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- 100 dozen Pure Linen Towels at 12½c each.
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- 100 Large Size White Bed Spreads at 69c each.
- One Case White and Gray Blankets at 59c a pair.
- 2 Bales Fine Yard Wide Sheet at 4c a yd.
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- 20 pieces New Irish Lawns, worth 18c, for 10c yd.
- Dotted Swiss Muslin, the 20c quality, for 10c yd.

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- 100 Pieces New Fall Dress Goods in Black and all the New Fall Shades.

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CONGRESSMAN GORMAN

His Attitude Concerning the Second District Nomination.

SUGGESTION TO THE OPERA HOUSE PEOPLE

Unhappy Schisma Between Monroe and Lenawee.—The Committee's Reason.—These Earned Certificates.—Electric and Motor Lines.

The Committee's Reason.

Concerning the bill for the removal of the disability of Richard H. Marsh, of Saline, for alleged desertion during the war, which bill was formally reported from the committee on military affairs of which Congressman Gorman was chairman, the committee says: "In view of the fact that this soldier was a mere boy, and that the parents had the right to secure his release, which they were endeavoring to do, and which he felt and had just cause to feel had been done, as was done with a boy who ran away and enlisted with him by the name of Emerick, and in view of the fact that he was of no expense to the government, your committee believe that it is a simple act of justice to grant the relief sought."

These Secured Certificate.

The following are the names of those who passed the examination held at the Court House September 24 and 25:

THIRD GRADE.

James R. Hanlon, Ann Arbor, Ralph Farnum, Ann Arbor, Edith Judson, Dixboro; Katie and Carrie Crayler, West Sumpter, Nettie McMullen, York, Nettie L. Rowe, Norvell, Edla Niles, Ann Arbor, Jessie Flagler, Chelsea, Thomas C. Hagan, Chelsea, Julius F. Schmid, Lima, Clark N. Hill, Ann Arbor, Georgia A. Stephenson, Ypsilanti, Mary Cope, Ypsilanti, Belle Croarkin, Dexter, Myria Bostwick, Dexter, Nellie Purfield, Ann Arbor, Viola B. Hess, Ann Arbor, Agnes Finnell, Ann Arbor, Florine M. Renau, Manchester, Hattie Jacobs, Milan, Robert B. McLachlan, York.

Like the Crack of Doom.

This morning at an early hour, when nature yet slumbered and not a leaf stirred, nor a bird nor a mouse; when church yards had ceased to yawn and dining girls had begun to yawn, and night clerk McQuade was about to ring up the central ticket office, a section of plastering about a yard across, fell from the overhead wall to the tile floor, with a report and concussion that made the gaslights jump and the old dog "Cash," who had just left the spot, to make the quickest jump of his 14 years of life. The room was filled with dust and flying plaster. The section fell exactly in the space usually occupied by the cushioned easy chairs, which are nearly always occupied, when guests are in the lobby. Had the incident occurred two hours later, somebody would now undoubtedly be nursing a cracked skull.

Extending the Free Delivery District.

The mounted carriers' mail route in the third, second and first wards has been laid out and will be carried for the first time tomorrow. William Baxter, carrier No. 1, has been transferred to the mounted service and will take the new route. He will be armed with a whistle, which will notify those getting mail that the carrier has passed. The citizens on the new route have promised to put out boxes, which is the only way in which the new carrier can carry the extensive route. He starts in at the corner of Main and Summit streets and goes to the Gott addition, making the side streets; thence through Seventh street to Madison, taking in West Liberty, West Washington, down Madison and Mosely streets to South Main, thence to the city limits. He then carries Hill, Brown, Lincoln, etc., and the Lawrence addition. In a few days, it is expected to get the other horse carrier in active operation. George Blum, carrier No. 2, will carry the district given up by carrier No. 1, and Charles Meyer, who has been promoted from substitute carrier to a full carrier will take district No. 2.

Burt Hammond has resigned his position as stamper in the postoffice in order to attend the University. John Kearney and Frank Ryan, who were tendered the position have de-

clined it and the position has not yet been filled. No one is eligible to appointment excepting those who have passed the civil service examination.

Stearns' Narrow Escape.

Many of our citizens are giving Editor Stearns of the Adrian Press, credit of writing the articles in the Adrian Telegram and Times. This is an error. Mr. Stearns' article in the Press in regard to the ball game was characterized by his usual fairness and should not be compared with those of the other two papers. Mr. Stearns was on the ground.—Monroe Democrat.

When the furious character of the meeting between Monroe and Adrian, as described by the Monroe papers in two or three columns is considered, the wonder is that Stearns and others from Adrian were not left in the ground. That it was a very hot affair, is apparent from the following extracts from the Democrat: "When we invited Adrian we labored under the hallucination that we invited gentlemen. * * * There were no windows broken in the cars as the Adrian papers would have people believe, nor stones or clubs thrown at the vanquished. * * * In justice to Monroe ladies we deny the charge that they spit in the visitors' faces. Yes we are sorry you came. Monroe was never so disgraced by a visiting crowd before or lied about afterwards through the papers. * * * It will also be well to know that Monroe will not even answer a challenge or invitation from her disgraceful western neighbor. The last fake is to charge Gen. Spalding with hooting them. * * * The Adrian contingent illustrated the fact that if you put a pig in the parlor he will begin to look for mud. We are sorry, very sorry, it happened, but the visitors got just what they asked for in the most public manner possible."

It is probable that this ball meeting will exert a marked influence on the congressional campaign. Brethren, together let us unite in singing the following hymn:

Three blind mice;
See how they run!
They all run after the farmer's wife;
She cut off their tails with a carving knife.
Did you ever hear such a tale in your life?
About three blind mice!

This Interests Ann Arbor.

New York, Aug. 29.—E. M. Walsh, of Ann Arbor, Mich., called at police headquarters today and told Inspector McLaughlin a story which, it would seem, will clear up the mystery of the four certificates of stock of the American Sugar Refining Co., found on David Perkins, of Mansfield, Mass. Perkins was arrested a fortnight ago, while trying to dispose of the certificates in Dover, N. H.

