

SHIRTS

Possibly you never stopped to think what a complete line of shirts means. It means shirts of many styles and price. We can say, and not feel that we are bragging when we say, that our line is the most complete in the city.

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

With attached and detached cuffs and collars—the most comfortable summer shirt you ever put on your back, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

WHITE SHIRTS

Laundered and unlaundered. "The Monarch," open back and front, also closed front and open back, including the full dress shirt, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

IN UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS

We have two lines we are proud of at 50c and 60c. They are the best that can be made for the price.

NIGHT SHIRTS

At 50c, 75c and \$1.00, all wonders. We can't say too much regarding their good points. We want you to see them. They sell all right.

Noble's Star Clothing House
35 SOUTH MAIN ST.

A Reduction

For One Week Only

HIGH TAN SHOES

Ladies', Misses', Men's and Boys'.

Our styles are the latest, quality the best, variety the largest, and prices the lowest. Call early while the sizes are unbroken.

See Our Black and Tan Oxfords!

Summer weather is here and you want to keep cool. Prices range from

\$1 to \$3 a pair.

WAHR & MILLER

THE SHOE MEN. 48 S. Main St., Ann Arbor.

May Bargains

Thirty-five pieces more best quality 24-inch Swivel Silks, all new choice designs, a perfect wash silk, made and sold at 50c a yard. The price we make 25c a yard will soon clean them out. Twenty-five pieces Japanese Wash Silks in fancy stripes at 25c a yard.

Our Entire Stock Silk, Velvet and Cloth Capes silk-lined and handsomely trimmed, all on sale at ONE QUARTER OFF from our lowest price.

Beautiful Sheer Paris Organdies new effects, Oriental, Persian, Dresden, Buds, Branches, in handsome new colorings. Your Choice 25c a yard.

Fifty pieces New Dimities on sale at 10c a yard. Ladies' Gauntlet Kid Gloves for bicycle and driving, the \$1.50 kind, for 98c a pair.

Novelty = Shirt Waists.

We are showing dozens of exclusive novelties in dainty washable waists. If you'd like a waist out of the ordinary, see our gathering.

Ten dozen Misses' Waists, soft collar and cuffs, very pretty and nobby from 8 to 16 years at 50c and 75c each. One case, 25 dozen, Keep Cool Summer Corsets at 39c each.

Five pieces Colored Corduroy for bicycle suits at 85c a yard.

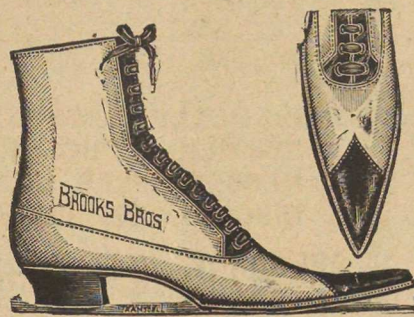
Two hundred Ladies' Print Wrappers, navy blue and dark colors, at 69c each.

Ten dozen Ladies' Night Robes, the \$1 kind, at 79c each. Ypsilanti Dress Stays, all you want at 5c a set.

Stockinet Rubber Dress Shields, the 10c kind, at 5c a set. Ten pieces more Real Hair Cloth, the 50c kind, at 25c a yd. Fifty pieces Zephyr Ginghams, the 10c kind, at 5c a yard.

Every Item Exactly as Advertised.

SCHAIER & MILLEN THE BUSY STORE.



WILL SUE THE CITY.

Stevenson, Reed & Co. Will Ask \$1,500 Damages.

CHELSEA'S BIG TIME

Mayor Pingree and the Races Were Drawing Cards.

The Town Was Full of Interested People on Wednesday.—Sardou's "A Scrap of Paper" Well Put on by the Amateurs.

The common council of Ann Arbor met in regular session on Monday evening. Those present were: President Hiscock, Alds. Maynard, Moore, Koch, Laubengayer, Dell, Brown, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule, Cady and Danforth.

The mayor's appointment of Thomas D. Kearney as city attorney was unanimously confirmed by the council.

The council accepted the invitation of the soldiers' relief committee of Washtenaw county to take part in the Memorial Day exercises.

The matter of the foundry water pond was referred to the city attorney.

Mrs. Olivia B. Hall's petition for privilege to construct a private sewer was referred to the sewer committee. The petition of Geo. Johnson and 10 others for an electric light, also that of W. B. Smith and 29 others for a light at the corner of Fourteenth and E. Washington sts., were referred to the lighting committee. H. Hochrein and others' petition for a sidewalk on Second st. was referred to the sidewalk committee. W. P. Groves' request for house branches along his property on E. Washington st. was referred to the sewer committee.

The city clerk presented the summons in the case of Bernard and Anna Mast vs. the City of Ann Arbor, for \$5,000 damages for water flowing into the cellar of their house on N. State st. It was referred to the city attorney.

The bids of the State Savings Bank for the city money at 3 per cent for daily balances and 6 per cent on overdrafts, of the Farmers & Mechanics Bank at 3 per cent on balances and 6 per cent on overdrafts, of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank at 3 3/10 per cent on balances and 6 per cent on overdrafts were read. The bid of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank was accepted.

The committee on sewers recommended that the sewer at the manhole in front of the residence of Miss Gardner, on Washtenaw ave., be lowered four feet.

The committee on streets recommended that the grade of Walnut and Linden sts. be fixed and established; that \$500 be appropriated from the street fund to grade the street and sidewalk on Walnut st. and S. University ave., from Washtenaw ave. to Oxford st.; that the bridges over the Huron river at Broadway and Wall sts. be replanked with hemlock plank two and one-half inches in thickness; that a water tank be located in front of the store of Wm. Lodholz; that the street commissioner be instructed to widen Felch st. between the Ann Arbor railroad and Spring st.; and put an oak box culvert across Thayer st. on the north side of Hill st.; that the board of public works be directed to macadamize Detroit st. from N. Fourth ave. to the viaduct over the M. C. R. R., and N. Fourth ave. from the north line of Ann st. to Detroit st.

Ald. Soule, Danforth, Moore and Koch spoke against the project on the ground that the street was not sewered and that there was too much travel on the street for macadam to hold out. Ald. Moore also affirmed that these points were correct and on motion of Ald. Maynard the report was tabled for one week.

The street committee also recommended that the street commissioner be ordered to remove the oak tree at the corner of Maynard and E. Liberty sts. at once. Ald. Soule objected to its removal and said he would like to hear from residents in the neighborhood.

Ald. Maynard: The tree is directly in front of my house and in a dark night one is liable to run into it, besides the tree is practically dead.

Ald. Soule, dryly: I have never been in a condition to run into the tree. At this sally there was loud laughter.

Martin P. Vogel's liquor bond was finally accepted.

The report of the committee appointed to examine the accounts of Justice Andrew E. Gibson and Marshal Peterson presented its report completely exonerating them from any suspicion of having misappropriated any funds, and resolutions were adopted to that effect in which regret was expressed at the hasty action of the council.

The appointment of Emma R. Mills as deputy city clerk was confirmed.

The communication of the board of public works relative to the Liberty st. sewer was on motion of Ald. Maynard taken from the table. A great war of words then ensued between Mr. Stevenson, of Stevenson, Reed & Co., the contractors, and George W. Bullis, a member of the board of public works at the time the sewer was put in. It was highly amusing to those who were present, referring as it did to the inside history of the boodles charges that were rampant at that time.

Mr. Stevenson said he had waited two years and was willing to settle for \$400, the amount that was due him for building that sewer.

Mr. Bullis said that Stevenson, Reed & Co. were not entitled to pay for any claim for the reason that the firm did not comply with the specifications.

Mr. Stevenson said that the parties who were accused of boodling probably did not comply with the specifications either. He himself had paid \$20 blood money. "Then you are just as guilty of boodling as anybody," said Mr. Bullis.

The further consideration of the claim was then postponed indefinitely and Stevenson, Reed & Co., will now sue the city for \$1,500, when the matter might have been settled Monday night for \$400. Thus the city has another lawsuit on its hands.

