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LADIES! Come and buy **A NEW FALL DRESS.** Over 100 pieces now open in Serges, Whip Cords, Chevots, Jacquards, Diagonals, Henriettas, Checks and Stripes, Shaded Mixtures, Hopsackings and Fancy Plaids, all bought to sell at 50¢ a yard. To start the season in our Dress Goods Department we make the price

39 Cents a Yard.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

All Marked Down for September.

Black Cashmeres, Black Silk Warp Henriettas, Black Satin Finish Henriettas, Black Crepe Cloths, Black Fancy Stripes, Black Serges, Black Glorias, and a large stock of Black Silks. Ladies, this will be a pretty good time to pick up what you want for fall.

A BIG SAVING!

- 100 more Royal Chenille Table Covers at \$1.59 each.
- 200 more 6 1/2 Chenille Table Covers, worth \$1.25 for 79¢ each.
- 100 Turkey Red 8 1/2 Table Covers at 69¢ each.
- Big lot Small-Sized Turkey Red Table Covers at 29¢ each.
- 50 pieces All Linen Crash Toweling at 5¢ a yard.
- 25 Bales Choice White Cotton Batts at 9¢ a roll.
- 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, a Bargain at 16¢ a yard.
- 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, worth 20¢, for 15¢ a yard.
- 42-inch Bleached Pillow Cotton at 10¢ a yard.
- 25 pieces Yard-Wide Bleached Cotton at 5¢ a yard.
- 100 White Crochet Bed Spreads, worth \$1.00, 75¢ each.

In our Curtain Department

We place on sale one lot Chenille Curtains, Dado Border, in Light and Dark Shades, worth \$4.00, for \$3.00 a pair. 75 Paris Nottingham Lace Curtains, Tape Borders, worth \$5c, for 50¢ a pair. 200 Curtain Shades, Complete, with Spring Rollers, at 25¢ each. 500 yards Fancy Curtain Drapery at 5¢ a yard. Big lot White Dotted Swiss Muslin, worth 25¢, for 15¢ a yard.

LADIES! Please call and take notice of the low prices made for September.

SCHAIRER & MILLEN, Leaders of Low Prices and Always The Cheapest.

LACK OF SENSATIONS.

Ann Arbor is Not Startled This Week as of Late.

A HUNDRED WOMEN VOTED ON MONDAY.

A Divorce Wanted Badly.—Reports of the Condition of the Schools.—Wedding Bells are Ringing, Etc.

He Wants a Divorce.

Ernest W. Bordine, of Augusta, has filed a bill for a divorce from his wife, Mary Bordine, nee Smith. The couple is a very young one, Bordine now suing for the divorce by his next friend, although he gave his age on the marriage license nearly two years ago as 21 and that of his bride 18. They were married by Justice Pond, December 29, 1891. The divorce is asked for on the ground of extreme cruelty, Bordine setting forth in his bill that a year after their marriage his wife began to exhibit extreme hatred of his mother, who lived with them, exhibited by such acts as tearing the thumbs off kid gloves belonging to her. He also charges that in June of this year she administered tartar emetic to his mother, his sister, brother-in-law and himself, in their food, which made them sick so that a physician had to be called in.

Wedding Bells.

Guy B. Thompson and Miss Alice Beckwith, both of this city, were married Wednesday morning at the residence of the brides mother on East University avenue, by the Rev. M. M. Goodwin, of Ypsilanti. The bride is a popular young lady in society circles and the groom is a rising young lawyer of the firm of Thompson, Harriman & Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson left on the North Shore Limited for the west. They will be at home at 48 Ann street, after November first.

Albert E. Gebhardt, of Portland Oregon, was married to Miss Olga Amalie Lentz, at the residence of the bride's father, A. Lentz, on Washington street, Wednesday noon, Rev. Max Hein officiating. The bride is well known and popular and the groom who has also many friends in this city being a graduate of the law department in 1891, is a practicing attorney. Mr. and Mrs. Gebhardt left on the afternoon train for their new home, stopping for some time in Chicago on the way.

The Annual School Election.

The annual school election in the city of Ann Arbor, was held last Monday and considerable interest was manifested owing to the efforts of the woman's suffragists to make a showing. Mrs. W. S. Perry was named by the woman's suffragists to oppose J. T. Jacobs, with out her knowledge and when the fact that her name was being used, was made known to her, for obvious reasons, she withdrew from the contest. The name of Mrs. Olivia B. Hall was then written by the ladies upon their tickets. There were 102 women's votes cast out of a total vote of 416 and the election resulted in the election of the three members of the old board as follows: L. Gruner 407; Dr. W. B. Smith, 399; Jos. T. Jacobs, 344; Mrs. W. S. Perry, 40; Mrs. Olivia B. Hall, 26; Ottmar Eberbach, 2; Mrs. Israel Hall, 1.

At the annual meeting held after the election there were only three citizens present besides the school board, clerks of election and reporters. The meeting unanimously voted a tax of \$29,250 for school purposes and \$100 for the school library.

Moran's Answer to the Register Publishing Company.

In the issue of the Ann Arbor Register this week, S. A. Moran has something to say concerning the suit brought against him by the Register Publishing Company. He says it is really the suit of two members of the board against the third member and avers that the charges took seven months to concoct. He says his answer is full and complete and makes this strong charge: It is, so far as we are able to ascertain, firmly believed, by everybody who is familiar with all the facts in the case and who is not directly interested in the scheme of the two complainants, that the charges were gotten up for the specific purpose of diverting the attention of the public from the actions of the aforesaid directors in their efforts to take ad-

vantage of the present stringency of the times, when a business like this would not, upon a forced sale, bring ten cents on the dollar, and of a technicality of the law which gave them the power, to gain possession, at their own figure, of a business worth from \$25,000 to \$30,000, and in which neither of the complainants now has, or ever has had, an interest of more than a few hundred dollars. It appears as if, in order to make sure after having made an assignment, so as to force the business to a sale during these hard times, that only certain persons would bid upon it, the property was, at the same time it was assigned, burdened with an expensive lawsuit, which would naturally repel prospective purchasers.

Congressman Gorman's Work for His Constituents.

While Hillsdale county is complaining that only three out of its 33 postmasters are democrats, Congressman Gorman has been rapidly securing changes in the postoffices in this district. That he is successful in other directions is indicated by the following dispatch to the Detroit Evening News:

Congressman Gorman is developing a great pull with the administration. In addition to two minor places which he secured for constituents earlier in the special session, he has just been given the naming of three more officeholders, one of them of considerable importance. R. B. French, of Blissfield, began duty today as watchman in the agricultural department. On Monday Charles F. Driggs, of Palmyra, will be assigned to a place in the postoffice department. Driggs is secretary of the democratic committee of Lenawee county, and his aim in becoming an officeholder is to complete his law studies, for which Washington presents exceptional facilities. The hours of lectures at the Columbia Law school are arranged with special reference to the convenience of departmental clerks, and there are many good lawyers in the country who could not have secured their professional training except through holding a government job.

The third place Gorman secures is one of the three commissioners to locate town sites in the Cherokee strip. It pays only \$1,500, and the work will probably last but a few weeks. The office is a responsible one, besides presenting to the incumbent many opportunities in a legitimate direction. Chas. H. Burroughs, of Clinton, Lenawee county, gets the place. He is the manufacturer of a popular brand of chewing gum, which he can now introduce to the dark-complexioned girls of the Indian territory.

It is further said that Mr. Gorman has secured for Michigan another and one of the most important offices she has yet received. It will be announced in a few days.

The Condition of Our Schools.

Supt. Perry made a very interesting report of the public schools this year from which the following extract is taken:

The first item of such a report naturally concerns the facts of attendance; and as helping to interpret some of these facts two census items of the city are here introduced.

Population of the school district, estimated, 10,000. School population between 5 and 20 years, 3,036.

STATISTICS OF THE SCHOOLS.

ITEMS.	SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.			TOTAL.
	HIGH SCHOOL.	GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.	PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.	
Enrollment, exclusive of transfers, Boys.....	887	276	546	1209
Girls.....	350	209	478	1037
Totals.....	737	545	1024	2306
Average number belonging of each pupil.....	688	463	861	1910
Average daily attendance.....	561	449	822	1832
Number of non-residents.....	356	48	41	445
Percent of attendance.....	80.89	95.89	95.54	85.97
Number of men teachers.....	8	—	—	8
Number of women teachers.....	9	13	21	43
Number of special teachers.....	—	—	—	—
Number of days of school session.....	190	190	190	—
Average days attendance.....	151	161	157	155
Average number of pupils to each teacher.....	37	34	41	38
Cost per capita for instruction.....	26.56	15.20	10.75	16.37
Cost per capita for incidentals.....	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.80
Total cost of schools per capita.....	30.36	19.00	14.55	20.17

The above table shows a total increase of 151 in enrollment over that of the preceding year. Of this increase 112 were in the primary grades, 7 in the grammar grades, and 32 in the High School. In the first grade 217 had not previously been in any school, and of these 115 were only five years of age.

The increase in the Primary Department for the past two years, amounting to 231, has made unusual demands upon our school accommodations. Ex-

cept one room in the 5th ward, not available, every schoolroom in the city, besides one rented room, has been occupied, while some of them have been too much crowded all the year. By employing cadet assistants in such rooms the classes have been carried through with reasonable success.

It is evident that the addition to the first ward building was decided upon none too soon.

It is an honor for any pupil (as it is also for his teacher) to maintain an unbroken attendance for a whole year; hence we print annually the names of such pupils as have been neither absent nor tardy during the preceding year. That list is as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL.

Lewis Allmendinger, Christian Allmendinger, Perry Biggs, Barbara Burt, Paul Cheever, Henry Gelston, Cornelia Koch, Louise Law, William L. Mack, Roger Morris, Carrie Schaffer, George Schaffer, Louise Weinman, L. P. Ray Willoughby. For two years—Rose A. Dress, Minnie Caldwell, Emilie Eberbach, Victor E. Kurtz, Olaf G. Peterson, John Smoots, Anna G. Shannon, Pauline Wurster. For six years—Edward R. Muehlig.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Erwin Brown, William Engelhard, Emily Graf, Dora M. Tice, Emily Weinman. For two years—Sidney Martin, Oscar Weitbrecht.

FIRST WARD SCHOOL.

Olga Bessinger, John Burkhardt, Mark Cheever, Pearl Cady, Annie Ehnis, Harold Howe, Rudolph Kiesselbach, Mary Scott, Austin Scott, Irving Schleede. For two years—George Frey, Fannie Keisselbach.

SECOND WARD SCHOOL.

Ruth Allmendinger, Minnie Behncke, Harry Cole, Rose Fischer, Ernest Frey, Rudolph Glatzel, Adele Glatzel, Arthur Gakle, August Kowalski, Emily Lutz, Helena Mayer, Annie Martin, Charlotte Walker. For two years—Joseph Fischer, Emily Kauske, Louisa Kauska, Lydia Schleyer, Eugene Sinke.

THIRD WARD SCHOOL.

Carrie Burchfield, Martin Adam-scheck.

FOURTH WARD SCHOOL.

William Burleson, Effie Godfrey, Anna Hafer, Ethel Orr, Ralph Perrine, John Steeb, Stephen Schaible, Isaphine Salyer, Oscar Walter, Oscar Wurster. For two years—Alice Schall.

FIFTH WARD SCHOOL.

Rosa Brown, Simeon Carson, Frank Sharpe, Mildred Ware. For two years—Hattie Carson.

Report of the Board of Education.

The Board of Trustees of School District No. 1, of the city of Ann Arbor, herewith submit their Thirty-Seventh Annual report for the school year ending the 4th day of September, 1893:

RECEIPTS FOR 1892-93.	
Bal. as per Report.....	\$ 282 17
City Treas. Taxes.....	31,904 60
A. A. Town Taxes.....	1,322 95
Fine Money and sale of Catalogues.....	30 00
Int. rec. of A. S. Bank.....	144 83
Eberbach & Son, crop bill.....	14 36
Perry, for books sold.....	4 00
Broken Window Lights.....	45
Lot sold from 1st Ward School Ground.....	700 00
Prim. School Money (\$2,992.35 and \$2,396.21).....	4,658 57
Doz Tax.....	54 48
County Treas. Fine Money.....	132 22
Tuition.....	7,898 61
	\$46,099 67

EXPENDITURES OF 1892-93.	
Salaries of Teachers.....	\$1,161 85
Secretary and Treasurer.....	300 00
Salary of Trust Officer.....	120 00
Librarian.....	450 00
Bonds due Feb. 1, 1892.....	4,000 00
Interest due on Bonds, Feb. 1, 1892.....	640 00
Fuel.....	2,243 91
Janitors.....	1,629 55
Insurance.....	45 00
Gas.....	121 00
Water.....	200 00
Ventilation in new High School Building.....	100 00
Library Books.....	311 96
Improvements.....	1,043 43
Repairs and Incidentals.....	2,014 45
Interest to A. A. Savings Bank.....	35 72
Supplies for Commercial Department for '93-'94.....	460 00
	\$45,467 87

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES OF 1893-94.	
Contract for Addition to 1st Ward Building.....	\$ 4,300 00
Salaries of Teachers.....	32,775 00
Extra Teachers.....	500 00
Bonds and Interest due Feb. 1, 1894.....	4,480 00
Janitors' Salaries.....	1,700 00
Insurance Prem.....	500 00
Gas (\$150), Fuel (\$2,250).....	2,400 00
Water.....	300 00
Improvements, Incidentals and Repairs.....	3,500 00
	\$50,355 00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS FOR 1893-94.	
Mil Tax.....	\$ 5,500 00
Primary School Money.....	4,250 00
Tuition.....	7,250 00
New Bonds, payable 1896-97.....	3,500 00
Bal. Cash on hand.....	631 80
	\$21,131 80

Amount needed.....\$29,223 20

The bonded indebtedness of the district is \$12,000, as follows:
Feb. 1st, 1894.....\$ 4,000 00
" " 1895....." 4,000 00
" " 1896....." 4,000 00
\$12,000 00

The increase of enrollment in the Primary departments for the past three years has been at the rate of 100 and more within the past year. In consequence of this, at the last annual meeting the District authorized the Board of Trustees to issue bonds to the amount of \$6,000 for the erection of such building or buildings as might be deemed necessary for the accommodation of the schools.

