judge Kinne is holding court in Monroe.

Justice F. P. Bogardus, of Ypsilanti, drove to the city, yesterday.

M. T. Woodruff, of the Ypsilanti Sentinel, was in the city, yesterday.

Miss Jane Brigham, of Detroit, has been the guest of Mrs. Rathbone.

Charles Durheim, ex-City Recorder, now of Muskegon, is in the city.

Miss Viola Winslow has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. W. M. Buss, at Battle Creek.

Dr. J. C. Wood and family leave Thursday for the mountains and the seaside.

Miss Eshbach, of Chicago, arrived Sunday evening to spend a month with her father.

Jacob F. Miller, of Manchester, was among the earlier arrivals to the Arbeiter convention.

Mrs. Dobbin, of London, Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. N. Tagge, and will be present at the marriage of her niece.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheeler leave this week to visit their daughter in Medina, N. Y., and to Schenectady, where Mr. Wheeler graduated fifty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moore, of Chicago, have been visiting their father, John Moore. Mr. Moore returned to Chicago, Saturday.

LOST HIS LIFE.

The First Fatal Accident of the Ann Arbor Street Railway.

FRANK MORSE KILLED ON PACKARD STREET.

Death Was Instantaneous.—He Gave Just One Gasp.—No One Saw the Accident.—How It Probably Occurred.

The first fatal accident caused in any manner by the Ann Arbor street railway occurred at about a quarter past eleven o'clock last Saturday night on Packard street. And while there were no eye witnesses to the sad accident, it seems clear that no blame can be attached to the street railroad. It seems to have been one of those very sad but unavoidable accidents which are liable to occur wherever there is machinery. Frank Morse lived on Geddes avenue and had been assisting in putting down the drive well for the water works company. On Saturday night with a companion named Charles Conrath, he took the Packard street car, mistaking it for the car which goes up William street. Attached, and as usual at the Hanover car switch, Superintendent Fall, who was running the motor, uncoupled the trailer and went ahead with the motor with the purpose of backing up and getting on the other side of the trailer. Morse and Conrath got up and went out on the platform of the motor. As the cars stopped, Conrath got off, Morse cautioning him about getting off. These are the last words he is known to have spoken. No one was with him on the platform after Conrath got off. The motor went ahead to get clear of the switch and the moment the car began to back, a sudden jar was felt. The car was at once stopped and Morse was found to be lying, face upward, under the car, the wheel having passed over his arms and chest. He gave one gasp and died. No sound was heard. Both arms and a shoulder blade were broken, and his chest and ribs crushed.

A coroner's inquest was held Sunday, the verdict of the jury being that Morse came to his death by a cause purely accidental and entirely exonerated the railroad company from all blame.

Morse was a few months over twenty-five years old. The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon.

Kempf's Accidental Death.

A dispatch from Chelsea in this morning's Free Press says:

The remains of Calvin J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Kempf and nephew of Henry C. and Reuben Kempf, bankers at this place, arrived from Seattle, Wash., this morning, and were at once taken to the vault in Oak Grove cemetery. Calvin went to Seattle nearly two years ago and engaged in the milk delivery business, and Saturday, May 30, at 5 o'clock, stepped from his wagon with a five gallon can in his hand. In some manner he slipped and became entangled in the whiffletrees and gear. The team became frightened and ran away, running four blocks before being stopped, the body of young Kempf receiving kicks and bruises at every jump. When taken from the wagon he was unconscious and died two hours after. He was a very industrious young man and highly respected. His sister, Mrs. Emma Kempf Winans, is now in Chili, where she is teaching in a M. E. school. The funeral will be held at the M. E. church, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Albrecht Gwinner desires to extend her sincerest thanks to the Ancient Order of United Workmen, Ann Arbor Sporting Club, Grand Army of the Republic and many friends for kindnesses extended in her recent bereavement.

Dexter.

Junior and senior classes with Supt. Walker, had a pleasant time at Levi Lee's, Friday evening.

The Maccabees turned out in full force, Sundayafternoon, to listen to an anniversary sermon by Rev. S. T. Morris!

Children's day exercises have been postponed to Sunday, June 21st, by the M. E. Sunday school.

The ample grounds around St. Joseph's church and rectory have been so beautiful the past spring with sodding and rare plants in beautiful vases that they would be considered ornamental in aristocratic cities.

St. James church is receiving a thorough coat of paint over the newly sided tower, which shows off neatly through and over the fine evergreen trees of the front yard!

Mrs. McMahon and daughter, Alice, have been called to New York City, on account of the severe illness of the former's mother.

North Lake.

Unadilla has a new printing office now.

Sheep shearing and corn cultivating are now at hand.

Mrs. R. C. Glenn is now able to resume her household duties, after a few weeks' illness.