A FAMOUS SUIT SETTLED.

S. A. Moran Retains Possession of the Register Newspaper.

The long drawn out suit of W. B. Phillips, receiver of the Register Publishing Co. vs. Selby A. Moran et al., was settled out of court on Wednesday morning. By the terms of the settlement Selby A. Moran retains possession of the newspaper. Of Koch & Henne's mortgage of \$2,500, the receiver has already paid \$800 and Mr. Moran is to pay the balance. He is also to surrender to the receiver \$1,000 in labor accounts. This amount is represented by orders given to workmen on advertisers in the Register.

Mr. Moran was formerly secretary and treasurer of the Register Publishing Company. The company claimed that Mr. Moran gave the Koch & Henne mortgage, without authority, to secure a debt that ought to be looked upon as his own personal liability. Mr. Moran's reply to this claim was that the mortgage was practically sanctioned by the directors.

On the witness stand Mr. Moran testified that he bought a half interest in the Register plant and business, then owned by the late Kendall Kittredge for \$8,000, giving his note for the whole amount. That in one year he paid Mr. Kittredge \$1,400 and interest. That Mr. Kittredge then offered him the other half interest for \$7,000, at the same time making him a confidential proposition that if he could sell the business to a company which was in process of formation he could keep the newspaper as a commission for so doing. An unsigned copy of this proposition was produced in court, Mr. Moran claiming that the original was lost.

Moran claimed that he accepted this proposition and afterwards paid Mrs. Kittredge, the executrix, the \$7,000, and then sold the plant, exclusive of the newspaper, to the new company, of which he was principal stockholder and manager and treasurer. The other two directors, he stated, had had their stock given them by himself for their services in organizing the company, \$200 each.

The amount of Mrs. Kittredge's claim has now been paid in full and it is thought that the creditors of the company will get from 25 to 33 per cent of their claims, the plant having sold at receiver's sale for \$10,000.

THE COMEDY CLUB.

It Scored a Well Merited Success Saturday Night.

Those who attended the first performance of the Comedy Club last year witnessed a delightfully pleasant entertainment and were on the qui vive for something just as good this year and they were not disappointed. The fair sized audience which had gathered at the Grand opera house Saturday to witness the production of Sardou's "A Scrap of Paper," witnessed a clever performance of a clean, skillfully constructed three act comedy. It is especially adapted for amateur actors and those who sustained the principal parts on Saturday night showed that they were possessed of considerable more than average dramatic ability.

The cast of characters was: Prosper Courant, Mr. James Handy; Baron de la Glaciere, Mr. Tom Weddock; Brisemouche, Mr. Karl Harriman; Anatole, Mr. Arthur Smith; Baptiste, Mr. Robert Bourland; Francois, Mr. E. P. dePont; Louise de la Glaciere, Miss Pearl Barnes; Suzanne de Russeville, Miss Bessie Dunster; Mathilde, Miss Gertrude Divine; Zenobie, Miss Genevieve Duffy; Madame DuPont, Miss Anna Dunster; Pauline, Miss Jessie Porter.

Mr. Harriman's make up and presentation of the old man Brisemouche was the best character in the play and Miss Dunster was a good second as Suzanne de Russeville, while Mr. Jas. H. Handy as Prosper Courant and Miss Pearl Barnes as Louise de la Glaciere upheld their characters in a manner which was particularly pleasing. Mr. Handy and Miss Bessie Dunster were accorded a hearty call before the curtain for their good work in the second act. Mr. Weddock as the Baron de la Glaciere and Miss Divine as Mathilde carried out their parts well. The rest of the supporting characters were capably filled by the remaining members of the company. Excellent orchestral music was furnished during the play by the High School orchestra of 12 pieces under the direction of L. P. Warren. The stage management was under the supervision of Mr. Edward Wetzel, of Detroit, and was excellent.

CYCLONE IN AUGUSTA

Many Houses and Barns Were Unroofed by Its Fury.

IT UPROOTED TREES

And Quickly Splintered Them Into Kindling Wood.

An Eye Witness of the Storm Gives a Graphic Account of the Destruction It Wrought in About Twenty Minutes.

The Argus is indebted to its Willis correspondent for the following description of the destructive cyclone which passed over that neighborhood Thursday evening of last week.

A destructive cyclone passed through part of Augusta last Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. It came with all fury from the southwest, striking the timber on the north of Fred Peppiat's 80 acre lot, then striking G. N. Hammond's 80 acres on the south, where he had reserved 10 acres for firewood. It tore down trees for over 30 rods in width making the most kindling wood in the shortest time perhaps that was ever made in this town. It damaged Hammond \$100 or over on his timber. But on it came, sweeping down fences, then striking the horse barn and sheds, demolishing the roof and end of the barn, unroofed a very long shed on the east side, blew the roof boards into a large wheat field near by, also shingles, rafters and boards of every description, ruining several acres. A wagon box lying on the ground in front of the barn was blown nearly a quarter of a mile and let down smashed to pieces, rods and bolts twisted into all shapes. Mr. Hammond had just gone into the barn and closed the barn doors, when they followed him knocking him down under a road wagon that stood near by. His son, Milo had gone into the barn with a team and just after getting in the stable, the roof raised about three feet and fell back just resting on the posts of the stalls, thus saving a valuable team and Milo's life. But how terrible in its work. It went in a north easterly direction, hitting Whittaker's corners, clearing a large orchard and shade trees and uprooting everything. At Alfred Smith's a part of the roof was blown off his house. A daughter about 13 years old was taken up and carried a few rods and landed under the upturned roots of an apple tree. His young son, Oscar was carried several rods through the orchard over the board fence and let down in the road uninjured, not knowing how he came there. It passed along doing damage at Hiram Markham's, Mrs. H. O'Brien's, T. Roberts', Geo. Thompson's, Louis J. Wright's and worst of all at Richard King's, nearly burying his house with trees and almost totally destroying his barns. Then on to the old Richard Williams homestead, unroofing house and barns and smashing in doors and windows, thus doing its work and leaving. We know no more of the destruction it wrought, hope this is all, it's enough.

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SPORTS DAY AT CHELSEA.

A Large Crowd Saw the Sports and Heard Pingree.

The day of sports at Chelsea on Wednesday as a red letter day for that town. It was also Pingree day and between the two the town was well filled from morning till evening with the large influx of visitors. Mr. Pingree arrived in Chelsea on the morning train and was met at the depot by a large party of citizens headed by the Chelsea Cornet Band. During the morning the mayor held a reception at the Chelsea house where a large number of citizens of all political faiths called on him.

In the afternoon the sports, which consisted of horse, bicycle and foot races and baseball game, came off. An early start was made on them and at 3 o'clock a recess was held during which Mayor Pingree addressed the large crowd that had gathered.

In the sporting program the horse races were exceedingly good and very interesting, the bicycle races were also sharply contested. Pinckney, Parma and other surrounding towns had sent in their fast trotters and the result was that the several contests were close and exciting.

As a windup to the day the Chelsea Pingree Club held a 'meeting in the evening. The hall was filled to overflowing, many having to stand and others having to go away without getting inside. Mayor Pingree, who was introduced to the audience by B. Barker, president of the club, and W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, who is well known and liked by his old town-folk, made the speeches of the evening. Altogether it was a most successful day.

Death of Martin Keck.

Martin Keck, brother of Mrs. W. G. Dieterle, and formerly a well known resident of this city, died in Fon du Lac, Wis., on Wednesday, aged 38 years. The funeral services were held at Fon du Lac today. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dieterle left for that place yesterday to attend the funeral.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Mayor Walker's Request to the Business Men.

Saturday, May 30, is Memorial Day, and the comrades of Welch Post, No. 137, U. S. A. R., have made arrangements to fittingly observe it. In accordance with this fact Mayor Walker has promulgated the following request to the business men of Ann Arbor to close their places of business on that day and join in the exercises:

To the Citizens of Ann Arbor:

The committee on invitations from Welch Post, No. 137, G. A. R., has informed us that Memorial Day exercises will be observed on May 30, 1896, at the Fifth Ward Cemetery at 1:30 p. m., and at University hall at 8 p. m., and that appropriate addresses will be delivered at each place.