The proper location for a new building was not an easy matter to determine, as it was necessary to relieve Wards 1, 2 and 4 of a pressure of large numbers of pupils. It was thought desirable to find a location somewhere in the district bounded by Main, Huron, Fifth and Liberty streets. But when the conditions of play-ground and proper surroundings were considered, this was found to be impossible. It was then decided that an addition to the first or second ward building was the best thing to be done. The first was selected because its location would relieve the fourth ward much better than if placed in the second. An addition to the second ward would seem necessary in the near future. The addition now being built in the first ward will add two first class rooms to the working capacity of the schools. The addition is made larger than the one on the north side in order to furnish more cloak room—a convenience greatly needed, as the building hereafter will have eight school rooms. The new rooms are to be finished in first class style and will be heated by Smead furnaces. The satisfactory work done by these furnaces so far as they have been used in this building, seems to justify the Board in continuing this method of heating and ventilation.

The Board has authorized the expenditure of several hundred dollars for fitting up chemical and botanical laboratories. We have endeavored to avoid all extravagance in the use of funds for the district. But we assume that the sentiment of the community is strongly in favor of keeping the facilities of the High School equal to the best that are found in other high schools. The Board have taken the first step toward better ventilation of the old High School Building by directing the Committee on Buildings to investigate and report to the Board on the best method that can be applied to this building. Some years ago the Board were authorized by vote of the District to raise upon bonds \$1,000 for that purpose. The Board have held the bond for some eight years but have not used it. We trust that by careful investigation the Board will now find the best scheme and so be able to properly discharge its responsibility in this matter.

It may be proper to say that the Board, in the appointment of teachers, endeavors to act with the greatest caution, after the most intelligent investigation in each case. The only principle that is permitted to rule their decisions is the quality of the applicant, and the good of the schools. Also the same care is applied to candidates for positions as cadets. The purpose is to appoint no one to cadetship who does not seem likely to make a good teacher. We believe our schools are in excellent condition, that they are in the hands of skillful and upright teachers, and that they are working for the best interest of the patrons and the whole community.

For a more detailed statement relating to the management of the schools we refer you to the report of Supt. Perry, which has been printed for distribution. September 4th, 1893.

CHRISTIAN MACK,
W. W. WHEDON, President.
Secretary.

Marriage Licenses.	
Joseph Vandewater, Ishpeming.....	46
Helen M. McGregor, Ann Arbor.....	24
Edward A. Cadieux, Ann Arbor.....	24
Sophia H. Arnold, Ann Arbor.....	19
Ernest Edward Ring, Ypsilanti.....	20
Lina Graham, Ypsilanti.....	18
Wm. H. Scovill, Ypsilanti.....	24
Martha Reyer, Norwell.....	24
Bert Lambert, Ypsilanti.....	27
Lucy Florence Hay, Ypsilanti.....	23
Albert E. Gebhardt, Portland, Ore.....	28
Olga Amelia Lentz, Ann Arbor.....	26
Wm. A. Heath, Augusta.....	56
Charlotte Foss, Sumpter.....	44
Guy B. Thompson, Ann Arbor.....	27
Alice W. Beckwith, Ann Arbor.....	23
Wm. Henry Rogers, Webster.....	24
Rosa M. Brough, Webster.....	20
Henry Jordan, Lodi.....	38
Mary Stewart, Lodi.....	22
George P. Eisman, Menominee.....	25
Louise M. Cady, Ann Arbor.....	23

Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers for the week ending Sept. 9th, 1893, furnished by the Washtenaw Abstract Company. Office with County Clerk at Court House.

W. P. Lampkin to John Smith, York, \$2,500.

George Savery to E. McEmory, Sylvan, \$1,400.

John H. Perry to George Perry, Ypsilanti city, \$150.

Louisa Sassenberg to Maria E. Ferguson, Ypsilanti city, \$650.

Henry Willis to C. Schmid, Dixboro, \$270.

Sanford Shortridge to Risona Redmon, York, \$650.

Josiah Beamish to Frank P. Worden, Ypsilanti, \$800.

W. B. Smith to Ellen Beesley, Ann Arbor city, \$2,300.

Wm. H. Druse to Julia Wheeler, York, \$1,600.

Nancy A. Robbins to D. C. Griffin, Augusta, \$4,000.

D. A. McLachlan to Presbyterian Church, Ann Arbor city, \$7,500.

W. H. Ostrander to W. A. Russell, Augusta, \$150.

W. A. Russell to W. H. Ostrander, Augusta, \$1,550.

J. J. Ellis estate to W. Hicks, Ann Arbor city, \$5,000.

Helen C. Swift to Keeley Institute, Ypsilanti, \$40,000.

P. A. Foster to Wm. Arnold, Ann Arbor city, \$500.

A. W. Hamilton to Wm. Arnold, Ann Arbor city, \$400.

"I'm so nervous"—before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. "I'm so well"—after taking Hood's Moral—"Be sure to get Hood's."

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

A creamery is being talked up at Whittaker.

Mrs. John Eschelbach, of Freedom, died suddenly August 31.

There are 272 children of school age in the Saline union district.

Mrs. Silas Loomis, of Sylvan Center, died August 30, aged nearly 90 years.

The Chelsea Lutheran church celebrates its twenty-fifth anniversary next Sunday.

Miss Maud Flagler is teaching the fall term of school on Collins' plains, Lyndon.

The assessed valuation of the property in the Saline union school district is \$511,450.

A. J. Sangree died in Pittsfield, August 21, the result of a fall sustained some days before.

Mrs. Henry Neiderschmidt died in Chicago, August 23, of typhoid fever. Her maiden name was Miss Rena Farrell, and she formerly lived at Chelsea.

John Brady died at the Early hotel, Wednesday, aged about sixty years. About three weeks ago he drank, through mistake, some poisonous mixture, which resulted in his death.—Milan Leader.

Several hen roosts have recently been robbed in Grass Lake and the News says the thief is well known having been engaged in the business for years, possibly since he got his first taste of chicken by receiving one on subscription.

Mrs. Marianne Braun died at her home near Saline last Thursday, aged 53 years. She was born in Germany, coming to this country in 1869. The following year she was married to Mr. Braun. She leaves a husband, three sons and two daughters.

Erastus S. Cooper of Sylvan is in town on business last Tuesday. He says the bean crop will only average from six to eight bushels per acre. Occasionally a field is found which will yield ten bushels per acre, but such crops are rare.—Grass Lake News.

Frederick Kotts, an aged German who lives near Iron Creek, was walking on the railroad track north of town, Tuesday afternoon, when the three o'clock train struck him or he fell and was bruised quite badly. The train was stopped and he was picked up and brought to town.—Clinton Local.

School commenced Monday in Chelsea with the following teachers: Mr. E. E. Webster, superintendent; Miss Angeline Sherwood, preceptress; Miss Nettie Storms, Miss Elizabeth Dewey, Miss Cora Bowen, Miss Dora Harrington, Miss Mara L. Wheeler, Miss Maty Van Tyne, and Miss Sarah Van Tyne.

Tuesday morning Josie, the eleven-year-old daughter of George Semark, was playing with a rope, at either end of which was tied a pet sheep. She was leading them to pasture and in some way her foot became entangled in the rope and she was thrown down, breaking her hip. Dr. Tuttle was called and reduced the fracture, and the patient is doing nicely.—Clinton Local.

C. G. Slimmer, who at heart and by inclination is a Grass Lake man, but who lets on that he thinks Delhi is a veritable saintly retreat on earth, was in town Tuesday shaking hands with everybody. Slimmer has piles of friends here, and whenever his fairy form looms up on our streets, he is sure of a cordial greeting with an urgent request to come oftener and stay longer.—Grass Lake News.

Detroit is now claiming over 300,000 population, and this stimulates Chelsea to rise up and say she has 1,573 counting the last one born.—[Adrian Times. A Chelsea man at our elbow says the above figures do his town great injustice. Counting the two suburbs of Dexter and Jerusalem Mills, Chelsea places her population in round numbers at 7000.—[Grass Lake News. And counting in its Grass Lake suburb it may reach 7,500.

Luke Moulton, well known in this part of the country as a quarrelsome man when whiskey is in and his senses on a vacation, was in town last Saturday with his paint pail and brushes and painted a portion of the town at least a bright crimson shade. In the course of events, evolving from his imbibing strong drink, he batted a stranger in the mouth, causing a copious flow of blood; whereupon the stranger quelled his assailant's attack by drawing a revolver on him. The stranger, Mr. Bartholomew, of Akron, Ohio, then accompanied the marshal to the office of Justice James Doyle, where a warrant was issued for the arrest of Moulton. Moulton in the meantime got wind of what was going to happen and went home. That, however, only deferred matters. Monday morning he was arrested and brought before Justice Doyle, where he pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 and costs.—Milan Leader. The case has been appealed to the circuit court.

It is now Capt. M. T. Woodruff. The editor of the Sentinel will appear in war toggery on state occasions.

A lodge of Ladies of the Macca-bees was organized in Saline, August 30, with eighteen charter members. The first officers are: Past Lady Com., Mrs. Hebron Rogers; Com., Mrs. William Derindinger; Lieut. Com., Mrs. Eugene Allen; Sergeant, Mrs. O. Lamkin; Record Keeper, Mrs. F. E. Jones; Finance Keeper, Mrs. Rob Cullen; Master at Arms, Eva Schaffer; Chaplain, Mrs. John Gates; Sentinel, Mrs. W. Rogers; Picket, Mrs. W. Mead.

John Lawson sold a bill of goods Tuesday night that he will probably never get any pay for. The party did not want to make any trouble so put them up himself while Mr. L. was out, and not having a key pushed up a back window and went in that way. The bill consisted of about 40 to 50 lbs. of pork, 15 or 20 doz. of eggs, syrup and other groceries, and perhaps other things that would not be missed out of a large stock, also a dollar or so in small change. Mr. Lawson hasn't them charged to any one as they were careful not to leave their name.—Whittaker correspondent, Milan Leader.

Our Public Schools

Are the main stay of our republic. In them are being cultivated the minds which are to be our future lawmakers and leaders in every walk in life. How essential it is that these minds should be united to strong, healthy bodies. So many children suffer from impurities and poisons in the blood that it is a wonder that they ever grow up to be men and women. Many parents cannot find words strong enough to express their gratitude to Hood's Sarsaparilla for its good effect upon their children. Scrofula, salt rheum and other diseases of the blood are effectually and permanently cured by this excellent medicine, and the whole being is given strength to resist attacks of disease.

The cat's "whiskers," the long hairs on the side of the cat's face, are organs of touch. They are connected with the nerves of the lip, and their slightest contact with any object is distinctly felt by the animal.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe the past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial bottles at Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co., Ann Arbor; and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester.

Washtenaw at the World's Fair.

Emil Zinke and sons, of Chelsea. Miss Josephine Hoppe, of Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Updike, of Chelsea. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cushman, of Chelsea.

William Alber and Stanley Thomas, of Sharon. George Staffan and Miss Kate Staffan, of Chelsea.

Ed. McKune and Miss Agnes McKune, of Chelsea.

Fay Moon, Nathaniel Laird and Julius Klein, of Chelsea.

Mrs. Harrison Warner, Ollie Warner, Carl Harmon, John Gordon, Will Fowler, George Hammond, Webb DePuy, Henry Cornish, Mark Pennington, Jim Collins, Bert Osborn and John Koch, of Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Allen, Mrs. W. H. Hack and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Forsythe. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kelly and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. Case, Charles Denton, Kennie Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Case, William Lee, Miss Minnie Sloan, Fred Butler, and Tom Redman, of Milan.

Hall's Hair Renewer cures dandruff and scalp affections; also all cases of baldness where the glands which feed the roots of the hair are not closed up.

The longest single span of wire in the world is used for a telegraph wire, and is stretched over the river Kistuah, between Bezorah and Setaanagram, India. It is over 6,000 feet long and is stretched from the top of one mountain to another.

Is Your Tongue

Coated, your throat dry, your eyes dull and inflamed and do you feel mean generally when you get up in the morning. Your liver and kidneys are not doing their duty. Why don't you take Parks' Sure Cure. It does not make you feel better it costs you nothing. It cures Bright's Disease, Diabetes, and all Kidney complaints. Only guaranteed cure.

It is Strange

That people suffering from Piles will endure them for years or submit to dangerous, painful, cruel, and expensive surgical operations, when all the time there is a painless, certain lasting cure, which gives instant relief and costs but a trifle. It is called the Pyramid Pile Cure and can be found at all drug stores. Any druggist will get it for you if you ask him.

Milan. Mrs. Dr. Harper is quite ill. The Babcock House is closed for repairs.

Mrs. Tripp is visiting friends in Trenton.

Miss Alma Sill has returned from her Azalia visit.

Mrs. Breining left, Saturday, for her home in Erie, Pa.

Mrs. Moore House is visiting friends in Milwaukee this week.

Mrs. F. Stimpson has returned from her Ridgeway visit.

Miss Ona Clark returned Thursday from her Detroit visit.

Mrs. Thurlow Blackmer and son are visiting Toledo friends.

Dry and dusty is the local expression as regards the weather.

Miss Edna Zimmerman has returned from her Hudson visit.

Claud Chapin returned from his Owosso visit Saturday evening.

Mrs. Whitmarsh and Eno are visiting friends in Inkster this week.

Mrs. G. R. Williams is entertaining guests from Ypsilanti this week.

Mrs. Chas. Gauntlett and Cecil have returned from the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill are up north with a stock of goods for a few weeks.

Tuesday Milan plays against Tecumseh on the Milan base-ball grounds.

Miss Simpson entertained guests from Dakota and Azalia last week and this.

Miss Julia King returned from her World's Fair sojourn the last of the week.

Miss Lucy Dexter, of Ypsilanti, gave some of her Milan friends a call, Tuesday.

