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25 dozen Finest Percale and Madras Cloth Shirt Waists, embracing all the choicest colorings and effects produced this season and made by the very best shirt makers, at 75c and \$1.00 each.

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10 dozen Ladies' Print Wrappers, trimmed with lace, large full sleeves; would be cheap at 85c, for this sale, 49c each.

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5 dozen best Zephyr Gingham Wrappers at \$1.00 each.

15 dozen new choice styles print Wrappers, in blues, grays and blacks, full sleeves, lined waists, pretty styles, would be cheap at \$1.25. For this sale 95c.

Ladies' fancy Percale Wash Wrappers, very stylish, worth \$2, for this sale, \$1.50 each.

Ladies' lovely lined Satine Wrappers, trimmed with ribbon, at \$2.00 and \$2.50 each.

5 dozen Ladies' Lawn Wash Wrappers, worth \$1.25; for this sale, 75c each.

10 dozen Ladies' Muslin Night Robes, trimmed with embroidery, roll collar, full sleeves, worth 75c; for this sale 50c.

dozen Ladies' Empire Night Gowns, 60 inches long, trimmed with open-work embroidery. Worth \$1; this sale 75c.

Ladies' New Spring Capes.

In dark and light colors—some plain ones—some lace trimmed, some braid trimmed, all stylish, nobby garments, at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Swell Coaching Capes in red, black and tan broadcloth, at \$8 and \$10.

New spring styles in Coats and Jackets at \$3.50, \$5 and \$7.

Boys' Shirt Waists. "The Mothers' Friend." We have them in light and dark Percales at 50c and 75c.

20 dozen Large, Full Windsor Ties at 75c each.

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A Bad Assault Case.—Sixty-Seven Teachers' Certificates Granted.—A Knotty Legal Point.—Etc., Etc..

A Bad Assault Case.

Charles W. Vogel, the well-known butcher, called on Charles Krueger, who lives with John J. Baessler, on North Main street, Wednesday afternoon, to collect a meat bill which Krueger owed him and for which he gave him an order on Frank Dunlavy, which Dunlavy refused to honor. Mr. Vogel claims that after some words over the matter, Krueger came for him with a knife. Vogel knocked Krueger down and severely punished him so that blood flowed from his ears and mouth. Krueger denies the knife and claims that Vogel, not getting the money, proposed to take the bill out of his hide. Vogel was arrested, brought to Justice Pond and admitted to \$600 bail, the examination being set for tomorrow. The affair is a great surprise to everyone, as Mr. Vogel bears an excellent reputation in the community and has always conducted himself in a quiet, peaceable and gentlemanly manner.

Pieced Him a Quilt.

Editor Argus: Mrs. Elizabeth P. Felton, of Clinton, now in her 88th year, has pieced and quilted, during the past winter, a bed quilt containing 1,630 pieces.

Entertaining an exalted opinion of the medical profession to whom she is indebted, after some years of blindness, for restoration to sight, she has stitched in one corner of the quilt the following, which explains itself: "To Dr. F. W. Palmer, from Mrs. E. P. Felton, 87 years old. This is a present from your old friend, because you were always a good boy and I know that you will be a noble man and skilled physician."

P. S. This is for you when you get married."

The doctor is at present on the hospital staff at the university and still a bachelor. It is the hope of the writer that this may catch the eye of some one of his lady friends who will kindly assist him in obtaining this gift as soon as possible.

An Interesting Legal Point.

The Detroit Free Press of Wednesday, contains the following of interest in this county: A curious legal point has arisen for the county of Washtenaw and the state of Vermont to settle. It is brought up by the death last week of Henry Osborne, one of the oldest settlers of the county. About fifty years ago he had a brother sent from this county to an insane asylum in Brattleboro, Vt., there being then no asylums in the west. Henry Osborne, after his father's death, maintained his brother in the asylum at an expense of several hundreds of dollars a year. A few years ago he failed in business and was unable longer to stand the expense. The case is a curious one, and the Vermont authorities are in hot water. After the failure of his brother to provide for him he became a public charge, of course. But to what county? The boy had no residence here, having been sent away before he was of age, and being an inmate of an insane asylum he could gain no residence there. The attorney-general of Vermont has had the case under advisement, but has come to no decision. The Vermont authorities dare not send him here without authority, for that would constitute a serious offense. The eastern authorities will probably present a bill to this county for Osborne's keeping and the supervisors here will undoubtedly let the matter go to the courts, so that a decision may be had. It is said that a similar case has never come up in the courts.

They Passed.

Of the 130 applicants for teachers' certificates at the recent examination in this city, only sixty-seven were successful. The following received certificates:

First Grade—Grace M. Smith, Ann Arbor; Fannie H. Lee, Ypsilanti.

Second Grade—May Cavanaugh, Ann Arbor; Agnes Hawkins, Dexter; Frederick A. Burnett, Salem; Maggie Ableson, Superior; Alma Lyon, Dexter; Lettie Carroll, Ann Arbor; Vernon Sawyer, Hamburg; M. Emma Taylor, Ann Arbor; Fanny Van Gieson, Ann Arbor; Estelle Donovan, South Lyon; G. D. Renwick, Ann Arbor; Cora Woodmansee, Ann Arbor; Stella A. Harris, Willis; Alice Quackenbush, Dixboro; Agnes E. Ryan, Ann Arbor; Rose E. Burke, Ann Arbor; Lulu Pulver, Ypsilanti; Rose Scully, Manchester.

Third Grade—Helen M. Carpenter, Manchester; Tillie Dettling, Manchester; Nellie J. Brooks, Manchester; Florence J. Kellam, Manchester; Jennie B. Brown, Worden; Lillian M. Bailey, Salem; Mand Miller, Dexter; Anna Guinan, Manchester; Minnie E. Sears, Leipsic, O.; Etta K. Dealy, Chelsea; Sarah McCourt, Whitmore Lake; Rena Wortley, Ypsilanti; Frank

Conlin, Dexter; Benjamin Huehl, Manchester; Eta M. Hall, Manchester; Lois M. Osborn, Ypsilanti; Emma Kofberger, Manchester; Theresa Kearns, Ann Arbor; Flora M. Kempf, Chelsea; M. C. Yokom, Manchester; Clara O'Hearn, Ann Arbor; K. M. Clarken, Ann Arbor; Florence Schaeberle, Dexter; Hattie I. Stebbins, Ann Arbor; Lizzie M. Van Sice, Ann Arbor; Lizzie Ableson, Ypsilanti; Agnes Miller, Chelsea; Louise M. Sherwood, Ypsilanti; Lizzie Fitchel, Ann Arbor; Gertrude Kress, Ann Arbor; Lavern Cushing, Dexter; J. B. Clinton, Ypsilanti; Grace Loveland, Milan; Florence Renan, Fredonia; Grace I. McMan, Saline; Mary Fisk, Ypsilanti; Mrs. Nellie Litchfield, Delhi; Mary Goodrich, Chelsea; Nerissa M. Hoppe, Chelsea; T. Frank Taylor, Ann Arbor; Jennie Grogan, Whitmore Lake; Cora M. Allen, Ann Arbor; Bridget Dawson, Willis; Althea M. Shuart, Dixboro; Libbie O'Neil, Dexter; F. L. Feldkamp, Sharonville; John F. Conley, Dexter.

An Abundant Water Supply.