Sam Guering, of Chelsea, spent one day last week in fishing at the lake. How many fish he caught we do not know. Sam always has a two-horse wagon and goes home with a load of the finest fish.

Matie and Rose Glenn have a young dog which they purchased of Wm. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, of Unadilla, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mapes, of Plainfield, visited their cousins, S. A. Mapes and wife, last Saturday.

Theodore Wood and wife, of Chelsea, spent last Sunday with the family of Wm. Wood, of this place.

W. H. Glenn's residence has just received a new coat of paint.

C. A. Mapes and wife, of Putnam, visited at W. H. Glenn's, last week. Mr. Isaac Glenn and wife, of Henrietta, are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity for a few days. They will make a tour to the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton and Dr. and Mrs. Reeves, of Plainfield, visited at W. H. Glenn's last week, and spent part of the day in fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mapes, of Stockbridge, passed through here one day last week, in route for Dexter.

R. S. Whallan will plant about 45 acres of beans this year. W. R. King is the right hand man.

S. A. Mapes and wife have returned from their winter tour to the sunny south, concluding that "there is no place like home." They experienced about 70 days of rain during their six month's visit. During the trip they visited Lookout and Kennesaw mountains and picked up many relics of the war, consisting of musket, cannon balls, bullets, etc., and would be pleased to show their specimens to all who visit them.

W. H. Glenn suffered a severe attack of the grippe and for some time has been confined to the house. He was not affected like many but thinks it did him good.

DOGS VS. ELEPHANTS.

As to Intelligence the Former Excels, But the Latter is No Fool.

In instituting a comparison between the intelligence of a dog and an elephant, Sir S. Baker decides in favor of the former, "who, when the day's work is over, lies down and sleeps before the fire at his master's feet and dreams of the dangers and exploits of the hunt." Sir S. Baker seems to have forgotten the old story in Aesop's Fables, where the horse was jealous of the dog and tried to ingratiate itself with its master by imitating its rival's habits of fawning on its master and jumping on his lap. Of course the horse fared badly in the contest. And so would the elephant if he were to try to imitate the dog and curl himself up at his master's feet before the camp fire.

But Sir S. Baker himself acknowledges that the elephant is instructed and guided by the mahout in all that he does. He writes thus: "I do not know a more agreeable sensation than the start in the early morning on a thoroughly dependable elephant, with a mahout who takes a real interest in his work. A thorough harmony exists between man and beast, and you feel prepared for anything. But how much depends upon that mahout! It is impossible for a bystander to comprehend the secret signs which are mutually understood by the elephant and his guide—the elephant detects every movement, however slight, and is thus mysteriously guided by its intelligence; the mighty beast obeys the unseen helm of thought, just as a huge ship yields, by apparent instinct, to the rudder which directs her course." And he goes on to observe: "What must be the result should an elephant be guided by a mahout of uncertain temperament? The great trouble when riding on an elephant is the difficulty in getting the mahout to obey an order. In tiger shooting the elephant will at once detect anything like tremor on the part of his mahout. Frequently a good elephant may be disgraced by the nervousness of his mahout, nothing being so contagious as fear." After this testimony it seems reasonable to think that the elephant is as much superior in intelligence to the dog as the mahout is to the elephant.

Daily Growing.

The island of Hawaii, the largest in the Sandwich group, is constantly increasing in size, owing to the ever-flowing streams of lava, which run out to the sea and flow over and make the shores of the island overhang the main stem of the formation.

A Little Fish Story.

When a piece of ice taken in July from an ice house filled the previous December melted a little fish was found swimming merrily about in the water. A correspondent of Nature vouches for this fish story.

MAYOR SOLOMON, of Au Sable, is evidently no relation of the Solomon, famous for his wisdom. He talks too much. His stories do not hang together. He tries to be all things to all men, affirming one moment and denying the next. His is very slim testimony for the Detroit Tribune to charge bribery with.

THE city of Ann Arbor is this week entertaining the state bund meeting of the Arbeiter Unverstaetung Verein. It is also entertaining many German-American visitors drawn here by the meeting of the state bund. The bund has been doing a great work in this state. It is in a most prosperous condition. Ann Arbor feels honored in being chosen as the place in which it holds its meeting this year. The ARGUS wishes it success and hopes that the delegates and visitors may carry home with them the pleasantest memories of their meeting and visit here.

THE EMPTY TREASURY.

Czar Reed is in Europe, wandering from the Coliseum to the Arc de Triomphe, from St. Paul's to Schoenbrunn; McKinley is scheming to make himself Governor of Ohio; Cannon is lost somewhere in Illinois; Rowell has disappeared from memory; Lodge is hidden away in Massachusetts, but the Billion Dollar Congress which they helped so much to create is still a tangible reality, and its full effects are just beginning to be felt.