Thirty of the Milan Eastern Stars visited the Eastern Star lodge at Dundee, Monday evening.

Milan has two fine meat markets: R. Vanwormer's, on Main street, and D. Rankin's, on River street.

The Baptist ladies are getting ready for their fair, which is to materialize the first week in October.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sweet, of Toledo, have moved to Milan, and will make it their home here for the present.

O. P. Newcomb, of Carleton, is in town for a few days, superintending the repairing of his store, just vacated by H. Knight.

Milan has two tonsorial parlors: G. Bachman & E. Sweet, on River street, and D. J. Anderson & H. Guy, on Main street.

Milan is putting in good time with base-ball games, and has cause to congratulate itself on being the possessor of so many fine players.

Messrs. Henderson and Alcott, of Ypsilanti, were in Milan with a fine display of ladies underclothing, on exhibition at Palmer & Clark's millinery parlors.

Little Jimmie Brow gave a fine exhibition of rope walking in Milan Saturday afternoon. This is his first appearance in public. He bids fair to be an artist of midway air rope fame.

Visitors that left for the White City this week are Messrs. Vincent, Davis, Woolcott, Case, Taylor, Mr. E. Mead, wife and daughter, Mr. E. Kelley, wife and daughter, Rev. G. E. Sloan and daughter, and several others.

In all that goes to strengthen and build up the system weakened by disease and pain, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the superior medicine. It neutralizes the poisons left in the system after diphtheria and scarlet fever, and restores the debilitated patient to perfect health and vigor.

An oak tree thirty inches in diameter was recently cut down in Hares valley, Huntingdon county, Pennsylvania. S. B. Green blocked the tree and with the aid of a glass counted its yearly growths and found that it was 436 years old. This tree was alive during the life of Columbus and thirty-five years before he discovered America.

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We take pleasure in announcing that after this date Park's Sure Cure will remove all traces of Rheumatism, Kidney trouble or Liver complaint from the user. It is to-day the only medicine that is guaranteed to cure these diseases or Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co.

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Formula For Letter Writing.

After a breezy disquisition on "How a Woman Writes a Letter" and a London journal sums up its hints and suggestions in the following:

"Recipe: Take a sheet of paper and pen and ink. Be sure you know to whom you are going to write the letter, as some people are a little vague in this matter. Let the address and date be at the top, for this shows a good cook—I mean scribe—who has her mind as well as her materials at hand. Begin with some usual formula of address. Add in 2 parts of family news, 2 parts of answers, 2 parts of genuine and kind inquiries; mix with a light hand. Add gradually 6 parts of odds and ends, well beaten up, such as weather, dress—this is naturally a large and valuable item—personal remarks and so on, not forgetting the inevitable gossip, which must be suggested and taken in lightly at the last. Finish up and after care to add a P. S. after the signature, for like a tail to a kite this balances the whole concern. It is in the P. S. that woman's individuality is charmingly shown to the greatest advantage.

"The size of the letter, the length of each part and the choice of words must be left to the writer's feelings, but care must be taken to put in all the 12 ingredients. Then place it in an envelope, and serve hot—that is, send it off to the right address by the next post. As a million letters a year are posted in London with no address, this final warning does not seem to be amiss."

Amusement For a Child.

My mother used to seat me before a table in a rather high chair, give me a long, shallow tin pan, a little sieve or gravy strainer and about two pounds of common table salt in another tin dish.

I then proceeded to have a miniature snowstorm by sifting the salt upon the long tin, in some places piling it high in drifts. I was fortunate in having among my toys a "farmyard," consisting of a little house, some wooden trees and all kinds of animals. These I distributed about in my field of snow, making paths through the drifts and building pens for the animals.

A handful of wooden toothpicks will suffice to make fences, wood piles, etc., and a tiny mirror or bit of looking glass serves as a beautiful ice pond in the midst of the fields.

The "farmyard" of course is not necessary. Green leaves will serve for trees, and a log cabin can be made of little bits of wood.—Cor. New York Recorder.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Dr. G. W. Grant of Apalachicola, Fla., is the owner of the body of a petrified man, which he claims he unearthed in California in 1891.

Let Me Show You

what a saving I have made during the last year by being my own doctor. Last year I paid out \$96.25 for doctors and their medicine; this year I paid \$5.00 for six bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and they have kept health in my whole family. They are the best and purest medicine ever made.—Charles King, 60 Temple street, Boston, Mass.

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Use Parks' Tea for headache, constipation and "that tired feeling." It purifies the blood, beautifies the complexion, acts upon the sluggish liver and moves the bowels every day. Only herbs and plants, safe sure and pleasant.

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AT ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN, At the close of business, July 12, 1893.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$367,023 30 Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages, etc. 37,715 07 Overdrafts 5,539 75 Due from banks in reserve cities 17,282 81 Due from other banks and bankers 2,069 50 Due from Washtenaw Co. 1,215 14 Furniture and fixtures 2,000 00 Current expenses and taxes paid 25 60 Interest paid 387 38 Checks and cash items 3,840 27 Nickels and pennies 219 45 Gold coin 10,350 00 Silver coin 1,983 30 U. S. and National Bank Notes 13,938 00 Total \$411,099 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$50,000 00 Surplus fund 20,000 00 Undivided profits 5,736 08 Dividends unpaid 185 50 Individual deposits 99,979 02 Certificates of deposit 152,948 50 Savings deposits 82,330 33 Total \$411,099 52

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw.

I, Frederick H. Belsler, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.


F. H. BELSLER, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest: AMBROSE KEARNEY, W. F. BREAKER, EDWARD DUFFY, Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1893. H. A. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

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Dexter.

Orange blossoms in the near future.

James Gallagher visited his uncles Friday.

Miss Allie Hoff spent Saturday in Pinckney.

John Harris, of Putnam, called here Friday.

Mrs. Nash, of Pinckney, called here, Monday.

Mrs. A. Voorhis entertained friends Wednesday.

T. French and daughters spent Sunday at the lakes.

Mrs. P. Seper spent the week with Detroit friends.

Mrs. J. Bowler is entertaining friends from Detroit.

James Story and wife entertained friends over Sunday.

Chas. Chamberlain spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes visited his sister, Sunday.

The Misses Murray entertained their cousins last week.

T. Birkett was an Ann Arbor visitor one day last week.

Wm. Bailey has gone to Grand Rapids to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Serviss are at their cottage on the Portage.

Amos Lindemann, of Lima, was here on business Friday.

Mrs. Thos. Egan was with her Chelsea friends, Tuesday.

Eugene Sly visited his most intimate friend over Sunday.

Lewis Haab, of Webster, called here the first of the week.

Miss Lelia Flintoft is the guest of her cousins for a short time.

Mrs. F. Schultz is entertaining her daughter from Ann Arbor.

Frank Erwin is spending a few days with his uncle in Jackson.

Miss Edna Mowers spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister.

Mr. Bishop left Sunday evening to spend a few weeks in Mason.

Mrs. Thos. Fagan and friend, of Hamburg, visited here Tuesday.

E. Howard and family entertained friends from abroad over Sunday.

Miss Dolan, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her sister for a few weeks.

P. McCabe, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with his mother and family.

Thomas Rabbit was at Chubb's Corners on business last Thursday.

Mrs. Gay, who has been quite ill, is somewhat better at this writing.

Mrs. John Hill spent Saturday and Sunday with Ann Arbor friends.

Misses Alice and Mamie McCabe spent Friday with Pinckney friends.

Mrs. John Pidd entertained her sister and friend the last of the week.

Chas. Andrews, of Ann Arbor, made us a pleasant call on Thursday.

Miss Myrta Taylor and brother spent Sunday with friends in Chilson.

Rep. Newkirk and wife and daughter spent Sunday with her father.

Miss Mollie Irwin, of Ann Arbor, is spending a few weeks with friends here.

T. Dolan and family had the pleasure of entertaining friends the past few days.

Mr. Schermerhorn and friend, of Pinckney, called here one day recently.

Mrs. E. Campbell and daughter, Miss Nellie, spent the past week in Dixboro.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ayers, of Detroit, visited friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. Geo. Flintoft and daughter, of Hamburg, visited here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donges, of Scio, were Sunday guests of relatives in this place.

Miss Edith Warren has resigned her position as clerk in Alley & Sons store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brogan, of Marion, spent Sunday with her mother and sisters.

Mrs. S. T. Morris started Saturday morning for her new home at Red Jacket.

Mr. H. Stoup, of Ypsilanti, spent several days of the past week with his daughter.

Mrs. A. Chamberlain and family have been entertaining friends the past few days.

N. Reid and J. Roberts, jr., made their Scio friends a short call the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shehan and family, of Hamburg, spent Sunday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber spent the last of the week with friends in Livingston county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jewell, of Silver Lake, visited their parents one day last week.

The Misses Annie and Daisy Reason, of Pinckney, were guests of the Misses Taylor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mowers had the pleasure of entertaining a number of their friends, Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Cushman returned home on Saturday evening, after a week's stay at Cavanaugh Lake.

A little son of James Lyman had the misfortune to break his leg by falling down stairs one day last week.



As good as new—that's the condition of liver, stomach and bowels, when Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets have done their work. It's a work that isn't finished when you've stopped taking them, either. It's lasting. They cure, as well as relieve. And it's all done so mildly and gently. There's none of the violence that went with the old-time pill. One tiny, sugar-coated Pellet's a gentle laxative—three to four act as a cathartic. Sick Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks and derangements of the stomach and bowels, are prevented, relieved and cured. As a Liver Pill, they're unequalled. They're purely vegetable, perfectly harmless—the smallest, cheapest, and easiest to take. They're the *cheapest* pill you can buy, because they're guaranteed to give satisfaction, or your money is returned. You only pay for the good you get. Can't you see the *peculiar* plan all Dr. Pierce's medicines are sold on.

Chelsea.

The typhoid fever patients, at Sylvan, are recovering.

J. A. Palmer is improving his house with paint and repairs.

Timothy Wallace, of Ann Arbor, was here, Tuesday, on business.

C. E. Letts filled his silo with ensilage this week, for next winter's use.

Early potatoes were a good crop but late ones are pot over a half a crop.

Ex-Sheriff Chas. Dwyer, of Ann Arbor, was here on business, Wednesday.

Quite a number from here attended Labor Day in Jackson on Monday.

Miss Gracie Billings, of Toledo, has been among relatives here the past week.

James Cunningham has moved into the Thomas property on South Main street.

Eddie A. Lowe left here for Chicago last Sunday night, on his way to Los Angeles, California.

Harrison Suthruff, county drain commissioner, was here last Monday about Clark's Lake drain.

The swamps and marshes are burning in several places near here and will burn until rain comes.

The schools opened on Monday with large attendance, and the prospect good for a successful year.

The conference year closes one week from next Sunday at the M. E. church with quarterly meeting.

The corn crop is cut short by the drouth and is being cut up to save the fodder before the frost ruins it.

The bean crop has been secured in good shape and the quality will be good, but the yield small per acre.

The Evening News excursion passed here Tuesday noon, with sixteen well filled coaches. Some fifteen from here joined it.

The farmers are now ready to sow wheat but cannot safely sow until they get rain. If rain falls, much will be sown week after next.

The man who succeeds in collecting now must rave a never to be put off demeanor, a brace of revolvers, a bowie knife and a cowhide, with the cheek and assurance of a hotel clerk.

Oliver A. Campbell, of Kansas City, Kansas, has been among relatives here the past week. He has recently received \$2,000 of the Ancient Order of United Workmen on the life policy on his father's life.

Chicken thieves have plied their vocation about here vigorously the past week. Several have lost all they had and others a large part. It is high time they were caught. A detective should be put on their track.

Miss Bridget Greening died at the residence of her mother in Lyndon, on Sunday night, after a short sickness of cancer of the bowels. She was about forty years old, a general favorite wherever known. Her mother will sadly miss her and so will the church and community.

The grain market continues dull and receipts light. Wheat has advanced some this week and brings 56c; rye, 38c; oats, 25c. Barley and beans still nominal and no figures quoted for new stock. Potatoes, 30c; apples, 50c; pears, 50c to 75c; tomatoes, 75c; eggs, 12c; butter, 18c; chickens, 7c; hay \$8 to \$10 per ton.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The excavated temple near Bombay, in India, would require the labor of 40,000 men for forty years to complete.



A STRANGE CASE.

How an Enemy was Foiled.

The following graphic statement will be read with intense interest: I cannot describe the numb, creepy sensation that visited in my arms, hands and legs. I had to rub and beat those parts until they were sore, to overcome in a measure the dead feeling that had taken possession of them. In addition, I had a strange weakness in my back and around my waist, together with an indescribable 'zombi' feeling in my stomach. Physicians said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no relief. Once it fastens upon a person, they say, it continues its insidious progress until it reaches a vital point and the sufferer dies. Such was my prospect. I had been doctoring a year and a half steadily, but with no particular benefit, when I saw an advertisement of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve, procured a bottle and began using it. Marvelous as it may seem, but a few days had passed before every bit of that creepy feeling had left me, and there has not been even the slightest indication of its return. I now feel as well as I ever did, and have gained ten pounds in weight, though I had run down from 170 to 157. Four others have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve on my recommendation, and it has been as satisfactory in their cases as in mine.—James Kane, La Rue, O.

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One of the elevator boys in the Waldorf hotel is credited with a smart saying. An old New Yorker was showing a party of friends from out of town through the hotel a day or two ago. One of the strangers was deeply impressed with the elegance and costliness of the decorations and furniture, and he exclaimed, "Well, well, this must be a very high priced hotel." The aforesaid elevator boy, who overheard the remark, retorted: "I should say it was. If you only change your mind here, they charge you \$10."—New York Times.

Strength and Health.

If you are not strong and healthy try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently adding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50 cts. at Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester.

The New Spring Hats

Are all adorned with roses. The roses on your cheeks can be retained by using Park's Tea. It clears the blood of impurities, moves the bowels every day and gives health and strength to the user.

