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**THE SEWER QUESTION.**

It Cut Quite a Dash in Council Wednesday Night.

**ALD. PRETTYMAN'S IDEA OF EQUITY**

Awakened Many Members From Anything Like Slumber.—He Was For Having the Washtenaw Ave. Sewer Re-Laid at the Expense of the City Officials.

It was quite late when the adjourned meeting of the common council opened and the session was a long one. President Hiscock was absent and upon motion of Ald. Laubengayer, Ald. Brown was elected president pro tem. The first communication which was read was that of the board of public works relative to the Ann Arbor Water Co.'s position in regard to the flushing of the sewers. It was a long one and was referred to the water committee. The board advised that steps be taken immediately to set the flush tanks in operation, it also set forth that the \$100 provided for in the company's franchise is ample compensation and that an additional expenditure was not necessary, but that the company is liable to furnish the water for that amount which is sufficient.

A communication from a dozen or more property owners in the Third ward was referred to the sewer committee. It asked that the building of a sewer north of Catherine st. on Main st. be suspended until petitioned for.

The committee on streets recommended that Adam Meuth be paid \$35 for a deed of the property belonging to him which is now occupied by the city; that a fence be built around the north side town pump on Broadway at an expense of \$20; also that the street commissioner be ordered to grade and turnpike Hill st. from the stone culvert near Division st. to Packard, S. University ave. from Washtenaw ave to Oxford, Walnut from S. University ave. to Geddes ave., and that the gutters be fixed on the corner of Madison and Seventh sts. Adopted.

The following report was also offered: "Your committee on streets would recommend that \$50 be appropriated from the street fund to complete the work of putting Tappan st. to grade, and that the earth taken therefrom be used in filling the street at the corner of Tappan st. and E. University ave., and also at the corner of Prospect st. and E. University ave., and that all of the remainder of the earth not used at the above designated places be used in filling in E. University ave between Prospect and Packard sts., and that no part of such earth be drawn to any other than the above named places." Adopted.

The next thing to come up was the important matter of the Washtenaw ave. sewer in front of the property belonging to Prof. Frank Wagner and others. On this question the council wrestled for over an hour. There were three committee reports. The first one read was the majority report signed by Ald. Cady, Brown and Taylor. This report was to the effect that the sewer remain where it now is, as they thought the property owners had proper accommodations and that they relied upon the city engineer's opinion.

The first minority report was signed by Ald. Moore, Koch and Laubengayer and was in favor of lowering the sewer at the above stated point. The third minority report was only signed by Ald. Prettyman and the appearance of Hamlet's ghost would not have startled the aldermen any more than did the contents of the "one man's" report. It advocated that the sewer be lowered at the expense of the council, board of public works and city engineer.

Ald. Prettyman vigorously defended his report until called to time by Chairman Brown, and by this time the report which was at first thought to be a joke had assumed quite a serious aspect. The city "dads" became hot. Ald. Ferguson's stentorian voice rang out through the chamber and he asked, "I'd like to know what the common council has to do with it?"

Ald. Prettyman: "Let us do this right and have Ann Arbor a city to be pointed to in its legislation."

Ald. Ferguson: "What do we have the engineers for; why don't we do all the work and save that expense to the city?"

Ald. Koch: "I want to say right here that I won't pay one cent on this. What have we got engineers, inspectors, etc., for?"

Ald. Maynard: "If I've got to pay for relaying this sewer I want a word

too. We might just as well give a quit claim deed of what we own right here, as there are other similar cases."

Ald. Butterfield: "I, for my part, must be more thoroughly informed before I enter into my pocket to try to fund anything. Here are our committee reports, but they disagree and show us nothing. It is simply whether it is proper to believe several citizens rather than our city engineers. Until we are informed by other and more competent engineers that our engineer is wrong then we ought to abide by his opinion."

Prof. Frank Wagner was given the floor and said he had made some figures and the expense of lowering would be about \$300. His main argument was that the house branch on his property would not have fall enough as it now is and that it would be too near the surface and would freeze.

Prof. Pattengill claimed that he could not use the sewer at all on his lots. He pays \$90 sewer tax on the two lots. The expense of lowering ought to be borne by the city.

Ald. Ferguson: "I just want to say again that I ain't in the sewer business, nor are the others."

Prof. D'Ooge did not consume so much time, but with some eloquence pleaded on behalf of himself and his neighbors that the sewer be lowered.

By this time the council had pretty nearly heard all of one side of the story and City Engineer Key was asked to explain his view of the matter. He said: "What these gentlemen have said is for the most part true. The sewer is all right. I would do the same thing if I were to build it again. It is no mistake, for I did it with eyes open and if it is wrong it is only poor judgment on my part. There is enough fall and frost won't hurt it."

Prof. D'Ooge stated that the sewer was hardly three feet lower than his cellar. But Inspector Ward jumped to his feet here and said that he had taken the levels and it is over five feet lower.

Engineer Key read a statement made by Mr. Pierson, an acknowledged authority on sanitary engineering, showing that the house branches would not freeze.

Ald. Brown and Maynard claimed they would not vote to pay a cent and the "one man's" report was voted down, Ald. Prettyman only voting for it.

The first minority report was amended so that the expense be assessed against the Hill st. lateral. The vote on its passage was amended stood: Yes—Moore, Maynard, Allmendinger, Koch, Snyder, Laubengayer, Shadford, Coon; No—Brown, Ferguson, Taylor, Prettyman, Cady, Butterfield.

A resolution was then offered that the sewer be lowered to a certain depth immediately. The resolution passed and the matter is now in the hands of the board of public works.

M. Davenport was employed to take care of the city offices for \$129 per year.

Ald. Cady then offered a resolution that Mr. Sawyer be allowed to have a bill board on the opera house corner, which is contrary to the ordinance.

Ald. Butterfield asked if this same thing had not been voted down a few weeks ago and was informed that it had. "Well," said he, "and between that time and now we accepted Mr. Sawyer's invitation to go to 'Trilby'."

Ald. Prettyman also opposed the granting of the privilege for violating an ordinance, but on a vote the matter passed.

The board of public works was ordered to get the price per yard for 3,000 yards of cobble stones and report the same to the council.—Evening Times.

**Powell's Little Tale of Woe.**

Vernor Powell, a farmer from near Milan, came to town Saturday and sold a load of beef for \$33. He proceeded to show that he was in town by gazing long and fondly upon the red eye. When he was in such a condition that he was walking uphill on the level and didn't do much walking at that, someone took him up over Polhemus' saloon to rest. Some of the fairies there toyed with Powell's pocket book and abstracted all he had left. Then Powell, instead of going home to soak his head in the bosom of his family, proceeded to tell Marshal Peterson all about it. Emma Moore, Sarah Hopkins and Fred Collum were duly arrested and Monday morning Emma was charged with being a disorderly person before Justice Pond. She's an old offender and was bound over to the circuit court. Sarah's wings were not so soiled apparently and she and Collum were released.

**WITH AN AXE.**

George Bryant Assaults Jim Thompson in Whittaker Township.

**THE TWO COLORED MEN QUARRELL**

Over a Line Fence and Bryant Successfully Carves Thompson with an Axe—The Sewer Question—Local News.