The certificates were said to have been part of the proceeds of a robbery at the Fifth Avenue hotel in this city, about five years ago. The police here poohpoohed the story. The story was read, however, by Broker J. C. Turner, of No. 41 Liberty street, who knew Mr. Walsh, and also knew the circumstances of the robbery; so Turner asked the Dover authorities to hold Perkins until Walsh could be communicated with.

Perkins was released, though, and had disappeared.

Mr. Walsh says he lived in the Hawaiian Islands about 20 years. In the summer of 1839 he came to New York on business and stayed at the Fifth Avenue hotel. He went to the hotel news stand to buy theater tickets, and while paying for them laid on the counter a big pocket book containing the certificates for 364 shares of sugar stock, worth \$40,000.

Receiving his change, Walsh walked away, forgetting all about his pocket book, and did not miss it for an hour later. Then it was gone, and all the advertising he resorted to offering big rewards, was fruitless. He notified the sugar company and in due time duplicate certificates were issued to him. He then went back to Hawaii.

About a year ago he returned to the United States and went to live at Ann Arbor. He had deposited his duplicate certificates of stock after giving bond.

Inspector McLaughlin has taken steps to secure Perkins' re-arrest.

If it Could be Afforded.

The Argus does not believe in asking too much, especially in these hard times, when the country has not yet recovered from the staggering blow dealt it by the McKinley tariff. It therefore approaches with great delicacy the subject that lies uppermost in its mind at the present

time. The Argus knows and so does the public of Ann Arbor, through the columns of the Argus, that very material changes have of late taken place in the opera house, involving a large outlay of paint for the seats and glue for the torn and disfigured noses and cheeks of the people represented on the curtains and scene shifts, embracing a job of restorative surgery of no mean skill, if the scenic surgeon would escape prosecution for malpractice.

Reserved seats have been partitioned off in the gallery to separate the sheep from the goats and there are other improvements that have taken place and are willing to take place on sufficient provocation. As we said, the Argus does not believe in asking too much, although the old, consumptive bill board that leans for support against the crooked telephone pole in front of the Argus office, does look like thunder! We well know the cost of a gilded bill board to be some five dollars or less, and although under the new tariff law we are about to enter on a career of prosperity, still we do not countenance wild extravagance; but if that bill board could have some repairs on it, we would shout "hallelujah! 'tis done!" The fact is, it is not all there. We are sorry that any of it is there. We have made inquiry why the bill board looks jagged and worn and melancholy and missing under the arms, and have been informed that portions of it may yet probably be found in Mr. K.'s old horse; that the depraved bill-poster salted his paste and the horse ate the bill board on account of the salt, and that the slivers stick up through his skin in such quantities that he is unable to shed his coat. But as we said, we aren't asking anything. Of course we would like to see a new bill board as the sight of the old one is enough to give a sober man the delirium tremens, but if it mustn't be, how would it do to varnish the old feller?

Congressman Gorman Interviewed.

Congressman Gorman, of the second district, was at the Cadillac yesterday and chatted with a Free Press representative about political matters in general. Asked how affairs were in his district, Mr. Gorman replied:

"In the second district, notwithstanding the fact the republicans are talking loudly in reference to carrying that district and the evidence of that feeling in the republican convention, precipitating such a fierce struggle, I am satisfied the next congressman will be a democrat, republican expectation to the contrary. From present appearances the democrats are exercising the same amount of confidence in view of the fact that there are as many aspiring candidates for nomination in the democratic party as there are in the republican party."

"Whom do you think will be nominated?" was asked.

"A loyal supporter of Cleveland's administration," was the reply.

"Are you a candidate, Mr. Gorman?"

"As to the seeking of the nomination, I am in no sense an aspirant for renomination. I believe that it is an office that should be left open to the judgment and good sense of the party to seek the man. If I am left to my own personal wishes and feelings, under no circumstances would I have anything to do with it. If the nomination should be tendered me with practical unanimity, I am in doubt as to what I would do. My personal feelings at present would be to decline and ask the convention to select some one else."

"Why do you think the democrats will carry the second district?"

"Because it is normally a democratic district, and the early boasting of anticipated republican success has already lost its force. They accuse the democrats of failing to pass a purely democratic tariff reform bill. We ask the republicans what they are standing on and they do not know. When they accuse us of failure, we can play the Yankee and ask them 'where they are at?' The new tariff bill is now the law, and while it does not come up to the wishes of many democrats, it must, nevertheless, be conceded by all democrats that it is a decided improvement in the direction of tariff reform on the McKinley law. The passage of the bill has done one thing that perhaps will be more appreciated in the future than in the present, and, as President Cleveland has timely indicated in his letter published in this morning's Free Press, brought to the public gaze the influence of combined wealth in the matter of legislation. It ought

now to appear plainly to any person of ordinary intelligence that the subject of protection has been in the interest of capitalists and combinations of wealth. The next great question the people of this country will be called upon to settle will be the elimination from congressional favor of every trust and combine that has grown so affluent under years of protection."—Detroit Free Press.

To be Electrically United.