Ann Arbor's water supply is assured, and the big well of the Ann Arbor Water company has been completed. A number of the city officials, representatives of all the newspapers and members of the Water company visited the well yesterday, and were given every facility to see with their own eyes just what was being done. To those who had examined the works before, the vast improvement was at once noticeable and the difference in the water supply was at once apparent. The big well is twenty feet in diameter and twenty-six feet deep. It fills to within two feet of the top with water. Under this well is a strata of water gravel twenty-seven feet in thickness. From the bottom of the well there are three driven wells, one six-inch well being driven down eighteen feet, the other six-inch going down twelve or fifteen feet and a two-inch pipe is driven down twenty feet. The heaviest flowing of the six-inch pipes discharges about a million and a half of gallons per day, while the other six-inch pipe discharges between seven and eight hundred thousand gallons. The bottom of the well is also a spring from which the water continually oozes up from the gravel. For the benefit of the visitors, the basin into which the water flows had been drawn down so that when the sluice gates which shut the big well off from the basin was opened, the immense volume of water could be seen flowing into the big receiving basin which it rapidly raised. After the big well had been drawn down so that the immense weight of water was removed from the driven wells in the bottom, the gates into the basin were shut and the pump applied to draw the water from the big well into the well from which the water is pumped to the reservoir. The pumps were fixed at the rate of 1,800,000 gallons per day and the visitors saw a big volume of pure water flowing from the pipes into the receiving well. Visiting the big well again, the water could be seen bubbling up from the bottom at a great rate and, although the pumps were taking out at the rate of 1,800,000 gallons a day from the well, the water raised in the well quite rapidly. The importance of the big well may now be appreciated. It has struck an entirely different strata of water from the other wells and has not, in the least, lessened the previous supply of the other wells.

Excepting the months of July and August, the average consumption of water is a little less than a million gallons of water per day. The highest consumption of water in the history of the water works was last August, when each day from the 9th to the 20th, there was pumped 1,800,000 gallons of water. During the entire month of August, the consumption of water was 50,882,673 gallons, and in the month of July last year, the consumption of water was 46,890,640 gallons. It will be seen that the new well has a capacity of over 65,000,000 gallons a month, which is in addition to the old supply of water.

The pumping machinery is in much better order than it has been, and the company is to be congratulated on having so good an engineer as Reginald Spokes to look after the machinery.

Everything about the works has vastly improved under the new management of the water works company, and our citizens can congratulate themselves on being in better condition to weather a dry summer than ever before.

For the Woman's Gymnasium.

The following open letter is being circulated among the women of the state: To the Women of Michigan and our Alumnae, Greeting:

Twenty-five years have passed since the admission of women to this great university. Will you hear the first appeal we have ever made, and give us your sympathy and assistance in celebrating this anniversary by providing for women students the first special advantages that have ever been sought? About six hundred of our two thousand, eight hundred and eighteen students are women, bound together by the Woman's League, a voluntary association whose objects are mutual helpfulness, unity of interests and social culture. At the beginning of the present college year the Waterman Gymnasium was thrown open to the students three hours each morning being assigned to the women. Although the morning hours are those most fully oc-

cupied by recitations, so that large numbers could not avail themselves of the privileges offered, two hundred and sixty young women are entered on the director's books, proving their appreciation and need of physical development under wise supervision. It is also a fact that the gymnasium is needed all day long to meet the needs of twenty-two hundred young men. During the recent visit of the legation President Angell gladdened all our hearts by announcing that Regent Hobard and a friend have given \$10,000 towards the erection of a woman's gymnasium which shall include rooms for the Woman's League, and that Regent Barbour is ready to give \$25,000, provided that \$15,000 more be raised by the Women of Michigan and the Alumnae to complete the fund to finish and equip the building. Upon receiving the thanks of the Women's League, Regent Barbour writes:

"I sincerely hope the league and other women of the state who are especially interested in the education of women will do what can be done to raise the remaining \$15,000 immediately, so that we may lay the corner-stone at or before commencement. A well-organized movement can do it, I believe, easily and promptly. The more I consider the multiplied uses to which the gymnasium may be put, the grander seems the scheme, and consequently the grander should be the building. Fifty thousand dollars seems to me little enough to put into it. To my mind it ought to contain everything that a young woman may need for exercise, recreation, physical and social, and for special training and lectures. Physical culture should be attended to by an assistant to Dr. Fitzgerald, who should be a woman and a physician."

We are ready and hoping to receive at once small contributions and large ones, one dollar, or one thousand dollars. We look to the women of Michigan and the Alumnae of the University to make this investment in the physical development and the social training of the hundreds of young women now here and the thousands yet to come. Any woman who contributes \$500 or more will be constituted a life member of the Women's League. Contributions may be forwarded to Major Harrison Soule, treasurer, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

(Signed)
Mrs. James B. Angell, Mrs. Henry Carhart, Mrs. M. L. D'Ooge, Mrs. Paul C. Freer, Mrs. H. S. Dean, Mrs. J. O. Reed, Mrs. J. E. Beal, Miss Dora Fisher, Miss Agnes Burton, Miss Butler and Miss Gertrude Sanderland.

Washington Letter.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10, 1895.

It looks now as though the administration had won a very creditable diplomatic victory from Great Britain in the little affair of Nicaragua, and that Great Britain had greatly modified that bluff about bombarding Nicaragua's seaports. Nothing official has been given out about the diplomatic correspondence on this matter within the last few days, but there are good reasons for stating that Ambassador Bayard has been most positively assured by the British government that nothing will be done in its dealings with Nicaragua that can properly be construed into a violation of the Monroe doctrine. This assurance was naturally very gratifying to President Cleveland and the other members of the administration. It was saying in around-about way that Great Britain never really meant to carry out that bombarding threat, and it was also in a way recognition of the Monroe doctrine. That this assurance from Great Britain was the result of the courageous position taken by the administration as to the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine is certain. And nothing was lost on the part of Great Britain, by the knowledge that the United States had a sufficient naval force in the South Atlantic to back up the position assumed.

The arrival of the new Spanish minister is anxiously awaited in Washington, as it is believed that he will have several important communications to make to this government. The Alliance incident is still open, and the belief is growing that Spain is trying to play a double game in connection therewith, notwithstanding its promise to make it satisfactory as soon as it was in possession of the necessary information. As the new Spanish minister is to spend a week or ten days in Cuba before coming to Washington he will be expected to acquire all the needed information and if his government then still delays making a satisfactory settlement, he may find himself very disagreeably surprised soon after his arrival. And his surprise is not likely to be displeasing to the Cuban revolutionists.

Postmaster General Wilson dropped into his new duties as naturally as though he had been dealing with postal affairs all his life, and he is the same urbane gentleman in dealing with his numerous callers that he always was during his extended congressional career. He has long ago proved himself well protected against that insidious disease known to ordinary folk as the "big head"; therefore no one is surprised to find him just as accessible now as when he was a member of congress.

The projectors of the new silver party confess to have encouraging reports

from a number of states, but their professions are largely discounted by their claims as to the states of Pennsylvania and Connecticut. The only claim these people make that is backed by common sense and hard facts, is that a large majority of the voters of the country are bimetallicists. That claim is unnecessary because it is known by everybody, but that doesn't mean that all the bimetallicists are ready to drop their party affiliations and unite in an assistant republican party, which is about all the new silver party is.

The decision of the supreme court in the income tax cases is disappointing to everybody, and probably to nobody more than to members of the court. The constitutionality of the law stands, not by an affirmative decision, but because the eight justices sitting were evenly divided. Incomes from rents, municipal and state bonds are exempted from the tax. But what most disappointed the members of the court was the stealing of a copy of the decision in advance of its being officially made. It was sold to the correspondent of a Chicago paper and telegraphed to that city. The decision will make lots of worry and litigation for the government, but Secretary Carlisle is very positive that it will not make necessary the calling of an extra session of congress, although the exceptions will probably reduce the receipts from the income tax at least one-half. But even if not a nickel was received from that source by the treasury, Secretary Carlisle says there will be money enough and to spare to carry the government until the regular session of congress without any embarrassment.

A Chicago democrat of the sort that cannot be discouraged is Mr. William P. Wood, at present in Washington. He says: "The democratic party suffered a bad defeat the other day, but we will pull ourselves together in time for the big battle next year. I have no doubt whatever that Illinois will cast her electoral vote for the democracy, providing, of course, that our candidate is made of the right sort of stuff. Business is booming at a great pace. Everywhere I have been in the last few weeks I found trade improving. I look for a general revival of business this summer, and that is all the democratic party needs. With good times next year democratic success is assured."