This calls to our mind the fact that another year has passed away, and with it many of the old soldiers whom we all love to honor and respect.

Let us not forget that 35 years ago, dispatches were flashing over the wires informing us that rebellion had broken out, and that certain of our states were in open revolt; that armed men were in the field, and that our government, of which we are all so proud, was threatened with destruction. We closed our places of business and assembled at the old court house. Speeches were made urging the young men to go to the front and defend our country's honor and our homes.

How nobly they responded to this call, the thousands now lying in the several national cemeteries adjacent to the battle fields on which they gave their lives will attest.

Remember we have a duty to perform, a service to render. Let us in honor of their memory again close our places of business, lay down the implements of labor, and join hands with the survivors in paying proper tribute to the silent comrades of that heroic band, who 35 years ago so nobly responded when our country was in danger, and gave up their lives in its defense, that you and I might enjoy the blessings of one of the best governments the sun ever shone on.

W. E. WALKER, Mayor.
Dated May 20, 1896.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.

John W. Renwick, of Salem, Died Sunday, of Paralysis.

Another old resident of Washtenaw county passed away on Sunday last at the age of 71 years, 3 months and 3 days, from the effects of a paralytic stroke. John W. Renwick was born in Monroe county, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1825, and came to Washtenaw county with his parents in October, 1828, and he grew to manhood's estate on the farm on which he died, among the stirring and busy scenes of pioneer life. By reason of his father being away from home a great part of the time he had to take upon himself a good share of the work and superintendence of the farm, and was thus deprived of the educational advantages which he so much desired.

April 5, 1849, he was married to Miss Amity B. Packard, daughter of Alexis and Prudence Packard, who was also born in Monroe county, N. Y., and this union resulted in the birth of eight children. Mr. Renwick, during his long residence in Salem had earned for himself the respect and good will of his neighbors. He was a republican in politics.

The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday afternoon and the remains were interred in the churchyard at Leland's.

Will Get No Damages.

The supreme court has affirmed the judgment of the Wayne circuit court in the case of McCurdy v. LeBeau, formerly of Ann Arbor, vs. the Telephone & Telegraph Construction Co. Mr. LeBeau was coming down the street as the company's workmen were laying wires underground, at the chamber of Commerce building in Detroit.

They had a manhole open, and beside it they had set a barrel. LeBeau apparently paid no attention to his surroundings, and walked into the opening, striking his chin on top of one of the barrel staves, inflicting serious injuries. He sued for damages, but the lower court directed a verdict for the company on the grounds of contributory negligence. This was affirmed by the supreme court, which says that a person cannot walk about oblivious of his surroundings and then recover damages if injured.

A Bogus Organizer.

Last October a colored man named Edward M. Rector came to Ypsilanti and instituted Eureka Lodge, K. of P. He also sold the paraphernalia incident to a lodge of K. of P. and at the same time collected \$100 from the new members, telling them that their charter would come to them forthwith. But the charter did not come and last week the deputy grand chancellor, S. D. Currie, informed the lodge that it was working in a clandestine manner and that Rector was a fraud. There were a number of highly exasperated colored men in Ypsilanti and a warrant was sworn out for Rector's arrest.

Rector was arrested in Detroit and brought to Ypsilanti Tuesday by Deputy Sheriff Warner. The prosecuting attorney has set his examination for next Monday.

Cures

Prove the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla—positive, perfect, permanent Cures.

Cures of scrofula in severest forms, like goitre, swelled neck, running sores, hip disease, sores in the eyes.

Cures of Salt Rheum, with its intense itching and burning, scald head, tetter, etc.

Cures of Boils, Pimples, and all other eruptions due to impure blood.

Cures of Dyspepsia and other troubles where a good stomach tonic was needed.

Cures of Rheumatism, where patients were unable to work or walk for weeks.

Cures of Catarrh by expelling the impurities which cause and sustain the disease.

Cures of Nervousness by properly toning and feeding the nerves upon pure blood.

Cures of That Tired Feeling by restoring strength. Send for book of cures by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

To C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass.

are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion. 25c.

WASHTENAWISMS.

Saline had a circus last Saturday.

Herman Ebnis, of Saline, dislocated a thumb by falling last week.

Crystal Tent, K. O. T. M., of Dexter, will celebrate the anniversary of the order June 11.

Edwin Hale, of Mooreville, nearly severed his little toe, the other day and took to crutches in consequence.

The Ypsilanti Ladies' Library has let out during the past year 6,656 books and has been open 103 days.

Miss Cora Cutler, daughter of the late George Cutler, of Superior, died Thursday of last week of consumption.

Wm. Clements, of Saline, displays in his window a diploma awarded him for the finest Egyptian wheat at the World's Fair.

Honors are being thrust upon Editor A. J. Warren, of the Saline Observer. He has been elected the first president of the Saline Bicycle club.

A class of 87 was confirmed in St. Mary's church at Pinckney by Bishop Foley on Friday. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Between 5,000 and 10,000 small trout have lately been planted in some of the tributary creeks to the Huron in the vicinity of Ypsilanti by local sportsmen.

John Haunestine, of Saline, died May 10, aged 75 years. He leaves four children. He was born in Switzerland and had lived in Saline for a number of years.

Ypsilanti citizens are disgruntled at the poor service given by the Automatic Telephone Co. and threaten to drop the use of their 'phones unless better service is given.

The Ypsilanti Students' Christian Association building will be commenced tomorrow. It will be located on the Normal grounds, directly north of the training school.

Porter Lee, of Ypsilanti, who had just returned from Florida, was arrested May 12 on complaint of Thomas McFarlane, a shoemaker, who charged him with the larceny of \$130 last July 30th.

Charles B. Ulrich of Ypsilanti, has invented a device for lifting sick people from their beds and moving them. It is claimed to be a fine working scheme and will be of great use in hospitals and sick rooms.

John Clark, of Dexter township, and Miss Mattie Sharpey, of Dexter village were married at St. Joseph's church, May 12 by Rev. Fr. Kelly. They begin housekeeping on the L. C. Rodman farm.

A strong feature of the coming Monroe county fair, to be held at Dundee this fall, will be "School day." Commissioner Ames has asked the business people to contribute prizes for the children, and they are responding nobly.

They tell of a mind reader who read a newspaper before a select audience through the thickness of two horse blankets. After the feat was accomplished, one of the ladies left the room at the same time remarking to a friend that she was not going to stay there any longer with only a thin calico dress on.—Dexter Leader.

The Ypsilanti Driving club will hang up \$2,000 in prizes at the meet to be held June 24-6. The purse for each race is \$200 and the program is as follows: Wednesday, June 24—2:50 trot, 2:20 pace, 2:20 trot. Thursday, June 25—2:38 pace, 2:27 trot, 2:26 pace, two year-old trot. Friday, June 26—2:38 trot, free-for-all pace, free-for-all trot.

Mrs. Joshua Lambert died at the family residence in Ypsilanti, Thursday morning of last week of heart disease. Mrs. Lambert had been failing since last September and was 62 years of age at the time of her death. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon and were largely attended. Besides her husband, to whom she had been married for 40 years, she leaves three sons and a daughter.

The Ypsilanti school board had \$40,000 insurance to divide up among the local insurance agents. Some of the agents were of the opinion that they should have \$6,000, \$8,000 and \$10,000 each, which would not have left much for the rest. The board settled the matter by calling the agents together and saying, "Gentlemen, we accept your bid of \$1 on the high school building and \$1.00 on the ward schools. Now divide it to suit yourselves and forever after hold your peace." The agents then divided the business equally between them.

Dexter will organize a bicycle club. M. E. Keller, of Sharon, has put in 75 acres of corn.

Rush Green gets \$35 a month as marshal of Chelsea.

Lightning recently killed a cow belonging to C. Rathfon, of Pittsfield.

C. M. Stark has moved his photograph gallery from Salem to Brighton.

Dexter will observe Memorial Day this year in a fitting and becoming manner.