Negotiations are now in progress to bring under one management the Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti St. Ry. and the Ann Arbor St. Ry. lines. Mr. F. H. C. Reynolds is conducting the negotiations and his well known energy and ability are a guarantee that it will be done if possible. The basis on which this plan could be carried out are something as follows:

The motor line is at present bonded for \$90,000. It has a splendid roadbed, not excelled by any such line in existence, but is handicapped by the fact that it cannot run its present motor cars into the city of Ann Arbor. This makes a change of cars necessary at the point of meeting the electric line and either a double fare or an arrangement for a continuous ticket on both roads. During the past six months there have been no cars running on the Ann Arbor line and this has made travel between Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor even more disagreeable, but still it has held up remarkably well. The cost of running the present motors is far more than would be the cost of running electric cars and is thus an additional handicap to the motor line. The proposition of Mr. Reynolds is to issue a new set of bonds amounting to \$100,000 covering the motor line. Of these bonds \$60,000 would be used to replace the bonds at present outstanding and the proceeds from the sale of the remaining \$40,000 of bonds would be used to equip the motor line with electricity, provide a power house, etc. Mr. Reynolds will agree to equip the motor line with a first class electrical equipment, three large double motor cars and a power house out of the proceeds of the sale of these \$40,000 worth of bonds if they can be disposed of. This would put the motor line and the Ann Arbor street railway on the same basis, each bonded for \$100,000 and would make the combination of the two roads possible without any further adjustment. The street railway company has its own engines and dynamos and by placing them in the power house of the motor line would make an equipment which could not but prove satisfactory. The combination of the two roads under one management would be an economical move for both roads. The expense of engineers and firemen for one power plant to furnish power for both roads will be no greater than it would be for each road, were each to have a power house. The cars of one road would run over the other and thus could be massed whenever most needed. In many other ways the roads could be more economically managed under one management and this means that they would prove a paying investment.

So far as the other advantages of a combination are concerned they have long been perceived by everyone. When a person can step on a car at Ypsilanti and ride to the central part of Ann Arbor in 20 or 25 minutes without changing cars, travel from Ypsilanti to Ann Arbor would increase and probably double. The same would be true the other way. When a person can get on a fine electric car and ride through to Ypsilanti without change, hundreds would avail themselves of the opportunity who have in the past looked upon the change of cars and waiting as too much of a nuisance. A ride on a clean, well furnished electric car between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti would be a splendid pleasure trip, especially in the summer.

The car service between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti would not only be continuous, but oftener. A car would leave each city at the same time and meet half way. The trips would not be more than 45 minutes apart at the most. This would also be an inducement to more travel.

Mr. Reynolds has secured the consent of nearly all the bondholders of the motor line to such a plan and \$10,000 of the \$40,000 have been placed leaving only \$30,000 to place. Some of these will be taken by present bondholders and the citizens of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti will be asked to subscribe for at least a portion of them. Every person interested in the welfare of the Twin Cities must see that such a plan would be highly beneficial. It has been talked of many times, but has never been near realization before. The Times sincerely hopes that it will be carried out now and has every reason to believe that it will be.

For Sale.

Four and one-half acres of land, on W. Huron St., next to John Allmand's, with house, small barn, orchard, good well and cistern. Price \$2,000. Apply at the premises, to John George Fritz.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1894.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

- Senator (Long Term)—EDWIN F. UHL.
Senator (Short Term)—JOHN STRONG.
Governor—SPENCER O. FISHER.
Lieutenant-Governor—MILTON F. JORDAN.
Secretary of State—LEWIS F. IRELAND.
State Treasurer—OTTO KARST.
Auditor-General—FRANK H. GILL.
Attorney-General—JAMES D. O'HARA.
Commissioner State Land Office—PETER MULVANEY.
Superintendent of Public Instruction—ALBERT E. JENNINGS.
Member State Board of Education—MICHAEL DEVEREAUX.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of Washtenaw County will meet in County Convention, in the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, on

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 1894,

at 11 o'clock a. m., to elect twenty-one delegates to the Congressional Convention to be held at Adrian, September 11th, 1894; also to elect twenty-one delegates to the Senatorial convention, hereafter to be called; also to nominate a County ticket.

Under this call townships and wards are entitled to delegates as follows:

Table listing delegates for various wards and townships including Ann Arbor City, Dexter, Ann Arbor Town, and Northfield.

By order of the Committee. JOHN L. DUFFY, Secretary.

Second District Congressional Convention.

The Democratic Congressional Convention for the Second District of Michigan will be held at Dean's Opera House, Adrian, September 11th, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

for the purpose of filing in nomination a candidate for Congress and to transact such other business as may come before the convention. The counties of the district are entitled to delegates as follows:

Table listing delegates for counties including Jackson, Lenawee, Wayne, Monroe, and Washtenaw.

Democratic Ward Caucuses.

The Democrats of the city of Ann Arbor will hold caucuses on Wednesday evening, September 5, at 7:30, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Democratic County Convention to be held at the Court House, in Ann Arbor, on Thursday, September 6, and for such other business as may be necessary.

Table listing caucuses for various wards including First Ward, Second Ward, Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth.

J. F. SCHUH, Chairman Com.

Ann Arbor Town Caucus.

The Democrats of the Township of Ann Arbor will meet in township caucus at the Court House on Tuesday, September 4th, 1894, at 3 o'clock p. m. to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held at Ann Arbor, September 6th, 1894.

C. L. TUOMY, Chairman Township Com.

Lodi Township Caucus.

A Democratic caucus will be held at the Lodi town hall on the 4th day of September, 1894, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing seven (7) delegates to the County Convention. Also to elect delegates to the Congressional and Senatorial Conventions.

By order of the Committee. PHILIP BLUM, Jr.

Northfield Caucus.

The Democrats of Northfield township will hold a town caucus to elect delegates to the County Convention, at the Clifton House, Whitmore Lake, on Friday, August 31, at 2 o'clock p. m.

By Order of the Town Committee.

Pittsfield Caucus.

The Democratic caucus for Pittsfield township will be held on Tuesday, September 4, 1894, at 7:30 p. m., in the Town Committee.

By order of Town Committee.

Preserve the copies of the Argus containing the schedule of rates of the new tariff law. You will want to refer to this information at some future time.

The Argus begins in this issue the publication of the schedules of the new tariff law. They are exact, full and complete. The complete free list and full provisions of the income tax are also given.

Let it be noted that the new tariff bill absolutely forbids the importation of goods made, wholly or in part, by convict labor. This is a democratic move for the protection of American workmen against such a competition.

That large numbers of the thinking independent republicans will bolt the state ticket this fall there is no doubt, and evidences of such intention are coming to light every day.

According to the bureau of statistics the exports from the United States during the eleven months ending May 31, 1894, amounted to \$834,000,000, as against \$782,000,000 in the like period of 1893.