Whittaker is all stirred up over a murderous assault made by George Bryant upon Jim Thompson, both colored, on Monday. It is another version of the old line fence story. Each man owns about 20 acres of land and their little farms adjoin. Thompson claimed the fence separating them was two or three feet over on his land. The fence was to be repaired this year and a row over it was engendered. Bryant Monday commenced the repairs of the fence on the old lines. Thompson said he would cut the posts down if placed in the old holes. Bryant said if Thompson cut the posts down he would proceed to cut him. Thompson proceeded to cut away at the post when Bryant swung his axe and struck Thompson on the shoulder. Thompson arose and Bryant threw the axe at him, striking him in the forehead. Thompson chased Bryant till he fell from loss of blood. When the wound was dressed by Drs. Post and Root it was found the shoulder bone was shattered to some extent and a small piece of the bone gone. Negroes in the vicinity stood guard over Bryant's home all night to see that he could not make his escape and in the morning complaint was made by one of their number at Ypsilanti. When arrested Bryant claimed that Thompson threatened to hit him with the axe and he (Thompson) claimed that the blow was struck by him in self defense.

**Flushing the Sewers.**

Just now the city fathers and the water works company are having a little contention about the flushing of the sewers. The contention arises over a clause of the contract of the water works company with the city, which reads as follows: "The said Water Company shall furnish water for the purpose of washing gutter and flushing all sewers that may be constructed for \$100.00 per annum." The Ann Arbor system of sewerage uses automatic flush tanks, holding 250 gallons of water each, and the water company claim that the contract does not cover their use, as automatic flush tanks were not in use at the time that the contract was made and the company could not be held to have foreseen their invention. The Board of Public Works contend that the contract covers the case and have demanded that the company connect with the sewers as fast as completed. Connections were made with the Washington and the Liberty street sewers but the company have declined to connect with the Hill street sewer until they can come to an understanding with the council as to their rights. The board reported the matter to the council last Wednesday night and asked the council to compel the company to connect under the clause fixing their compensation at \$100 per year. The report is a lengthy one and after stating the facts of the contention sets forth that the contract is plain, "The quantity of water is not limited and the manner in which it is to be applied is left open." It claims that the automatic flush tank system really effects a saving of water. It then gets down to figures and states that with the Hill street sewer there are at present 97 flush tanks, holding 250 gallons each, hence it will require 24,500 gallons of water to fill them all once. Figuring upon a basis of discharging each tank twice a week, or 104 times a year, which, the report states, will be sufficient to keep the sewers clean, it will take only 2,512,000 gallons to flush the entire system for a whole year, about one-half of one per cent of the quantity which the company now claims to be pumping for the supply of the city. In other words, the work upon the Water company's pump, machinery, and men will be increased one two-hundredth part by the task of flushing the sewers.

The report continues: "At the rate of 10 cents per thousand gallons, at which the company retails water to private consumers, this quantity would cost \$251.20 per year. But in computing the extra expense consequent upon pumping of this water for flushing sewers, the water company cannot fairly charge more than the cost of extra fuel. Its plant is established upon a basis of domestic consumption and the municipality is already paying a large bonus towards its maintenance. The force of engineers and others necessary for the working of its plant will not be increased nor their hours lengthened by an increase in the consumption of water one half of one per cent. A few extra strokes of the pumps per hour and the task is accomplished." The report estimates the consumption of fuel necessary to pump the 252,000 gallons of water, at six tons of good soft coal, which they say will cost not to exceed \$5 and that thus the company will make a profit of \$85. It states that the cost of pumping a million gallons of water in Detroit is placed at \$1.98 with oil for fuel and \$2.98 when using coal and

figures that at this rate the cost would only be \$7 per year. The report was referred by the council to the water committee.

The Argus cannot give the company's side of the case by authority, but it understands that they do not admit that the cost of pumping should be limited to the cost of fuel, and further claim that they could not pump the amount of water needed for the flush tanks now in for \$100, but it is believed that they would nevertheless consent to do the work for that amount if they could rest assured that the 97 automatic tanks would be emptied only twice a week. It is stated that the tanks could be fixed so as to empty as often as once a minute and that when the full complement of 300 flush tanks are in, the full amount of water in the company reservoir could be quickly exhausted. What they contend for, it is stated, is that the contract does not bind them, and it is the future that they must look out for and see that their interests are guarded so that their supply of water could not be exhausted and they be powerless to help themselves. It is thought that they are willing to furnish the water on the basis of seven cents per thousand gallons. The matter is an important one and should have the earnest attention of the water committee. In fact it is the most important thing just now before the city council.

**Trilby's Feet Were Magnets.**

The city fathers were to have met in regular weekly session Monday evening, but they didn't. One DuManoir, an Englishman who is blind in one eye and wears a monocle in the other, was indirectly to blame for it while Manager Sawyer, of the local opera house, was more directly responsible. When the members of the cut-down-expense administration heard that Trilby would appear barefooted Monday evening there was one member who said he was going anyway. Then when it was hinted that Trilby would pose altogether different from that two aldermen said that they had engagements to nurse their children through attacks of measles and whooping cough, respectively; and when Manager Sawyer came over to the court house early in the evening and said that the front row of the parquet was at the aldermen's disposal there was such a jump from seats that the A. A. Gas company's chandelier present to the city clinked its tin ornaments together and one alderman put his foot through his hat in his celebrity and dispatch. Two aldermen thought Trilby was wicked and wouldn't go. The others went. They are glad they did, for they saw a mighty good play and the city's interests could wait twenty-four hours with no harm being done. They therefore met Wednesday night when the aldermen who attended were accused of using the art of Svengali in hornswoogling the two members of the council who didn't go into supporting a resolution of condolence and respect duly drawn and framed, expressing their great delight that Manager Sawyer thought of them and permitted them to gaze on Trilby's little toe free of admission.

**Prof. Greene's Lecture.**

Prof. Charles E. Greene's lecture before the Unity club Monday evening was very interesting and so disappointing, as the audience hardly believed that such a subject as "Engineers and Engineering Schools" could be made attractive to a general audience. The professor briefly reviewed the science of engineering from the time of the ancient Egyptians, Greeks and Romans to the present day and showed very clearly that our present civilization is due mainly to the engineer. Railroads, canals and the ocean steamers are all his work, while the electrical engineer has annihilated space and time in the matter of transmitting information by the telegraph and telephone. Engineering is progressive science. Law is conservative, medicine inclines the same way, while theology "lags superfluous on the stage." Engineering is the fourth learned profession and is quite as essential as any or all the others to the comfort, the safety and happiness of mankind, while upon engineering we shall have to depend for the future progress of society and the race in construction and material well being.

**The Co-Ed. Gymnasium.**

The co-ed gymnasium becomes more and more certain. The Michigan Federation of Women's Clubs had its first annual meeting at Grand Rapids last week, and the feeling was very apparent that Michigan women were fully aroused to the need of the women's gymnasium. A party of college girls on Thursday of last week were easily successful in raising \$125 for the fund, from business men.

**Last Saturday's Football Game.**

The game last Saturday between Michigan and Purdue came very near resulting in a victory for the latter team. As it was the home eleven pulled the game out in in the last few minutes of the second half, the score resulting in their favor, 12 to 10. In the first half Purdue scored first, kicking goal, but Michigan evened the score before the close of the half. Purdue scored again first in the second half, but failed to kick goal. Villa went into the game for the last few minutes and made such splendid gains with Richards and Henninger that Henninger got over the line and made a touchdown. Bloomington kicked goal amid great excitement, and the game was won by a score of 12 to 12.



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### WASHTENAWISMS.