The Secretary of the Treasury is at his wits' ends for means to pay the bills of the Government as they fall due. Some months ago when the Democrats asserted that the annual expenditures of the Government, under the provisions of the Billion Dollar Congress, would exceed its revenue the statement was stigmatized as that of partisans, but the event has justified the Democratic charge. With \$53,000,000 of 4 1/2 per cent. bonds, and the quarterly pension payments speedily falling due the Government finds itself destitute of the needed funds to pay them, and there is no possibility of obtaining such a sum. The Secretary of the Treasury is forced to declare that the nation is bankrupt and is reduced to the expedient of extending the bonds. The United States is taken out of the list of solvent nations and placed on the footing of Russia or Italy or Spain. Not before in many years has the United States been unable to make its payments, when the proper time arrived.

Too little attention has been paid to the financial condition of the Government. It is natural that the expenses of a nation should grow as its population and wealth increase, for in those cases the requirements become larger, but it is contrary to reason and common sense that the annual expenditures should be augmented forty or fifty or sixty per cent. by a single Congress. Such action cannot be excused upon the plea of enterprise and efforts to advance the commercial interests of the nation, for these matters are best attended to by private individuals. But in this case the pension list more than any other one thing is responsible for the increase, and in order to dish out contributions to the large army of contributors and alleged sufferers in the war, largely the latter, the Treasury has become bare and bankrupt.

The chief question with the Secretary of the Treasury will speedily become how to get money, not how to take care of it. Under Republican administration the surplus has disappeared with a celerity that confounds those who but a while ago were talking of the best manner of its disposition.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Prof. Hinsdale's Latest Work.

Prof. B. A. Hinsdale's latest book, "The American Government, National and State," is just being issued by the Inland Press. It is intended for the use of teachers and students of political science. The table of contents shows that the work is very comprehensive in its nature; though we have not seen a copy of the work, we judge from a few sample pages that it will prove a most excellent text-book. The clearness of the language and the analytic method shown in the sample pages indicate that the work is one of great value, especially as it is written, as Prof. Hinsdale states, in the spirit of the aphorism: An Indestructible Union composed of Indestructible States. The press and paper are good and the work will not suffer because the printer has not done his work properly.

Get On to the Scene.

An eloping couple were traced recently in a peculiar way. A boarder had run away with his landlady, and the husband of the woman, knowing of the boarder's fondness for onions, gave that as a part of the description. When the couple were identified the man had a plate of the odoriferous vegetable before him.

Three to Carry.

Georgia has a town marshal well equipped for his duties. A few days ago, it is said, he had occasion to arrest three evildoers in a bunch. He gathered one under each arm, their legs dangling in the air, and drove the third along in front, and in that way proceeded to the calaboose, where all three prisoners were locked up.

An Ostrich Pace.

Ornithologists tell us that when feeding the stride of the ostrich is from twenty to twenty-two inches; when walking but not feeding, twenty-six inches, and when terrified, from eleven and one-half to fourteen feet, or at the rate of about twenty-five miles an hour.

STUPID SUPERSTITIONS.

People Who Live in Mortal Fear of Trouble from the Dead.

The belief that diseases are caused by the dead is of great antiquity. It was applied in the case of vampires, which were supposed in the middle ages to be the spirits of diseased individuals, which left their graves at night and sucked the blood of the living. The most horrible part of the fancy, which set all Europe panic-stricken a few centuries ago, was the theory that the victims were obliged themselves to become vampires after death. To prevent this thousands of suspected corpses were dug up in order that their hearts might be transfixed with stakes to prevent the fiends from going abroad. In 1875 the body of a woman in Chicago who had died of consumption was exhumed and her lungs burned, under the persuasion that she was drawing others after her into the grave. Passing over a hidden grave is thought in some parts of England to produce a rash, while in New Jersey the same cause brings about incurable cramps in the foot. In China and Scotland also people are reluctant to save a drowning man for fear that the latter, if his life is preserved, will do some dreadful injury to his savior. The Scotch believe that the spirit of the last person buried has to keep watch in the churchyard until another is entombed there, to whom he delivers his charges. The duty of the latest interred to stand sentry at the graveyard gate every night until relieved often gives much uneasiness to the deceased's surviving friends in thinly inhabited parts of the country.—New York Evening Star.

Five young ladies and gentlemen have stepped out of school, to higher responsibilities, says the Morenci Observer. Two to one they're stepping higher now than they will, with the harness of life fully on and the tugs hitched.—Adrian Press.

The Usurer's Only Hope.

"In St. Louis," said the drummer, "is a firm to whom I sell goods once in a great while. The senior partner is a regular shark. Not long ago he loaned some money to a church society for the purchase of a new organ. When payment of the loan was made he charged the society 9 per cent. This was refused, and the principal was not paid. Finally one of the deacons of the church was sent to talk with the usurer. "You have acted very badly," said the pillar of the church. "'How's that?' "Six per cent. was enough interest.' "Nine is fair.' "When the Lord looks down on that 9 he will put a long black mark against your name.' "This staggered the old fellow for a moment, but suddenly recovering, he replied, 'When the Lord looks down on that 9 he will think it's a 6.'"—Chicago Herald.