The Milan high school has been placed upon the list of approved schools of the State Normal school.

Rev. M. Stephenson, of Jackson, delivered four sermons in the Baptist church at Dexter this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sears, of Dexter, have removed to Manistee, where Mr. Sears goes into the undertaking business.

The heavy windstorm of Thursday, May 14, did considerable damage to trees and fences in the vicinity of Milan.

Rev. Mr. Hicks preaches at the M. E. church at Whitmore Lake next Sunday evening to the old soldiers and their friends.

Jos. Alger, of Dexter, reports the loss of about \$100 worth of hides which some miscreant has stolen from his slaughter house.

Henry Ngent, of Ypsilanti, paid Justice Childs \$7.65 Friday for hitting Stephen Putnam over the eye. Rather a (h)eye price for such a proceeding.

Manchester expects to put German carp in the upper pond there, to see if they cannot abate the weed nuisance which has been deleterious to the public health.

Memorial Day services in Milan will be held at Gray's opera house next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. P. Hutchinson, of Ann Arbor, will preach the sermon.

Miss Anna McCormick and Calvin Bussey, of Salem, were married at the home of the bride's parents, May 12. About sixty guests witnessed the interesting ceremony.

The Manchester Christian Endeavor society has elected the following officers: President, Emanuel Braun; vice president, Nora Briegel; secretary, Charles Jede; treasurer, Louis Grossman.

The Chelsea council is wrestling with the question of keeping children off the streets nights. If they succeed in doing so, they will make good citizens out of some boys who otherwise might not be good citizens.

John William Henry died at his home near Stony Creek, Tuesday, May 12, of consumption, aged 31 years, 3 months and 20 days. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, sermon by Rev. Mr. Benson, of Whittaker, burial in York cemetery.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Milan M. E. church has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. M. Edwards; 1st vice president, Mrs. Charles Buxton; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Peter Swick; secretary, Mrs. A. A. Heath; treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Taylor.

The following Normal school juniors will represent their class at the coming class day exercises; Salutatorian, Florence Warner; orator, Irving Cross; essayist, Ida Mann; poet, Harriet Soulls; writer of class will, W. G. Cowell; mirror, N. Bowen; bank, Miss Finch; class song, Grace Austin.

Walter A. Robinson, of Ypsilanti was lodged in jail at Jackson Saturday night on the charge of jumping an \$8 board bill at the Hotel Rhul, and it was also claimed that he took \$2 from a roommate's trousers. Chelsea officers also want him, it being alleged he defrauded a hotel there of a small bill. Walter pleaded guilty to the complaint, and was released on suspended sentence, his father settling all the bills satisfactorily and taking his son home.

Says the Manchester Enterprise: "The young Polish woman, who came here by mistake last week and was entertained at the residence of Fred J. Schaible, left for Manchester, N. H., on Monday. When Mrs. Schaible read the item to her she said that was the first time she was ever mentioned in a newspaper, that at home the people were poor and only three papers were taken in the town she lived in and they were passed around from one to another and read with interest. She said that she was not able to pay for her entertainment and all the attention paid her, but would pray for those who had been so good to her. Ticket Agent Maginn, who has been untiring in his efforts to secure transportation for the young lady and to place her among friends, besides discharging his duty to the railway company, is thus laying up treasures."

The Plymouth Mail notes this peculiar incident in bird life: "Some of our citizens witnessed a rare occurrence on Saturday in C. B. Crosby's yard. In one of the beautiful trees in front of the house a pair of English orioles built a nest and were quietly domiciled therein until Saturday, when a sparrow flew onto the nest and tried to whip the female bird out. With a cry of distress the nesting bird took hold of the sparrow and held on until her mate had come. Apparently fully accustomed to the art, the male bird drew from the nest a thread and commenced flying around the sparrow until he had wound it around its head. He then flew around a limb of the tree and the female bird dropped her prey. Chirping and singing as if highly pleased with their quick execution, the two orioles began to torture the evil sparrow to death by flying at, picking its eyes and beating its body. Finally the thread broke and the bystanders picked up the sparrow and found that its eyes were picked out and the skin picked and bruised considerably."

Out worms have made their appearance in Washtenaw.

The Plymouth fair will be held from September 15 to 18.

Adelbert Curtis, of Salem, lost both a cow and a horse last week.

The Chelsea school gives an entertainment this evening in the Chelsea town hall.

The Ypsilanti and Saline baseball teams met on the diamond Saturday and the Saline boys were defeated by a score of 12 to 10.

The village of Chelsea will hereafter bear part of the expense of constructing cement walks paying 2 1/2 cents per square foot for each walk constructed.

Owen O'Connor died at his home in Geddes, Friday, and was buried at Ypsilanti, Sunday. He was 67 years of age and leaves a wife, a son and a daughter.

The Sylvan Y. P. S. C. E. has elected the following officers: President, C. Dansmore; vice president, Wm. Kellogg; secretary, Miss Amy Gilbert; treasurer, Miss Cora E. Beckworth.

There are no less than forty-seven distinct paragraphs in last week's Grass Lake News against the dog poisoner. It must be something has happened in Chelsea's suburban neighbor.

Frank May, a pioneer of Unadilla, aged 56 years, got up Saturday morning in the best of spirits and started a fire. While doing so he was stricken with paralysis and died at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

C. H. Hall and J. H. Martin, of Willis, disturbed the peace of the city of Ypsilanti on Saturday afternoon last and were arrested for it. Justice Beach assessed them \$6.25 each on Monday for having so done.

Lewis Laffin purchased of Jos. Breining at Ypsilanti, Monday, a peculiar flock of sheep. There were 10 ewes with 23 lambs, the lambs all born since April 1. One of the ewes had triplets which accounts for the odd number.

Dr. Hueston, of Ypsilanti, says that the condition of Fred Reinhart, the lad who injured his eyes looking through glass at the sun some time ago, is slowly improving. He can now distinguish colors with the eye which was affected the most.

The two Manchester banks had \$163,404.71 on deposit at the close of business May 7. The free silverites would allow the banks to pay this back to the depositors when called for, in dollars worth just half as much as the dollars deposited.

Hattie J. Bestel, a seemingly incorrigible juvenile offender of Ypsilanti, was taken before Justice Beach, Monday, under the disorderly act. She was let off on suspended sentence and left for Frankfort, to which place she had an order for a railroad ticket.

Cryus Mead died at his home in Ypsilanti, Wednesday morning very suddenly. He was apparently quite well when he went to bed, but woke up with a pain in his stomach and commenced to cough. Mrs. Mead went to a neighbor's to summon a physician and shortly after she returned he expired.

David Bogg was arrested in Dexter, Friday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Ross, of Ypsilanti, on complaint of his wife for desertion, under the disorderly act, and for non-support of his family. He has not been living with her for the past three years and she lately moved to Ypsilanti from Dexter. He was arraigned before Justice Childs, and was released upon paying the costs and giving a faithful agreement to continue to support his family.

Arthur Sullivan, of Ypsilanti, tried to run the tollgate the other side of Wayne last Sunday while riding home on his bicycle from Detroit. He made quite a scorch for it but the gatekeeper was too quick for him and closed the gate. When Arthur struck that obstacle it was a sad mix up of bicycle, gate and rider and he hung over the gate like a piece of clothing hung out to dry. The conversation that followed was noted for the heated terms it contained.

The Grass Lake News has discovered the greatest menace to the perpetuity of this government and confides the secret to an anxious public. It says it is "the refusal to give Grass Lake free mail delivery. Her indomitable people won't bear this outrage much longer." As there seems no immediate prospect of Grass Lake's getting that free mail delivery, Chelsea had better organize a military company to be ready for the Grass Lakeites under the lead of Carlton, when they break out in insurrection.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat or digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a bottle at the Drug Store of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haeussler, of Manchester.

Low Rates to Pittsburgh and the East.

Special excursion tickets via Pennsylvania Short Lines will be sold as follows: To Pittsburgh, May 24th, 25th and 26th, for Prohibition National Convention; and June 6th, 7th and 8th, for North American Saengerfest. To Washington, D. C., July 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th, for Christian Endeavor Convention. BUSHONG, 66 Griswold st., Detroit, for details.