A Surgical Operation

For the cure of Piles is always painful, often dangerous and useless, and invariably expensive; on the other hand there is a new certain cure, perfectly painless, gives instant relief and permanent cure and costs but a trifle. It is the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is a more certain cure than a surgical operation, without any of the intense pain, expense and danger of an operation. Any druggist will get it for you.

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A copy will be sent upon application to H. W. Hayes, Ticket Agent, Ann Arbor.

Homes for World's Fair Visitors.

In view of the crowded condition of Chicago and its hotels during the World's Fair period, Poole Bros. have done a public service in issuing a very carefully prepared list of the homes in Chicago that are thrown open to the public on this occasion. The list is complete and gives the name, location, and number of rooms, etc., so that correspondence may be had and arrangements made before the visitor comes to Chicago. This list is accompanied by splendid sectional maps of the city on a large scale, by which the location of every house can be accurately found. Copies can be obtained at the Michigan Central ticket office at the publisher's price, 50 cents—less really than the value of the maps themselves.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Loans and Discounts..... \$438,636 48	Capital stock..... \$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc..... 379,373 38	Surplus fund..... 150,000 00
Banking House..... 18,500 00	Undivided profits..... 2,261 29
Overdrafts..... 3,270 59	Dividends unpaid..... 551 00
Furniture, Fixtures and Safety Deposit Vaults..... 12,725 29	
Other Real Estate..... 4,967 07	
Current expenses and taxes paid..... 61 94	
Bills in transit..... 673 19	
	DEPOSITS.
Due from banks in reserve cities..... 106,676 41	Individual deposits..... 157,145 46
Due from other banks and bankers..... 1,420 54	Certificates of deposit..... 57,295 00
Checks and cash items..... 694 34	Savings deposits..... 591,284 43
Nielsens and pennies..... 80 45	
Silver coin..... 2,964 00	
Gold coin..... 17,000 00	
U. S. and National Bank Notes..... 21,471 00	
	\$ 1,008,537 18

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, Michael J. Fritz, assistant cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. J. FRITZ, Assistant Cashier. Witness my hand and the seal of said bank, this 15th day of July, 1893. L. GRUNER, Notary Public.

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The little differences which seem to have arisen between the council and the board of public works over the matter of sewerage construction will undoubtedly be quickly straightened out. They arise from a misapprehension of the relative powers and duties of the two bodies. It is not true that the board of public works has ignored the council in regard to the sewer, or in the purchase of sewer pipe, as one or two of the aldermen intimated Monday. The council itself ordered the board to purchase the pipe, after the bids, specimens and a full report of the tests had been submitted to the council. That the sewer committee of the council has not also reported is not the fault of the board of public works. If the council had desired such a report, it should have called for it. The sewer committee of the council has no business to take charge of the construction of the sewer. Yet it is an important committee within its sphere. For the council has the right to determine just where the sewer shall go, how much money shall be spent in its construction, and all bids, etc., after being opened by the board of public works, are referred to the council for their acceptance or rejection. The line of demarcation between the council and the board is plain. The council is no longer an executive board. It is legislative in its functions. The board, on the other hand, is an executive body. The council determines what shall be done. The board recommends what shall be done, and after the matter is determined executes the wishes of the body. A body of thirteen men is too large to take charge of the work of construction. A body of three men can from its very smallness of numbers perform more and better executive work. Both bodies are working for the same end. We want sewers. We want the work to begin at once, to give employment to labor, and harmony must be infused into the city government.

Not Seriously Ill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Representative Samuel Stephenson is not seriously ill. He has been confined to his room for several days for prudential reasons on account of changeable weather. He is greatly annoyed by accounts of his alleged dangerous illness.

No New Developments.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 7.—There is no new development in the Louisville and Nashville shopmen's strike. No one has applied for work at the shops and no efforts have been made to replace the strikers.

Cholera Record.

ROME, Sept. 7.—Five deaths and 10 new cases of cholera were reported in Palermo Wednesday; in Casino, one death and seven new cases; in Naples, four deaths and nine new cases.

A Terrible Waste.

"Speaking of broken engagements," remarked a young girl the other day, "makes me think of a funny story. A friend of mine was expecting to be married and had everything ready but her gowns. All the table and bed linen was hemmed and marked and put away in lavender, while dozens of trays, cloths, dories and bureau drawers were made. She had even prepared a large supply of house cloths for windows, silver, etc., and had put away six rolls of linen bandages, in case any one should cut a finger or sprain an arm. Well, the engagement was broken, and what do you think she did with all those things upon which she had lavished so much loving care? She made a big bonfire and sustained the receiver."

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 7.—A special from Bloomfield, Ind., says: The attorneys in the Evansville and Terre Haute receivership case have been before Judge Briggs discussing the discontinuance of the receivership. Judge Briggs, however, sustains the receiver and has ordered all the property and money of the road turned over to him.

Three Seriously Injured.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 5.—Two of those injured in Sunday's streetcar accident are expected to die in a few hours. Nearly all of those injured will carry marks of their experience through life. A similar accident occurred on Broadway Monday. William Bolan, Gus Bernard and Lewis Bernard were seriously injured.

Defaulting Treasurer Arrested.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 7.—J. A. Jenkins, the defaulting treasurer of Clark county, Ind., was arrested here and taken across the river to Jeffersonville. Jenkins' shortage amounts to \$2,000.

OLD VETERANS MEET.

GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT AT INDIANAPOLIS.

In the Neighborhood of Thirty Thousand Visitors Arrive the First Day—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison Dedicates Camp Walder in Military Park.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 5.—Thanks to Queen's weather and successful carrying out of the arrangements by the local committee the Twenty-ninth annual encampment of the Grand Army opened most auspiciously. So far as the number of visitors from outside points is concerned, the success of the encampment is already assured. All day long the railroads poured a stream of people into the Hoosier capital. No less than 50 trains with an average of 10 cars to each are reported by the officials as having arrived at the Union depot for the 12 hours ending at 7 o'clock Monday night and as each car has its full quota of passengers, to say nothing of those in which even standing room was at a premium, somewhere in the neighborhood of 30,000 must have been turned loose into the highways and byways of Indianapolis during the day.

Not all of these, however, were veterans. In fact, the boys in blue are almost lost in the throngs. The hardy, hoop-pole yeomanry, with their wives and children and other relatives near and remote, form a large proportion of the arrivals. It is a real live national Grand Army encampment, within easy reaching distance, and to keep away from it would be worse than treason. And so they are here in their tens of thousands with the prospect that their numbers will be doubled before another sunset. As to the veterans, the arrivals outside of the state posts are not by any means up to expectations. A good many states send less than half the total that had been scheduled a month ago as certain to be here, while a few are likely to make even a poorer showing. In the encampment proper fully 100 delegates, if not more, will fail to answer to the rollcall.

Almost on the very spot in Military park where, 31 years ago, the citizens presented to Colonel Harrison, and his newly organized Seventeenth regiment of volunteers, the standards of Indiana and the United States to carry before them to the war, the ex-president Monday afternoon dedicated "Camp Walder," the name bestowed upon some 800 tents in which reunions of regiments and old soldier societies will be in full blast for the remainder of the week.

Ten thousand people packed Monument place and the adjacent blocks to witness the inaugural electrical illumination of the soldiers monument. Sixty-five hundred incandescent lights bordering the base and tower of the shaft circling the approaches and arranged in flag and other devices on the four sides combined to produce an effect that almost eclipsed the gorgeous illumination of the administration building at the world's fair.

BOYS IN BLUE PARADE.

Years Ago They Marched to the Same Stirring Strains.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 6.—The stronghold of Hoosierdom has capitulated to the boys that wore the blue. With flying flags and keeping step to the same strains that led them through valleys and over mountains three decades ago, the veterans marched like a victorious army up and down the principal streets Tuesday amid the plaudits of a multitude of enthusiastic spectators.

The sun had scarcely risen when the people began to gather along the thoroughfares of the line of march to see the parade—the biggest one Indianapolis has ever seen. The police had been out before them and had stretched wire cables along the streets to keep the crowds away from the marchers. Against almost every available building and in every dooryard, stands of seats had been erected.

In front of the courthouse was a great amphitheater 400 feet long with seats in it for 2,000 people. In the center extending out into the street like a bow window, was a gorgeously decorated reviewing stand from which the commander-in-chief and his staff saw and were cheered by the marching thousands. As the hour for the parade approached the crowd became greater and thronged every spot from which a sight was possible. Not one house along the entire line of march was undecorated, and on the most of them were elaborate and beautiful arrangements of flags and other patriotic devices.

The great column began forming early in the day at the corner of Meridian and Seventh streets, with the various detachments extending many blocks on all the adjoining streets. The line of march was down Meridian street to New York, west to Pennsylvania, south to Market, east to New Jersey, south to Washington, west to Washington, past the reviewing stand fronting the courthouse to Tennessee, where it was dismissed.

The parade was over a distance of three to four miles. It was headed by Major General Carnahan. The rear of the column was brought up by the department of Indiana, which comprised nearly one-half of the entire number of veterans in line. There were bands of music by the score, flags and banners too numerous to count. Indianapolis had promised at Washington to "do itself proud" if it was given the national encampment, and it more than redeemed the pledge.

NEARING AN ADJOURNMENT.

Disposing of Business Rapidly—Three Officers Elected.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 7.—The Grand Army people will probably finish their business and leave for home this evening. Already the jam at the Union station of people leaving has begun. Seven train loads were taken out within half an hour Wednesday afternoon without making a hole in the crowd. The encampment proper shows a disposition to rush through with its business rapidly. The election of officers was brought up Wednesday afternoon and the three following were elected, practically without opposition: JOHN J. B. ADAMS of Massachusetts, commander-in-chief.

COLONEL I. N. W. WALKER of Indiana, senior vice commander. J. C. BIGGER of Texas, junior vice commander. The new commander-in-chief, John J. B. Adams, or "Jack" Adams, as he is

called at home, is one of the most popular veterans in New England. For years he has been identified with the Grand Army as one of the most active and influential members of the department of Massachusetts. No considerable assembly of the Grand Army is complete without him. Above all things he has a record that any man may be proud of. In 1861, before he was 20 years old, he enlisted as a private in the battalion which became the nucleus of the Nineteenth Massachusetts. He served through the war, rising step by step to the rank of captain. When not disabled by wounds he participated in every march and in every battle of the Army of the Potomac, in which his regiment took part.

At Fredericksburg he saved the regimental colors from capture after eight color-bearers had been shot down. He was severely wounded in the second day's fight at Gettysburg and a second time before Perryburg, where he was captured, and suffered the horrors of a southern prison. Not infrequently the old wounds take him to a bed of pain for days at a time. He is a member of Lander post of Lynn, Mass., the second in membership in the country. Last year his ardent friends presented his name to the Republican convention for the candidacy for lieutenant governor, and without canvass or organization his name called out a large vote.

Captain Adams' friends claim for him a large and enthusiastic following. He was one of the most effective department commanders the organization in Massachusetts has ever had. He will be 53 years old in October.

The only report of interest during the session was that of Commander-in-chief Weissert, which was devoted almost entirely to pensions. The next encampment goes to Pittsburgh. There was no other applicant.

MICHIGAN METHODISTS.

A Large Attendance at the Fifty-Eighth Annual Conference.

GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 7.—At the opening of the fifty-eighth annual session of the Michigan conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in the Division Street Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. E. H. Day of Lawton invoked the divine blessing. Bishop Thomas Bowman of St. Louis, senior bishop of the Methodist church, presided and briefly expressed his gratitude to divine providence for the privilege of being present at the gathering.

Rev. P. Maveety of Benton Harbor then called the long roll of the conference. The result showed a good attendance of the brethren under the new plan applied for the first time at this meeting by which no free entertainment is given, but reduced rates are given at hotels and boardinghouses. The roll showed that only about 25 members out of the 455 members and probationers on the rolls were absent, five brothers having died during the year. Rev. Maveety was made permanent secretary by acclamation.

The usual standing committees were appointed and a committee for next year was named, one from each district. L. M. Edmonds of Leslie introduced a series of resolutions, the object of which was to nullify the present method of aiding superannuated clergy looking to the old methods of collections for the purpose. After a prolonged discussion the substitute was adopted and the conference went to dinner. In the afternoon the anniversary meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was held, Mrs. Moore presiding. At night the annual meeting of the Church Extension society was held, Rev. Dr. M. S. Hard of Philadelphia addressing both. The conference will continue until next Monday.

WILL HAVE TO DIE.

Two of the Condemned Choctaw Indians Will Be Shot Friday.

CADDO, I. T., Sept. 6.—Captain Simon Wade and Solomon Lewis, two of the nine condemned Choctaws who were convicted at Wilburton last September, will be shot Friday. The Indians will be blindfolded and placed on their coffins, stripped to the waist, with a small picture of a heart will be painted directly over their hearts. The sheriff of Gaines county will step off 15 feet, take aim at the little heart and fire. When the men are dead, their enemies as well as their friends, will gather around them, as if they died on the battlefield. The other seven have been granted a new trial.

A Deputy Sheriff In Charge.

CROWN POINT, Ind., Sept. 5.—At Hammond, Judge Gillett, on the petition of Judge Elliott of Indianapolis and Prosecutor McMahon of Lake county, has appointed Benjamin Hayes receiver of the Columbian Athletic club of Roby, and Sheriff Frederick was instructed to put him in charge at his peril. The receiver was also instructed not to permit any more prize-fights or to allow a transfer of the property. Hayes is a deputy sheriff of Lake county, Ind.

Personality Statement.

FORTORIA, O., Sept. 7.—The personal statement of Charles Foster has been given out. His resources, consisting of bills and accounts receivable, stocks, real estate, personal property and life insurance policies, aggregate \$623,849.61. The appraised value reduces this to \$414,259.72. Liabilities and bills payable, \$75,800. J. V. Jones, J. L. Mickey and W. J. Wagner were the appraisers.

Promises to Be Successful.

TORONTO, Sept. 6.—In the presence of a vast assemblage, Hon. J. G. Kirkpatrick, lieutenant governor of the Province of Ontario, formally opened Toronto's great annual industrial exhibition. The exhibition promises this year to be the most successful ever held.