Trades in France.

In trades properly so called the apprentice is regulated by contract, and in most cases French nationality is indispensable. The limit of hours of work for women is fixed by law at eleven daily after eighteen and at ten for children under thirteen. There are seventeen institutions in Paris alone for the teaching of different trades. Those that are dangerous to health are forbidden to young children. The term of apprenticeship naturally varies according to the nature of the employment. Some trades are very intermittent in their times of work.—New York Sun.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The University Palladium will be out Thursday.

A tramp by the name of Henry Bargli created quite a sensation at a couple of business places Saturday night. He was taken to jail where it was found that he was clearly insane. He was taken to the Pontiac asylum today, as a state charge.

Andrew J. Sutherland died at his residence on Division street last Friday, after a long and severe illness, aged sixty-six years seven months. He was long a resident of Ann Arbor, returning several times to make his residence here. He possessed a peculiar inventive faculty and developed many ideas of value. He was a faithful member of the Methodist church. The funeral was held this afternoon.

OUR NEIGHBORING COUNTIES.

Plymouth is seriously considering putting \$20,000 into water works.

The Oakland jail contains only two belated inmates. The sheriff may go fishing.

E. W. Crafts, of Sharon expects 100 tons of hay from forty acres, this year.

Monroe supervisors return 618 births and 273 deaths during the past year in that county.

Worms have destroyed much of the onion crop of Seneca. It is some satisfaction to reflect that they are now suffering with bad breath.—Adrian Press.

The Orchard Lake Military academy has just turned eighteen cadets out on the cold, cold world, with a little sheep-skin certifying that they have graduated.

There were 737 prisoners in the states prison at Jackson, May 1st, who were longing for freedom, most of them with the idea of again preying upon the public.

A slow witted boy named Cooper stabbed a smart young fellow named William Prommanshinkle in Northville, last week. Prommanshinkle relied too much on the length of his name and persisted in poking fun at the boy.

Earl Smith, a Grass Lake man, was hen chasing last week and it was a very perverse hen he was after. So intent did he become on getting the hen in its house, that he looked not where he stepped and is nursing a broken arm.

Edna Browning, daughter of James Browning, and grand-daughter of E. Ellis, of Fishville, is a most extraordinary child. She is yet in her seventh year but is able to read nearly everything in a newspaper and has finished Uncle Tom's Cabin. She can compose and write letters; also can crochet, knit, sew and work cross stitch patterns. She has never been to school and with very little assistance has been able to master these difficulties.—Grass Lake News.

Mrs. M. G. Carlton, wife of the editor of the Grass Lake News, died June 2, from peritonitis. She was born in Jackson county. Her bereaved husband pays this touching tribute to her character:

The subject of this memoir was a woman of most lovely character. Her saintly soul bore no taint of selfishness, and her loving bosom was inspired by a charity as sweet as fragrance from the heart of a rose. She never saw guile in others; to her pure eyes all lives were pure. She bore to all good will and gentleness, and in the home circle exhibited the same refined and amiable spirit that made her so warmly admired by the outside world. There was no more asperity in her nature than in the song of a bird. Incapable of offense, she drew to her all hearts and friendships innumerable, like the radiant bow upon the bosom of the summer shower, spangled and made happy her sunny life. She was tenderly solicitous of her family circle. Her obligations toward its members were discharged with affection and conscientious fidelity, and they in return well nigh adored her. And when the silken cords were snapped that bound her to them, their hearts were left torn and bleeding and clouded with unutterable sorrow.

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The board of review begins its sessions, to-day.

Cut worms are after the tomatoes in Sharon this year.

Dr. J. A. Palmer has been elected chief of the Chelsea fire department.

The Eureka bakery in Ypsilanti was robbed of about \$70, Sunday night.

The delegates for the state convention of the Arbeiter Verein are arriving in the city.

The German Workingmen's Society of Saline will hold a picnic on their grounds, July 4.

A bee was held on the fair grounds Saturday and yesterday to grade the race track.

The marshal has been serving notices for two or three miles of new sidewalks, this week.

A "tooth professor" is the latest name by which the Adrian Press designates a dentist.

Rev. W. O. Waters preached Sunday in St. Andrew's church, Detroit, his future charge.

An unsuccessful attempt was made, Sunday night, to break in Speller's store, on State street.

The U. of M. ball team defeated the D. A. C. on the fair grounds, Saturday, by a score of 13 to 10.

M. Grossman has been elected commander of the Goethe Commandery No. 28, U. F. of M.

A new mill, a new church and a new block of stores is what makes South Lyon smile.