Chas. Yale's "Newest Devil's Auction."

One of the most popular attractions that visits our city is due next Monday evening, when the Grand Opera house will present that well-known spectacle, Charles H. Yale's "Newest Devil's Auction." This favorite show-piece, like the proverbial brook, seems destined to "run on forever," for each succeeding year it blossoms forth in new array, filled to repletion with all that is bright, new and beautiful, with all the old matter eliminated and replaced with ideas so new and timely that the statement is made that "everything is new but the title," and this statement seems to be fully and amply substantiated. According to the promise of the management this year's production will be no exception to the rule, as the entire season has been occupied in preparing a production which will exceed by far any former presentation of this famous spectacle, and such changes have been made in dialogue, music, scenery, costumes, specialties and spectacular features, as will render it an entire new piece, for from the rise to the fall of the curtain, almost nothing remains to remind its audience of the past, save the name itself. The dramatic cast has been greatly augmented and includes among its members Miss Sadie Stephens, Jaguarina, Mildred Holden, Nera Vernon, Mand King, Gus Brino, Jr., Al. W. Decker, William Ruge, Eddie Snow, William Lorella, George Caron and William Young, while the principal dancers are Miles Chitten, Bartoletti and Amore, from the principal European theatres. The specialties which are, it is claimed decided novelties, are the famous Cee-Mee Troupe of English pantomimists, the Les Freres Caron, French acrobats, and the Lorella Trio in Magique Fantastique. Five entire new scenes have been built, two of which are notably effective, "The Bower of Flowers," and the "old Five Points," New York City, while the magnificent transformation of the "Advent of Spring" has been added to and beautifully improved. Much has been accomplished in the way of ballets, and the new numbers will include "The Dance of the Fools," "On Parade," "The Swells and the Belles," and "On the Bialtom," maintaining the principal features of "The Boulevard," which was one of the greatest successes of last season. Considerable tricks and mechanical scenery, all for the annoyance of "Toby" have been designed, and the customing which numbers scores of designs, has all been made for this tour. It is claimed that, taking the piece all in all, this season's production will outshine previous seasons at least threefold.

Easter Services at St. Andrew's Church.

On Easter eve, Saturday, infant baptism will be administered in St. Andrew's church at 4 p. m. Easter day services will be as follows: At 7 a. m., celebration of Holy Communion. At 10.30 a. m., morning prayer, sermon and second celebration of Holy Communion. At 4 p. m., children's festival of song. At all these services there will be special Easter music.

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Milan.

Weather warm and pleasant. The lawns in Milan and vicinity are looking quite green.

Mrs. S. R. Williams, who has been quite ill, is able to be out again.

Mrs. S. Egner is visiting friends in Detroit.

M. A. Palmer & Clark have a trimmer from the city and will open their millinery display at their parlors on Main street, April 11th, 12th, and 13th.

Miss Bell Watkins, of Wyandott is, the guest of Miss Alma Gill this week.

Mrs. J. C. Harper has been very ill, but is now considered convalescent.

Miss Edith Waite, of Scio, is the guest of her uncle, Dr. S. Chapin, and aunt, Mrs. J. C. Harper, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitmarsh and daughter visited friends in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Claid Chapin returned Monday from a visit with friends in Ann Arbor and Scio.

A hard time social will be held in the P. O. O. F. parlors Wednesday evening under the auspices of the B. Y. P. N. Mr. Otto Bennet, of Ann Arbor, is doing the carpenter's work on the new addition to Mr. J. C. Rure house, on County street.

Miss Pheipraub returned Monday from a week's visit with her parents in Saline.

Miss Clara McGregor commenced teaching in the Wirth district Monday.

Miss Forsythe returned to her school work in Milan Monday after a week's visit with parents in Lodi.

Mr. L. Van Waraer is seriously ill with rheumatism.

Mr. Maurice Day is confined to the house with rheumatism.

Mr. J. Taylor returned the last of the week to his home in Essexville.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport, of Moorville, visited Milan friends Monday.

Mr. Charles Gill is on the sick list. The O. E. S., will give an old time social at the Masonic Temple, next week, Wednesday evening.

Born, March 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Oren Throape, a daughter.

Master Walton gave an interesting birthday party Thursday afternoon.

W. F. Stevens moved into Mr. A. S. Hayden's house, on West Main street, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hayden have moved to Tecumseh.

Mrs. Alma Allen is quite ill. Oscar Newcomb, of Carleton, was in town last week looking over his property and repainting the roof of his brick block.

Mr. H. Habber, of Detroit, visited Milan friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Guy, from the Ridge, were the guests of Mrs. Flora Guy Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clynton Hobb, of Moorville, were Milan visitors Monday.

Mrs. E. Ford and Mrs. W. Clark, of Moorville, called on some of their Milan friends Monday.

Dr. Vaughn, of Ann Arbor, was called to Milan, in council the last of the week.

Spring Time

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Dexter Township.

Next Sunday is Easter.

John Bross is building a duck boat for Eugene Hall, of Ann Arbor.

The last entertainment of the Dexter lecture course was given Tuesday evening.

John McGinness, of Pinkney, is moving on a farm near Chelsea.

James Gallagher was in Detroit recently and purchased a fine sail boat.

Carlton Van Riper, of Fowlerville, and Harry Ellerby, of Albion, spent Tuesday with W. Taylor.

Mrs. Hattie Stevens and daughter Ida, of Massie, are visiting old friends.

George Boyden and wife entertained friends the past few days.

Mrs. Laura Aldrich, of Howell, spent the week here.

E. A. Campbell and family have moved in the Mallory house.

Mrs. L. Tyler and Miss Susie Kenny, of Hillsdale, were entertained by Dexter friends over Sunday.

Misses Jessie Doane and Myrtle Bostwick were in Ann Arbor several days last week.

Joseph Ball, of Ann Arbor, spent the Sabbath with H. M. Phelps.

Austin Warren is back from Ypsilanti.

Miss Nellie Copeland was home from the Normal over Sunday.

William Curlett is to have a plate glass window in his store.

Dr. W. E. C. Wright, of Cleveland, addressed the people of this village Thursday. The Crescent club are preparing to give a dance at the Opera house Monday evening, April 15.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist Church, met with Mrs. E. Miles Wednesday.

Mrs. M. E. Sill entertained the Willing Workers at her home Wednesday.

A. A. Buckalew and wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Monday, April 1.

Misses Kate Harris and Anna Dunlavey have entered the Dexter high school.

Miss Buchanan spent last week in Chelsea.

Thomas James was in Ann Arbor Tuesday last.

Miss B. Cushman is home from Chelsea.

Mrs. E. Bostwick was the guest of Ann Arbor friends the past week.

Mrs. C. C. James gave a very pleasant party at her home Monday evening.

Frank Buchanan has returned home. Sea Staffan and Miss M. Wood, of Chelsea, called here Tuesday.

Henry Van Fleet and wife, of Detroit, were in town last week.

Charles Stebbins is able to be out again.

Miss Minnie Van Baren is teaching in the Parker district in Lima.

R. A. Beals and Miss Munia, of Ann Arbor, spent the Sabbath in town.

J. S. Bardette was at the Opera house Tuesday evening.

Miss Nellie Larkin, of Petytsville, has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. Frank Conklin entertained her sister last week.

Misses Minnie Rieder and Bertha Ferris were in Detroit last week.

D. O. Van Buren, of Ypsilanti, was on our streets Friday.

Ruben Queal and wife are home from Florida.

D. T. Wilcox is visiting his brother at Wheatfield.

L. L. James and M. E. Sill have gone on a duck hunt up the lakes.

George Schumacher, of Detroit, was here Sunday last.

Miss Edith Warren will clerk in Davis Brothers' dry goods store on Saturdays.

Miss Minnie Campbell was given a surprise party by a number of her friends last Friday evening. Dancing was indulged in and the young people had a good time.