On page six of this paper will be found the schedules of the new tariff act relating to chemicals, oils and paints; earthenware and glassware; metals and manufactures of metals; woods and manufactures of woods; and sugar.

New South Wales, after a two years' trial of protection, has overthrown the protection government and returned a free trade majority to the Commons.

The complaints from the republican press upon the inexcusable and unprecedented delay in passing a tariff bill comes with poor grace from representatives of a party that consumed six weeks more time on the McKinley bill than has been required for the entire consideration of the bill just passed.

On Monday, September 3d, occurs the annual school election of the city of Ann Arbor. This is an election that should interest every voter in the city, an election that should never be allowed to go by default as is frequently the case.

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THE TARIFF REDUCTION. The tariff bill which has just become law, is accounted a high tariff measure but slightly removed from the McKinley monstrosity.

den statute, more than it would contain had the people had their way; nevertheless it is a much more radical reform than most persons are aware. It is not such a measure as was promised, and expected.

But that it is a much larger measure of relief from onerous protective taxation than is generally believed there can be no doubt. The truth of this statement will become more and more apparent as the new rates and schedules are studied and compared with those of the measure which it supercedes.

Resolved, That the respective bids be transmitted to the Council with the recommendation that the bids of Geo. Kim, for building 5 feet plank walks on West Huron street, in front of the Edmund's property, on Mary street in front of J. V. Sheehan's property, and on Hill street in front of the property of Herman Markham's, on 7th street, be accepted at \$2.70 per rod.

Of course it is an outrage that the one-eighth of a cent a pound differential tax was left on sugar for the benefit of the trust, but even this is only one-fourth of the differential, given this monopoly by the McKinley act.

But that which is best of all is that the country has turned about in its economic policy and will retrace its steps to a point where taxation shall be for the public needs alone. The passage of this bill marks the overthrow of McKinleyism.

Proceedings of the Board of Public Works. [OFFICIAL.] OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, Ann Arbor Mich. Aug. 29, 1894.

munication to the Sidewalk Committee of the Council for their consideration, also directing the Clerk to write Mr. Wm. M. White for grades and profile of the Tappan Park Addition, as was to be furnished by him.

The Clerk reported that the Finance Committee, had recommended Mr. Orcutt's bill of \$60, to this board, for copy of agreement for keeping well on Mr. Orcutt's place in repair. The bill was referred to Mr. Schuh.

On motion the bids for the construction of walks were opened and inspected.

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The street and sewer bills for the month of August were read and audited by the Board, and their payments recommended to the Common Council.

STATE FAIR AT DETROIT. The Great Exhibition Opens on Monday, September 10.

The forty-fifth annual fair of the Michigan State Agricultural Society will open on Monday, Sept. 10, on the grounds of the Detroit Exposition company, and will continue until, Friday, Sept. 21.

Tar Walks made and repaired. All work guaranteed. A new house and barn to rent. Inquire of J. P. Judson, 91 E. University Ave.

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WOES OF THE MILKMAN.

Try His Best, He Never Succeeds In Getting Back All His Bottles.

"The greatest trial of my life," says a milkman, "is bottles. Yes, sir, bottles. If it wasn't for bottles, I'd want nothing better. Other people never think of bottles. I actually dream of bottles. It's bottles, bottles, bottles—who's got the bottles with me all the time!"

"What's that?" says she. "I haven't got any of your old bottles. You don't suppose I'd steal milk bottles, do you? When I get to stealing, I'll take something better'n old castoff milk bottles. I don't like your milk anyhow. It's more'n half water, and I'm going to change."

"And she did change, and I lost a good customer by the mere mention of bottles. Some people keep their tea and things in the bottles. You can't go and search for them. You must take their word for it that they ain't got none. They are supposed to return their empties the next day, and they'll keep them for a week. I'd have to have a carload of extra bottles to suit them.

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A DUMMY ON THE TRACK.

An Agony of Horror For the Motorman, but Fun For the Boys.

The street urchins who spend their days round Eleventh and Twelfth streets and Third avenue, Brooklyn, looking for the mischief the father of all evil is supposed to supply for "idle hands to do," have found a new vacation amusement, and some of the motormen on the Third avenue trolley line are on the verge of nervous prostration.

The bell is rung loudly, the boys scatter, and the dummy falls across the track. Then the jokers discover their histrionic talent. They rush back, apparently in terror, and make futile efforts to get the man out of danger.

In the meantime the motorman, who is not the bloodthirsty wretch driving the car of Juggernaut that he is popularly supposed to be, is in an agony of horror. His hair fairly stands on end, and the veins stand out on his forehead as he uses all his muscle on the brake.

After a drill by the Light Infantry, Wednesday evening, a meeting was held at which Chas. M. Manly resigned as secretary and Sergt. W. D. Cooper was elected to fill the vacancy. The company will give an opening hop late in September.

Eagle Sulky Harrow.

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FOR SALE—Five acres on West Huron street. Good house, barn, orchard. Beautiful location. Will sell on easy terms. Apply to or address E. D. Davis, West Huron street, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

FOR SALE AND TO RENT—Several good improved and unimproved, on very easy terms. Franklin L. Parker, 24 Ann St., Ann Arbor.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Large new house with all modern improvements, cistern and city water in house and well near door. Will take in part payment small house or lots or small farm near city, balance on long time and low interest. P. C. Box 1345.

FOR SALE—30 acres on Chubb St. in acre or five acre lots or all together. Long time, small payment, 6 per cent interest. Jas. H. McDonald, 42 Moffat Building, Detroit, Mich.

LOST—On Whitmore Lake road, between J. Ann Arbor and Catholic church, a purse containing a small amount of money and two rings. Finder please return to Sheehan & Co., Ann Arbor, and receive reward. 67-71

LOST—August 4th, '94, mortgage, on Main or Washington to Fourth to Huron. Any one finding please send to Ann Beiding, 19 Wall St., City.

LOST—on Monday afternoon July 16th, 1894, one pocket ledger account book on a street in Ann Arbor or on the south Ypsilanti road to H. Platt's, then south to Milan, the finder will please send to me at Chelsea, Mich., and receive reward. H. LIGHTHALL.