Fred J. Schleede is building a new residence on his recently purchased property on Jefferson street.

There is not a colored resident in Chelsea village. There are very few villages that can say this.

Bre'r Steers is a pretty good judge for he is a good writer and gets up a very neat paper himself.

Town-clerk W. F. Hall, of Sharon, clipped 31 pounds of wool from one little merino sheep, this year.

The Ann Arbor Argus has arrived at our table, it is well edited and neatly printed.—Plymouth Mail.

Justice Bogardus sent two tramps to jail for fifteen days, yesterday, to put in their time breaking stone.

County Treasurer Brehm is quite a chimer. He put up the streamers from the weather vanes of the court house.

Rev. M. J. Fleming, recently of Gayetown, has succeeded Rev. Fr. Kelly as pastor of St. Joseph's church, in Dexter.

Stevens, of Whitmore lake, has added five new canvass lined row boats to his fleet, to be ready for the summer boarder.

The U. of M. Daily ceased publication Friday, until next fall. The Daily has been the equal of any college daily published.

Miss Caroline Roeffler, of Bethlehem, Pa., died at the residence of Mrs. Garwood, on Monroe street, last Friday, aged forty-six years.

Ernest Conrad, son of B. J. Conrad, will be married to Miss Anna Spooner, of Detroit, next month. Mr. Conrad is located in New York city.

The Webster and Jeffersonian law societies hold a joint debate, Friday evening, as to whether the amount of property to be inherited by bequest should be restricted.

All of the present corps of teachers of the Dexter school, excepting possibly the preceptress, who has not yet expressed a desire to remain, will undoubtedly be retained next year.

Charles L. Blodgett, formerly principal of the Saline schools, now a senator in the University, has been chosen as superintendent of the Manchester schools and will make a good one.

Alfred Mitchell, a student at the Ypsilanti Normal, was arrested by Deputy-Sheriff Buck, in Marine City, last week, on the charge of larceny from the Sanders clothing store in Ypsilanti.

A burglar broke into Stimson's store on State street, Saturday evening, and secured about \$16. He was stopped by a couple of men on the sidewalk held for a few moments but he played off drunk and escaped.

A committee on investigation has recommended the farmers and business men of Ypsilanti to build a creamery with a capacity of 20,000 pounds of milk per day, which would produce about 900 pounds of butter daily.

Two men were brought before Justice Butts, yesterday. One was a tramp and was discharged. The other who had been working in Northfield, was found very drunk. He paid the costs, \$5.20, and was also discharged.

Last Saturday morning a daughter of Herbert Hunt, who resides south of the village, found a dynamite cap and was playing with it when it exploded, carrying away the end of the first finger and a portion of the thumb of her left hand.—Manchester Enterprise.

The little daughter of John Wisner, of Manchester, fell from a lumber pile last week and broke her arm. The next day a six year old boy of Carmi Middlebrook, also fell out of a window and broke his arm. Accidents of the same nature rarely come singly in a community.

William McManus, an 18-year old son of James McManus, near Mooreville, was cut and stabbed five times by Pat Kehoe, last Sunday, simply because Wm. said to Pat that he knew of some one who owned a horse that could out-trot one that he, Pat, drove.—Saline Observer.

Mrs. H. C. Gregory has given to St. James' society a permanent endowment of \$500, to be used toward the support of a clergyman. She has also presented the church with a beautiful carved wood receptacle for the communion services, as a memorial to her deceased husband.—Dexter Leader.

William H. Hibbard died in Northfield, last Saturday. He was seventy-four years of age and was born in Connecticut, and had resided in Northfield since 1867. His wife and one son survive him. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon and the remains were taken to Attica, N. Y., for interment.

The Arbeiter Verein, of Saline, have elected the following officers: President, J. George Ehms; vice-president, John Frank; Secretary, Otto Jarrandt; treasurer, G. A. Lindenschmidt; Med. Ex., C. F. Underkireher; flag carrier, Geo. Haar; trustees, E. Helber, M. Seeger, Sam Josephans, E. A. Hauser, J. F. Wessinger.

An interesting game of base-ball was played on the ball grounds, last Saturday afternoon, between a club of youngsters from Ann Arbor and a nine of Dexter youths. The visitors were a crack little team and their playing called forth much praise. They were pitted against larger boys, but made a gamey fight though they were beaten 11 to 9.—Dexter Leader.

Deputy-Sheriff Peterson went to Ypsilanti, yesterday afternoon, where he arrested three inmates of a house of shady repute in Ann Arbor town, on the Whitmore lake road, and brought them to the jail. The officers had gone to the house, yesterday morning and found that someone had given the inmates warning and the birds had flown. They will be brought up in justice court, to-day.