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Manchester.

Mrs. Frederick Kotts spent a day with Tecumseh friends.

Mrs. John Braun and daughter Ella, are very sick.

Mrs. N. Schmidt and son drove to Chelsea last Saturday to meet her husband.

Mr. Elmer Stark started for Colorado last Tuesday.

Miss Tillie Frick, of Adrain, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wertimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elfring and family, of Dexter, came to attend the confirmation services.

Mrs. Herrington, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Braun.

Mrs. Christ Marx, of Blissfield, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. P. J. Lehman, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Rehlfuss over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Miles, of Jackson, has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacquemain.

Mr. Harlow Perrin, who is attending the Albion college, visited friends in town a few days.

Father Termes went to Jackson last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Father Buysse.

A number of Masons went to Sharon to attend the funeral of Mr. Tracy, who was a member of the lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Engle, of Dexter; Miss Libbie Engle, of Ypsilanti, and Miss Emma Engle, of Brooklyn, came home to attend the confirmation services.

There will be Easter services at the M. E. and Emanuel's Church Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. O. Taylor last Wednesday afternoon.

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York.

School reopened last Monday.

Mrs. E. B. Fox, of Eaton Rapids, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith.

James Hobbs, of Detroit, is visiting at C. B. Hobb's.

Cromwell Fuller, of Milan, has been engaged to teach our school next year.

Mrs. Henry Collum, of Saline, a former resident of this place, died last Sunday of apoplexy.

Mrs. Hiram Eaton who lives four miles northeast of here, died last Sunday. Death was not unexpected from cancer.

All those terrible, itching diseases of the skin that help to make life miserable for us are caused by external parasites. Doan's Ointment kills the parasite and cures the disease. Perfectly harmless, never fails.

TO JOHN L. SLEEPER.

Why do you cling unto life, my brother? Why do you cling unto life, I say? Why do you weep when the yoke and fetters of flesh from a dear one drop away? You know this world is a house of sorrow, you know this world is a house of sin; That pain is the Dead sea fruit of pleasure and will be ever, as it hath been.

Why, then, cling unto life, when over the blue, translucent rim afar Shines the walls of the Wondrous City, where only blessing and bliss are? Why do you beat your hands with passion and storm the sky with your plea and prayer Whenever passes a stainless spirit forever out of your clasp and care? You say he goes to a glad, brave kingdom, over a vague and voiceless sea, Where never a last goodbye is spoken and never and never a grave shall be.

And where from rapids to perfect rapids with crown and lyre, he seats and sings, The chiasm of Christ upon his forehead, the glory of God upon his wings. If I thought as you think, my brother, if I believed in a better's here Beyond the grass and the golden lilies that blossom over a dear man's grave, I would tangle with great strange pleasures— whenever a friend of mine should die, I would robe him in festal raiment, and I would kiss him a gay goodbye.

And, oh! when unto me came the hour—the miracle hour that comes to all— Never a cypress branch nor blossom should throw its gloom on my forehead and fall. At my funeral should be dancing and dainty feasting at festal board, Should be singing and jests and laughter and gurgle of wine in the glasses poured, And jubilant bells should rock the steeples when I was borne to the gay, bright grave, And rattle of drums and a thrill of trumpet blend in a glad thanksgiving stave.

—Will Hubbard-Kernan.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
 ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 6, 1895.
 Adjourned session.
 Called to order by President Wines.
 Roll called. Quorum present.
 Absent—Ald. Taylor and Kitson.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, sitting as the Board of City Canvassers for the said City, for the City Election, held on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895:
 Your petitioner, Nathan D. Corbin, respectfully shows unto your honorable body, that he was a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, in and for the said city, at the said election; that he was duly placed in nomination, and that his name was duly printed upon the republican ticket as a candidate for the said office, as the said ticket was printed and used at the said election, and that the official returns made by the Board of City Canvassers show that the total number of votes cast for him in the Fourth ward of the said city, was one hundred and forty-six, whereas your petitioner is informed and believes, and so charges the fact to be, that the total number of votes cast in the said ward for the said office was one hundred and sixty-six, or some other number much greater than the said number shown by the said official returns.

Therefore your petitioner respectfully requests your honorable body, in view of the facts herein alleged, to correct the official returns from the said Fourth ward of the said city with respect to the total number of votes cast therein for him for the said office, according to the statute for such cases made and provided.
 And thus your petitioner will ever pray,
 NATHAN D. CORBIN.

The petition herewith attached was subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Washtenaw, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1895.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 City Clerk.

I hereby certify that the petition herewith attached was duly filed with me at my office as City Clerk, and that at the same time the required fee of ten dollars was duly deposited with me, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1895, at 6 o'clock p. m.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 City Clerk.

I hereby certify that a copy of the petition herewith attached, with a notice in writing of the adjourned meeting of the Board of City Canvassers to 3 o'clock p. m., upon the sixth day of April, A. D. 1895, was duly served upon Nathan D. Corbin and Charles Boylan by me leaving a copy of the same with each of them personally, at their residences in this city, between the hours of 7:30 p. m. and 9 p. m., April 5th, A. D. 1895.
 NATHAN D. CORBIN.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, sitting as the Board of City Canvassers for the said City, for the City Election held on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895:
 I, George S. Vandawalker, respectfully show unto your honorable body that I was duly appointed and served as clerk upon the Board of Inspectors of Election for the Fourth ward of the said city at the said election, and that I counted the votes cast at the said election in the said ward for Nathan D. Corbin for Justice of the Peace, and made a statement for the total number of them, the number as determined by me being fifty-eight, and in the official returns from the said ward as the correct total of the vote cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin for the said office in the said ward. I further show that I have again inspected the original figures as made by me at the time in reckoning up the said total, and I have discovered that I made an error in performing the said reckoning as follows: I set first down the total number of votes cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin upon split tickets, which number was one hundred and eight, and beneath in a column for addition I set down the total number of votes cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin upon straight ballots, which number was fifty-eight, and then I added the two numbers aforesaid to obtain the complete total of votes cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin for the said office in performing the said addition, I misadded the second number aforesaid, the total of straight ballots, thirty-eight instead of fifty-eight, and therefore reported a total of votes cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin twenty-two less than the correct total. The correct total number of votes cast for Nathan D. Corbin for the office of Justice of the Peace in the said ward was to the best of my knowledge and belief, one hundred and sixty-six.
 And further dependent saith not.
 GEORGE S. VANDAWALKER,
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3th day of April, A. D. 1895, at Ann Arbor, Mich.
 NATHAN D. CORBIN,
 Notary Public.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor sitting as the Board of City Canvassers for the said City, for the City Election held on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895:
 I, George S. Vandawalker, respectfully show unto your honorable body that the sheet of legal cap paper herewith attached is the identical piece of paper used by me at the said election, and during which I served as Clerk of the Board of Election Inspectors of the Fourth Ward, for the purpose of determining the total vote cast for several of the candidates voted for in the said ward at the said election; that the said sheet of paper was carefully inspected by me on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1895, and again on the sixth day of April, A. D. 1895, at the time of the making and filing of this affidavit and I find it to be in exactly the same condition and unchanged in any particular from the condition in which I left it upon the said day of election, at which time I carefully deposited the said sheet after using among the papers returned to the City Clerk, it being among the said papers that I found the said sheet of paper, at which time I found the said sheet of paper made in pencil and not with ink, were made thereon by me for the purpose and at the time aforesaid; that I made the same mistake at first in adding up the total vote cast for the said Nathan D. Corbin for Alderman in the said ward at the said election as that made by me in the case of Nathan D. Corbin as set forth in another affidavit made by me on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1895, and submitted by me to your honorable body, but in the case of the said Alvin F. Ferguson the mistake was discovered and corrected before the making out of the official returns.
 And further dependent saith not.
 GEORGE S. VANDAWALKER,
 Subscribed and sworn to before me a Notary Public in and for the County of Washtenaw, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1895, at Ann Arbor, Michigan.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 Notary Public.