PIANO TUNING.—A. D. Brown, the well known piano tuner with C. J. Whitney, will be in the city soon. Orders left at the Argus office will receive his attention.

SWEET GRAPES FOR SALE—At John Schneider, Jr.'s, 26 W. Washington St.

SCOTCH COLLIE PUPS FOR SALE.—Inquire of Henry Meuth, 24 Detroit Street.

TO RENT.—At No. 20 S. State St. A flat of six rooms. Enquire at 18 S. State St. 28f

TO RENT.—Furnished house heated with furnace, in good order. Apply to Noah G. Butts, Room 18, Masonic Block.

WANTED, A FARM.—We have a buyer who wishes to purchase a farm near Ann Arbor. If you have one to sell call at once. The Bach Agency, 16 E. Huron St., Ann Arbor.

WANTED.—Small farm near Ann Arbor. Must be cheap. Give price and description. Will be in city soon. Address Box 134, Grayling, Mich.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. Albert Seymour, of Ypsilanti, died Thursday night of last week.

The Times confidently predicts rain for tomorrow.—Wednesday's Times. Avaunt, thou false prophet!

Services will be resumed at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning, Sept. 2. Preaching by the pastor.

Rev. L. M. Bennett will preach next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the corner of Washington street and Fourth avenue.

The seminary at Ypsilanti will not be ready for service, before Oct. 1, on account of the dampness of the walls for the plastering.

The Automatic Telephone company, of Ypsilanti, is giving a test to a new transmitter and may make it a part of their system.

The Devotional meeting of the Young Woman's Christian Association will be held next Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock in the Baptist church.

Miss Jeanie McNichol, of Ypsilanti, was horseback riding the other day, when the horse suddenly jumped Jeanie to the ground. Her arm is in a sling.

Danger lights at the campus excavation are not always supplied. A citizen a few nights ago came very near going down toward—he didn't know where, while crossing the campus.

It is understood that at the school meeting, Monday evening, the list of candidates for places on the board will include Miss Emma E. Bower, Mrs. A. B. Stevens, and Mrs. L. C. Burt.

A firm in Ohio—The Christy Knife Co., of Fremont, are offering a Nine Hundred Dollar Steinway Grand Piano to the person sending the largest amount of cash for their goods before December 31, 1894.

Those interested should not forget the grand Maccabee excursion to Lansing and return Sept. 11, over the T. & A. A. and D. L. & N. roads. The round trip fare will be \$1.25. Train leaves Ann Arbor at 7:30 a. m. sharp. Returning leaves Lansing at 7 p. m.

Fire Chief Worden, of Ypsilanti, bounced a captain. The fire committee told the captain to keep on sawing wood. The matter came before the council, Monday night, and the council by 6 to 4, said he couldn't.

Mrs. Mary J. Warner died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Boylan, of North Fifth street, Tuesday afternoon, of paralysis, aged 82 years and seven months. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, and the remains taken to Troy, N. Y., for interment.

On account of the International Exposition, a Sunday excursion will be run to Toledo, over the T. & A. A., next Sunday, Sept. 2. The train will leave Ann Arbor at 10.25 and returning will leave Toledo at 7:00 p. m. Tickets will also be good to return on regular trains Monday, Sept. 3d. Round trip tickets 75 cents.

In the case of Edward Graf, whose death occurred on Tuesday morning, the jury, after an inquest conducted by Coroner Clark, and listening to the statement of Dr. Kapp, who performed a post mortem, returned a verdict that Mr. Graf's death was caused by opium swallowed by the deceased, with suicidal intent.

A chance to get a Steinway Grand Piano is something unusual. Our young people ought to take advantage of it. Any number of families would be glad to help them win the prize. The Christy Knife is a good thing and everybody wants it. A letter addressed to The Christy Knife Co., Fremont, Ohio, will bring an answer immediately, giving full particulars.

Joseph Meade, the young man whose leg was amputated at his home south of the city, by Dr. Smith, is still doing well. His knee had swollen to a circumference of 24 inches. Mr. F. H. C. Reynolds, on the day previous to the operation, accompanied Dr. Smith on a visit to the patient, and took a "snap" photo of the leg. It will be an interesting picture to medical men.

This long dry spell reminds one of the year of the Chicago fire in 1871, when it was so dry that the council ordered special patrolmen to warn everybody about smoking and throwing their cigar stubs or ashes away, for fear that it might set fire to the grass.—Times. Yes, very dry and hot. That was the season when cooked ducks were flying around with gravy boats on their bills, asking as a favor to be eaten.

German-American Day will be celebrated in Ypsilanti, next year.

Next Sunday, Union service will be held in the Congregational church.

The Sentinel mentions the name of Hon. James Lowden for state senator.

"Have you tried the lung tester?" asks the Sentinel. No, the campaign isn't fairly open yet.

The old red barn which for years has afflicted the optics of residents of North Thayer st. has been removed and dwellers in that quarter are executing the "Highland Fling."

Fire along the T. & A. A. near the gravel pit Tuesday, at one time threatened very serious and exciting consequences and nearly reached some buildings before it was checked.

Mayor Seymour, of Ypsilanti, having gone away on a prolonged trip for the purpose of spending the surplus of his salary, Mr. Sherwood is now sitting in the seat of honor as acting mayor.

Rev. C. M. Cobern will conduct a general class meeting in the double parlors of the M. E. church, next Sunday morning at 9:15 o'clock to be followed by preaching in the lecture room at 10:30.

After today the uncollected tax roll of Ypsilanti will be turned over to the village marshal, who will attach some large nice fees to the original tax as the price of the luxury of owing the city.

A. L. Deuel sold two lots in eastern Wequetonsing, Monday, to C. R. H. Davis, of St. Louis, and Mr. Wagner, of Ann Arbor, sold three lots adjoining, to Mr. Hobart, also of St. Louis.—Petoskey Daily Reporter.