Mrs. Talcott, mother of W. H. Talcott, fell down stairs head foremost at the residence of her son in South Lyon, on Saturday morning, last, receiving some bruises and a scalp wound. In view of her age, 83 past, her escape from more serious injury seemed almost miraculous. She is a woman of uncommon nerve and refused to delay her return to Ypsilanti that day.—South Lyon Picket.

Edith: "You can't imagine how Mr. Bullfinch complimented your singing." Ethel: "Did he though?" Edith: "Yes he said 'twas simply heavenly." Edith: "Really?" Edith: "Well, just the 'same thing; he said 'twas simply un-earthly."

Town Topics of New York City, in marriage at high noon last Thursday, of Miss Josephine Adams Perry and Mr. Junius Spencer Morgan, followed by a wedding breakfast, at St. Marc hotel, gives the name of Miss Rathbone, of Michigan, as one of the six bridesmaids. Miss Perry is a daughter of General Perry of the United States Army.

A special meeting of the members of the Ann Arbor Business Men's Association has been called by the president, Thomas J. Keech, for Friday evening, June 12, at 7:30 o'clock sharp in the council chamber, for the purpose of electing officers and considering other matters of importance. All members should be present. EUGENE K. FREUAUFF, Cor. Sec.

Friday night, some men, whether for their own good or for spite, opened an old ditch some five feet wide and two feet deep, thereby lowering Cavanaugh lake about six inches when discovered Saturday. Several men went from here to the scene and filled in the ditch, and now a sign on a tree near by says that it will not be healthy for any one to dig in that ditch. If the parties wish to drain the lake, which is now stocked with fish, let them go at it in a legal manner.—Chelsea Standard.

William S. Carr, a pioneer of this county, died in East Riverside, California, Sunday, May 31, of a grippie, aged eighty-three years. He came to this county from New York in 1833, with a brother and took up a farm from the government in Manchester township. He built several houses and the first brick store in Manchester village. He was a member of the legislature in 1840, and supervisor in 1843 and 1855. He held various other offices and was greatly respected. He removed to California about three years ago.

The Monroe Democrat of last week says: We notice by the papers that Rev. E. D. Kelly, formerly of St. Francis Seminary and St. John's church of this city, and more recently of Dexter, has been transferred to a more extended field of labor and takes charge of St. Thomas church, Ann Arbor. Father Kelly is an educated gentleman who made a host of warm friends among Catholics and Protestants while in this city. He is easy to approach, generous warm hearted and thorough American. We know him well and believe Father Kelly will make many warm friends at his new home in the Athens of the west.

Do sheep swim? Well, we never heard of any doing so to any extent, until this week. About two weeks ago, Burt Young, who lives west of here, drove his flock of forty-seven to the pen at Cedar lake; but they didn't stop in the pen but struck right out. When they got to the middle of the lake they seemed confused, and for nearly an hour they swam in a circle the same as a flock of geese, their heads only being visible. Mr. Young finally made his way to the other side of the lake and called them ashore, not however until one had drowned, and the others were nearly exhausted.—Chelsea Standard.

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"Brer's an' sistern, I gotter grate, good news disser mawnin', I dun hadder dream las' nite. Yassir, I hadder dream dat I dun gotter hebbin. [Sister Dilsey in the amen corner, 'Praise Gord!']

"Yassir, I dun hadder dream dat I dun got to hebbin, an' wheest I got dar I witnessed many sights. I see way ober in the norf all de Mefodists, in de norf way off frum de throne. ['Glory,' from the congregation.]

"Yassir! an' I look way ober to de east an' see all de Pres-but-erians ober in de east, way off from de throne. ['Aint I glad we's Babbis', voices in the multitude].

"Yassir! an' I look way down yander to de souf an' see all de Camelites, down in de souf way off from de throne. ['De Babbis'! Babbis'!! Babbis'!!! Where's de Babbis', the congregation].

"Yas, sir, and I look way ober to de west an' I see all the Cal-licks way ober in de west way off from de throne, an' I look at de throne, and whadder do you reckon I see on the throne? Nuffin, brers and sister, nuffin but Babbis'. ['Glory! amen! bress Gord!' from a devout sister!']

"Yassir! An' I ax de Lawd wy he hab all de Babbis' on de throne and de Lawd say: ['What? Brer, What?' from the congregation.]

"He say, de Babbis' such onreliable raskals he hab to keep 'em wha' he kin git his hans on 'em."

Queer Origin of Some Words.

"Oh, dear!" is equivalent to "O dio mio," "O my God."

"Thimble" was originally "thumb bell," the thimble formerly having been worn on the thumb.

"Slave" is not the "slave" of the old etymologists, but, in reality, a person of noble lineage.

"Rotten Row," the famous London street gained its name by being called "la route du rot," in English, "the King's passage-way."

"Dandelion" is *dent de leon*, "the lion's tooth," and "vinegar" was once *vin aigre* (sour wine).