The motto of this year's graduating class in the Pinckney schools seems to be, "Get what you can and hang on to what you get." Each member is giving ten cents a week now and the class will charge an admission fee to see the "sweet girl grad" and to watch the conortations of their embryo orators. It is a good time to elect a class treasurer.

Chelsea poultry dealers go over to Grass Lake and after the farmers have brought in turkeys to fill orders from them, they open the coops and take nothing but the choicest gobblers. The Grass Lake News alludes to such buyers as "turkey fiends."

Phil Kerridge wore "conventional black" not many years ago at Grass Lake, where he graduated at the high school. He liked that style of dress so well that he will don it for life, for he is studying for the ministry down in Massachusetts.

A new bridge stretches its bands of steel over the raging Saline in East Dundee.

Rev. W. H. James has converted all the people he desires to at Dundee and has found a new pasture lot in the Congregational church at Canandaigua, Lenawee county.

A four months old veal at Dundee weighed 292 pounds. In Ann Arbor boarding houses he would make veal pot pie for two months, three weeks and twenty-four days.

Ben. F. Pane, of Perrysburg, Ohio, formerly of Azalia, desires to return to Michigan, my Michigan, and has purchased a home and lot at Dundee.

"Yes," said one of the justices, "the supervisors out the justices' bills, but they did not fail to draw pay for full time."—Manchester Enterprise.

At a Manchester auction corn was sold for 15 cents a bushel recently, the lowest price probably that section has ever known.

John F. Spafard, of Manchester, is feeding for the market 450 Montana sheep, which he bought last week in Chicago.

Manchester's four hundred will dance at their Arbeiter hall Thanksgiving night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bowers, of Manchester, found their fiftieth year of wedded bliss the other day and both declare that marriage is not a failure, and they ought to know.

Frank Gifford, son of Rev. W. M. Gifford, of Howell, was in front of the Detroit Journal's office when the big explosion occurred. He was riding a wheel at the time and the machine dropped in at an open window while Gifford made a sudden call upon the pavement. He found the pavement in—or a portion of it, anyway in his face, and everybody says his escape from instant death was a kindly dispensation of providence. Gifford is enough of a celebrity now that the South Lyon Excelsior feels called upon to arise and claim him as a "favored son" of that village, as his father once saved souls there.

James Cunningham closed a life of toil and honest labor at Chelsea on the 10th. He leaves a widow and seven children to mourn his loss.

South Lyon has a new barber shop, a new tin shop, a new bakery, a new feed mill, and there are prospects of another bakery and feed mill.

J. D. Murdok, who strops a razor at South Lyon and talks about the weather in sweet, dulcet tones, had a close shave for his life one night recently. He went over to Northville to visit and while there he had a misunderstanding with a sidewalk. The bit of defective plank biffed him such a hard rap that when he came to he found he had two fingers out of joint and a knee severely injured.

Queen Lilahoolahooladance will write letters from the Hawaiian islands to the Chelsea Standard. She will have an amanuensis in a person who, the Standard says, "has had special experience as a traveled correspondent and journalist."

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch leave Chelsea to go to Wallingford, Conn., where Mr. Welch has accepted a position as manager of the Hoosatic manufacturing company.

Emmet Walsh, formerly connected with the Chelsea Savings bank, died recently of consumption at Humboldt, Neb. He was a well liked and popular young man.

Chicken pox at Chelsea is making the little ones look as if they had just been caught telling lies.

Mrs. Marshall slipped and fell at Chelsea recently and broke her wrist. Mrs. Henry Frey died last week at her home in Chelsea. She leaves a husband and child.

Austin Yocum has entered the mercantile business at Manchester. It was a case of Austin, Yocum from Chelsea to Manchester.

Ha, ha, Mrs. Lofty, here is one for you from the Grass Lake News: "The next time you go to a church social or to a church dinner or supper, just note how a small band of sisters clap on their aprons and pitch bravely into the work, while others of the sisterhood lie back and fan. The drones no doubt flatter themselves that their indolent selfishness is not noticed, but it is, and provokes comment from all sides. Should be willing to help share common burdens of this nature and not saddle them all on others."

The County Teachers' Association meet at Manchester tomorrow. All the educators in the county will explain the latest and most scientific methods of using the rod and making spare the child.

Lew Watkins, residing near Grass Lake, is a sweet tempered angel. When the boys and girls came out from the village Halloween night and began to have "fun" Lew went and hitched up the family team and took them all back to town, "just to get rid of them."

The Grass Lake News editor announces that he has "gone into training for Thanksgiving." He probably expects to be able to eat an hydraulic ram by the time the turkey day comes round.

Fred H. Blosser, of the Manchester Enterprise, is another one of those bleated newspaper men who has gone to the Atlantic Exposition. He stopped at Cincinnati to tell the Ohio press association how he runs a country newspaper so that there is money in it to take a jaunt occasionally, and also inquired at the Enquirer office if there was "any mail from home."

Manchester banks were found O. K. the other day by a deputy banking commissioner.

Here is the view the Manchester Enterprise man takes of it: "Tom Swan, a Detroit saloon keeper, offers to give the receipts of his bar to the relief of the sufferers from the explosion, if the other saloon keepers will do the same. That would be fair, because if Thompson had not gone out to talk with that man who went to get a drink, he might have been looking after the boiler and the explosion have been averted."

Maj. Geo. Winans, of Hamburg, has just returned home from Oklahoma, where he has business interests. He says the drought is causing great hardships to settlers there.

Capt. Fallon, who was egged at Ypsilanti recently, figures that Grand Rapids' eggs are of the china variety, and has gone there to crusade.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel says "Ypsilanti keeps her underwear." In other words, she keeps her shirt on, as the report that the whole Hay-Todd concern is coming here was without foundation.

"Jack, the Peeper" is being looked for with a double barreled shot-gun at Milan.

Milan wants a few more electric lights.

Milan is not so strong as it used to be. A new garbage ordinance has gone into effect.

There are more deer being killed in the north woods by hunters from the northern and western part of the county than ever ran across a clearing, more stags than ever "at eve had drunk their fill."

The Grand Rapids Press says that Mrs. Chas. R. Pratt has gone to Dexter to visit relatives and friends for several weeks.—Petoskey Democrat.

Erastus and Dodson Webster, the Hamburg dynamiters, have been sentenced to two years each in the branch state's prison at Marquette.

Thompson, of the Dexter Leader was in Ann Arbor to see the hypnotist last week. He must have been badly mesmerized for the Argus received no copy of his paper last week.

The physiology class examined the anatomy of a beef's heart yesterday but did not succeed in finding the seat of affection.—School Notes in Saline Observer. Children, when you older grow you will find that dead hearts never have affections.

E. A. Hanser, of Saline, will answer to a \$10,000 claim for damages in the circuit court in December, Clifford Shaw claimant.

Marian Murray once went to school at the Normal, and now she has committed suicide in Detroit. Her father says her head "wan't right."

Ypsilanti maidens will "tumble round" neath a big moustache. Anyway, some of them will for Ypsilanti youth have formed a whisker club and the one who looks like Peffer first will be given a red necktie.

The jewelry firm of Stone & Carpenter, at Ypsilanti, has been dissolved, Mr. Stone retiring.

Commissioners of Public Works Bedell and Curtis have resigned at Ypsilanti on account of disruption with members of the council.

Northville sees a new windmill factory and telephone exchange.

The new woman threatens to reign at Pinckney. The street lighting was recently discontinued on account of the expense, and now the women have all signed a petition asking the village council to make it possible for their husbands to find their way home nights.