This is to certify that the sheet of legal cap paper herewith attached was returned to my office as City Clerk of the City of Ann Arbor, among the papers sent and returned from the Fourth Ward of the said city after the election held in the said city on the first day of April, A. D. 1895, and was inspected and kept by me among the said papers until the time of the filing of the accompanying affidavit when I caused the same to be attached thereto.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 City Clerk.

Ald. Prettyman moved that a committee of one be appointed by the Council

to act as chairman of a committee to recounting the vote for Justice of the Peace in the Fourth ward.
 Adopted.
 Ald. Brown moved that Ald. Prettyman act as chairman.
 Adopted.
 Elihu B. Pond appointed Ald. Brown as his representative on said committee.
 Nathan D. Corbin appointed Ald. Ferguson as his representative on said committee.
 Ald. Manly moved that the marshal be instructed to bring the Fourth ward ballot box to the Council Chamber.
 Adopted.
 Ald. Martin moved that the Council take a recess of fifteen minutes.
 Adopted.
 At the expiration of the allotted time the Council reconvened and proceeded to recount the vote cast for Justice of the Peace in the Fourth ward.
 REPORT OF COMMITTEE.
 Mr. President:
 Your committee to whom was referred the matter of recount of vote for Justice of the Peace, in the Fourth ward of the said City of Ann Arbor, at the election held April 1st, 1895, beg leave to report that we have opened the ballot box of the said Fourth ward and counted the votes for the office of Justice of the Peace, and find that Mr. E. B. Pond received one hundred and eighty-one votes, Mr. N. D. Corbin received one hundred and sixty-six votes, Mr. Charles Boylan received sixteen votes, making a total number of votes cast three hundred and fifty-nine (359).
 H. G. PRETTYMAN,
 H. J. BROWN,
 A. P. FERGUSON.

Ald. Ferguson moved that the report be accepted and adopted.
 Carried.
 Vote on the proposition of raising \$5,000 by special tax to build sites for public building in the First and Second wards:
 For Against
 First ward..... 229 77
 Second ward..... 125 138
 Third ward..... 135 55
 Fourth ward..... 135 58
 Fifth ward..... 26 23
 Sixth ward..... 137 57
 Seventh ward..... 86 86
 Total vote..... 857 421
 Majority for—436.

By Alderman Prettyman:
 Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, at a regular session at the Council Chamber, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1895, do declare and hereby certify that at the municipal election, held in and for the said City of Ann Arbor, on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895, the following named persons were duly and lawfully elected to the following named city offices, viz:
 For Mayor—Warren E. Walker.
 For President of the Common Council—Charles E. Huseock.
 For City Clerk—Glen V. Mills.
 For Justice of the Peace—Elihu B. Pond.
 For Assessor—Patrick O'Hearn.
 For Supervisors:
 First ward, William K. Childs.
 Second ward, Eugene Oesterlin.
 Third ward, Joseph Fischer.
 Fourth ward, Joseph Donnelly.
 Fifth ward, James Boyle.
 Sixth ward, Arthur J. Kitson.
 Seventh ward, Ewart H. Scott.
 For Aldermen—
 First ward, for one year, George L. Moore.
 For two years, Charles A. Maynard.
 Second ward, John Koehl.
 Third ward, Jacob Laubengayer.
 Fourth ward, Alvin F. Ferguson.
 Fifth ward, William M. Shadford.
 Sixth ward, Ernest W. Wood.
 Seventh ward, for one year, O. Elmer Butterfield.
 For Constables, C. Homer Cady.
 For Constables—
 First ward, Melven C. Peterson.
 Second ward, Paul Sobal.
 Third ward, Jeremiah Walsh.
 Fourth ward, Peter Herten.
 Fifth ward, Newton Felch.
 Sixth ward, Charles J. Schmidt.
 Seventh ward, C. Fred Weinmann.

By Ald. Prettyman:
 Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor at a regular session at the Council Chamber of said city, on the sixth day of April, A. D. 1895, do declare and hereby certify that at the Special Election held in and for the City of Ann Arbor, on the first day of April, A. D. 1895, to determine for or against the proposed purchase of sites for public buildings in the First and Second wards of said city, that the whole number of votes cast for and against the proposed purchase of sites was one thousand two hundred and seventy-eight, of which eight hundred fifty-seven ballots contained the words, "For the public building sites—yes," and four hundred twenty-one contained the words, "For the public building sites—no."
 Further, Resolved, That as a result of said election the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor do declare that the said proposition was carried.
 Adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
 To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:
 The undersigned members of the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Ann Arbor, do respectfully submit the following report:
 After an examination and count of the official ballots, there were delivered to the Inspectors of Election four thousand seven hundred and fifty ballots as shown in detail below:
 We also counted the ballots returned by three wards as shown by ward reports.

First Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	800
" " "	" " unaccounted for.....	392
" " "	" " votes cast.....	408-800
Second Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	850
" " "	" " returned unused.....	412
" " "	" " votes cast.....	438-850
Third Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	900
" " "	" " spoiled.....	3
" " "	" " returned unused.....	43
" " "	" " votes cast.....	402-900
Fourth Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	750
" " "	" " not accounted for.....	378
" " "	" " votes cast.....	372-750
Fifth Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	400
" " "	" " unaccounted for.....	213
" " "	" " votes cast.....	187-400
Sixth Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	600
" " "	" " spoiled.....	2
" " "	" " returned unused.....	329
" " "	" " votes cast.....	269-600
Seventh Ward.	Number of ballots delivered.....	450
" " "	" " unaccounted for.....	232
" " "	" " votes cast.....	218-450

It is apparent from the above that there is a great difference of opinion as to the contents of the law. We find also that the boxes for city tickets for the First and Fifth Wards are insecurely sealed, while the Fourth Ward box shows no seal at all. Also that the box for State tickets for the Fourth Ward is insecurely sealed and that the Sixth Ward box shows no seal.
 We believe that the correct ballot in Ann Arbor will be greatly facilitated if prior to the next election someone familiar with the work would instruct those who are to act as Clerks and Inspectors of Election as to their duties.
 All of which is respectfully submitted,
 G. F. ALLEN, DIXON,
 N. J. KVER,
 Board of Election Commissioners.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 Secretary.

Received and placed on file.
 By Ald. Prettyman:
 Resolved, That inasmuch as the ballot box of the Sixth Ward was duly and securely sealed, Therefore be it
 Resolved, That the strictures of the Board

of Election Commissioners do not apply as to the Sixth Ward.
 Adopted.
 Ald. Prettyman moved that the Council adjourn as a Board of Canvassers.
 Adopted.
 REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATION.
 ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 5, 1895.
 To the President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.:
 Your special committee appointed to investigate and formulate charges against the President of the Board of Public Works of this city, respectfully report that they have met and examined several witnesses, but because of the short space of time available for this investigation, they have been unable to complete the same, and would recommend that the investigation be continued by the incoming Council.
 H. J. BROWN,
 FRANK WOOD,
 H. G. PRETTYMAN.

The report failed for adoption as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Wood, Brown, Prettyman, President Wines.—4.
 Nays—Ald. Martin, Allmendinger, Snyder, Ferguson, Manly.—5.

By Ald. Manly:
 By virtue of Section 143 of the Charter of the City of Ann Arbor, relative to charges against a member of the Board of Public Works: I, Charles H. Manly, a citizen, elector and member of the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, do hereby charge Albert M. Clark a member and president of the Board of Public Works of said city, duly appointed and qualified as such member:
 First—With official misconduct in the performance of the duties of his office.
 Second—For being indirectly interested in the purchase of material to be used in public work.
 Third—With unfaithful performance of the duties of his office.
 Fourth—With being inefficient and not qualified to perform the duties of his office.