Somebody with a large bump of destructiveness, last Sunday smashed the glass in the Morgan semaphore, at Ypsilanti. The party whose native proneness to evil led him to do this is in danger of the penitentiary, should he be caught.

Coroner Clark, without the slightest doubt of the complete victory of the county democratic ticket this fall is willing to have his name put at the tail end of the ticket so that when the battle is ended he can sit on the remains of the G. O. P.

There has been a 25-mile go-as-you-please match arranged for a week from Monday between two of the local sports of the city. The match was agreed upon last Monday and was to be for \$25 a side, but since that time the principals have placed up \$20 apiece extra. C. A. Brown is the stakeholder.—Times Ypsilanti Dept.

A jury of Ypsilantians Monday sat on Adam Schaner, charged with keeping his saloon open after legal hours, and found that the prosecution had been out so late that night that they were not capable of judging the time and the verdict was "not guilty, but don't do it again." Tomorrow Joseph Meyers will be tried for violating the law at its other end. He is charged with opening up too early in the morning.

Hon. J. T. Jacobs yesterday received a letter from his son, who is in the west. It states that at Moose Jaw the party were obliged to pawn their guns in order to obtain provisions, from which it is to be feared that the expedition is not composed of sharpshooters. Young Jacobs is all right now, however, as the answer to his appeal "Father, dear father, come down with the stamps" arrived the day after the guns were pawned.

The school bells of the city will jingle again on the 10th of September, the day on which Commodore Perry won his celebrated victory over the Hessians in the furious naval battle of Whitmore Lake. Nothing like it had ever occurred there since, until the four-square jaw-fight, on the day of the farmers' picnic, between the several candidates for governor. The school children can all easily fix the date of the opening by remembering the great day of Perry's victory, Sept. 10.

Salem.

Quite a large delegation of Salemites attended the farmers' picnic at Whitmore Lake last Saturday. The Salem cornet band furnished some music at the picnic.

The young people of the West M. E. church will give a social at the residence of Mrs. Smith, at the village, tonight, (Friday). The band will be there.

The Salem cornet band will hold an ice cream social at Will Stanbro's, Friday evening, Sept. 7th. The South Lyon band and also the Superior band will be in attendance. Everybody can hear the music.

The band boys will practice playing ball next Saturday afternoon and will soon play off the tie with the Superior boys.

Mosey Murray and family, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday at his father's, P. H. Murray's.

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PERSONAL.

John A. Tice is visiting in Grand Rapids.

Stafford Nickels has returned from Detroit.

Dr. F. Carrow has returned from the north.

J. D. Stimson has returned from Bay View.

Dr. and Mrs. Nancrede are off for Old Mission.

Mrs. Chas. Rose and son are visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Fannie Gardner is visiting in St. Louis, Mich.

Mr. Mosher, from the upper peninsular, is the guest of Mrs. E. R. Curtis.

Mrs. Wm. Treadwell, of Adrian, is visiting Mrs. Elmer, of North Fifth avenue.

C. P. McKinstry, city clerk of Ypsilanti, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Mollie E. Stimson, of Manton, O., is visiting Mrs. Anna L. Hadley.

Miss Katie Reese, of Detroit, is visiting in the city.

Charles F. Weissinger, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting his sister on West Huron street, this week.

Dr. Mary and Miss Jennie McLean are visiting at the home of N. W. Cheever.

Fred Brown, W. Clancy, M. Stabler and Joe Parker attended the State Liquor Dealers' Protective Association in Jackson, Tuesday.

H. W. Douglas and sisters have returned from Topinabee.

Chas. Wagner left Tuesday to join his family at Wequetonsing.

Mrs. Geo. Quintal and children and Mrs. Kistine and children are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet, at Salem station.

Martin Cook and J. V. N. Gregory, of Dexter, were in the city, Wednesday.

Mrs. Abbie Warner Smith, of Delhi Mills, is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. C. J. Snyder, of Gott street.

J. F. Mueller and family of Amelith, Mich., are visiting in the city.

B. St. James and family have returned from Whitmore Lake.

Maj. Soule and daughter have returned from Port Huron.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Blake, Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carr and family, of Gott street, are visiting at Jackson.

Wm. Alrutz, of Chicago, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Louis G. Eichman, for a couple of weeks.

D. Ross and family are enjoying a week at Zukey lake club house.

Miss Charlotta Grace Brooks, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. Hample for the past six weeks, has left for a visit to Ashtabula, Ohio.

Miss Emma E. Bower delivered a Maccabee address at Monroe, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cornwell and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Graber and daughter are spending a week in Chicago.

Miss Bena Seyler has returned from Detroit, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. G. Fowler, who will remain some weeks.

Dr. Cobern will leave Monday for the "Soo" to attend the Detroit conference.

Gustave Brehm, Wm. Herz, Titus Hutzel and families left Wednesday for a trip around the lakes.

John Lindenschmidt is off for New York for goods for the fall trade.

Rev. John Dieterle has returned to his home in Troy, N. Y.

Misses Addie and Alice Johns, of Lansing, are guests of Mrs. H. Mathews of W. Huron st.

Mrs. J. A. Keith, of Mt. Clemens, is visiting Mrs. Geo. H. Pond.

R. R. Commissioner Billings was in the city, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Cornwell and family leave today for Mackinac.

Mrs. D. D. Travis, of Plainwell, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Beal.

Mrs. Fanny Holden, of Duluth, is visiting Mrs. Fred C. Brown, of Packard St. She is on her way to New York, where she is completing a course in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew R. Peterson and their nephew, Mr. Kelley, proprietor of the woodyard at 33 E. Huron street, have returned from an extended visit in Ontario, Canada, including Hamilton, London, Ancaster and other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. C. Reynolds and daughter Margaret, left yesterday for Niagara Falls. Mrs. Reynolds and daughter will return thence to Bangor. Mr. Reynolds will still make Ann Arbor his headquarters until the street cars get in motion.