The village of Chelsea pays \$140 a month for its electric lights.

A gymnasium will occupy the old Presbyterian church at Ypsilanti.

Ex-City Clerk McKinstry of Ypsilanti has deposited a certified check for \$1,405 as an evidence of good faith that he will make good the shortage in the city clerk's office, his illness having caused delay in adjusting the matter.

Howell and Pinckney will play foot ball Thanksgiving day.

The marriage of Geo. Van Horn and Miss Mary Leece, of Hamburg, occurred last Saturday at Hamburg.

Chas. Gates, of Pinckney, who was arrested on complaint of Mrs. Nanny Beebe who claimed he was guilty of larceny in taking crops from her farm which did not belong to him, has now turned the tables and brought suit against Mrs. Beebe on the grounds of false imprisonment. He was acquitted on the charge Mrs. Beebe made on his hearing in justice court.

### DEXTER AND SINISTER.

With Apologies to the Monroe Democrat for the Detroit Tribune Steal.

Elmer Becker is the new Samaria sexton. He has begun rehearsals on the solo, "Gather Them In."

Hallowe'eners moved everything movable about the well on the Milan school grounds, and tried to pull up the well itself, but the tackling broke.

Frank Legg and FrancDorr were recently married at Ann Arbor. Would it be a "two-Frank" statement to remark that the groom is no longer one-legged?

Will some Ann Arbor paper rise up and state whether the council has provided a bath tub for the fire department? The city has an excellent fire force who work like beavers to save property, get soaked through to the skin, and then—unless somebody has pride on the heart of the council with a crowbar—are allowed to take a bath with a curry comb.

Concerning Milan's \$3,000,000 Aneko Jans heir, the Ann Arbor Argus removes its hat and rises to respectfully remark that "people no longer call Wm. Bogardus, of Milan, plain 'Bill' Bogardus. Henceforth he is 'General' and not 'Captain' Bogardus either." Whose hereafter alludeth to Bill—beg Bill's pardon—General Bogardus—as "Bill," should expect to feel the Bogardus-kicker coquetting with the lower extremities of his fashionable coat.

Rev. Secretary of State Gardner entered into "The Struggle" for Chattanooga at Milan, last Friday evening, before the high school lecture course, and conquered. Napoleon after the battle of Waterloo remarked: "The destiny of the world might have been changed had there been a Murat to have headed the cavalry." It is pleasant to feel that the American Union was saved by the personal prowess at Chattanooga of Washington Gardner.

Oliver Libby, of Dundee, the other evening emerged from a rough and tumble, catch-as-catch-can conflict with the loose boards of a sidewalk with a gash in the skull-blanket, a bruised knee and a broken middle finger on the left hand. The sidewalk was also badly "broken up." It was one of the most furious fights witnessed in Dundee for weeks—and this was not witnessed, for it was dark and Libby was alone with his Maker and the sidewalk.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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### Dexter.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving. Geo. Culy, of Hamburg, was a caller in this place last Monday.

D. E. Waite made a business trip to Petysville one day last week.

C. Clark, of Putnam, called on some of his friends here, Tuesday.

Chas. Shoen visited his brother in Saline last week.

E. Serviss and wife, of Ann Arbor, spent last Sunday with her mother at Portage Lake.

Burt Hooker and sister Maude, of Petysville, visited their friends here last week.

Mr. Wilson and wife have moved from our circle and taken up their residence in Northville.

Geo. and M. Haab spent last Sunday with relatives near Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps and daughter, of Ann Arbor, spent the latter part of the week with relatives.

Mrs. Denges entertained a number of her friends last Thursday afternoon.

C. Reeves called on some of his friends in Ann Arbor last week.

The dance given at Hudson last Friday evening was well attended.

John Culler, of Ionia, was in this place on business last Saturday.

Mrs. R. Flintoft, son and granddaughter, of Emery, were the guests of her daughter, Mrs. A. Taylor, last week.

Mrs. D. Quish and son were the guests of relatives and friends in Pinckney several days last week.

Miss Dora Wall was the guest of friends in Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Carpenter, of Ann Arbor, visited in this vicinity several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Austin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Everet Bird and Miss Yanson, of Northfield, last week.

The Junior Society of Christian Endeavor gave a fish-pond social at the Congregational parsonage last Friday evening, which was well attended.

Justin Nixon has rented the farm of Robert Buchanan.

Miss Minnie Unor, of Deerfield, is visiting her cousins for several weeks.

Mrs. George Sigler and friends, of Pinckney, spent last Wednesday with friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Foy and daughter, of Pinckney, spent last Sunday with Mr. F.'s sister.

Wedding bells in this vicinity soon. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wells and sons, of Conway, are the guests of relatives in this place for a few weeks.

The entertainment course of Dexter will be opened Nov. 27th, at the opera house, by the Alice Raymond Concert Company.

Miss Miller has entered the high school.

Floyd Van Riper and daughter, of Fowlerville, have been visiting relatives here.

E. Lane, of Chelsea, visited friends last Sunday.

Misses Satie and Lulu Speers, of Chelsea, attended the birthday party of Miss Olga Jedele last Monday evening.

Miss Annie Wallace is entertaining W. W. Tozer and daughter, of Detroit.

Mrs. C. J. Seper spent last Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. T. Holmes, of Whitmore Lake, has been the guest of relatives in the village the past week.

John Pidd and family entertained relatives from Mason last week several days.

E. R. Doane and family spent one day last week in Ann Arbor.

Mr. Wheeler and wife, of Pinckney, were entertained by their friends in this vicinity last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kane and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Detroit, were the guests of relatives in this place last week.

The Misses Howard are entertaining Miss Bell.

Mrs. Kate Hendricks and daughter have returned to Jackson county, after spending the summer here with relatives.

Mrs. Stabler and children, of Lima, spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Haab and family.

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Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy, or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents, at the drugstores of the Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co., Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester.

### Whitmore Lake.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Nov. 13, Mary Todd to Grand Rolison. Over fifty guests were present. Rev. Hicks officiating.

John Weber and sister Mollie, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at Whitmore.

The weight social Saturday evening at F. M. Lumbard's was quite a success. All reported a good time.

Dance at the Clifton House Friday evening, Nov. 22. All come and have a dance.

The I. O. G. T. are practicing for a play called "Sweet Briar" or "The Flower Girl of New York," to be given Dec. 14.

Mr. Lennon is still very ill. There is no hope of his recovery.

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RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$488,246 44	Capital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc..... 600,346 05	Surplus fund..... 160,000 00
Overdrafts..... 1,320 11	Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid..... 13,193 29
Banking house..... 20,590 00	Dividends unpaid..... 109 00
Furniture, Fixtures..... 8,917 33	
Other Real Estate..... 7,907 07	
<b>CASH.</b>	<b>DEPOSITS.</b>
Due from banks in reserve cities... 80,907 29	Commercial deposits, subject to check..... 171,156 45
Due from other banks and bankers... 83 00	Savings deposits..... 669,660 94
Checks and cash items..... 1,976 46	Savings certificates of deposit..... 96,947 48
Niels and pennies..... 350 14	Due to banks and bankers..... 2,065 76
Gold coin..... 30,000 00	
Silver coin..... 1,000 00	
U. S. and National Bank Notes..... 12,498 00	
	<b>\$1,153,732 78</b>
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
County of Washtenaw.  
I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of October, 1895.  
MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.  
CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, David Rinsey, Directors.