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Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure is very hot but when diluted it is a warm friend indeed to those suffering from bowel complaints. It never fails. 25 and 50c.

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Monroe Democrat Items.

The birth of a child is noted in the Ann Arbor Argus, under the heading "Local Brevities." Another "admiral Dot?"

Miss Elsie Johnson, an Adrian stenographer, stepped through a hole in the sidewalk into a \$2,500 judgment for damages.

An Ann Arbor colored man last week took poison because his wife refused to remove to Toledo with him. He was insane without a doubt.

The millennium for Prince Mike the "flying roll Christ" now doing time in Jackson for seduction, will expire in August. "To your tents, O, Israel!"

Our exchanges are chucking over a new game called "Editors' Delight," which is said to have millions in it, if you can only get them out.—Ypsilanti. How does the suggestion of a fine-tooth comb strike you?

A nugget of pure copper was recently discovered on the farm of Jacob Snyder, of Oxford, last week. It is thought to have been dropped there by the melting drift of the glacial epoch. A nugget of pure brass has been discovered in Detroit, "drifting" about and bearing the hieroglyphics "H. S. P."

Of course, the Times will go to Heaven when the end of all things is come. But if perchance an error is committed by the powers that be and the Times should find itself in the bad place with the Adrian Press and the Monroe Democrat.—Washtenaw Times. Stop right there. The Times and Press will travel in the hot ashes without the company of the Democrat.

Ann Arbor's little Jimmie Blytheman whose record of thefts distances all competition for a youth of his years, has just been released on suspended sentence. He seems to have a charmed life, the devil kindly watches over him and furnishes a cushion for him to fall on. Before this item is in print, Blytheman will probably be under arrest for a new theft, and perhaps released again.

In a Wyandotte marsh near the cemetery, some boys recently caught a mud-turtle. He had sometime been caught before, as somebody had printed on his back the words, "Chew — the plug tobacco." That is the style in which some people advertise. They skip the newspapers and send out their advertisements by mud turtle express. Long before the turtle was recaptured, the sheriff had undoubtedly closed out the tobacco merchant at public sale.

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County School Notes.

The pupils of the Ward school near Ypsilanti, held their closing exercises and picnic at the home of Wm. Lay, on Wednesday afternoon. Miss Emma J. Stroh taught the school during the past year and gave excellent satisfaction.

The annual commencement exercises of the Mooreville school will be held on Wednesday evening, June 10. Commissioner Wedemeyer will deliver the address. This school has done excellent work during the past year under Prof. C. M. Fuller, assisted by Miss Anna J. Chase.

The spring term of school in the town line district, No. 11, between York and Saline, will close on June 6. C. E. Hoffman, the teacher, is busy making arrangements for a picnic to be held on the closing day.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin no matter how long standing.

Crops in Washtenaw County.

From the weekly report of the Michigan section of the climate and crop service dated May 19, we have made the following exceptions regarding the state of the crops and the weather in Washtenaw county:

Bridgewater.—I. W. Kirkwood: Wheat looking good. Corn mostly planted and some is up. Oats looking good. Hay very good. Fruit trees are well loaded.

Saline.—John Gillen: Corn nearly all planted and coming up. Wheat doing nicely. Plenty of rain.

Saline.—John Lutz: The rain of Thursday was very beneficial to all growing crops. Corn planting about half done, and some is up and looking well.

Ypsilanti.—J. C. Bemiss: Wheat is growing finely. Oats doing well. Corn planting about finished. At 6:30 p. m., of the 14th, a cyclone passed through this town from s. w. to n. e., doing much damage to barns, sheds, some houses, orchards, trees, fences, rye and wheat, to the amount of thousands of dollars to farmers in Ypsilanti and Augusta townships; this cyclone was about four miles south of the one of April 2, 1893. Rainfall during the week 0.61.

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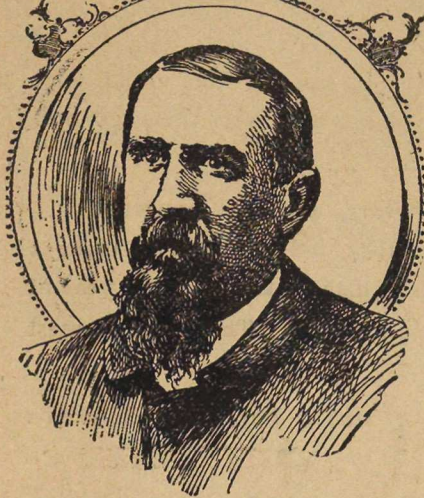
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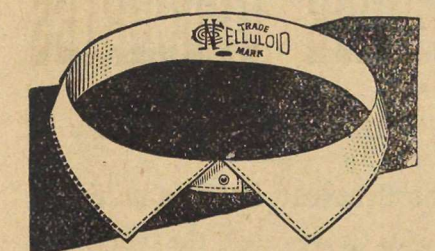
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VILLAGE DOINGS.

Whitmore Lake. Mrs. James Burnett and daughter, Zora, spent Sunday with Webster friends. Wm. K. Childs, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of E. R. Fields and family Sunday.

There will be a May party at the Clifton House this evening.

A bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup in the house saves doctors' bills, saves trouble, and very often saves precious lives.

North Lake. Mr. Moore, of Howell, visited at R. S. Whalain's last week.

Some of the young men find it more expensive to keep up a bicycle than a horse and carriage that will take their best girls along.

Some of the orchards about here are being stripped of leaves by the army tent caterpillar.

A big house full of relatives and friends witnessed the marriage of Springfield Leach and Miss Nettie Wood, at the home of the bride on Wednesday of last week.

Henry Hudson's team of horses ran away last week and got tangled in a barb wire fence and cut up badly.

Fred Glenn will soon be living in his new house. The wall is all done and the house is to be erected next month.

There will be a fair held in Chelsea this fall that will outdo all previous efforts.

An Ideal Panacea. James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

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Maachester. Walter C. Mack, of Ann Arbor, was in town last Thursday on business. Howard Macomber is spending a few days at home. Miss Dora Schultz spent Sunday with friends in Clinton.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers of real estate have been received at the office of the register of deeds, between May 14 and 20 inclusive:

Sellick Wood and wife to Joseph B. Steere, Pittsfield, \$612.71. Richard Decker, by sheriff, to Henrietta Clarkson, executrix, Manchester, \$395.

Pittsburgh Excursions. Via Pennsylvania Short Lines May 24th, 25th and 26th, account Prohibition National Convention, and on June 6th, 7th and 8th, for North America Saengerfest.

Milan. The M. E. ladies held their tea social at the Methodist parsonage. There was a large attendance.

Webb Blackmer is on the sick list. The material for the Sill & Menta block is being drawn on the ground ready for work.

J. Sprague, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. G. R. Williams, Monday.

Wm. Woolcott has returned from his Detroit sojourn. Mrs. Chas. Sill is ill with the grip.

Mrs. Nancrede and Johnson, of Ann Arbor, were in Milan, Saturday, to perform a surgical operation on R. Braun.

Mrs. Hinkley visited friends in Tecumseh Wednesday. Rev. H. F. Shier and wife visited Ypsilanti, Tuesday.

W. E. Sprague, of Jackson, was the guest of Attorney and Mrs. G. R. Williams, Wednesday.

Mrs. Eugene Wisdom and family, of Shepard, were the guests of Mrs. W.'s parents Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Pyle entertained guests from Ann Arbor over Sunday. Rev. J. P. Hutchinson was so very ill Monday at Dr. Messie's that he was unable to return to his home in Ann Arbor.

Webster. Owen Gilmore made his wife a present of a fine new bicycle last Saturday. School closes Friday at the Merrill schoolhouse after a nine months' term. Miss Wylie, the teacher, has been engaged again for next year.