"Madame" is "my lady," and "sir" has been extracted from the Latin "senior" through the French.

"Biscuit" keeps alive the Latin phrase, *bis coctus*, "twice cooked," and a "verdict" is simply a *vere dictum* (true saying).

An "earl" was an "elder" in primitive society, while "pope" is the same as "papa," and "czar" and "kaiser" are both Caesars.

A "villain," before the stigma of disgrace was attached to him, was simply a laborer on the "villa" of a Roman country gentleman.

"Huzzy" once meant a respectable housewife; a "knave" was simply a boy. "Jimminy" is a reminiscence of the classical adjuration, "O gemini," used by the Romans when they called upon the twins, Castor and Pollux, to help them.

"Lord" is the old Anglo-Saxon "hlaford" (loaf distributor). The Latin term for "Lord" is *Dominus*, which has given us "dominic," the old term for preacher.

Women Horseback Riders.

Besides the roundness of limb and redundancy of health that city women acquire from vigorous horseback riding, they gain a faculty for keeping their balance while on their feet in city conveyances. It is a most desirable acquisition for the city woman, whom we are accustomed to see tipping or staggering about in the street cars when forced to stand. Sharp-eyed men who ride horseback know at a glance when a woman standing in a street car is a horse-woman. They know it by the ease and sureness with which she adjusts herself to the motions of the vehicle, and at the same time preserves her feminine dignity.

The Price of Liars.

One of the daily papers of Rome publishes in every issue the following editorial notice: "For a report of a fight or a fire in which one or more human lives were lost we pay 1 lire and 50 cents; for a report of a suicide, 1 lire; for a report of an attempt at suicide, 50 cents; for a report of an accident at which a person suffered bodily harm, 30 cents; for reports of a murder, highway robbery, burglary and other happenings of this kind, we pay according to the importance of the event, but in no case less than 5 liras."

Elevated Buddhists.

It is stated that the highest place in the world regularly inhabited is the Buddhist monastery Haine, in Thibet, which is about 16,000 feet above sea level; the next highest, Galera, a railway station in Peru, which is located at a height of 15,635 feet.

A Queer Superstition.

In some parts of Cornwall it is considered unlucky to have any washing done in the house between Christmas and New Year's Day, the superstitious believing that if a washing takes place some of the family will be washed out of life.

Where Doors are Taxed.

In France the government still levies a tax on doors and windows. To the peasant in his small hut this tax amounts to a little more than 3 francs a year, but in the towns it rises to 17 francs annually for each family.

RESTORING THE SIGHT.

Novel Appliances for Curing Various Troubles of the Eyes.

It is a well-known fact that higher civilization is always attended by new and special forms of disease. The eye is peculiarly subject to ailments entailed by modern conditions, and their specific nature and remedies have been clearly defined by oculists. It may be mentioned incidentally that not long ago attention was drawn to the fact that a new disease of the eye peculiar to New York was caused by the fine particles of iron disseminated through the air along the line of the elevated roads by the friction and concussion of the trains. But beside the more complex forms of disease there are simpler and more primitive classes, for the cure of which less elaborate treatment is usually resorted to.

When any affection of the eye is dependent on the state of the surrounding tissues, or a sluggishness in the circulation of the eye-ball, and not due to an organic defect of the lens, or when the nerves of the eye are affected by sympathy with the nervous system generally, various simple remedies are brought into requisition. Among these are fomentation, rubbing of the temples and "dry cupping." The last named treatment is regarded as improving the circulation of the blood in and around the eye, and as restoring the convexity of the cornea, thus curing longsightedness, shortsightedness, weakness of sight, dimness of vision and other affections of the eye.

For such purposes various cups and Indian rubber ball appliances, are often employed, and the modification of this treatment is the subject of the illustration now given, which shows a new invention just patented in England. The merit of such devices as these can only be determined by experience, but, pending a thorough and reliable test of the invention, it is but fair to regard the claim of the inventor that he has devised an improvement on the ivory cup and rubber ball for cases where the regulation of the suction and tension is of the utmost importance, and has rendered possible the more effective placing of the cup attachments on the cornea of the eyes, as a sound one. He has certainly devised an ingenious modification of appliances now used.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

WITHOUT A RIVAL.

An Observer Finds That American Women Are Above Comparison.

"No other women in the world can compare with American women," said a man who has been living abroad for several years, "in walking. The American woman walks by preference. She seems to scorn a carriage. And how she walks! Her head is held up, her shoulders are thrown back, and her step is firm and elastic. Is it any wonder that she has a fine color and that her lips are fresh and her eye clear? In other countries women ride because they do not feel safe when they are in the street. Here they know that they have every man at their command if they need him. They may not know what a blessing their independence is to them, but their own beauty and the health and the vigor of their children in after years are in a great measure due to this love of walking. Save in England perhaps I have seen nothing like it, and in England the women do not walk as they do here. They are more deliberate and grave. The quickness and strength and fire are missing. They seem more like machines. They walk for the sake of tradition, it seems to an American, but here our women walk because they like to walk."