Capital security, - \$100,000 | Total assets, - \$1,000,000.00  
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OUR FIGURES ARE OFFICIAL.

The Argus last week published the figures compiled by the committees of the board of supervisors for two years, in parallel columns, showing the actual money paid out of the county treasury. As these figures showed a large increase in the expenses of the past year the republican county officials and press have been greatly disturbed by their publication. To indicate to what lengths they go to explain them away, we quote what the Ann Arbor Register has to say on the subject:

For shrewd manipulation of figures and twisting of facts to misrepresent the truth, the Argus, as usual, takes the persimmons. Last week it came out under glaring headlines with an article declaring that the republican administration in this county had already cost the county at least \$9,000 more than the last year under democratic administration. The statements are so ridiculous that they do not deserve an answer, and we shall not attempt to reply. For the amusement of our readers, however we shall show, by giving a few items, how the Argus succeeded in reaching the conclusions that it did. The sheriff each month draws three-fourths of the jail board bill. During the past nine months this amounted to about \$2,000. The sheriff has received three-fourths of this. When the supervisors met, he handed in his bill for the remaining fourth. The board, however, required him to hand in the entire bill of \$3,000, his receipts, of course, as showing that three-quarters had been paid. The Argus at once jumped to the conclusion that the sheriff's entire bill was \$3,500! The present administration also comes in as being to blame for \$1,500 more in contagious diseases. These two items alone make up fully one-third of the \$9,000 extra expense attributed to the republican administration by the Argus. Almost every other item is just about as near the truth. A correct showing will prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that the present republican administration has been the most economical the county has had for years. Our only wonder, in reading the Argus article, was that it did not attribute the damage done by the recent earthquake to the republican county officials. This would have been right in keeping with the statements it made.

This very wise editorial can be utterly demolished in a few words. The figures given in our table were not computed by the Argus at all. They may be found in the back pages of the official proceedings of the board of supervisors for the years 1894 and 1895. They do not include any bills brought before the board of supervisors this October, as of necessity such bills could not be paid out of the county treasury until after October 1. The Argus never arrived at the figures by any such ridiculous legerdemain as the Register suggests, and the figures were not made for any political purpose whatever. They are absolutely colorless. The people, however, are entitled to draw their conclusions from them. They made a change last year supposedly with the intention of securing a better and more economical administration of county affairs. That the figures of actual expenses do not show that they secured a more economical administration, makes it fair to question if the people did not make a mistake.

But to return to the Register's remarks. If between October 1, 1894, and September 30, 1895, there was not paid out of the county treasury for the board of prisoners the sum of \$3,499.93, as against the sum of \$2,192.15, paid out between October 1, 1893, and September 30, 1894, then an expert should be put at work on the county treasurer's books at once. For he has been credited by the county with that \$3,499.93. If any one further questions the Argus figures, all we can say to him is to get the pamphlet proceedings of the supervisors and look on page 36 of the proceedings of 1894, and on page 49 of the proceedings of 1895, and see if our figures are not absolutely correct. And we dare the Register to look at the pages indicated and publicly state next week that the Argus misquoted any of the figures given.

CANNOT EXPLAIN AWAY THE INCREASE.

"A hit bird flutters." Never was the truth of this old adage better illustrated than in this week's Courier, which flutters vigorously over the table of county expenditures for two years which appeared in the Argus of last week, and which showed that the county expenditures for the year ending October 1, 1895, were \$8,951 more than they

were for the year ending October 1, 1894. The burden of the Courier's contention was that the very wicked democrats were responsible for this increase of over 25 per cent in county expenses, and to prove it they instance certain expenses which they charge up to the democrats, not giving the total or any comparison, not saying anything about corresponding republican expenses or instancing any of them.

The Argus had no intention when last week it published in parallel columns the totals of county expenses found by the supervisors' committees of so stirring up the animals in the republican camp, but the truth evidently hurts now, and there is evidently a strong desire to break the force of it.

To indicate that the Argus is not actuated by partisan motives, we desire to again state, as we did last week, that our figures are figures, not of expenses incurred, but of cash paid. We published the official figures and made no attempt to deduct from them. For instance, in the year 1893-4 was found \$1,371.60 for insurance. This paid the insurance for three years. But the Argus made no attempt to pettyfog and claim a reduction, so as to further increase the difference between that year and the past year. For, on the other hand, the commissioner of schools' orders in 1893-4 are put down for \$1,350. That was the cash actually paid that year, but as his salary was \$1,500, it is plain that he did not draw more of his pay until the next year. If the Argus wished to adopt the Courier's method it might go through the expenses of the democratic year and claim deductions, as the Courier has done with the republican year, but we do not do this because it would be unfair. When all these things are carefully considered, it will be found that they about offset each other, and the difference between the two years will be left about where it is now. There is no getting around the facts as they stand.

Further, the Argus may be permitted to state that the orders allowed by the board of supervisors in October of this year and not included in the figures given by the Argus up to October 1, 1895, are in the neighborhood of \$4,000 more than the orders allowed in the October session of 1894, so that if the time of statement were altered to January 1, instead of October 1, the difference between the two years, the democratic and the republican years, would have been about \$13,000 instead of \$9,000. We shall take occasion next week to show the Courier how this figures out.

Bob Burdette's Train to Glory.

Bob Burdette visited Lebanon, Ind., and on his return this happened to him:

On the road once more, with Lebanon fading in the distance, the fat passenger drumming idly on the window-pane, the cross passenger sound asleep, and the tall, thin passenger reading "General Grant's Tour Around the World," and wondering why "Green's August Flower," should be printed above the door of "A Buddhist temple at Benares." To me comes the brakeman, and seating himself on the arm of the seat, says:

"I went to church yesterday."

"Yes," I said, with that interested inflection that asks for more. "And which church did you attend?"

"Which do you guess?" he asked.

"Some union mission church?" I hazarded.

"Now," he said, "I don't like to run on those branch roads very much. I don't often go to church, and when I do, I want to run on the main line, where your run is regular and you go on schedule time, and don't have to wait on a branch. Good enough, but I don't like it."

"Episcopal?" I guessed.

"Limited express," he said, "all palace cars, and \$2 extra for a seat; fast time and only stop at big stations. Nice line, but too exhaustive for a brakeman. All train men in uniform, conductor's punch and lantern silver-plated, and no train boys allowed. Then the passengers are allowed to talk back to the conductor; and it makes them too free and easy. No, I couldn't stand the palace cars. Rich roads enough. Don't cifer, hear of a receiver being appointed for that line. Some mighty nice people travel in it, too."

"Universalist," I suggested.

"Broad gauge," said the brakeman; "does too much complimentary business. Everybody travels on a pass. Conductor doesn't get a fare once in fifty miles. Stops at all flag stations, and won't run into a union depot. No smoking cars on the train. Train orders are vague though, and the trainmen don't get along well with the passengers. No, I don't go to the Universalists, though I know some awful good men who run on that road."

"Presbyterian?" I asked.

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"Narrow gauge, eh?" said the brakeman, "pretty track, straight as a rule; tunnel right through a mountain rather than go around it; split-level grade; passengers have to slow their tickets before they get on train, mighty strict road, but the cars are a little too narrow; have to sit on a seat and no room in the aisle to dance. Then there are no stop-over tickets allowed; got to go straight through to the station you are ticketed for, or you can't get on at all. When the car's full no extra coaches; cars built at the shops to hold just so many and nobody else allowed on, but you don't often hear of an accident on that road. It's run right up to the rules."