The Growth of an Idea. It is less than a quarter of a century since a young medical student startled his classmates and professors in the college, where he was pursuing his studies, by advancing the theory that, the derangement of the nerves, which form their centers in the brain lead to the heart and other vital organs, and thence diverge to every part of the body, where a more potent factor in the production of disease, and where more frequently diseases, than the organs themselves; and that physicians were most frequently mistaken in that they considered the organ diseased when the real trouble was in the nerves controlling the organ.

This young student is now Dr. Franklin Miles, LL. B., widely known as the greatest specialist of the day in diseases of the nerves and heart. And his theories, that two score of years ago were laughed at by the great body of expert students of physics, and contemptuously ignored by the profound eminent scientists, have become the object of study and investigation by leading medical authorities the world over; while Dr. Miles' discovery of a remedy in the great Restorative Nervine bearing his name and used in his practice continually for twenty years or more, has been imitated, although never equaled, by compounds and combinations without number.

We regret we have not room for quotations on this very interesting topic, identical though they are in many cases word for word and line for line, with Dr. Miles' articles of twenty years ago. But to those requesting it, either of Dr. Miles' recent books, "New and Startling Facts," or "A New Era Dawning in Medical Science," may be obtained free, by addressing the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., and mentioning this paper.

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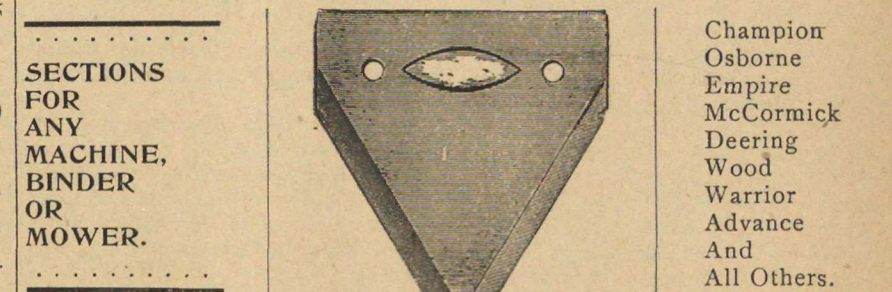
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HARPER'S WEEKLY ON MCKINLEY

Harper's Weekly, which cannot be accused of democracy, has the following editorial under the heading of The Advanced Agent of Bankruptcy, which will well repay perusal. It appears in the issue of May 16, 1896:

"If, as seems likely, Mr. McKinley is to be the candidate of the republican party, his nomination will be logical and fitting if the chief object of the party is to be the maintenance of high tariff taxation at any cost, even the cost of an unsound currency and of national dishonor. This is what Mr. McKinley stands for, and his supporters, led by men who have made vast sums of money from a system of taxation of which he is the chief apostle, and who favor him in anticipation of what he can again accomplish for their pecuniary profit, are calling him the 'advance agent of prosperity.'"

"This is to be the McKinley cry of the campaign; but it is a false and misleading cry, and if the Republican delegates to the national convention adopt it and the man, they will find themselves, long before election day arrives, face to face with stubborn facts that prove the falsehood of the McKinley pretence that he and his tariff law brought prosperity with them."

"Mr. McKinley was the leader of the house of representatives from 1889 to 1891. During that time he secured the enactment of his tariff law. He also took an active and a leading part in the passage of the so-called Sherman silver-purchase act, which added \$200,000,000 to our stock of silver and nearly \$150,000,000 to our demand paper."

He was the leader of the house when the expenditures of the government were so greatly increased that that congress was called the 'billion-dollar congress.' Some of his friends speak of him as the author of the reciprocity treaties with South American states and as therefore, entitled to the credit of whatever increase of commerce was gained through them. But in the first place, those treaties were not of great advantage to the producers of the country, and were of no benefit whatever to the consumers; and, in the second place, they were invented by Mr. Blaine as part of his South American policy, and their adoption was compelled by him against Mr. McKinley's opposition. While Mr. McKinley was not the author or friend of his partial reciprocity policy, he is responsible for the bounty system under which the public money was frankly given to persons engaged in private enterprises, while the door was thereby opened for the admission into the Treasury of a horde of socialistic schemes of plunder, a few of which have been recently enumerated in the Weekly."

Speaker Reed has evidently given up hope of the republican nomination and we again hear his picturesque remarks. It is only the other day that he remarked that this seems to be a year for bugs, that we hear much of the gold bug and the silver bug and that over in Ohio they seem to have the straddle bug. A day or two later, when some one spoke of McKinley as the 'advance agent of prosperity,' Reed said when he was a boy it was a great day when the advance agent of a circus came to town. He put up flaming posters, depicting droves of elephants, gorgeous chariots, daring acrobatic feats, etc. But the performance never came up to the posters. Instead of a drove of elephants there was usually one lone lop-eared elephant, a dromedary or two and a dingy conveyance or so, called chariots, but there was always one good acrobat who could straddle two horses."

"His boasted tariff bill began to operate in the fiscal year 1891, and its effects were felt until the fiscal year 1894. Under this act the rate of duty increased from 44.41 per cent to 50.06 per cent. The value of the foreign commerce of the country fell from \$1,647,139,093 in 1890 to \$1,547,135,194 in 1894. The values of our importations decreased in the same period from \$780,310,409 to \$645,994,623. A falling off of nearly \$135,000,000 in the annual importations must affect the public revenues, and accordingly we find that while this 'advance agent of prosperity' was at the head of the ways and means committee he succeeded in reducing the government's yearly income from customs duties from \$229,668,585 the customs receipts of 1890, to \$131,818,831, the customs receipts of 1894."

"This 'advance agent of prosperity' promoted the passage of the Sherman silver law. It was this law which dragged down the Treasury to its present condition and brought upon the country the panic, from the effects of which we will not recover until the commercial and financial world believes that there is no longer any danger that the United States will embark in a free-coinage-of-silver enterprise. But Mr. McKinley favored the Sherman act because it was the next best thing to free coinage, and if he shall be elected president he will not veto dangerous money legislation, nor offend the populists by issuing bonds to maintain the credit of the government. As we have already said, Mr. McKinley was the leader of the house in the congress which, by reason of its extravagance, was known as the 'billion-dollar congress.' The first fiscal year for which Mr. McKinley's and Mr. Reed's congress appropriated was that of 1891, and in that year the appropriations increased over those for 1890 by more than \$70,000,000, while for 1890 there was a still further increase of about \$36,000,000. Not only were the immediate expenditures of the government increased, but an inheritance of extravagance was left by this remarkable congress, until now the Republicans, once more in power in both houses of congress, are showing that they are still under the impulse and stimulus of the palmy days of the 'advance agent of prosperity.' They have therefore passed appropriation bills that will necessitate the increase of the public debt by at least \$100,000,000. How extravagance has bred extravagance, and what may be expected from a McKinley administration, may be learned by the statement made the other day

by Senator Gorman. His enumeration of the amounts now called for by the appropriations of the present session of congress shows that the enormous expenditure of \$520,000,000 has been authorized by the law-making power. If this vast sum were to be expended in a single year, the government would be forced to borrow nearly \$200,000,000 within the next twelve months to meet the obligations imposed upon it by those who seem to be clamoring for another experience with the 'advance agent of prosperity.'

"We find, therefore, that Mr. McKinley, instead of promoting prosperity, is largely responsible for the commercial and financial disasters under which the country has been suffering. He was the author of the tariff law under which the revenues of the government decreased \$98,000,000; and he was an active participator and leader in financial legislation and in legislative extravagance which stripped the treasury of the money which was left there by Mr. Cleveland at the end of his first term, which brought a panic upon the country, and which threatens to load the government with new indebtedness. Under the McKinley system the treasury has lost its surplus, the business of the country has been disturbed, bankruptcies have increased, the public debt has been augmented, we have for years been in danger of becoming a silver monometallic country, while the expenditures of the government have increased in ten years by nearly 200 per cent. For two years the expenditures of the government have exceeded its receipts, and soon for a third time we are to find the balance on the wrong side of the books."