The good looking phiz of ex-Quartermaster General F. B. Wood, prosecuting attorney of Lenawee county, was visible in Ann Arbor, Wednesday. The General denied that he was seeking a congressional constituency, and stated that his presence was purely on business.

Cullom and Proctor.

There is a brisk competition between Senator Proctor of Vermont and Senator Cullom of Illinois as to which of the two looks the more like Lincoln. For years the Illinois man has proudly claimed the distinction of most resembling the great martyred president of any one in Washington, and there has been none to dispute. But since Senator Proctor has shaved off his flowing beard there are a new set of Lincoln features in the senate chamber. The Vermont man is taller and thinner than his Illinois rival, and with his smooth face has a very marked Lincoln look, so much so that Cullom is in danger of losing his laurels. A poll of the senate may be necessary before the question is solved.—Washington Correspondent.

Told Family Secrets.

Ejorson, the famous Norwegian author and politician, recently published a book, "New Stories," which has subjected him to much criticism. One of the stories is entitled "Absalom's Hair" and gives to the public, it is said, the secrets of a family whose name is known to all Norway. The poet has been condemned by many people, but the book is being read by every one.

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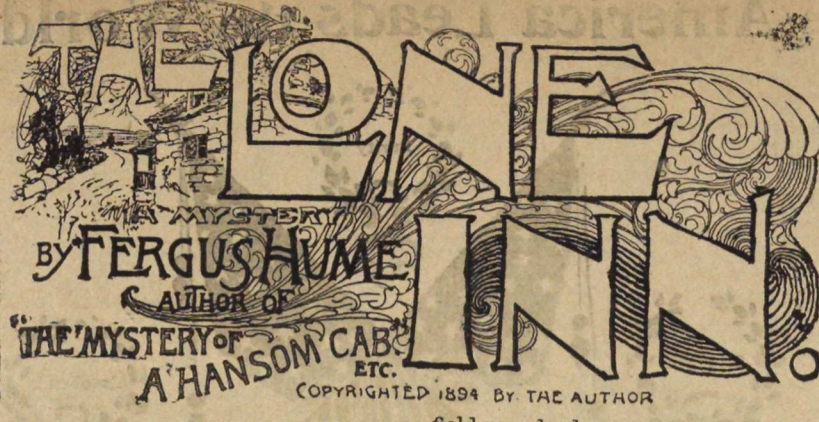
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CHAPTER II.

It was close on 10 o'clock when I awoke next morning. My long tramp of the previous day had tired me more than I thought.

These thoughts passed through my mind as I hastily dressed myself. Opening the window, I looked out on the marshes golden in the sunshine.

In no very good temper I descended to the dining room, with the intention of apologizing to Francis for my tardy appearance and of rating the landlord for his negligence.

Twice, thrice, I pulled the bell rope without result; then, somewhat unnerved by the silence in which I found myself, went to the back part of the premises.

What was the meaning of this sudden flight? What reason could be sufficiently powerful to force them to vacate the premises? Asking myself these questions, I entered room after room, but in none of them did I find any answer.

I knew not what had happened during my sleep, but felt certain that some event had taken place. Otherwise there could be no reason for this state of things.

"Francis," said I, repeating my thoughts aloud, "aye, Francis. I wonder if he has left the inn also or whether he has overslept himself and is still in his room."

Not until I had thrice knocked without receiving any answer did my suspicions begin to form. Then they took shape in an instant. I tried the door. It was locked.

He was lying on the bed stiff and cold. I had no need to call, to touch his shoulder, to place my hand on his heart. He was dead.

I did indeed think that he had committed suicide, but this was too wild an idea to entertain even for a moment.

field was dead. Before I could further examine the body or the room I was forced to run for my brandy flask.

For the moment I could formulate no ideas on the subject. That my friend should be dead was sufficient to stun me.

I examined the body. It was clothed in a nightgown, and the clothes lay folded up on the chair by the bedside.

All that morning I looked down the winding road to Marshminster, but saw no one coming therefrom.

Toward noon I took a resolution. "If," said I, "the mountain won't come to Mohammed, why, then, Mohammed must go to the mountain."

The interpretation of this was that I intended to see Felix Briarfield at Bellin Hall, Marshminster. Face to face with him, and I would force him to explain why he had not kept the appointment.

If so, what of the landlord and his daughter? Certainly they had no reason to slay a stranger who had sheltered them.



He was lying on the bed stiff and cold.

Another question pregnant with meaning was the reason of their being alone in the inn. I had seen no servants either indoors or out.

"Can it be?" thought I. "Can it be that these two hired this inn to compass the death of Francis Briarfield, and that he was drawn here as into a snare by his brother's letter?"

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idea to entertain even for a moment. When I parted from him on the previous night, he was in the best of health, looking forward to meeting Miss Bellin, and was passably content with his life.

Thus far I thrashed out the matter, yet arrived at no logical conclusion. As there seemed no signs of landlord and maid, it behooved me to consider what I should do.

After which question and answer I was shown into a room. Observe that I had said "Mr. Briarfield," and the footman answered "Mr. Francis Briarfield."

The resemblance between the brothers was extraordinary. I had some difficulty in persuading myself that the man before me was not the whom I had seen dead that morning.

"Nor was I until yesterday. I am on a walking tour and last night slept at the Fen inn."

"I was alone with the dead body in a lonely house in a lonely moor is hardly healthy for the mind."

"I am talking of Francis." "Francis," he repeated, with a disagreeable smile, "Francis? Well, Denham, I am Francis."

"I slept in this house." "I quite believe that. But you are Felix!" "Oh," said Briarfield, bursting into a harsh laugh, "I see you are making the inevitable mistake of mixing me up with my brother."

Late in the afternoon I tramped into Marshminster. It was by no means my first visit to that sleepy provincial town. Under the shadow of the cathedral tower dwelt relatives with whom I had formerly spent school and college holidays.

"If you are Francis," said I slowly, "you are engaged to Miss Bellin." "I am," he answered haughtily, "but by what right you?"