"Maybe you joined the Free Thinkers?" I said. "Scrub road," said the brakeman; "dirt road-bed, and no ballast; no time card and no train dispatcher. All trains run wild and every engineer makes his own time, just as he pleases. Smoke if you want to; kind of go-as-you-please road. Too many side tracks and every switch wide open all the time, with the switchman sound asleep, and the target lamp out. Get on as you please and get off when you want to. Don't have to show your tickets, and the conductor is not expected to do anything but amuse the passengers. No sir, I was offered a pass, but I don't like the line. I don't travel on a road that has no terminus. Do you know, sir, I asked a division superintendent where the road run to, and he said he hoped to die if he knew. I asked him if the general superintendent could tell me, and he said he didn't believe they had a general superintendent, and if they had he didn't know any more about the road than the passengers did. I asked him who he reported to and he said 'nobody.' I asked a conductor who he got orders from and he didn't take orders from any living man or dead ghost. And when I asked the engineer where he got his orders from, he said he'd like to see anybody give him orders, he'd run that train to suit himself or he'd run it in the ditch. Now, you see, I'm a railroad man, and don't care to run on a road that has no time, makes no connections, runs nowhere, and has no superintendent. It may be all right, but I have railroaded too long to understand it."

"Did you try the Methodist?" I said.

"Now you're shouting," he said, with some enthusiasm. "Nice road eh? Fast time and plenty of passengers. Engines carry a power of steam, and don't you forget it; stram gauge shows a hundred and enough all the time. Lively road; when the conductor shouts 'all aboard' you can hear him to the next station. Every train lamp shines like a headlight. Stop-over checks given on all through tickets; passenger can drop off the train as often as he likes, do the station two or three days, and hop on the next revival train that comes thundering along. Good, who's soul'd, companionable conductors; ain't a road in the country where the passengers feel more at home. No passes; every passenger pays full traffic rates for his ticket. Wesleyanhouse air-brake on all trains, too; pretty safe road, but I didn't ride over it yesterday."

"Maybe you went to the Congregational church?" I said.

"Popular road," said the brakeman, "an old road too, one of the best in the country. Good roadbed and comfortable cars. Well managed too; directors don't interfere with division superintendents and train orders. Road's mighty popular, but it's pretty independent, too. See, didn't one of the superintendents down east discontinue one of the oldest stations on this line, two or three years ago? But it is a mighty pleasant road to travel on. Always has a pleasant class of passengers."

"Perhaps you tried the Baptist?" I guessed once more.

"Ha, ha," said the brakeman, "she is a daisy, isn't she? river road; broad, beautiful curves, sweeps around anything to keep close to the river, but it's all steel rail and rock ballast, track all the way and not a side-track from the round house to the terminus. Takes a heap of water to run it, though; double tanks at every station, and there isn't an engine in the shops that can pull a pound or run a mile in less than two gauges. But it runs through a beautiful country; these river roads al-

ways do; river on one side and hills on the other, and it's a steady climb up grade all the way till the run ends where the fountain head of the river begins. Yes, sir, I'll take the river road every time for a lovely trip, sure connections and good time and no prairie dust blowing in at the windows. And yesterday, when the conductor came around for the tickets with a little basket punch, I didn't ask him to pass me, but I paid my fare like a little man—twenty-five cents for an hour's run and a little concert by the passengers thrown in. I tell you, Pilgrim, take the river road when you want—"

But just here the long whistle from the engine announced the station, and the brakeman rushed to the door shouting:

"Zionsville! This train makes no stop between here and Indianapolis!"

Robert J. Burdette, the author of the above, will appear in the Y. M. C. A. Lyceum Course—in which J. M. Barkley lectures at the Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening, 26Nov..

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"I remember," said a former surgeon in the Confederate army, "General Mahone as he appeared before Petersburg in 1864 and 1865. He was already famous throughout the army for his fighting qualities, for his peppery temper and for his many eccentricities.

"My duty as surgeon took me frequently past his headquarters, and one morning I saw Mahone pacing solemnly up and down in front of his tent, while a negro man sat in the doorway gorging himself with fresh baked biscuit. I turned to an officer who was looking on at some little distance and asked the meaning of the strange performance at Mahone's tent. Then came the explanation that the negro had baked a pan of sour and heavy biscuits for breakfast, and Mahone, by way of an object lesson, had set the cook down to eat all of his own product. The negro ate away as fast as possible, and Mahone kept up his patrol until the last biscuit disappeared. The performance was characteristic of the eccentric but determined little man who hit upon this strange method of punishment."

Triumph of Science.

Beelzebub—Alas, young man, you have sinned away your day of grace, and we are rejoiced that we have the pleasure of dumping you into the new combination brimstone pit prepared for fin de siecle youths—

Young Suckley—Whew! By George, ole man, this 's immense. Where'd ye strike that brand?

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"Frightened? Nit! Say, could ye sell me a gross of them? What are they—straight cut, hand rolled?"

"Do you trifle with your soul at such a time and place?"

"Trifle nothing! A man who could make a smoking room smell like this on earth could corner the cigarette market for 100 years. By jocks, this is immense!"—Cleveland Post.

The Servant Question in Africa.

The domestic servant at home is sometimes irritatingly exacting, but she is not a patch on her sister in South Africa. It is learned from the Johannesburg Times that the white domestic in that now populous center requires, like the navy on the mines, several Kafirs to wait on her. She insists on having every evening to herself, and promptly gives notice if she is not granted the major portion of every Sunday in the year. She holds levees in her kitchen openly, and treats her many friends to the very best in the house, for no mistress in Johannesburg dares to lock the pantry or the cupboards.

In Emergency.

A young tenor was recently admitted to a hearing at one of the first lyrical theaters in New York. He sang, and at the third or fourth note the manager stopped him. "There, that will do," he said. "Leave me your address. I will bear you in mind in case of emergency." "But what do you call a case of emergency?" "Well, supposing my theater got on fire."

"Eh?"

"Yes. I should engage you to sing out: 'Fire! Fire!'—New York Journal.

Scotch "Bull."

General Wade constructed military roads in the highlands of Scotland. An obelisk was constructed to commemorate his achievements, on which was inscribed the following "bull," intended to distinguish between natural tracks and made roads: Had you seen these roads before they were made You would lift up your hands and bless General Wade.

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There was sleighing on the pavements this morning. Sheriff-to-be Hiram Lighthall, of Chelsea, was in the city yesterday. Chas. H. Kline has gone to join Mayor Walker and his deer hunters. The organ in the old University chapel will be moved to the S. C. A. building. The Lyra Maennerchor will have a fine concert at Turner hall on Thanksgiving evening. Louis DeFoe, a 'varsity alumnus, becomes the New York representative of the Chicago Tribune. Frederick Schmid attended a meeting of the trustees of the Eastern Michigan asylum at Pontiac yesterday.

Mrs. Blanche Bach was granted a divorce from Jas. R. Bach at Cleveland, Ohio. She was given custody of the child Lois. An order has been made by the judge of probate turning over Mrs. Edith Clancy's little girl to the care of Will Clancy, brother of the child's father. The conductor on the city street railway expect to feel the axe descend Saturday. The cars have been fitted with electric bells and fare boxes. The Keystone club house at Zukey lake will resound with merriment Thanksgiving when President Langsdorf will give a big dinner there. It is claimed that the road roller is breaking down the corner of the lamp holes and the pipe itself, and that the pieces thus made fall into the sewer. The U. of M. Daily will issue a twelve page paper for the game in Detroit tomorrow. The paper will sell for five cents and will be full of football form first to last columns. Miss Stocking of this city has been engaged for a little over a year on the state census returns at Lansing. The returns have been made up and Miss Stocking will return to Ann Arbor.