A "safety oil lamp" has been invented which cannot upset.

TO THE CALENDAR.

THE BILL FOR A JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Senator Stewart Consumed the Remainder of the Day on His Speech Before Tuesday—The House Adopted Rules for the Fifty-Third Congress.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The indications in the senate did not point to speedy action on house bill to repeal the purchasing clause of the Sherman act. The first two hours were occupied by Mr. Morgan (Dem., Ala.) in advocacy of the resolution which he had offered on Tuesday to provide for a joint select committee on finance, and which, he avowed, was intended to supersede the finance committee of both the senate and house. There were 10 minutes to spare after he took his seat before the repeal bill would come up as the "unfinished business," and that interval was occupied in a somewhat acrimonious colloquy between senators, and in a year and may vote on a motion to take up the repeal bill. The bill was taken up by a vote of 37 to 21 and Mr. Morgan's resolution went to the calendar, from which it can only be taken up on a motion and by a majority vote. The remainder of the day was consumed by Mr. Stewart (Rep., Nev.) in a continuation of the speech on which he had spent four hours of Tuesday's session.

IN THE HOUSE.

The Code of Rules to Govern the Fifty-Third Congress Adopted.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The house adopted the code of rules which will govern it during the Fifty-third congress, subject to the decision of the committee on rules, which, under the rules, has an almost absolute power to direct the business of the body. The rules vary but little from those that controlled the Fifty-second congress. When first reported they contained one radical change and re-enacted the clause which permits 100 members to constitute a quorum in the committee of the whole. This clause was borrowed from the rules of the Fifty-second congress, and although every member of the committee on rules was in favor of it, the pressure brought against it on the Democratic side proved too powerful, and the committee, gracefully yielding, surrendered their point and the clause was stricken out. After agreeing to the rules the house at 3:50 p. m. adjourned until Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Senator Wolcott spoke against repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman bill. Mr. Caffery spoke in favor of repeal; Mr. Peffer's resolution was referred to the finance committee. House: The rules for the Fifty-third congress were referred to the background and the rules for the Fifty-first congress came in for the chief part of the discussion.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Mr. Vance spoke against the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver bill. In the house the new code of rules was discussed, but no action taken.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The bill for the repeal of the Sherman act was informally laid aside for the day; the bill appropriating \$300,000 for the execution of the Chinese exclusion act was referred to the committee on foreign relations. House: The new rules commanded the attention of the house Saturday; the senate amendments to the urgency deficiency appropriation bill was agreed to.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Only the senate was in session Tuesday. Speeches were made on the Sherman law by Senators Cullom, Coke and Peffer. House joint resolution making Sept. 13, 1893, a legal holiday in the District of Columbia was passed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Senator Stewart addressed the senate in opposition to the repeal bill; Senator Peffer introduced a bill for a department of education and for an appropriation in aluminum coins of \$800,000,000.

Michigan Patents.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The following patents have been granted to Michigan inventors: David J. Bowser, Lucas, corn plaster; Ferdinand Jakel, Detroit, water heater; Charles M. Lamb, Adrian, two patents for gate hinges; Joseph H. Pike, Ypsilanti, equestrienne tights; James B. Rhodes, Grand Rapids, saw grinding machine; Henry B. Robisheeny, Kalamazoo, brakebeam; Albert D. Stearns, Detroit, apparatus for holding and dipping pills; Isaac M. Warner, Bronson, fence machine; David J. Davidson, Port Huron, machine for turning rolls; Wilson G. Reynolds, Bangor, hammock support.

Trains Collide—One Man Killed.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 6.—Big Four express No. 5, going east, collided with a freight train near Batesville. An unknown man, supposed to be Robert Stevenson of Cincinnati, was killed. The trains crews received slight injuries and both engines were wrecked. The trains were slowed up preventing a more serious disaster. No passengers were injured.

Organization Perfected.

DULUTH, Sept. 6.—Organization has been perfected of the Lake Superior consolidated lines controlling the Masaba and Gogebic iron mines and the Spanish-American mines in Cuba. John B. Rockefeller, Colgate, Hoyt, Wetmore and others are in it. The capital is \$30,000,000 and the head office will be in New York city.

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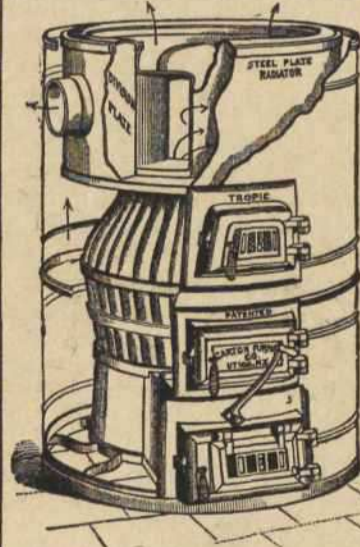
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- 25 doz. Oat Meal Weave Towels, very large and all linen, at \$2.50 per dozen, reduced from \$3.00.
- 25 doz. Fringed Huck Towels, largest size and extra quality, for this sale \$2.50 per dozen, never sold less than \$3.00.
- 10 doz. Cream Damask Towels. \$1.75 per dozen, regular price \$2.25.
- 25 doz. Huck Towels, medium size, heavy weight, for this sale \$1.25 per dozen, worth \$1.60.
- 50 Best Quality Crochet Bed Spreads at \$1.00 each, regular price \$1.25.
- 40 American Marseilles Bed Spreads at \$1.20 each, always sold at \$1.50.
- 40 doz. 3/8 All Linen Napkins, extra fine and heavy, \$1.50 per dozen, usual price \$2.
- All grades of Cream and Bleached Table Linen at special prices during this sale.
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Allen Kent has sold his Dundee farm.

The Ann Arbor Gas Co. is now making water gas.

Two young men joined the Presbyterian church last Sunday.

A. D. Seyler is now the treasurer of the Presbyterian church society.

Work on the School of Music is progressing rapidly and the walls are up.

Charles Gillman paid \$7.20 fine in Justice Bennett's court this week for drunkenness.

Hon. Charles R. Whitman will take the stump in Ohio for the democratic candidates.

There are 3,036 children of school age in the city of Ann Arbor. This is 47 less than last year.

Services will be resumed at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning. Sermon by the pastor.

Mrs. Frances M. Martin, formerly of Dexter, died in Reading, last Friday, aged seventy-five years.

Harry Jordan and Mrs. May Stewart, of Lodi were married in this city, Wednesday by Rev. Samuel Breed.

The estate of Luther James has been closed, James L. Babcock, of this city, coming in for the bulk of the property.

The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon by fire in the grass at Isaac Dunn's farm which nearly set fire to the barn.

The Young People's Society of the Presbyterian church now hold their meetings in their church at half past six every Sunday evening.

The fences along the Toledo and Ann Arbor road north of the city caught fire last week, and for a time a house and barn were endangered.

George Midgely paid \$50 fine and \$5 costs into Justice Pond's court, Saturday, for an assault and battery on Mrs. Frank Smith. It was an aggravated case.

The Board of Education, through L. Gruner, treasurer, has just sold a four per cent bond for \$3,500 at par, which is a good showing for the financial solidity of the school district.

Henry Glatzel had a row with August Tessmer near the Ann Arbor depot, Monday evening and on Tuesday paid \$4.70 fine and costs into Justice Pond's court for assault and battery.

The fire department boys were tearing up the worn out flooring in the west room of the engine house, yesterday, preparatory to laying a new floor. They are doing the work themselves.

Fire in the grass near the Michigan Table Factory, on South Main street, and at the foot of Broadway hill, Sunday, called the fire department out twice in an hour. In both cases hose had to be laid.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church hold their annual meeting at the residence of Mrs. Wiess, 51 Washtenaw avenue, at 3:30 this afternoon. The mite boxes will be opened.

Justice Bennett, on Tuesday, bound Lyman Brown, an old man from Salem, over to the circuit court for assault with intent to commit rape upon a little girl. He went to jail in default of \$1,500 bonds.

Miss Louise M. Cady, daughter of Charles H. Cady, of this city, was married in this city to George P. Eismann, of Menominee, on Wednesday evening. The bride has been teaching in Menominee.

Miss Inez Robinson, daughter of O. L. Robinson, of Hill street, died Tuesday evening, of muscular rheumatism, aged nearly twenty-one years. The funeral services were held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The Register Publishing Company filed an assignment to John W. Bennett last Friday afternoon, in the office of the county clerk. It is understood that their liabilities are between \$15,000 and \$18,000. The plant will be sold at assignee's sale.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan had the honor of presiding over the section on general medicine at the Pan-American Medical Congress in Washington, this week. He also read a paper on Immunity from Infectious Diseases, which was very highly complimented.

Albert C. Ahrens died in Sharon last Monday, aged seventy-eight years.

The Manchester schools last year cost \$5,646.63. George J. Haeussler was elected trustee last Monday.

Rev. Mr. Gelston has removed to the Presbyterian parsonage on Division street, and Sidney W. Clarkson has moved into the residence on South Fifth avenue vacated by Mr. Gelston.

Hon. T. M. Cooley was elected president of the American Bar Association at the annual meeting in Milwaukee last Friday. The honor is all the greater for the fact that the distinguished jurist was not present at the meeting which elected him.

Dr. W. B. Smith reports that a number of people in the city have been made ill by eating peaches plucked from trees with the yellows. Farmers and others bringing in such peaches are warned that there is a heavy penalty imposed for selling such peaches.

Robert Shannon, of the Argus force of compositors, is now supervisor of the third ward by appointment of the mayor and the unanimous confirmation of the council. Supervisor Shannon is a sort of walking encyclopedia, who will make a conscientious official.

Michael Felski, who had ten pigs in the corporation limits, and Carl Joerndt, who had two pigs, were fined \$3 and costs by Justice Pond, on complaint of Inspector Clark, for keeping pigs in the city limits, and were ordered to take the pigs out of the city before Saturday.

The big marsh belonging to John J. Robison and the estate of Charles R. Richmond in Freedom, consisting of 400 acres and containing some valuable tamarack timber burned over this week, the soil itself adding fuel to the flames. The loss entailed by the fire is a heavy one.

Rev. J. T. Sunderland will spend most of this month in Chicago, attending the great Religious Congress, returning home each Saturday and speaking on Sunday morning in the Congress of the preceding week. His subject next Sunday morning will be the great Catholic Church Congress, in session this week.

The marriage of O. E. Butterfield, Esq. of this city to Miss Amy Iola Dunklee, of Brattleboro, Vermont, is announced to take place in this city next Thursday. They will make their home on the corner of Catherine and Thayer streets. The bachelor members of the legal fraternity are getting few and far between.

Mrs. Patrick Ryan died yesterday morning at her home on Beakes street after a weeks illness, of pneumonia. She was born in county Cork, Ireland, about sixty-five years ago. She came to America when quite young, and in 1861 was married in this city to Patrick Ryan. The funeral will be held in St. Thomas church Saturday, at 9 o'clock. Her husband and six children survive her.

Mrs. Desire D. Smith died last evening at her home in this city of old age. She was born near Springfield, Mass., October 6, 1802, and married to Dr. Ransom S. Smith in 1842 with whom she removed to Ann Arbor in 1858 and has since made this city her home. Dr. Smith died in 1876. She had two daughters, Mrs. Miranda Lukins, of this city, and Mrs. Alice E. Grant, of Detroit.

The Board of Education organized, Monday evening, by re-electing Christian Mack president, W. W. Whedon secretary, and L. Gruner treasurer. The following committees were reappointed: Teachers and text-books, W. B. Smith, J. E. Beal and C. Mack; buildings and grounds, E. H. Scott, L. Gruner, J. T. Jacobs, finance, P. Bach, J. V. Sheehan, W. W. Whedon; library, J. E. Beal, W. W. Whedon, C. Mack, Supt. Perry.

The Evening News of last evening says: As a member of the committee on military affairs Congressman Gorman has been assigned to duty on the sub-committees on "retirement" and "desertion." He is chairman of the sub-committee on "arsenals, barracks and military reservations." While other congressmen have but one secretary, Mr. Gorman has appointed two. Burt Turnbull, of Chelsea, will look after matters requiring attention in the different departments, and C. F. Andrews, of Jackson, will look after his correspondence.

Mrs. Mary E. Stoner, of Bridgewater, has appealed from an order of the probate judge admitting to

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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

probate the will of her father, Edward Y. Powell, who died May 14, 1893. The will which was probated left the property to the wife, Mrs. Laura G. Powell, during her lifetime, after which it was to be divided in the following proportions: Mary E. Stoner, of Bridgewater, two fifths; William P. Gale, Rosalie, Washington, two fifths; Minnie Kimball, Elmer Kimball and David Goodrich, each one fifteenth. Mrs. Stoner seeks to set it aside on the ground that Mr. Powell was under undue influence when he made the will, and that he was incompetent to make a will at the time the will was made.

Mrs. Margaret Harkins died in this city Saturday last, aged seventy-seven years. She was born in Ireland, but came to Syracuse, N. Y., with her parents when five years of age. She was married to Bernard Harkins in 1836, and settled in Ann Arbor in 1841. Eight children survive her, all but one residing in Ann Arbor: Mrs. A. J. Smith, of Williamston, Mrs. John Schumacher, Mrs. Marion Goodale, Misses Maggie and Mary Harkins, and John Bernard and James Harkins. The funeral services were held on Monday morning.

The Civil Service Commission at Washington has ordered that an examination be held in this city on Saturday, October 7, 1893, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., for the grades of clerk and carrier in the city post-office. Only citizens of the United States can be examined. The age limitations are as follows: For carrier, not under 21 nor over 40; for all other positions, not under 18 years. No application will be accepted for this examination unless filed with the undersigned in complete form, on the proper blank, before the hour of closing business on September 28, 1893. The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that the examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether democrats or republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views, or to any consideration save their efficiency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination. For application blanks, full instructions, and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, apply at the post-office to

Ed. I. Taylor,
Secretary, Board of Examiners.

STATE ITEMS.

Friday, Sept. 1.