Specification under first charge:
 I am informed and believe and therefore charge the fact to be that said Clark while he is a member of the Board of Public Works aforesaid, did vote, as such member, to use a certain kind of tile in the construction of lateral sewers in the City of Ann Arbor, the said tile, manufactured by the Jackson Sewer Tile Company, of Jackson, Michigan; that said Clark did after a part of said tile had been laid and the contractors had more on hand to lay cause the said tile to be condemned and rejected; by his vote and influence on said board. That immediately after the action of said Clark in causing said tile to be condemned, a representative of the Jackson Sewer Tile Company, one Smith, came to the City of Ann Arbor, and visited said Clark and said Clark, as I am informed and believe, was then and there promised five per cent. of all the moneys to be paid by the City of Ann Arbor, for said tile to be used in the construction of lateral sewers. That thereupon and thereafter said Clark on or about October 29, 1894, by his vote and influence caused said tile to be passed by the Board of Public Works, allowing the use of the tile manufactured by the Jackson Sewer Tile Company, which said tile has since been condemned and rejected. And thereupon by and through such corrupt influence said Clark procured and permitted the use of such Jackson tile in the construction of lateral sewers by the City of Ann Arbor, which said tile was then and there well known to be greatly inferior to other sewer tile, which it was then and there the duty of said Clark and the Board of Public Works to require to be used in the construction of the lateral sewers, then in course of construction, by the City of Ann Arbor.
 That said Clark through his influence procured and permitted to be used sewer tile manufactured by the Jackson Sewer Tile Company, which said tile was then and there well known to be greatly inferior to other sewer tile, which it was then and there the duty of said Clark and the Board of Public Works to require to be used in the construction of the lateral sewers then in course of construction, by the City of Ann Arbor.

Specification under second charge:
 That said Clark became and was interested in, to-wit: the month of October, 1894, in the use by the City of Ann Arbor, of certain sewer tile, in the construction of lateral sewers, in that—that he was then and there to receive a certain commission, if the Jackson Sewer Tile Company, was to be made use of in the construction of lateral sewers by the City of Ann Arbor, and that said Clark, then and there procured the appointment of one Bassett to the said office, well knowing the said Bassett to be wholly without experience or ability to properly perform the duties of the said office, but who is and was then and there related to him, the said Clark, to-wit: a daughter of the said Clark having married and been and there being the wife of one of the said Bassett, to the great disgrace and scandal of the good people of the City of Ann Arbor and to the well example of all others in like case offending.
 Specification under fourth charge:
 That said Clark has not the necessary qualifications for a member of the Board of Public Works in that, that he is not possessed of the necessary knowledge and experience to properly judge of the kind, quality, and character of materials and labor required in conducting the public improvements of the City of Ann Arbor.
 CHARLES H. MANLY,
 STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
 COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. }

On this sixth day of April, A. D. 1895, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Washtenaw, personally came Charles H. Manly above named, and made oath that he had read the foregoing charges and specifications by him subscribed, that he knows the contents thereof, and that the same are in all things true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters and things which are therein stated to be in the hands of Albert M. Clark and as to all such matters and things he believes them to be true.
 E. B. NORRIS,
 Notary Public.

Received and placed on file.
 By Ald. Manly:
 WHEREAS, Charges have this day been made in writing against Albert M. Clark, a member of the Board of Public Works of the City of Ann Arbor, which will require the attention of the Council, therefore be it resolved, that the notice in conformance with the charter be given him, the said Albert M. Clark, of the time and place where said charges will be heard, and that a copy of the charges and specification be served upon him.
 Ald. Manly addressed the Council in support of the resolution, during the course of which Ald. Prettyman called the attention of the Council to a point of order.
 Pres. Wines ruled the point well taken.
 Ald. Manly appealed from the decision of the chair.
 The decision failed to be sustained as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Brown, Prettyman, Pres. Wines.—3.
 Nays—Ald. Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Ferguson.—5.
 The resolution prevailed as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Martin, Allmendinger,

Wood, Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Manly, Prettyman, Pres. Wines.—9.
 Nays—None.
 By Ald. Martin:
 WHEREAS, This day terminates the existence of this Council, and of the term of our respected presiding officer, Mr. Levi D. Wines.
 Resolved, That this Council desires to express in this way its hearty appreciation of the highly efficient and impartial manner in which the President of this Council has performed the important duties of his office during the past year.
 Adopted as follows:
 Yeas—Ald. Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Manly, Prettyman.—8.
 Nays—None.
 On motion the Council adjourned sine die.
 GLEN V. MILLS,
 City Clerk.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1895.

THE INCOME TAX LAW.

The long expected decision of the Supreme court as to the constitutionality of the income tax law, passed by the last congress, has finally been handed down. The court holds that the provisions of the statute relating to the taxation of incomes from interest upon state and municipal banks and real estates are unconstitutional.

It is estimated that the decision will deprive the government of at least one-third and possibly, one-half the revenue that was expected from this source. Then the failure of the court to sustain the principal features of the law by a direct or majority decision leaves them in the same condition as though they had not been considered at all.

NO EXTRA SESSION.

No extra session of congress, if you please, says President Cleveland and the business interests of the country with one voice say "Amen." The loss of revenue resulting from the elimination of rents and interest on public bonds from the list of taxable sources of income is as nothing compared with the loss to business which would result from calling the wild and woolly politicians of the fifty-fourth congress together.

The Chicago Times-Herald, in commenting upon the decision of the United States supreme court, which it characterizes as fragmentary, compromising and self-conflicting, says: One of the consequences of the decision most to be deplored is that it will revive the sleeping imposture, protection. In the spacious guise of supplying revenue not available under the income tax law, as amended by the court, there will be renewed clamor by capital, for restoration of tariff monopolies.

only double the burden laid by the decision upon labor. It will still have to pay its share of the income tax, if unrepented; and, in addition to that, fresh tribute to monopolies under the subterfuge of furnishing needed revenue to the national treasury.

A change in the personnel of the supreme court may yet afford a remedy against nullification of the principle of the income tax, scientifically and equitably framed in a statute. This consummation is devoutly to be wished, as probably the only guarantee against revival of McKinleyism and its horde of evils.

PERSONAL.

Henry J. Friss has gone to Chicago. Mrs. John Burg is visiting Detroit friends. Edward McGee visited in Jackson this week. Miss Nellie Buck, is visiting friends in Chicago.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

School closes today for a week's vacation. The contract for printing the Omega has been given the Argus. The third annual high school ball will be held in the Chapel, May 10, for the benefit of the Athletic association.

A Card—To the Many Friends of My Son

In behalf of my dear son, to whom this world is no more, I take pleasure in tendering sincere thanks to his many friends, for the kindness and sympathy which they have shown to him and the family, from the beginning of his long and continued sufferings until his arrival at his final resting place.

Dated April 8, 1895. MARTIN HALLER.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. (Continued from Eighth Page) Table with columns for Ward, Name, and Amount.

SUPERVISORS. Table listing names and amounts for various wards.

ALDERMEN. Table listing names and amounts for various wards.

CONSTABLES. Table listing names and amounts for various wards.

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ARGUS AUGURIES.

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Chas. H. Yale's "Newest Devil's Auction," at opera house: Fine specialties.
TUESDAY, APRIL 16—K. T.'s Easter party at Masonic Temple.
THURSDAY, APRIL 18—Y. M. C. A. banquet to sustaining members in their hall.
FRIDAY, MAY 3—Lecture of Senator John W. Daniel in S. L. A. course.
TUESDAY, APRIL 16—Lecture of Krehbiel the musical critic, in Inland League series.
SATURDAY, APRIL 20—Elocution recital, Miss Finley's class of children, High School hall, at 7:45.
FRIDAY, APRIL 21—Stereopticon lecture of Prof. F. W. Kelsey, in Presbyterian church, "A Summer in Pompeii."
FRIDAY, APRIL 26—Rev. E. W. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, will lecture in the M. E. church, in the evening, on "Palestine."
SATURDAY, APRIL 13—Ann Arbor vs. Detroit league team, at Detroit.
FRIDAY, APRIL 26—Woman's League will give "Anita's Trial" in High School hall. Open to members of the league and other ladies.
FRIDAY, MAY 3—Lecture of Senator John W. Daniel in S. L. A. course. Subject, "Americanism and the Monroe doctrine."