The rate of taxation this fall is \$8.75 on \$1,000 valuation. A new Michigan Central time table goes into effect next Sunday. Henry Wesh of 10 West Second street celebrates his fifty-ninth birthday today. A party of college girls last week raised \$125 for the woman's gym from business men. The board of control has petitioned Pres. Angell for a new grandstand at the Athletic field. A marriage license was granted to Albert Thayer and Mary Fuller, of Ypsilanti, Nov. 18. The gymnasium has received an elegant set of reading room furniture from Grand Rapids. David Schneider, of Freedom, and Louisa Rehm, of Lima, were granted a license to marry, Nov. 19. The Thanksgiving day game in Chicago will be played in the morning, game being called at eleven o'clock. Sol Zebbs is a guest of Captain Nicholson of the Detroit house of correction for 65 days for an assault and battery. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the night a large crowd attended the Theodore Thomas concert Tuesday evening. The 25th meeting of the Michigan Schoolmasters' club will be held in this city Friday and Saturday, Nov. 29 and 30. The Thanksgiving football game will occur in Chicago on Marshall Field. A crowd of 10,000 people is expected to be present. Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, will give an autobiographical talk Monday evening in the Unity course, upon "The Greatest American."

Many of the preliminary contests for the big Chicago debate in February have been held. The inter-society contest will take place in all probability December 14. Omar F. Neff, a law student, has been arrested and taken to Laporte, Ind., to answer to a charge of forgery. The offence charged against him is the mutilation of an abstract title. The gall some people have! The Minnesota Ariel says that the defeat of Chicago by Minnesota makes the latter champions of the west, ignoring the game of tomorrow with Michigan. Santanelli, the mesmerist, seemed to be more of a show at Ypsilanti than in Ann Arbor. He mesmerized a man who had hurt his leg and was going on crutches so that he walked across the stage without aid. Jacob Laubengayer, of Lodi, was arrested yesterday by Marshal Peterson for allowing his team to stand on the street from two o'clock until midnight the day before. He was fined \$8 and costs by Justice Pond. Miss Emma Meyers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Meyers, of 40 Summit street, died this morning at half past five, after a lingering illness, aged 29 years. The funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m., at her late home. The 'varsity faculty has been receiving letters from Cornell seniors who desire to know if they may graduate here this year. They have had a fall out with the faculty on account of the introduction of the "Harvard system," whatever that may mean. The anatomical laboratory is said to be getting shy of cadavers. The state's prisons and other penal institutions from which the dead are supposed to be shipped there are not living up to the state law. A resolution was passed at the board of regents' meeting yesterday authorizing a visit by a medical professor to these institutions to ascertain the cause of the shyness. The architect of "Washtenawisms" in the Ann Arbor Argus "has heard the Vassar girl tell about being subordinated to the meteorological conditions of the atmosphere." Perhaps he has. Wasn't he a pretty thing to turn loose in a female seminary!—Monroe Democrat. All very funny, Mr. Smith, but the "architect" found that block in the columns of the school notes of a county exchange.

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HIS LAST HOPE GONE.

Harry Hayward Must Expiate His Awful Crime.

HE WILL BE EXECUTED NEXT MONTH

Supreme Court Affirms the Decision of the Lower Court—The Doomed Man Turns Pale When Told the News, but Says He Expected the Decision—Murderer Harris of Freeport, Ills., Denied a Supersedeas and Will Be Hanged on Nov. 29.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 21.—The supreme court has affirmed the decision of the lower court in the Hayward case. The date of the execution will be set by the governor later.

The court is unanimous in its opinion save in one finding as to the admissibility of Mrs. Hazeltine's evidence, to which Chief Justice Stuart dissents. The court finds no error in the conduct of the trial and declares that the trial judge was justified in excluding testimony as to the sanity of Adry Hayward while on the stand, while no foundation had been laid as to his previous mental condition.

Hayward Bears the News. It was also proper to exclude the evidence as to insanity in the family under the circumstances. The distinction between insanity as a direct issue and as a collateral one affecting the competency of a witness is noted. Harry Hayward turned pale when the decision was announced to him, but would say nothing more than, "It was just what I expected." He is apparently without hope. County Attorney Nye, to whom Governor Clough referred the fixing of the date of execution, will name Dec 6 as the date.

MURDERER HARRIS MUST DIE. FREEPORT, Ills., Nov. 21.—The supreme court has denied a supersedeas in the case of Frank W. Harris, the condemned murderer. He will hang Nov. 29 unless Governor Altgeld interferes.

NINE WILL GO TO JAIL.

Five of the Spring Valley Rioters Will Get New Trials.

PRINCETON, Ills., Nov. 21.—At least nine of the men convicted of riot will go to jail and there serve an indeterminate sentence for their unlawful act of driving the negroes of Spring Valley from their homes. Judge Stipp's rendered his decision, in which he allowed John Lauer, Jean Brault, Paul Yerly, John Quinby and Joe Lomax new trials upon the ground, as contended for by their attorneys, of insufficiency of testimony. While there is considerable adverse criticism of Judge Stipp's decision, it is the opinion of States Attorney Johnson and others that the law has to a degree been vindicated by the court permitting the verdict of the jury to stand as against the majority of the rioters.

Balfour and Others Convicted.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—In the queen's bench division of the high court of justice Jabez Spencer Balfour, George Edward Brock, John Thomas Wright and Morrell Thobald, charged with fraud and other offenses in connection with the management of the Liberator Group of Friendly companies, which has been in progress since Oct. 25 before a special jury, was concluded and all the prisoners named were found guilty. Sentence was postponed. George Dibley, who was tried on the same charges and with the other Liberator defendants, was acquitted.

Kidnaped Man Returns.

DECATUR, Ind., Nov. 21.—John Trentman, a retired Fort Wayne merchant, who has made this his home for the past ten years, has just got back from a peculiar trip. He was returning about a week ago from West Baden Springs when he was kidnaped from the train at Mitchell, Ind. He was placed in a dungeon and held for several days with the hopes of receiving a ransom from some of his wealthy relatives. He was finally released after being robbed of all the valuable property and money which he had with him. The mystery is being investigated.

Alger's Tribute to Gordon.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 21.—General John B. Gordon, United States senator from Georgia, addressed the opening session of the state Sunday school convention in the Auditorium. General Gordon was introduced by General Alger, whose guest he is, and who paid him a glowing tribute to his military prowess, and especially to his patriotic work in behalf of the unification of the north and south in sentiments and purposes. The two generals stood with clasped hands while the audience cheered.

Alleged Train Robbers Arrested.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 21.—Six men suspected of having been connected with the attempted hold-up of the Great Northern train near St. Cloud Monday night, are in jail at St. Cloud. Chief of Detectives O'Connor of St. Paul has gone to St. Cloud to assist in the arrest and conviction of the culprits. The robbers got no booty whatever, but they stopped the train and attempted to shoot part of the crew and passengers, and if convicted will be sent to prison for from ten to twenty years.