The annual picnic of the Crawford County Farmers' association will be held at Parker's Corners on Sept. 10.

Summit township, Mason county, has a curiosity in the form of a lamb which is now a month old and has no wool whatever.

The Sanilac County Agricultural society will hold its thirty-fifth annual fair Sept. 14 and 15. A race meeting will be held on the 16th.

Several localities in the vicinity of Allegan report a frost Wednesday morning, which, however, was not severe enough to seriously damage crops.

Houghton will hold a special election Sept. 11 to vote on the question of issuing \$10,000 bonds to provide for the erection of an additional reservoir, and for extending the water supply to East and West Houghton.

Saturday, Sept. 2.

The Wolf Creek Butter and Cheese association has been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$4,350.

This year's reunion of the Fifth Michigan cavalry has been declared off on account of the hard times.

The annual convention of the Leelanaw County Sunday School association will be held at Northport Sept. 11 and 12.

At a special election Sept. 7 Vernon citizens will vote on the question of bonding the city for \$6,000 for public improvements.

A traction engine set fire to a lot of unthreshed oats and wheat, causing a \$70 loss for J. W. Taylor of Wakesham, Kalamazoo county.

The location of a big paper mill at Water-villet has given that village a big boom, and an addition of several acres has already been platted.

Charles Woodruff's barn was destroyed by fire at Hamilton, together with his crop of wheat, oats, hay and his farming implements.

Monday, Sept. 4.

The potato crop in Manistee county will be very light on account of the drouth.

A railroad tricycle idea of propulsion has been applied to a pleasure boat by a Grand Haven yachtsman.

Mrs. Alice Skenterburg of Dundee dropped dead Saturday evening, aged 75. Heart disease was the cause.

A Three Rivers farmer has completed a machine for cutting corn by horsepower, and it is working successfully.

At Lapeer John Crosby and Edward Hargigan were sentenced to the state prison for four years for burglary.

Summer Weakness

And that tired feeling, loss of appetite and nervous prostration are driven away by Hood's Sarsaparilla, like mist before the morning sun. To realize the benefit of this great medicine, give it a trial and you will join the army of enthusiastic admirers of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Sure, efficient, easy—HOOD'S PILLS. They should be in every traveller's grip and every family medicine chest. 25c. a box.

Read This.

Mr. W. H. Butler, with Mr. Chas. R. Whitman, has money to loan upon Real Estate security, in sums of \$100 to \$3,000, at low rates of interest and easy terms. Call early. First come first served. Office over the Post-office. 30-11.

PARRIS AND BERLIN

Contribute their Quota to our Magnificent Display of

Fall Dress Fabrics!

Within a week our assortment of Staple and Novelty Dress Goods will be complete. Each season Ann Arbor Ladies realize more clearly that at Mills' they can always secure the very latest and choicest productions of the foreign looms, at a saving of 20 per cent. to 40 per cent. over Detroit and Chicago prices for same fabrics.

Each season our list of patrons for this department increases and we are determined to make the present Fall no exception.

We invite an inspection of our goods and will leave the verdict in your hands.

E. F. MILLS & CO.

20 S. Main St.

SEALED PROPOSALS WANTED

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the City Clerk until 7 p. m. Wednesday, September 13, 1893, for 35 or more 24-inch man-holes and covers to be used in the construction of the main sewer, f. o. b. cars Ann Arbor, Michigan. All bids must be accompanied with sample on which bid is made.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
Dated, September 6, 1893.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Clerk.

SEALED PROPOSALS WANTED.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the City Clerk until 7 p. m. Wednesday, September 13, 1893, for two carloads of Portland cement, f. o. b. cars Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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A New Pile Remedy

has created a sensation among physicians by its wonderful effects in speedily curing every form of Piles. It is called the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is cheap and simple to use, but nothing removes the disease so quickly, safely and surely. Any druggist will get it for you.

T. A. A. & N. M. R'y Bulletin.

For the annual meeting of the Knights of the Maccabees at Grand Rapids, September 12 to 15, tickets to be sold Sept. 11 to 12; limited to return Sept. 16 '93.

R. S. GREENWOOD,
W. H. BENNETT, Agent.
G. P. A.

I have a fine farm near Ann Arbor which I will sell cheap, or will take a small farm or house and lot as part payment. For particulars address Box 1254, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Frederick Krause, auctioneer, will attend to all sales on short notice at reasonable charges. For further particulars call at the Argus office. If

The Pyramid Pile Cure

Is a new discovery for the prompt, permanent cure of Piles in every form. Every druggist has it.

T. A. A. & N. M. Bulletin.

Rates of one fare for the round trip will be made for the annual meeting of the Knights of Maccabees, at Grand Rapids, Sept. 12th to 15th. Tickets to be sold Sept. 11th to 12th, limited to return Sept. 15th.

Rates of one fare for the round trip will also be made for the Toledo Exposition and Races at Toledo, Aug. 21st to 26th. Tickets sold each day of meeting. Good to return not later than Aug. 26st. 1893.

W. H. BENNETT, G. P. A.
R. S. GREENWOOD, Agent.

Ripons Tabules banish pain.
Ripons Tabules cure dyspepsia.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets For Sept. 6.

Detroit.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 64 1/2c; September, 64 1/2c; October, 65 1/2c; December, 66 1/2c; No. 3 red, 62c; No. 1 white, 63c. CORN—No. 2, 41c. OATS—No. 2 white, 28 1/2c.

Chicago Provision.

WHEAT—September, 65 1/2c; October, 66c; December, 67 1/2c.

CORN—September, 38 1/2c; October, 39 1/2c; December, 39 1/2c.

OATS—September, 24 1/2c; October, 24 1/2c; December, 25 1/2c.

PORK—September, \$15 75; October, \$14 80.

LARD—September, \$8 20; October, \$7 95.

RIBS—September, \$8 90; October, \$7 80.

Chicago Livestock.

CATTLE—Receipts, 15,000; market strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 24,000; strong and higher; heavy, \$5 20@5 80; mixed and medium, \$5 25@6 10; light, \$5 10@6 25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000; dull.

Toledo.

WHEAT—Cash, 64 1/2c; September, 64 1/2c; October, 65 1/2c; December, 66 1/2c; May, 76 1/2c.

CORN—Cash, 42c.

OATS—Nothing doing.

CLOVERSEED—Cash, \$5 42 1/2; October, \$5 50.

She—You can't count on men. He—Don't want to. What's the matter with your fingers or a slate?

None Such

CONDENSED

Mince Meat

Makes an every-day convenience of an old-time luxury. Pure and wholesome. Prepared with scrupulous care. Highest award at all Pure Food Expositions. Each package makes two large pies. Avoid imitations—and insist on having the NONE SUCH brand.

MERRELL & SOULE, Syracuse, N. Y.

Bogus! Bogus white lead would have no sale did it not afford makers a larger profit than Strictly Pure White Lead.

The wise man is never persuaded to buy paint that is said to be "just as good" or "better" than

Strictly Pure White Lead

The market is flooded with spurious white leads. The following analyses, made by eminent chemists, of two of these misleading brands show the exact proportion of genuine white lead they contain:

Misleading Brand	Materials	Proportions	Analyzed by
"Standard Lead Co. Strictly Pure White Lead, St. Louis."	Barytes	59.36 per cent.	Regis Chauvenet
	Oxide of Zinc	34.18 per cent.	& Bro., St. Louis.
	White Lead	6.46 per cent.	
Less than 7 per cent. white lead.			
Misleading Brand	Materials	Proportions	Analyzed by
"Pacific Warranted Pure [A] White Lead."	Sulphate of Lead	4.18 per cent.	Ledoux & Co., New York.
	Oxide of Zinc	45.04 per cent.	
	Barytes	50.78 per cent.	
No white lead in it.			

You can avoid bogus lead by purchasing any of the following brands. They are manufactured by the "Old Dutch" process, and are the standards:

"Armstrong & McKelvy"
"Beymer-Bauman" "Eckstein"
"Fahnestock" "Anchor"
"Kentucky" "Morley"
"Southern" "Shipman"
"Red Seal" "Collier"
"Davis-Chambers"

For sale by the most reliable dealers in paints everywhere.

If you are going to paint, it will pay you to send to us for a book containing information that may save you many a dollar; it will only cost you a postal card to do so.

NATIONAL LEAD CO.,
1 Broadway, New York.
Chicago Branch,
State and Fifteenth Streets.

Advertisement for Gillett's Magic Yeast, Quickest Best, The ONLY YEAST making Bread which Prevents and Cures Dyspepsia.

Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, featuring an illustration of a hand pointing to the product box.

Advertisement for Cure Sick Headache, describing relief for various ailments.

Advertisement for Cure Headache, mentioning Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Advertisement for Cure Ache, highlighting the benefits of the Little Liver Pills.

Advertisement for Roofing, mentioning Eagle Brand and Martin & Fischer.

Advertisement for a Quilt Made in 3 Hours, featuring a sewing machine.

Advertisement for W. F. Lodholz, located at 4 and 6 Broadway.

Advertisement for 'The Home Instructor' book.

Advertisement for 'The Life and Deeds of W. T. Sherman' book.

Advertisement for 'The Life of P. T. Barnum' book.

Advertisement for 'The World Renowned Showman' book.

Advertisement for Page Woven Wire Fence, showing a fence illustration.

Advertisement for a Smooth Fence that Will Turn Any Kind of Stock.

Advertisement for Call and Examine It, M. Staebler, Ann Arbor.

Advertisement for Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Adrian Press Washtenawisms. The superintendent of the Washenaw poor house has resigned...

The editor of the Dexter Leader, upbraids people who go late to church. Newspaper men should be careful about making statements upon heresy.

Wm. McCreery, of Ann Arbor, has cut down 600 of his peach trees, on account of the "yellows."

George Flowers, of Ann Arbor, is in jail again, for drunkenness—sent up by Justice Pond.

Miss Mabel Moore, of Dexter, returning from Texas, brought along a five-foot rattlesnake skin.

Saline saw the largest population Thursday last week, that her borders ever contained.

Tight-lacing of the finances has pinched the corset stay factory of Ypsilanti...

Twenty-four dollars of the cash taken from under the pillow of Lieut. J. P. Kirk, of Ypsilanti...

A Plymouth correspondent of the Ypsilanti Sentinel exploits one Al. Gayde, of Plymouth...

Robert Sherwood, of Superior, will be examined in Ypsilanti, charged with stealing sheep.

The Dexter Leader knows of an old bachelor who appeared on the shore of Portage Lake one evening...

Every pathmaster in the county ought to be fined for not removing the stones from the highways...

Neighbors and friends to the number of thirty, comprising the progressive young men of Superior township...

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abdomen are horribly bruised by kicks from Mulholland's boots. She has a young child. Mulholland has disappeared...

A SURE THING. Old Cases of Malaria Need No Longer Be Invalids.

There is no use trying to dodge the fact that quinine will not always cure malaria. While it is doubtless true that large doses of quinine or some other derivative of Calisaya bark will cure more cases of chills and fever than any other drug...

A remedy capable of curing these cases of chronic malaria that quinine will not relieve would be a great blessing to humanity and produce a genuine sensation in medical circles.

The publication containing the latest information concerning the nature and origin of malarial poison and the cure of malaria in all its forms is being sent to malarial sufferers in all parts of the civilized world by The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio.

THROUGH CARS TO NORTHERN RESORTS, Via the Favorite Detroit, Lansing & Northern and Chicago & West Michigan Scenic Line.

An elegant new parlor car leaves Detroit at 7:45 a. m., arriving at Traverse City at 6 p. m., (stop for supper)...

He—Do you love me, darling? She—Sometimes I think I do; and then again, when you have on that hideous baggy new overcoat, I doubt the strength of my affection.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder Diseases relieved in six hours by the NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE.

Drunkness, or the Liquor Habit, Positively Cured By Administering Dr. Heines' Golden Specific.

See the World's Fair for Fifteen Cents. Upon receipt of your address and fifteen cents in postage stamps, we will mail you prepaid our SOUVENIR PORTFOLIO OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION...

A New Certain Cure for Piles. We do not intend to endorse any except articles of genuine merit; we therefore, take pleasure in recommending to sufferers from Piles in any form, a prompt and permanent cure.

Mrs. Mary C. Tyler, of Heppner, Ore., writes: One pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely cured me of piles from which I have suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since.

Mr. O'Brien, Rock Bluffs, Neb., says: The pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles, I cannot thank you enough for it.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is a new, certain, painless cure for every form of piles. It is safe, sure and cheap. Any druggist will get it for you in your ask him.

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Estate of Edward Burke. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the first day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Edward Burke, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary Burke, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that the devise, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the second day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devise, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Real Estate For Sale. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the estate of Leopold Blaess, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, J. J. A. D. Comstock P. Hill, executor of the estate of said Leopold Blaess, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1893, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven.

The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twelve.

The south half of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twelve.

The north twenty acres of the west half of the southeast quarter of section one.

The east half of the southeast quarter of section eleven.

And west half of the southwest quarter of section eleven.

Notice of Chancery Sale. In pursuance and by virtue of a final order and decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the sixth day of October, A. D. 1892, in a certain cause therein pending, the undersigned, Patrick McKernan, Plaintiff and James Roach, Defendant, Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the Huron street entrance to the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, on Monday, the 12th day of September, 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the township of Dexter, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and all other persons interested in said estate, and the vendue of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor, Michigan, newspaper printed and circulating in said county, on successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Notice to Creditors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1893, six months from that date were allowed to the creditors of the County of Washtenaw, to present their claims against the estate of Walburga Mosler, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor for examination and allowance, on or before the 23rd day of February next, and that such claims will be heard before said day.

Real Estate For Sale. In the matter of the Estate of John Cranford, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said John Cranford, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1893, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the dwelling house on the premises below described, in the township of Salem, in the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of October, A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all incumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased) the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

The east half of the north-east quarter of Section five. Also a parcel of land described as follows, to-wit: Commencing thirteen chains and fifty links south of the North-west corner of the east half of the north-east quarter of said Section five, running thence South eight chains and twenty-five links, thence West seven chains and thirty-three links, thence North thirty-three (33-33) links, thence North twenty-one chains and seventy-five links, thence East ten chains and ninety-seven links, thence South thirty-three (33-33) links, thence South thirteen chains and fifty links, thence East seven chains and forty-one links to the place of beginning.