About Mark Twain.

An old Californian says he can readily remember when Sam Clemens, as Mark Twain was then called, was a very indigent reporter on the Morning Call in San Francisco, not having money enough often to buy his dinner. He was standing disconsolate one day on the corner of Montgomery street with a cigar-box under his arm. An acquaintance saw him and asked him what he was about. "I am moving," said the humorist, "and carrying with me all my worldly goods." He then opened the box and displayed his entire wardrobe, as he styled it—an old clay pipe, a paper collar and a well-worn necktie. He is now worth probably \$1,000,000, but he got this, not by writing, but by an advantageous marriage and by the publication of other persons' books, which he considers the only profitable kind of authorship. An intimate friend of Twain says that it is as easy to get a joke out of him as it is hard to get a dollar.

How Frescoers Work.

How many persons have any idea how great fresco painters manage when they wish to produce the figure of a woman flying amid clouds upon a ceiling? It is the first place the modern fresco work is apt to be done upon canvas, which is attached to the ceiling afterward. The artist disposes his model upon a couch with pillows under her here and there—one under one leg, one under one shoulder, another under her head, perhaps. Thus he imitates with her body the freest and most graceful outlines of a flying form. His canvas is stretched upon a wall or frame and he mounts a high ladder, and, looking down upon the model, paints her without painting the pillows that mold her attitude. When he has finished and the figure is overhead it takes on the character of an aerial creature—if the artist has managed as he should.

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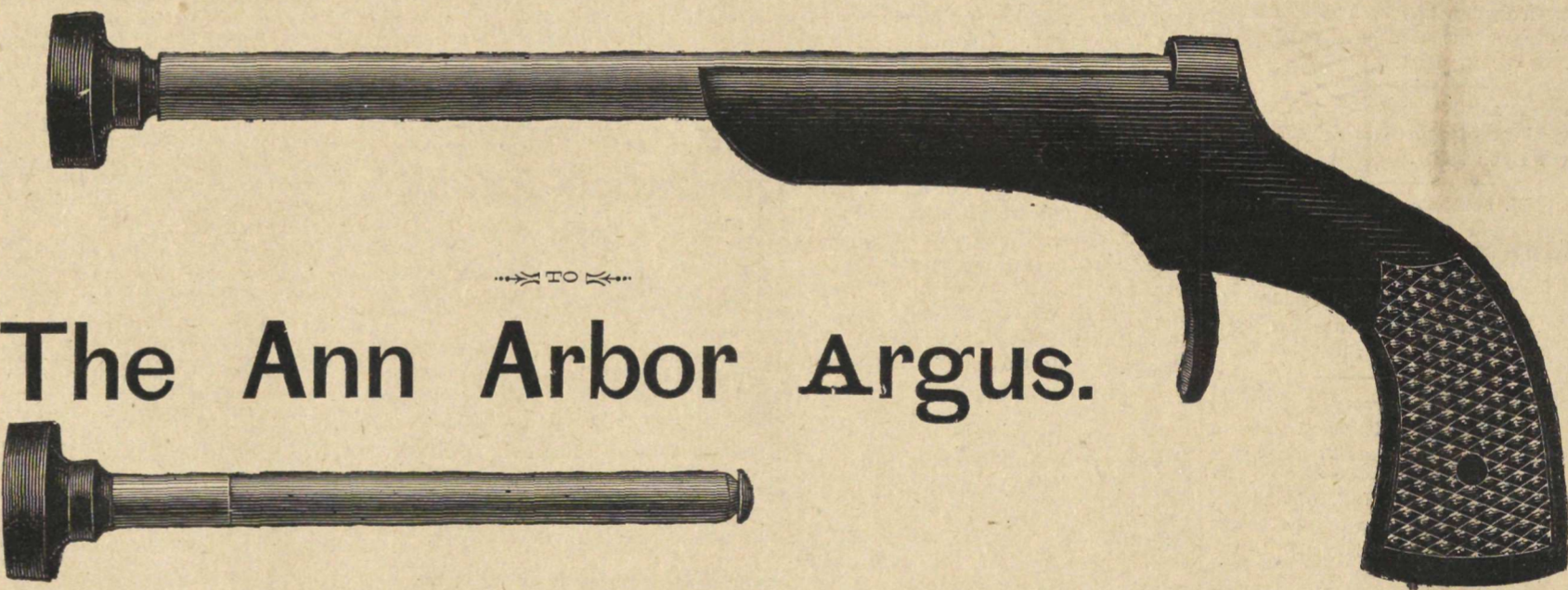
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