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The United Friends give a box social next Wednesday evening.
There were 569 money orders paid at the postoffice last week.
An Epworth league concert will be given at Emory this evening.
The spring vacation in the high school and university begins today.
Mrs. Beattie, of Pontiac, has purchased the residence of James Shirley.
The handsome shepherd dog of Prof. A. A. Stanley, died of poison yesterday.
James W. Robison has brought home some fine-looking horses from Chicago.
A buggy wheel was badly smashed in a runaway on State street, Wednesday.
Dog Catcher Green has killed three dogs, which were not redeemed within the time limit.
Postmaster Carpenter, of Ypsilanti, had a highly successful operation performed upon his eye this week.
The streets of the city are being scraped. They are full of holes and stand in great need of gravel.
The Knights of Pythias confer the second degree next Monday evening and have a spread afterwards.
A new gallery has been put in St. Thomas' music hall for the accommodation of the choir and orchestra.
Walter H. Rogers has been tendered the appointment of substitute letter carrier in the Ann Arbor postoffice.
Charles F. Kyer is expected home from Seattle next week to take charge of the books of the Kyer Milling Co.
George Olp was kicked on the leg Wednesday by a horse which he was clipping. He is, however, able to be around.
The paullist fathers, Revs. Smith and Younan, will conduct a mission in St. Thomas' church during the week, beginning April 21.
Jacob Dingman was arrested for indecent exposure yesterday and, waiving examination was bound over to the circuit court by Justice Pond.
Dr. David G. Sharp, of Cassopolis, who married Miss Lizzie Otley, of this city, is dead. He graduated in the medical department in 1885.
Major Stenens has been moving the large maple trees on the Catherine street side of his residence, so that the street can be graded down.
Mr. Benjamin O'Neil, having resigned his position as mail messenger on account of the size of the compensation, bids are now being received at the postoffice for the position.
Mrs. Margaret Caroline West, wife of Charles West, of Fuller street, died Wednesday of pneumonia, aged thirty-eight years. The funeral services will be held at the A. M. E. church, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
Miss Ann L. Richards, of the senior literary class, of the University, has been chosen by the classmates to make the presentation speech at the dedication of the bust of President Angell, on literary class day, commencement week.

Easter services at St. Andrew's church.

Prof. and Mrs. Ross Grainger give a dancing party, April 24.

The board of public works held no meeting Wednesday evening.

Norman Wood, of Saline, is now janitor of the University Museum.

A pleasant faculty concert was given at the School of Music, last evening.

George H. Wild had a welcome visitor at his house Sunday—a little son.

Six new members were initiated in to the Eastern Star lodge last evening.

Special Easter services will be held at the Trinity Lutheran church, next Sunday.

Robert Phillips, cashier of the State Savings bank, is suffering with a carbuncle.

John F. Lawrence proposes to donate a lot in the Seventh ward for a polling place.

Work is going on on North University avenue on the Washington street sewer.

Mrs. George Wheeler died at her home in Salem Street last Sunday evening from a cancer.

A new nine pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Seyler Wednesday evening.

J. A. LeRoy has been elected managing editor of the U. of M. daily, a most excellent choice.

Herbert Randall has a pretty poem in the New England Magazine, handsomely illustrated.

Motorman Walter G. Stuck was married to Miss Estella Van Horn, of Ypsilanti, on Wednesday.

There are now 3,277 books in the Ladies' Library in this city, an increase of 81 during the year.

Karl Harriman had his pockets picked of \$4.97 the other night while attending some amateur theatricals.

Patrick O'Hearn, the city assessor is recovering from a very severe attack of bronchitis. He is not yet able to be out.

A street car struck the horse of Eugene Bartlett on Detroit street, Wednesday afternoon, cutting a deep gash in its hip.

A company has been formed to manufacture the Minnis patent filled razor strop, which has been meeting with great success.

New telephones have been put in by the Farmers' and Mechanics' bank, J. Henne & Co., Joseph Parker, C. Spaeth and George B. Marsden.

Thomas F. Leonard lost a dog, which he esteemed highly, through poisoning. There have been a good many cases of this kind within the city lately.

Wilhelm August Weinmann died Tuesday at his home on Brown street, aged sixty-one years. He was born in Wuerttemberg and had resided in this city thirty five years. He leaves a wife four sons and four daughters.

The Ladies' Literary Association elected the following officers Monday: President, Mrs. W. W. Beman; vice president, Mrs. Philip Bach; treasurer, Mrs. Jaycox; secretary, Mrs. G. C. Huber; directors, Mrs. Jaycox, Mrs. Carrow, Mrs. O. M. Martin, Miss Goodrich and Mrs. Huber.

There will be special Easter services at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning with extra instrumental and vocal music, and extra flowers. There will be a short Easter sermon to the adults, and a special address to the children. A considerable number of persons will be received into the church. In the evening there will be a lecture on "The Religious Teachings of Emerson."

Mrs. Julia Farmer died Tuesday evening at her home, on Broadway, of heart failure. She was born in Pennsylvania in 1820, and came to Ann Arbor with her parents when she was eleven years of age, or four years before Michigan became a state. She was married to William Farmer, who died in Stockbridge, in 1859. A daughter, Mrs. Nellie Farmer survives her. The funeral services were held from the residence yesterday afternoon.

The spring election cost the city of Ann Arbor \$535.45. Of this \$79.50 is chargeable to the republican partisanship exhibited in creating the Seventh ward.

—Argus. And still the Argus keeps up its own partisanship. It is not a great length of time back in history when the Argus advocated the division of the First ward into two voting precincts. Then the cost of election would have been the same as now.—Courier. The only trouble about the Courier's reply is that it is untrue.

The much talked of business block on South Main street adjoining Schumacker's hardware will be built this spring by Stephen Pratt, of Detroit, at an expense of \$20,000. There will be three stores in the lower story and the two upper stories will be occupied by the Crescent Clasp Works. The first-story will be built of brown sandstone and the remaining stories of pressed brick and the building will be a handsome addition to the business blocks of the city. The plans were drawn by Malcolmson & Higginbotham, of Detroit.

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A SLY OLD WOODCHUCK AND HIS PERSISTENT ENEMY.

A Long Island Farmer Relates His Experience With a Chuck That Had Become Very Smart Through Close Touch With Civilization.

"Speakin' of woodchucks," said an old Long Island farmer the other day, "reminds me of some curious incidents with 'em. 'Twarn't more'n 50 years ago when they was thick as flies on this island, an we ate them instead of rabbits an made mufflers and mittens out of their skins. They was mighty warm, too, those old woodchuck mittens an mufflers. When a man wanted a big fellow, he only had to walk down into the nearest field an take his pick out of two or three. They was so plentiful that it was no trouble to kill 'em. But they have been killed off now so that there ain't many more round. Onct in awhile a big fellow brings up a litter into the lower clover lot an we have to root 'em out.

"Ever hunt woodchucks? Waal, it ain't much if they be young ones. If you wait long enough, you'll catch them runnin' across the lot in broad daylight. If you are a good shot, you can bring one down. They're tough, an a big fellow will carry away a big load of shot. But if you get hold of a big fellow, an old veteran, so to speak, you'll find it no easy job to dislodge him. He's too knowin' a cuss to live. He'll only eat your clover at night, an, Lord, how much he can get away with in one night! In the daytime he keeps close into his hole an laughs at you. Dig him out? Waal, yes, you can try it, but he'll dig a good deal faster on the other end than you will an take it easy at that. Mind you, I'm talkin' of old ones—those know all the tricks of the business. The woodchucks that you find on Long Island are wiser than those most anywhere else 'cause they have to be cunning an shrewd not to get killed. They're so close to civilization that they learn new tricks all the time.