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LEARN TELEGRAPHY. Wanted Young Men to learn Telegraphy in our Offices and become Expert Operators. The Only Co. taking students. Write CITY TELEGRAPH CO., Owosso, Mich.

ASTHMA IS NOT CURED, but the PEERLESS ASTHMA REMEDY will give instant relief. 25c and 50c sizes. Sample mailed free. At druggists or mailed on receipt of price by The Peerless Remedy Co., Gobberville, Mich.

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Advertisement for Clinic Sarsaparilla, 'IS YOUR BLOOD IMPURE? Are you suffering from any Kidney or Female Complaint? Have you a Cough, Cold or any disease of Throat, Chest or Lungs? Is your Liver performing its functions properly? If you have any of these complaints it will certainly pay you to try the medicines mentioned below, which are warranted.'

Advertisement for Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup, 'I was induced to try the Clinic Sarsaparilla; it appeared to neutralize the poison in the blood, the ulcer ceased. The diseased tissues in the bottom and edges of the sore seemed to loosen and the natural flesh to take its place. Thus the cure continued until an even surface remained. No part of the disease remained.'

Advertisement for Foley's Family Pills, 'For Constipation, Headache and Biliousness. Does not gripe.'

Advertisement for Michigan Central, 'The Niagara Falls Route.' TIME TABLE (REVISED) AUGUST 27, 1893. CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.

Advertisement for Toledo Ann Arbor and North Michigan Railway, featuring a map of the route.

Advertisement for Wall Paper, 'WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER. OF ALL The Newest Designs! PRICES THE LOWEST AT OSCAR O. SORG, THE DECORATOR, 70 S. MAIN ST.'

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

COUNCIL CHAMBER, ANN ARBOR, SEPT. 4, 1893.

Regular session. Called to order by President Watts. Roll called. Quorum present. Absent—Ald. Schaefer, Wagner, Ferguson, Prettyman—4. The journal of the last session was approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

To the Honorable Common Council: I have to report to your honorable body that I have appointed Robert Shannon to the office of Supervisor for the Third Ward of this city, to fill a vacancy occasioned by the removal of James Kearns from said ward. Sept. 4, 1893.

B. M. THOMPSON, Mayor.

Ald. O'Mara moved that the appointment of Robert Shannon to the office of Supervisor from the Third Ward, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Mr. James Kearns, is approved, and Robert Shannon is hereby declared duly appointed to fill said vacancy.

ADOPTED AS FOLLOWS:

Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council: The Board of Public Works beg leave to submit the following report of its doing in the matter of bids for the construction of a stone culvert across creek on Fifth street (Second ward).

The Board caused notice of the city's wants to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, and also distributed said notice among local contractors; and as a result, on the day set for closing such offer, had three bids as follows: John Mahlike, furnishing all labor and material \$490; Koch Bros., furnishing all labor and material, \$585; furnishing all labor and material except stone, \$321. C. Schaefer & Son, furnishing all labor and material, \$864; furnishing all labor and material excepting stone, \$566.

All things considered, we recommend that the bid of Koch Bros. be accepted, and that a contract be made with said Koch Bros. at contract price of \$585.

The Board of Public Works recommends and asks for the following appropriations, to wit: \$200 for the grading of Broadway at the north end, and \$100 for the grading of Prospect street; also \$80 be appropriated to paint the bridge over the Michigan Central railroad tracks, as the painting of said bridge has become very necessary.

By order of the Board of Public Works. WILLIAM J. MILLER, Clerk.

That part asking for appropriations referred to the Street Committee.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works, to whom was entrusted the supervision of the construction of sewers, would respectfully report progress to the Council. In pursuance of the resolution of the Council, the Board on Thursday last closed a contract with the Ohio Valley Fire Clay Company for the purchase of sewer pipe, to be shipped in such quantities as the Board of Public Works desires. It is believed that a quantity of the larger sized pipe is already on the road. At our last meeting 200 feet of 24 inch cast iron pipe were authorized to be purchased by Mr. Schuh and the City Engineer at \$21.70 net per ton, f. o. b. cars at Ann Arbor, Michigan, from the Lake Shore Foundry, of Cleveland, Ohio. The Board on August 28th started the City Engineer making the necessary survey for the sewer. They engaged William Rosencrans as assistant engineer at \$2.75 per day. The Board fixed the compensation of the City Engineer, during the construction of the main sewer, at \$150 per month, which salary the Council is asked to confirm: It is believed that the work of putting in the main sewer will take three or four months. It now seems probable that the Board will be able to begin the work of construction of the main sewer by September 11th. Street Commissioner Sutherland, City Engineer Key and Prof. C. E. Green, as consulting engineer, will be given charge of the construction.

By order of the Board of Public Works. WILLIAM J. MILLER, Clerk.

Ald. O'Mara moved that the report be accepted and adopted.

ADOPTED AS FOLLOWS:

Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

A petition signed by Thomas J. Keech and sixteen others, residents and property holders of the Third and Fourth wards, asking for an electric lamp on the intersection of Fifth avenue and Summit street.

Referred to Lighting Committee.

A petition signed by L. Hughes and twenty-three others, residents and property holders of the city of Ann Arbor, asking that a sidewalk be ordered built on the north side of Chubb street from Mr. Hughes' east line to Wildt street.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

A petition signed by J. W. Knight and ten other residents and property holders on William street, asking for the construction of cement crosswalks at the intersections of Fifth avenue and William street and Division and William streets.

Referred to Street Committee.

A communication from Daniel Forbes, of the city of Ann Arbor, asking for aid, was read and referred to the Poor Committee.

A petition signed by B. G. Crookston and four other property holders on W. Huron street, praying that the building of sidewalks on W. Huron street be deferred to May 1st, 1894.

Referred to Sidewalk committee.

Ann Arbor, September 4, 1893. To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

I hereby certify that the pressure gauge at the engine house read as follows at times stated below:

Table with columns for date and time (A.M., 12 A.M., 6 P.M., 12 P.M.) and rows for August 23-31 and Sept. 1-4.

FRED SIPLEY, Chief Fire Department.

Ald. Manly moved that report be received, printed and filed.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. FINANCE.

To the Common Council: Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration, and would recommend their allowance at sums stated:

Table of CONTINGENT FUND and STREET FUND with various entries and amounts.

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RECAPITULATION table with various financial entries and amounts.

Respectfully submitted. WALTER L. TAYLOR, WILLIAM HERZ, FRANK WOOD, Finance Committee.

Ald. O'Mara moved, that the report be accepted and adopted, and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

ORDINANCES.

Chairman Manly, leave having been granted, introduced "An Ordinance Relative to Baggage Wagons, Drays, Omnibusses, Hackney-Carriages and other Public Vehicles," which was read the first time by its title.

STREET COMMITTEE REPORT.

To the Common Council: Your Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the following resolution by Alderman O'Mara:

"Resolved, And it is the sense of this council that the Board of Public Works, do cause the grading and cutting down East Huron street to conform to the established grade."

Respectfully report that they have had the subject matter of said resolution under consideration and would recommend that the resolution be adopted.

Respectfully submitted. CHRISTIAN MARTIN, W. L. TAYLOR, W. G. SNOW, Street Committee.

ADOPTED AS FOLLOWS:

Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

By Alderman Wood: Resolved, That the sum of \$90 be appropriated from the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, for the construction of two concrete stone crosswalks on and along the north and south sides of E. Huron street, crossing Thayer street.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

By Ald. Kitson: Resolved, That the grading and construction of the sidewalks hereinafter mentioned is deemed and declared a necessary public improvement.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered that stone sidewalks be graded, built and constructed on and along the following property in the city of Ann Arbor, viz:

On State street, along the east side in front of Miss Sarah Prescott's property.

On Ann street, along the south side in front of the Mrs. Kezia A. Rogers Estate property.

On Vine street, along the west side, from Liberty street to Samuel Henne's property.

Respectfully submitted. WILLIAM HERZ, FRANK WOOD, J. O'MARA, C. H. MASLEY, Sidewalk Committee.

Received and filed. To the Common Council: Your Committee on Fire Department to whom was referred the petition of M. J. Martin, asking permission to build frame barn on lot No. 10, Block 3, north range 4 east, said lot is located between Fourth avenue between Catherine and Kingsley streets, would respectfully report that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Respectfully submitted. J. O'MARA, ARTHUR J. KITSON, W. G. SNOW, Fire Department Committee.

Alderman Manly moved that the report be accepted and adopted.

Adopted. REPORT OF LIGHTING COMMITTEE. To the Common Council: Your Committee on Lighting to whom was referred the petition and resolution asking for electric lamps to be located on the intersections of West Liberty and Ashley streets and on the corner of Main and Catherine streets, respectfully report that your committee visited the different localities Thursday evening, August 31st, and fully inspected the same and would recommend the following, namely:

The petition for light at the intersection of West Liberty and Ashley streets be granted, as the said intersections of streets is quite dark, and used largely by the traveling public for the T. A. & N. M. R. depot.

That the resolution for light at the intersection of Main and Catherine streets be granted, this light is much needed as the double track of the street railway is located at this point which makes it very dangerous.

Respectfully submitted. WILLIAM HERZ, W. G. SNOW, Lighting Committee.

Alderman Kitson moved the report be, and the same is hereby approved, confirmed and filed.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS. CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING AUG. 31, 1893.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: Balance on hand as per last report, \$16,906.04

MONEY RECEIVED. Contingent Fund, 12.00; W. J. Miller, licenses, 12.00; A. A. Savings Bank, Int., 236.71; Street Fund, 9.00; N. Sutherland, wood sold, 9.00; City taxes collected during August, 22,268.20; Total, \$23,825.91

MONEY DISBURSED. Contingent Fund, \$1,121.52; Street Fund, 1,075.00; Firemen's Fund, 454.28; Police Fund, 165.00; Poor Fund, 73.88; Water Fund, 20.00; Cemetery Fund, 15.00; Soldiers' Relief Fund, 35.00; Bridge, Crosswalk and Culvert Fund, 1,043.22; Total Disbursements, 3,985.99; Total on hand, \$35,505.96

Chairman Taylor of the Finance Committee made a verbal report without any recommendations as to the City Engineers salary for the month of August.

Ald. Martin moved that vote on adopting the second report of the Board of Public Works made this day be reconsidered.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

Ald. Martin moved that the report be referred to Finance Committee and Board of Public Works for a report on Engineers salary.

Ald. Manly moved an amendment to strike out the Board of Public Works in said motion. The amendment being accepted the motion prevailed as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

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Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

By Ald. O'Mara: Resolved, That the bill of Richmond & Backus Co., of \$12, for justice docket, be allowed and warrant be ordered drawn for said amount.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

By Ald. Herz: Resolved, That the City Clerk notify the Ann Arbor Thompson Electric Company that their contract for lighting the city expires December 31st, 1893, and advertise for bids to light the city for the next ensuing year from January 1st, 1894, to December 31st, 1894.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—9. Nays—None.

By Ald. Taylor: Resolved, That the salary of George F. Key for the month of August be allowed at the sum of sixty dollars.

Ald. O'Mara moved that the resolution be referred to the Finance Committee; which motion was lost by a yeas and nays vote as follows: Yeas—Ald. Martin, Snow, O'Mara—3.

Nays—Ald. Herz, Wood, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—6. The yeas and nays being called, the original motion prevailed as follows: Yeas—Ald. Herz, Snow, Wood, O'Mara, Taylor, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Watts—2. On motion the Council adjourned.

W. J. MILLER, City Clerk.

Proceedings of the Board of Public Works. (OFFICIAL.) OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, ANN ARBOR, SEPT. 6, 1893.

Regular meeting. Called to order by President Keech. Roll called. Full Board present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion the sewer committee of the Common Council were invited to meet with this board Thursday Eve., September 7th, in reference to sewer matter.

Mr. Schuh moved that the Clerk advertise for sealed bids for thirty-five (35) or more 24 inch sewer man-holes and covers, 24 inches, f. o. b. cars at Ann Arbor, Michigan, all bids to be accompanied with sample man-holes and covers, bids to be received up to and including September 13th, 1893, at 7 o'clock p. m.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Keech, Schuh and McIntyre.

Mr. Keech moved that we recommend and ask for an appropriation of \$90 to paint M. C. R. R. bridge.

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Adopted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Keech and Schuh. On motion the Board adjourned.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

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PERSONAL.