Lubin Proposition Hangs Fire.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 21.—The national grange had a spice of excitement injected into it when a discussion of the Lubin proposition was opened. This proposition provides for legislation by the national government that will give a bounty on all agricultural products exported as well as a bounty for shipping. The proposition was defeated by the grange two years ago. This time the delegates seemed to be about evenly divided on the question. Final action was postponed.

Moonshiners Raided.

LINGTON, Ky., Nov. 21.—United States Marshal Kilbourn and three deputies made an extensive raid on moonshiners in Wise county, Va., just over the Kentucky line, destroying a dozen illicit stills, with a capacity of 2,000 gallons. In a fight between the officers and moonshiners three of the latter were seriously wounded and one officer received a painful shot in the mouth.

Took His Own Life.

WAUSAU, Wis., Nov. 21.—Nathaniel B. Eldre, captain of the Wausau Light guard and manager of a branch house of the Armour Packing company, committed suicide by shooting. The deceased was 23 years of age and was a rheumatic sufferer. His books are said to be all straight.

Students of Many Colors.

I have had in my own study at Oxford not only Turks, Arabs, Hindus, Siamese, Japanese and Chinese, but I received only the other day a visit from one of the Blackfoot Indians, the first of that tribe who had ever set foot on English soil, a most interesting and intelligent man, who was bewailing to me the fate of his race, doomed, as he thought, to disappear from the face of the earth, as if Babylonians and Assyrians, Acadians and Hittites had not disappeared before. His name was Strong Buffalo (not Buffalo Bill), and a most powerful, determined and sensible man he seemed. He reminded me of a young Mohawk who also used to deplore to me the fate of his race. He came to Oxford many years ago to study medicine. He came in his paint and feathers, but left in his cap and gown and is now a practicing physician at Toronto.

These visits of strangers from distant lands are often highly instructive. I netted some knowledge of the Mohawk language from Dr. Ornyha Tekka. One is thus brought in contact with some of the leading spirits all over the world. I have now, or have had, pupils, friends and correspondents in India, Burma, Siam, Japan, China, Korea—aye, even in the Polynesian and Melanesian islands, in South America and in several African settlements.—Max Muller in Nineteenth Century.

The Vanished Descriptive Poem.

It may be fanciful to attempt to trace a connection between the rarity of the meditative mood among readers and the prevalence of short poems among writers, but certainly there is a falling off in long poems on the aspects of nature. It would be a brave Wordsworth who today would write an excursion and expect to have it read in the moments of leisure accorded to the normal man or woman. Somebody would read it in order to write a review of it, a short review that one could read while waiting to start on an expedition for enjoying nature, but very few other people would. We are so used to the transient and the various, we can go so quickly from one subject to another, that we demand that our poets shall give us an impression, not a description, or we have so completely ushered into the quietest scenes the presence of contest, effort and attainment that we insist on some human suggestion or some dramatic contrast within the limits of so called poetry of nature. Our poets have realized that there is scant time for addresses and odes to the mighty manifestations of creative force, and content themselves with the reflection of a fleeting mood caught in a dozen lines and fixed on the page of a magazine.—Philadelphia Citizen.

A Naught of Soda.

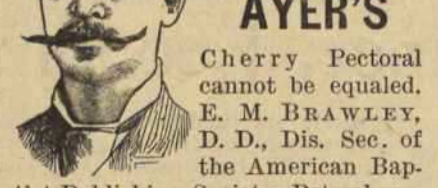
The little girl came into the drug store. "Pleath, thir," she said, "mother thayth have you a naught of soda?" "A what?" repeated the clerk. "A naught of soda," reiterated the little girl. "Do you want a glass of soda water?" asked the clerk. "No, thir. Mother thayth I can't have that till evenin. She thayth have you a naught of soda?" "What can she mean?" muttered the puzzled clerk. The child grew impatient. "A naught of soda," she said sharply. "Why, it ith a funny bottle wif a thquirter to it, and it goeth 'si-' when you work it." "Oh! You mean a siphon of soda," exclaimed the clerk. "Oh! Thiphen! Thiphen? Yeth, thir, it wath thiphen. But thiphens and naught ith the thame, ain't it?" And the clerk said that eiphers and naughts were the same.—Philadelphia American.

One of the Wonders of Physics.

An experienced mechanic who was asked what he regarded as the most wonderful thing for general utility replied: "The tracking of a car wheel is the most wonderful thing to me in the whole range of science and invention. Here are two rails, up hill and down hill, round the sharp curves and along false tangents, and upon them fly at more than a mile a minute, without jar or jostle, a dozen heavy cars drawn by an engine weighing 60 tons. Passengers realize no danger, yet there is only the little flange of a wheel between them and eternity. An inch and a half of steel turned up on the inner side of the wheel holds up the whole train as securely to the rails as if it were bolted there in grooves."—Albany Express.

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Geo. B. Dygert is home for a short time before going to San Francisco, where he intends locating.

Ernest Perry, of Bay City, was in the city over Sunday.

Jas. Cavanaugh, of Manchester, was a guest over Sunday of his brother, M. J. Cavanaugh.

C. F. Steinbaur will teach stringed instruments in Ann Arbor. He comes from Saginaw.

Miss Grace Warren returned to her home in Milford Monday, after a brief stay here with friends.

Miss Kate Wyck, of Toledo, Ohio, who has been a guest of Mrs. F. H. Warren, of South Second street, for two weeks, returned home Tuesday.

Edwin Atwood, of Flint, was a guest over Sunday of the S. A. E. fraternity.

Day Belding, who has been in Colorado for the summer, has returned home.

Chas. A. Sauer and family were at Pewamo, Ionia county, this week visiting relatives.

Congressman John Corliss, of Detroit, was in the city last Saturday.

Miss Grace Woodard, of Owosso, was a guest for several days of Miss Anna Bennett, 52 South Division street.

Mrs. S. G. Benham has been entertaining Mrs. Parshall, of Wayne, for two weeks, the latter returning home Monday.

Miss Emelie Loch, of Brighton, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Belding, of the North Side, returned home this week.

Miss Josie Cayer, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

B. F. Schumacher was in Detroit Monday.

Michael Staebler was in Battle Creek this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kearns, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Samuel Krause, of Grand Rapids, was a guest this week of his sister, Mrs. Geo. Haller.

Calvin Bliss will make his future home with his daughter, Mrs. Alvah Hill, of Detroit.

George Stevens has removed here from Flint.

Miss Jean Phillips, of London, Ont., is a guest of her brother, Robert Phillips, on her way to Kentucky to spend the winter. She will eat a Michigan Thanksgiving dinner, however.

Miss May Thompson, of Owosso, was a guest this week of Ann Arbor friends.

H. T. Morton was in Denver, Col., this week.

Rev. W. L. Tedrow attended the state Sunday school convention in Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Melville McGee and son George, of Jackson, were guests of relatives this week.

F. S. Clement, of Chicago, was a guest Tuesday of his brother, Lew H. Clement.

Dr. G. W. Collins, of Vermillion, S. D., was a guest of Lew H. Clement this week.

Baltimore oysters at Besimer's.

The fame of 'varsity college journalism was considerably added to this week by the publication of Wrinkle and Inlander. The latter was issued on Wednesday and the former will be out for tomorrow's game in Detroit.

Mack & Co.'s Fall Opening.

To say that Mack & Co.'s four stores of sixteen floors were crowded last Saturday would be using mild language. It was one continual rush from early morning until late at night to see who could get waited on first, and, notwithstanding the fact that about sixty salespeople were employed, many went away unable to purchase on account of the crowds.

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