"A few years ago a cunning old fellow took up his home in that clover field just off the lower meadows, an we had the hardest time to kill him that you can imagine. I guess afore we got through with him he cost us 'bout \$100—that is, fur clover destroyed an labor at \$1.50 per day lost in trying to capture him. 'Twarn't any use layin' in wait fur him with a shotgun. He was too wise to poke his nose out of the hole. But every night he'd come out an eat clover fast enough. He brought up seven litters of young chucks in that field, but we killed 'em all except the old one. He'd bring a new mate with him to his home every season, but she'd be shot in tryin' to save her young ones. But we could never get a shot at the prime mover of the whole trouble. We waited fur him on moonlight nights an did get a shot at him onct. But I guess we only crippled him, an he never ventured out again except on dark nights. We had no chance then. We tried to dig him out, but after three days of steady work we got tired. Then we started to burn an smoke him out, but it ain't no easy matter to make smoke go down hill an get into all of the holes that a woodchuck can make. Finally we decided to drown the old critter out. We got together all the old pork an oil barrels that we could find an filled them full of water. Then when everything was ready Si an Jake, my two sons, stood ready with a pitchfork an shotgun while I poured the water into the hole.

"Waal, sir, that hole held more water than any millpond. It took the hull ten barrelsful to bring it up to the surface, an then, jest as I put in the last pailful, that pesky old chuck showed his nose. Si jabbed at him with the pitchfork, an Jake shot the handle to pieces as he banged away at the critter. But it warn't no use. The water soaked away rapidly, an the woodchuck went down again, grinnin' at our failure.

"But we warn't so easily discouraged. Next day we added five more barrels an all the tubs an pails round the house. Then we began to flood that hole again. This time we had plenty of water, but there was no woodchuck to appear. The water came up to the surface an flowed out of the hole, but no woodchuck. We thought he had left his home for good after his first duckin'. But no. He came out again that night, an ate more clover than usual jest as if to spite us. Waal, we found out in time that the critter was so wise that he had dug his hole way up toward a hill so that he could sit up there an watch us pourin' water in at the other end. This put a stop to any attempt to drown him out.

"It was Si that rigged up the trap that finally caught the old fellow. He took a big stone weight 'bout 50 pounds an suspended it right over the hole. Then he fixed a little stick down below jest as he would set a rabbit trap. The old muskrat couldn't get out of the hole noway without hitting that stick, an—well, the thing happened two nights later. The first night the critter didn't venture out, but the second mornin the stone was down, an the old fellow was crushed beneath it. We ain't had none in the fields since then."—New York Post.

Great Courtesy.

Mme. Calve had an experience with the courtesy of the Spanish thieves once while she was in Madrid. Two well dressed strangers stole her satchel, which contained some money and a number of luck pieces and talismans, including a bunch of dried flowers from her father's grave. The loss worried the artist, but when the newspapers reported the theft the thieves sent her the precious relics neatly inclosed in a packet, in which was a polite note begging that the "finder" of the reticule might be permitted to keep the money as a souvenir of so charming a vocalist.—New York World.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

Ann Arbor, April 1st, 1895.

Regular session. Called to order by President Wines. Roll called. No quorum being present, on motion of Ald. Manly the Council adjourned to Thursday, April 4th, at 7:30 p. m.

GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

Ann Arbor, April 4th, 1895.

Adjourned session. Called to order by President Wines. Roll called. Quorum present. Absent—Ald. Wagner, Manly, Kitson.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Honorable Common Council:

The Board of Public Works submit the following bid for building a dog pound, to your honorable body, and recommend that the same be approved.

Respectfully submitted, GLEN V. MILLS, Clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works:

I will build and complete dog pound, according to plans and specifications, for the sum of Forty-seven (\$47) Dollars.

ARTHUR J. KITSON, per E. K.

Ald. Brown moved that the bid be accepted and adopted, and the Board of Public Works be instructed to enter into a contract.

The motion prevailed as follows.

Yeas—Ald. Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Taylor, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—9. Nays—None.

The Clerk laid the bids of John Koch and Martin Haller for council chamber furniture before the Council.

Ald. Prettyman moved that they be referred to the Board of Public Works. Adopted.

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 the sums stated, and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Table listing various expenses for the Contingent Fund, including salaries, printing, and other administrative costs.

SEWER FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Sewer Fund, including labor, materials, and other costs.

STREET FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Street Fund, including labor, materials, and other costs.

BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, including labor, materials, and other costs.

POLICE FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Police Fund, including salaries, supplies, and other costs.

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Fire Department Fund, including salaries, supplies, and other costs.

Table listing various expenses for the Council, including salaries and supplies.

POOR FUND.

Table listing expenses for the Poor Fund, including salaries and other costs.

RECAPITULATION.

Summary table of all funds and their respective balances.

FRANK WOOD, C. H. MANLY, Finance Committee.

Ald. Wagner and Manly entered.

The report of the Committee on Finance was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wagner, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT.

REGISTRATION AND ELECTION EXPENSES.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have taken the following accounts under consideration and recommend their allowance and warrants ordered drawn for the same.

Table listing registration and election expenses, including salaries and other costs.

FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

Table listing expenses from the Board of Public Works, including salaries and other costs.

To the Common Council:

As requested by your honorable body, we submit the following report: That in May, 1889, the salary for the office of Street Commissioner was established at \$800 per year; the Commissioner to furnish a horse and wagon. Further, that said Board of Public Works have not changed the amount of such establishment salary.

Ald. Manly moved that the communication be received and referred to the new Council.

The motion was lost as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Martin, Wood, Brown, Taylor—4.

FRANK WOOD, C. H. MANLY, Committee on Finance.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wagner, Martin Allmendinger, Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Manly, Taylor, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—11.

Nays—None.

The monthly report of the City Treasurer, City Clerk, Marshal, Superintendent of the Poor and Chief of the Fire Department were received and ordered placed on file.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING MAR. 30, 1895.

Table showing the City Treasurer's report for the month ending March 30, 1895.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand as per last report, \$20,987.98

Table showing Money Received, including various taxes and fees.

Table showing Money Disbursed, including various expenses.

Table showing Balance on Hand, including various funds.

Respectfully submitted, GEO. H. POND, City Treasurer.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank, Ann Arbor, Mich., Apr. 4, 1895.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen: This is to certify that there was on deposit in this bank on the 1st day of April, 1895, the sum of Twenty-four thousand, Three hundred Ninety and 50/100 Dollars, \$24,390.50, to the credit of Geo. H. Pond, city treasurer.

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The petition of George Spatheff and 96 others, asking for the completion of that portion of the main sewer lying in the fourth and fifth wards, was received, and upon motion of Ald. Manly was referred to the new Council.

The following communication from the Board of Public Works, which was presented at the last session of the Council and laid over upon motion of Ald. Manly, was taken up for consideration:

Resolved: That a committee of five (5) be appointed, and employ a short-hand reporter to take such testimony as they in their judgment deem best, to ascertain the truth of said rumors, and report to the Council at the first meeting in May, 1895, at 7:30 p. m.

Ald. Prettyman moved as a substitute that a committee of three, consisting of Ald. Martin, Manly and Wood, be appointed to formulate charges against President A. M. Clark.

Ald. Martin offered as an amendment that the committee consist of five, and that Ald. Prettyman and Brown be added to the committee already named.

The amendment prevailed as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wagner, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Ferguson, Manly, Taylor—8.

Nays—Ald. Brown, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—3.

The substitute as amended prevailed as follows: Yeas—Ald. Snyder, Ferguson, Brown, Taylor, Prettyman, Pres. Wines—6. Nays—Ald. Wagner, Martin, Allmendinger, Wood, Manly—5.

Ald. Prettyman moved that the Council organize itself into a canvassing board, to canvass the votes cast at the charter election held April 1st, 1895.

Carried. Ald. Prettyman moved that the Council proceed to canvass the vote. (Continued on Fourth Page.)

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