"While the McKinley system of statesmanship has been accomplishing all this for the United States, we learn from the budget speech of the British Chancellor of the Exchequer that the opposite system has brought to England unheard-of prosperity. There the government has a surplus almost as large as the deficiency which we expect at the end of the present fiscal year, and there the expenditures grew by only 38 per cent while ours were increased by 200 per cent. Which is the more pleasing prospect to Americans who love their country, and who believe that it ought to be the foremost land of the world, not only in riches and power, but in the practice of a political morality which teaches that the money of the government should be honest, its expenditures wise and economical, and its taxation for the public welfare? Shall we go back to the system of the advance agent of bankruptcy, or shall we insist that our public finances shall be administered by men of common-sense and common honesty?"

It is now thought that the republican state convention to nominate a candidate for governor will be held in the latter part of August. This is a scheme to tire the Pingreeites out before the convention. It is very evident that the republican leaders do not desire a man to be a candidate in a republican convention until he has first consulted with the republican bosses. This in Pingree's greatest fault in their eyes.

Hon. J. Wirt Newkirk, of Dexter, is evidently a candidate for probate judge on the republican ticket. He is a hustler and has joined all the societies in sight and often visits neighboring lodges. This probably has nothing to do with the judgeship, but all the me, Mr. Newkirk is a hustler.

Doings at the Y. M. C. A. The Bicycle Club make a run out on the motor road every Wednesday night. The party last week numbered nineteen.

Tuesday evening the chairmen of committees of the Y. M. C. A. were entertained at the home of G. G. Stinson, No. 8 Maynard st. Plans of work were freely discussed and carefully arranged. Deep interest in the work was shown by all present, and their ardor seemed not to be cooled by the delicious ice cream and cake served them at the close by their host.

The Ann Arbor Association holds fourth place among the Y. M. C. A.'s of Lower Michigan in point of attendance at its Sunday meetings, being surpassed only by Detroit, Grand Rapids, and Kalamazoo. Probably but few have ever asked themselves, "What is the color of sin?" But next Sunday A. E. Mummery will endeavor to illustrate by chemical experiments what is the color of sin. His talk will be given at the Association room at 2:45 p. m.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Chris. Donnelly has let the contract for his new house on E. Catherine st. to Henry G. Pipp, the builder.

About 100 people took in the first excursion of the season to Toledo via the Ann Arbor road last Sunday.

Six applications for the civil service examinations have been received—three for mail carrier and three for clerk.

On account of the May Festival the rehearsal of the Lyra Maennerchor will be postponed until Monday evening, May 25, at 9 o'clock sharp.

Mrs. Julia A. Myer, wife of John A. Myer, of 15 1/2 Fountain st., died early this morning, aged 25 years. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon.

A joint debate between the high school lyceum No. 1. and the Crescent society of the Normal school, will be held at high school hall next Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Parker, of Northfield, was thrown from her buggy yesterday morning through her horse becoming frightened at a street car on S. Main st. She received some severe bruises.

A lawn social for the benefit of the German M. E. church will be given on the lawn of the second ward school-house, next Thursday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served for the modest sum of 15c.

Dot Tremaine, a young woman arrested Wednesday night by Officer Peterson, was tried in Justice Pond's court yesterday afternoon on a charge of prostitution. She plead guilty and was fined \$10 and \$4.70 costs, in default to go to jail for 10 days.

Goodspeed Bros. have inaugurated a special cut rate sale of shoes at their store which they announce in the advertising columns of the Argus today. They purchased the shoe stock of Randall, Argard & Co., of Grand Rapids at 65 cents on the dollar and are disposing of the goods at proportionate prices.

Several joint meetings have lately been held by the directors of the Ann Arbor Street Railway Co. and the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Street Railway Co., better known as the motor line, looking to the equipping of the latter line with electricity and running the two as one line. An agreement has been practically entered into to do this and it is expected that work will be commenced at once.

The May session of the board of regents of the U. of M. was quite a long one. The bequest of Dr. Anna E. P. Marsh was reported appraised at \$2,900, and its final disposition is still in doubt. The division of the library fund was discussed. Professors were requested to visit all classes in their departments of work at regular intervals. Yesterday's executive session was taken up with the question of the appointments and next year's budget.

Ann Arbor Chapter, No. 122, O. E. S., initiated a class of 17 members Wednesday evening. Twelve of the members of Ypsilanti Chapter and visitors from other chapters were present. The work of the officers, who were clad in their new robes, was the best they have ever done and was much appreciated. The lantern and slides were used in illustrating the degree work. After the degree had been conferred refreshments were served and a brief social session was enjoyed.

University hall was filled last evening at the first of the May Festival concerts, but there was none of last year's overcrowding. It was a Wagner evening the first part being scenes from "Lohengrin," with Frau Lohse-Klafsky as Elsa, Barron Berthold in the title role, Miss Gertrude Stein as Ortrud, Max Heinrich as Telramund and the Herald, and Gardner S. Lamson as the King. It was a beautiful concert and at the close of the first part Frau Klafsky and Mr. Lamson were presented with some elegant floral tributes.

Wm. G. Burchfield arrived home from Texas City, Texas, yesterday morning, where he has been staying for several months past. It is said of William that he never yet came home from a lengthy absence without giving his numerous friends a surprise and he certainly sprung a good one on them this time. By means of having let his hair and whiskers grow and dressing himself up like a farmer in blue overalls, striped linen coat and a broad brimmed felt hat with smoked spectacles astride his nose, the jolly ex-tailor went around town fooling even his best friends. Among those taken in were his son, S. W. Burchfield, Jas. E. Harkins, Sheriff Judson and the junior proprietor of the Argus. But William came near getting a dose of his own medicine. He donned the disguise on the train at Milan and when the conductor came along Burch. had to get his wife to identify him so that he should not have to pay his fare to Ann Arbor a second time.

SATURDAY A HUMMER

Last week we advertised the purchase of (1600) Sixteen Hundred (1600) suits of Men's Clothing, which we bought at our own price in the East the week before; and it was a pleasure to see them go out. Every suit is an ad for us and this week we expect to be crowded with buyers.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Commander Shakespeare Asks for a General Observance.

Department Commander William Shakespeare of the Michigan G. A. R. has issued general order No. 4, directed to all the veterans of the state, and urging them on to a proper observance of Memorial Day. He invites the co-operation of every citizen, of every veteran, members of the W. R. C., S. of V., P. O. S. of A., and P. O. D. of A. besides the hosts of school children, to participate in the day's celebration; he recommends that every soldier's grave where located be properly decorated and cared for, even though it be hidden in obscurity, and adds: "Let it be noted in Michigan that Memorial Day, 1896, be specially observed in every village and town. Let all efforts to turn the day into one of games and pleasure, for pecuniary benefit, or into one of amusements that shall incline the youthful mind away from the sentiment of patriotic loyalty, intended to be the lesson of the day, be earnestly opposed and if possible prevented."

Sheriff Judson's Portrait.

The Grass Lake News contains the following on our sheriff and his portrait, which recently appeared in the Detroit Tribune:

"While in Detroit attending the state convention Sheriff Judson, of Ann Arbor, was measured for his portrait by a Tribune artist. Jud told the fellow over and over again to depict him in a pair of blue overalls, with a big patch on the neutral ground just below the left hip pocket, balanced by a hole eight inches to the right stuffed with straw, and enjoined him by no means to omit a pair of felt boots reaching to the knee. He explained that if loaned this aspect of Jeffersonian simplicity it would give his electioneering schemes a shoot ahead next fall in the rural districts at home. He then handed a picture fiend a fifty cent tip and felt good. But judge of his horror next day on beholding himself in the above named paper dressed in a high toned claw hammer coat, a white vest with half an acre of shirt bosom in sight, his head crowned with a silk tile, a gold headed one under his arm and between his lips a twenty-five cent Havana! Having a grudge against him the soundrels of the Tribune took this underhanded way of relegating him to oblivion. Jud informed us next day by telephone that he was a ruined man adding, as his deep, rich tones faltered, "Thus is the Eiffel Tower of old Washtenaw brought crashing to the ground!"

Not Very Grateful Students.