D. F. Schairer is in New York city. Delos Hill went to Chicago this week. H. M. Tabor leaves today for Dakota. William Allaby, sr., is visiting in Chicago. Miss May Muma is visiting in Chicago. George Clarken left for Chicago, Tuesday. Miss Blanche Barney is teaching in Saginaw. Prof. W. H. Pettee is doing the World's Fair. Miss Emma Bower was in Big Rapids this week. F. H. Belsler and family spent Sunday in Detroit. Secretary James H. Wade is in Chicago this week. John T. Swathel has removed to South Main street. Marshal McOmber, of Philadelphia, is in the city. Prof. George Knight has returned to Columbus, Ohio. Emanuel Spring is visiting the exposition in Chicago. Ambrose Kearney left for Chicago, Tuesday morning. Miss Grace Moore returned from Port Huron, Saturday. Prof. Calvin Thomas and family are back from the east. Prof. H. C. Adams left for Washington, D. C., Saturday. Mrs. Victoria Morris and family are back from Old Mission. D. F. Allmendinger returned yesterday from the Chicago fair. John Martin and Dean Seabolt are visiting the World's Fair. Prof. and Mrs. Charles E. Greene are home from the sea-shore. Miss Mary Lohr, of Packard St., left Tuesday to visit the Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stimson have gone to Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. M. C. Peterson and son are among the World's Fair visitors. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark, of Kalamazoo, are at J. C. Handy's. Mrs. Frank Paul and family leave today for their home in Montreal. Ald. and Mrs. H. G. Prettyman left Tuesday for the World's Fair. Mrs. John Armbruster and daughter returned Monday from Chicago. Miss Hattie Haviland has gone to Bay City to take a position as teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barth are visiting the World's Fair this week. Dr. and Mrs. James Martin returned from Chicago, Wednesday. W. J. Booth and B. G. Crookston left for the World's Fair, Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. C. Scott Williams are visiting their father, J. O. Williams. Francis Stofflet took in the Evening News excursion to Chicago this week. John Walz and daughter, Mrs. Kate Stoll, are visiting the Exposition. Mrs. Henry S. Dean and Miss Clara Dean are back from Old Mission. Mrs. Heneage Gibbes and daughter have returned from St. Clair Flats. Miss Eda Schleede returned from her trip to the World's Fair and Niles. Mrs. H. J. Mann and Miss Maria Otto left for the World's Fair, Wednesday. Rev. Mrs. George Vernor and daughter left for the White City, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Binder, of Detroit, spent Sunday here with relatives. H. B. Haines, of Duray, Colorado, has returned to the telephone exchange. Dr. D. A. MacLachlan has removed his residence to No. 14 South State street. Miss Charlotte Hutzler who has been visiting in Saginaw, has returned home. Mrs. W. W. Watts and Miss Hattie Benham are visiting relatives at Wayne, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Trenton, N. J. have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Stofflet. Miss Emma Alexander leaves today for Northville, where she is engaged as teacher. Miss Margaret Weiss, of Jackson, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Oesterlin. Robert Gerner returned Monday from his visit to the Fair and trip around the lakes. Hugh R. Jenkins returned Tuesday from a two months' visit in Jackson and Owosso. Prof. and Mrs. George Hempf, Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Reighard left for Chicago Tuesday. Col. and Mrs. H. S. Dean left Monday for the G. A. R. encampment at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Thompson, left Wednesday, on the North Shore Limited for the west. Judge and Mrs. Goddard, of Denver, Colorado, are visiting Hon. and Mrs. William G. Doty. Mr. and Mrs. George Dengler were called to Chicago, Friday evening, by the death of an aunt. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Werner, of Stuttgart, Germany, have been visiting their cousin, F. Pistorious. Misses Minnie and Lizzie Kemper and Lillie Fields returned Monday from a two weeks visit in Chicago. Miss Nellie Wiltsie, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. P. R. de Pont, returned to Chicago, Tuesday. Prof. V. M. Spaulding left Friday evening for New York city to take a steamer for Europe. He will be absent a year. Prof. Emanuel Schmid and daughters, of Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Julia and Emma Volz, of Buffalo, N. Y., have been visiting Miss Sophie Schmid. Miss Marian Bankson, of the Robinson Crusoe Company, spent last week with Mildred Olp. She returned Monday to join the company in Toledo. Miss Matie and Lydia Schlenker, of Toledo, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lohr on Packard street. They are on their way to Carthage, Ill., where they attend college. Mrs. M. Scotten, of 98 East Washington street, and sister Miss M. M. Smith, of 45 Liberty street, and the Misses Brown, of Liberty street, left for the World's Fair, Tuesday.

The Man Under the Bed.

By CHARLES B. LEWIS (M. QUAD).

[Copyright, 1893, by Charles B. Lewis.] At a quarter to 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Sept. 8, 1884, the paying teller of the Sixth National bank in the city of C— cashed a check for \$8,000 drawn by the firm of Burke & Burke in their own favor. It was presented by the cashier of the firm. There were a dozen men in line, and the transaction did not occupy two minutes. Burke & Burke could have had \$50,000 as well as \$8,000. At 3 minutes to 3 the cashier of Burke & Burke handed in his book and checks and money amounting to \$6,000. Bank tellers always remind me of the dealers in the big games of chance. They are automatic. They are sphynxlike. They are imperturbable. Even when they receive a check and stamp it "No funds" and shove it back through the window it is done in a machinelike way, the same as clothespins are made. You want small bills for a fifty. The teller picks up your bill, reaches around for his stamp, stamps it "counterfeit," and away you go while he is cashing a check for the next man in line. On this particular occasion, however, as I have several witnesses to prove, the paying teller was startled. He changed color. He looked frightened. He didn't ask Burke & Burke's cashier if he was there 12 minutes previously. He called some one to take his place, disappeared



"THAT MUST BE AN INTERESTING YARN!" from view, and within 10 minutes the police were at work on the case. The check presented at a quarter to 3 was a forgery. The man who presented it was a counterfeit—that is, he had been "made up" to pass for James Long, cashier for Burke & Burke. This was not a difficult matter. Both men were about the same height, weight and complexion. Long hadn't spoken 10 words to the teller in a year. He always wore Scotch tweed, no matter what the season. He always wore a stiff hat. No one at the bank ever saw him without eyeglasses. Long had a nod for other patrons whom he knew, but seldom opened his mouth. The paying teller had been done up with his eyes wide open, but he moved so rapidly that it seemed as if the sharper must be nabbed. Officers were sent to the railroad depots; others made the tour of hotels; others yet made the rounds of gambling houses and saloons. If the fellow hadn't a secure hiding place selected in advance, the chances were more than even that he would be caught. In room No. 17 of the Inter Ocean hotel, which I will admit was only a third class hostelry, but rich enough for a man earning only \$25 per week, I read most of the particulars given you above in an evening paper. The bank officials had made every effort to suppress the facts, and the detectives were as mum as clams, but "our reporter" had caught on after all. A sharp, shrewd class of men, these reporters. Give them a lead, and they never let up until they have the case in hand. I had come in from the store tired out, and on going to my room after supper I pulled off my boots, light-

ed my pipe, sat down with my feet on the bed, and this bank business was the first thing I struck in the evening paper. I had just finished the article when the night clerk came up. "Heard about the bank swindle over at the Sixth National?" he asked as he entered my room. "Just read it." "Cool chap, that, but what do you think? There are two detectives down stairs who claim to have shadowed him here and want to search the house. They are on the floor below and will soon look in on you." "All right. I wish I had the boodle." Ten minutes later the officers came in. I was a head shorter than Burke & Burke's cashier. I hadn't his complexion, his build, his facial expression or hair of his color. Indeed there wasn't a point of resemblance. The clerk had vouched for me, as I had boarded there a year or more, but those "old sleuths" came in on tiptoe, looked at me from the corners of their ferret eyes and sat down to question me. It was a quarter of an hour before they let up, and then they appeared to feel injured because I hadn't beaten a bank or committed a murder. Queer fellows, these detectives. Sometimes I have felt a bit conscience stricken over not doing something for which I could be arrested and sent to prison for their glory.

Before my visitors left one of them contended that I might as well be taken along anyhow on general principles, as there was no telling what I wouldn't own up to after being locked up for three or four days, but the other was more conservative. He assumed a fatherly interest in me, called me "my son" and tried to make me realize how much better it would be to restore that money and take a clerkship in a bank at \$1,200 a year than wear a zebra snit for 20 years in state prison. I refused to disgorge, and he went out saying that I had missed a golden opportunity. The hotel was thoroughly searched, everybody questioned and cross questioned, and the detectives finally withdrew.

At 10 o'clock I was smoking my third pipe and had long before exchanged my paper for a book, when a queer thing happened. My bed stood in the middle of the room. I sat in a chair on the left hand side, with my feet across the middle. I had my book up on a line with my eyes, and all had been quiet for 10 minutes, when a voice suddenly observed:

"Well, old man, that must be an interesting yarn!"

As I dropped my book my eyes rested on a man standing on his feet on the opposite side of the bed. To say that I was astonished is drawing it mild. I sat there with my mouth open and my eyes bulging out until he laughed heartily and said:

"If you could see a photograph of yourself with that expression on your face, you'd laugh yourself into a fit."

"W—who are you?" I finally gasped out.

"Well, that's a fair question," he replied as he sat down on the edge of the bed. "For the last three hours, up to a minute ago, I was the man under the bed. Owing to a change of position I am now the man on the bed."

He was a cool hand. I could read human nature well enough to know that he had lots of nerve back of that assurance. As he sat down I noticed a revolver in his hand. The thing had been sprung upon me in such a way that I was not rattled. The evening paper had given a description of the swindler, and as I looked the man over it dawned upon me that he was the identical chap.

"You were hiding under the bed when I came in here three hours ago?" I queried as we sat looking at each other.

"Exactly," he replied.

"You heard what the clerk and the detectives said?"

"Every word."

"And, to come right down to business, you are the man who got the \$8,000 of the Sixth National bank this afternoon?"

"I am."

"How did you get here?"

"I had other plans, but they miscarried. In fact, a pal of mine lost his nerve at a critical moment and left me in the lurch. I dodged into this hotel in search of a temporary asylum and was lucky enough to find your door unlocked. Carelessness of the chambermaid probably. Did you ever see \$8,000 in one pile? Good for sore eyes! See here."

He bent over and picked up the money from the floor. There were three separate packages—\$5,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000—but he had tied them all together and made one large package. Most of the bills were new, and the bundle was worth a second look.

"This means store clothes, quail on toast, a trip to London, Paris and Berlin," he said as he fondly patted the money. "So the affair is already out, eh? Please hand me the paper."

I passed it over, and he read the account with a smile on his face and said:

"Pretty close shave that, but a miss is as good as a mile. Sorry for the paying teller, but I suppose his bondsman are good for it and that he will wriggle along some way. Excuse my impertinence, but what do you do for a living?"

"Head of a department with Gill & White, retail dry goods."

"Married?"

"No."

"Ever been abroad?"

"No."

"Look here, old chappie," he continued as he coolly stretched at full length on the bed. "I'm willing to divvy with you. Hand in your resignation and make a European tour with me. It'll help your health and broaden your mind. This boodle will enable us to travel first class for a year."

His impudence aggravated me. I had now recovered from my surprise, and as he looked at me for an answer I said:

"I'll see you hanged first. I'm not making European tours with bank sneaks and forgers. Your trip will end at the front door of the state prison!"

"Too peppery—altogether too peppery for the head of a retail department," he quietly observed. "And do you think I'll be arrested?"

"Certainly. I'm going to take you down stairs and turn you over to the police."

"That's all wool and a yard wide, but it will shrink when you come to try it on," he said as he flung his feet off the bed and stood up. "I don't know that I blame you for refusing the trip to Europe, but please don't be an idiot in other directions."

"How do you mean?" I asked, also getting up.

"Just figure for a minute. I'm no chicken. Having played for a big stake and won it, I'm not going to prison as you would lead a calf. Your own common sense should tell you that. I'm will-



"Ah, thanks. Good razor, good brush." ing to put my liberty and this boodle against your life if it comes to that, though I hope it won't. I'm armed, as you see, while you are not. Even without the revolver, being the larger man, I could do you up."

"You cold blooded scoundrel!" I muttered as I realized the situation.

"Don't call names," he pleasantly remarked. "Let's ask what your duty is in the case. I've beaten a bank. Banks are soulless corporations. They have no mercy. Last year 93 banks in the United States closed their doors and beat thousands of depositors. Every failure was brought about by fraud of some sort. Right here in this city the president of the Third National stole \$80,000 of the deposits. And don't flatter yourself that you owe a duty to the public. The public would let you starve or freeze. The public denies that it owes you anything. The public would rob you of your last dollar. You owe a duty to yourself. It is to preserve your present state of health."

"You mean that you will shoot me if I give an alarm?" I queried.

"Certainly. I may kill you or only inflict a wound which will lay you up for weeks. It may result in my arrest, but where is your gain? The firm might bury you or the bank might pay your doctor's bill, but where will the profit come in for you in either case?"

His arguments silenced me, and coming around the foot of the bed he continued:

"I thought I was right when I first sized you up. We have now come to an understanding. I've got to ask a favor or two, but won't bother you long. Ah, here are your scissors! I must sacrifice this mustache. Please sit over by the window."

He laid his revolver on the dresser and used the scissors to clip off as fine a mustache as you would see in a week's travel. I sat watching him and wondering over my own placidity of mind.

"You shave yourself, don't you?" he finally asked as he turned to me.

"Yes, it's in the right hand top drawer."

"Ah, thanks. Good razor, good brush, good soap. That makes shaving a luxury."

He handled the razor with the deftness of a barber, and in seven or eight minutes he was clean shaved. He had sandy hair, while his eyebrows were almost red. There was a bottle of black ink on the dresser. He used his handkerchief for a sponge and colored his eyebrows. With the same fluid he made up as neat a black eye as one rowdy ever gave another, and he was chuckling as he turned to me to say:

"Just one thing more, old man—a suit of clothes—your oldest suit. I'll pay cash for it."

I had a much worn suit in the wardrobe, which I handed out.

"Rather a tight fit, but I'll make it do," he said as he began to peel off. "My object is not to pass myself off for you, but to get rid of the Scotch tweed. You can sell that suit for at least \$10, and here's \$25 for yours."

"I don't want your money."

"Don't be finicky. That's no part of this boodle, but was honestly earned. I'll leave it on the dresser. Now, then, to wrap up the money in this newspaper and take my departure. Look here, my boy, take this thousand and put it where it will give you a start."

"I'd starve first!"

"Too goodly good to ever get ahead of the game! What course are you going to pursue when I leave the room?"

"Kick myself for a fool and then go to bed!"

"Go to bed without doing the kicking act. You are the most sensible young man I've met in a year. If I'm arrested, I shall say nothing about what has happened here. If I get away, I shall always feel hurt that you wouldn't take some of the money. Tra-la, old man!"

When he had closed the door, I locked it and sat down. After a quarter of an hour had slipped away I tumbled into bed. I fell asleep after a bit, and it was 7 o'clock before I opened my eyes. While I was dressing I had to go to the bureau for a collar button, and the ink stained handkerchief caught my eye. As I picked it up, lo! there was the \$1,000 package of greenbacks in plain view. Did the man get away? Yes. He walked down stairs and out of doors unquestioned, and the detectives never got a clew on him after that night. He probably went right to one of the depots and took a train. About the money, I returned it to the bank by mail, and my action is still a puzzle to the bank officials and detectives. I couldn't enlighten them, but I shall not.

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