Bellin Hall was a grotesque specimen of architecture, built by Jeremiah Bellin, who had made his money out of blacking. It was uncommonly like a factory, but perhaps the deceased Jeremiah liked something to remind him of the origin of his fortune and keep him from thinking his ancestors came over

with William the Conqueror. He married the daughter of a baronet and then took his departure to the next world, leaving his widow well provided for, and his daughter an heiress in her own right.

Mrs. Bellin was a pretty woman, with no brains and a giggling laugh. Her daughter had the beauty of her mother and the brains of her father, so she was altogether a charming girl.

On arriving at the front door I learned that Mr. Briarfield was within and sent up my card, requesting a private interview. For the present I did not wish to see Olivia.

Myself—Is Mr. Briarfield within? Footman—Yes, sir. Mr. Francis Briarfield has just returned from town. After which question and answer I was shown into a room.

"This is a pleasant surprise, Denham," he said, looking anxiously at me. "I did not know you were in this part of the world."

"But, man alive," said Felix, raising his eyebrows, "the inn is empty!" This time it was my turn to be astonished.

"Indeed! Are gypsies encamped there?" he said coolly. "Well, not exactly," I answered, emulating his calm. "It was in charge of a man called Strent and his daughter."

"This is news to me. I was always under the impression that the Fen inn was quite deserted." "You have not been near it lately?" "No. Nobody goes near it. They say it is haunted."

"I am engaged to Olivia Bellin. Her mother consented to our engagement after I returned to England three months ago. Felix, I believe, is in Paris. I don't know whom you met at the inn last night. It was not I—it could not have been Felix."

"I don't believe you." "You must! I can bring forward witnesses to prove my identity!" "They may be misled by some resemblance. Remember, you and Francis are twins."

"I said before, and I say it again, you are mad!" he cried, roughly casting me off. "Whoever heard of an appointment being made at a ruined inn? No one has lived there for months. Ask any one in Marshminster, and they will tell you so."

"You don't believe my story?" "Not one word," said Felix coolly, looking me straight in the face. "Then I don't believe one word of yours," I cried, jumping up. "Let us place the matter in the hands of the authorities and see who will be believed."

"What are you going to say, Denham?" "Say? That Francis Briarfield has died in the Fen inn." "You won't believe that I am Francis?" he said, evidently making some resolve.

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Paris. "That untruth will not serve," I said coldly. "Felix is before me, and Francis is lying dead at the Fen inn."

"Ah, you admit it is Francis?" "No, I don't," he retorted quickly. "I only re-echoed your words. What do you mean by saying such a thing?"

"This is the truth, and you know it. As Miss Bellin did not answer his letters, Francis thought something was wrong and returned home. Afraid lest he should find out your plot, you asked him to meet you at the Fen inn, and there either intended to throw yourself on his mercy or—to murder him."

"But surely, Denham, you don't intend to inform the police?" "I am going to do so now." Felix seized me by the arm and dragged me back to my seat.

"Sit down," he said in a hoarse tone. "You do me wrong, Denham—on my soul you do me wrong. I was engaged, I am engaged, to Olivia Bellin. Her mother consented to our engagement after I returned to England three months ago. Felix, I believe, is in Paris. I don't know whom you met at the inn last night. It was not I—it could not have been Felix."

"I don't believe you." "You must! I can bring forward witnesses to prove my identity!" "They may be misled by some resemblance. Remember, you and Francis are twins."

"I said before, and I say it again, you are mad!" he cried, roughly casting me off. "Whoever heard of an appointment being made at a ruined inn? No one has lived there for months. Ask any one in Marshminster, and they will tell you so."

"You don't believe my story?" "Not one word," said Felix coolly, looking me straight in the face. "Then I don't believe one word of yours," I cried, jumping up. "Let us place the matter in the hands of the authorities and see who will be believed."

"What are you going to say, Denham?" "Say? That Francis Briarfield has died in the Fen inn." "You won't believe that I am Francis?" he said, evidently making some resolve.

"No, you are Felix!" "One moment," he said, going to the door. "I shall prove my identity and in a manner that will admit of no denial." With that he vanished, and I waited to see what further evidence he would bring forward to back up his imposture.

(To be continued.)

Mortgage Sale. Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William Otto, of the Township of Northfield, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, to Bernard Coyle of said township, county and state, and dated the second day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the second day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, in Liber eighty of Mortgages, on page three hundred and seventy-two on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of three hundred and thirty dollars and fifty-five cents, and an attorney's fee of twenty dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the ninth day of October, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, (that being the place where the circuit court for Washtenaw County is held), the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of twenty dollars conventioned for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as those certain pieces and parcels of land situate in the Township of Northfield, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, and described as follows: Commencing north, forty-two degrees and fifteen minutes west, fourteen rods and twenty-one links from a stake seven feet from the north-east corner of the Whitmore Lake Hotel occupied, in one thousand eight hundred and sixty, by J. F. Avery; thence north forty-two degrees and fifteen minutes east, four rods; thence north forty-two degrees and fifteen minutes east, eight rods; thence south, forty-two degrees and fifteen minutes east, eight rods to the place of beginning.

Also a piece of land described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of land above described, thence running south-easterly on the southwest side of the highway four rods; thence north-easterly at right angles with the above described boundary line twenty rods; thence north-westerly parallel with said first boundary line four rods thence said rods to the place of beginning.

THOS. D. KEARNEY, Mortgagee. Attorney for Mortgagee.

Estate of Joseph Shaw. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. A. D. 1894. In Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Shaw deceased.

Dwight Hunt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor. Thereupon it is ordered that on Tuesday the 4th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, 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 held at the Probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed, and it is further ordered that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account and of the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Commissioners' Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Timothy Wallace, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Lodi, in said County, on the 31st day of October and on the 31st day of January next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated July 31, 1894. COMSTOCK F. HILL, PHILIP BLUM, Commissioners.

Notice to Creditors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1894, and in compliance with the provisions of said order, the undersigned, as said Probate Court at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance on or before the 21st day of January next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 20th day of November and on the 21st day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 21, A. D. 1894. J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

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