The Ann Arbor Railroad officials are provoked at the U. of M. Wrinkle. After placing a free passenger train at the disposal of the managers of the Women's Gymnasium fund and the University Dramatic Club, Wrinkle expresses its thanks in this way: "Julius Caesar had again to die last week at Toledo. It's bad enough to die in Detroit or Ann Arbor, but Toledo—ye gods forbid! But then it is enough to kill anybody to ride to Toledo on the Ann Arbor road. The only wonder is Cinna, Marc Antony, First Citizen, and the Mob didn't expire with him."

The Ann Arbor officials will probably retaliate by saying: "No more free trains to the University people hereafter."—Washtenaw Evening Times. They will be in the right of it, if they do.

Will Not Celebrate This Year.

Very few of the 64 people whose names were on the call for a meeting to consider the advisability of celebrating the Fourth of July in Ann Arbor this year, were present at the meeting last Friday night. Those who were there concluded that the lack of interest in the affair was too apparent to warrant them taking any steps in the matter. They were, however, firmly of the opinion that Ann Arbor should have a big celebration next year, and that it should be held on Saturday, as the Fourth comes on Sunday, so that everybody can come to town and help in making it a success. It was also thought best to commence making the arrangements at least six months ahead, in order to secure bands, military companies, etc., before other places can get in ahead of us.

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ARGUS AUGURIES.

Friday, May 22, at 3 p. m.—Symphony concert in May Festival series. Miscellaneous concert at 8 p. m.

Saturday, May 23, 2:30 p. m.—Orchestral matinee in May Festival series. First performance in Michigan of "Samson and Delilah," by Saint-Saens, at 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, May 23—Meeting of the Washtenaw County Teachers' Association, at Chelsea.

Thursday, May 28—A. G. Fields' Minstrels, at the Grand Opera House.

Thursday, May 28—Monthly tea social of Arbor Hive, L. O. T. M., at Maccabee hall, 6 p. m.

Friday, May 29—Joint debate between Lyceum No. 1 of A. A. H. S. and Crescent of State Normal, at High school hall.

Friday, May 29—Chi Psi and Phi Delta Phi fraternity banquets, at Detroit.

Saturday, May 30—Varsity vs. Chicago at Detroit.

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Saturday, June 6—University Masonic Club banquet.

Thursday, June 11—Elks' excursion to Detroit.

Friday, June 12—Tenth annual June Festival of the St. Thomas' Conservatory of Music.

Tuesday, June 16—Republican National Convention, St. Louis, Mo.

Tuesday, July 7—Democratic National Convention, Chicago.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Two people were baptised at the First Baptist church, Sunday night.

Nine persons joined the Trinity English Lutheran church yesterday.

The next banquet of the University Masonic Club will take place at Prettyman's, June 6.

The two bridges over the Huron river are to be replanked at once with 2½ inch oak plank.

The new Grace Lutheran church will hold services in the Adventist church, corner of S. Division and E. Liberty sts., next Sunday.

Carl Burg, who migrated westward in company with John Sachs, a printer, a few weeks ago, returned home from his wanderings last Saturday morning.

Justice Andrew E. Gibson performed the ceremony which united in the bonds of matrimony Isaac Hardy and Miss Hattie Ughbanks, of Ypsilanti, last Friday.

Herbert Benedict, of Jackson, champion 35 mile runner of Michigan, ran 10 miles at the fair ground, Thursday of last week, in one hour and ten minutes.

The annual election of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held Monday evening, June 1. A list of the nominations will be found at the rooms.

Mothers' meetings at the Young Women's Christian Association rooms every Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This is a free meeting. All are welcome.

The Second Gas Engine Co. is the name of a firm that has leased the Hunter foundry on E. Huron st., and is already busily engaged in the manufacture of gas engines.

Louis Boes, organist and choir-master of the Zion Lutheran church choir, is busy drilling his chorists for the production of the cantata "Jerusalem" in Zion church, Friday evening, May 29.

Mrs. Emil Golz was thrown out of her buggy Thursday afternoon of last week on S. Main st., near Madison, by the horse becoming frightened at the stone crusher which was at work in the stone yard near by. She was painfully although not seriously injured by the fall.

There was a crowd of 100 people at the different houses around Zukey, Strawberry and Island lakes, last Sunday. The action of the high wind upon the water prevented any but the more venturesome or those who liked hard rowing from going out on the water, however.

The vested choir of St. Andrew's church were treated to a spread of ice cream and cake at Harris hall last Friday evening, after choir rehearsal by Rev. L. T. Cole. It was much enjoyed by the little fellows, who are always happy at receiving such recognition of their singing services.

The Anniversary Meeting of the Young Woman's Christian Association will be held at the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, May 24. Program will consist of music, reports of the year's work and an address by Rev. J. M. Gelston. For almost the first time in the history of this society, a collection will be taken.

The city ordinance relative to the pushing of carts on the sidewalk will hereafter be strictly enforced.

Wm. G. Weimer will erect for himself a new residence on W. Third st., for which Chas. A. Sauer drew the plans.

Prof. G. P. Coler, of this city, began a Bible institute at Owosso last evening. It will continue during three days.

Branch No. 14, C. M. B. A., of this city attended mass and received Holy Communion at St. Thomas' church, Sunday afternoon.

Wm. H. Shetterly, of Kalamazoo, brother to C. J. and A. J. Shetterly, of this city, has been granted a patent on a hammock spreader.

With the performance to be given next Thursday evening by A. G. Field's minstrels, the regular amusement season of the Grand opera house will close.

The Ann Arbor Democrat at last Friday gravely remarks: "Yesterday was Whitsun-day." That is the first time we ever heard of Whitsun-day coming on a Thursday.

The last lecture in the Wesleyan Guild lecture course will be delivered by Rev. Dr. George H. Neven, of Milwaukee, Wis., next Sunday evening at 7:30, in the Methodist church.

The little four year old girl of Prof. Henry L. Coar, of Hamilton park, was playing around a bonfire Friday morning, when her clothing caught fire. Before the fire could be extinguished her back was badly blistered.

The law faculty will grant a diploma to Thomas J. Mahon, of Detroit, who had his legs cut off by a railroad train at West Detroit two weeks ago tonight. He was a fine student and would have graduated in June.

The Ypsilanti Light Guards have declined the invitation of the Ann Arbor Light Infantry to go into camp at Whitmore Lake, July 4 and 5, on the ground that they do not care to "go into camp and do guard duty for two days."

Next Friday, May 29, is Patriotic Day. It will be celebrated by the grammar grades of the city schools by exercises in the high school chapel. H. R. Pattengill, state superintendent of public instruction, will deliver an address. An interesting program has been prepared.

At the last meeting of the High School S. C. A. the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Walter Himes; first vice president, Miss Cady; second vice president, Miss Cooley; secretary, Miss Bancroft; treasurer, Markham Cheever; pianist, Miss Bradshaw; Bulletin editor, Edward Boylan.

The Ypsilanti reporter of the Washtenaw Evening Times seems to carry the idea that Rev. Dr. Ryan, of that city, carries a chip on his shoulder all the time. He says: "Wonder if Dr. Ryan will not be awful mad when he returns and finds that there has been a school fight going on and he has not been here to take part in it."

The Great Camp of the K. O. T. M., from Port Huron, will be in Ann Arbor next Wednesday evening and will exemplify the new ritual before Arbor Tent, No. 269, Johnson Tent, No. 783, and other visiting members. It is proposed to adopt this ritual at the meeting of the great camp if it finds favor in the sight of the rank and file of the order.

S. R. Gregory and John Nowlin will make a tour of the city repairing sidewalks that are not properly repaired by their owners. The cost of this work will be assessed against the property. A city ordinance gives the necessary authority to the street commissioner to have this done without further notification, and it is under his appointment that Messrs. Gregory and Nowlin are working.

A great many people wondered on Friday morning why the water from their hydrants was so discolored. Later in the day it was easily explained when it was learned that there had been a heavy cloudburst near the waterworks and the great body of water had flooded everything. Considerable minor damage was done especially along the line of Allen's creek, where gardens were washed out, etc.

James B. Saunders, has recently been in correspondence with the U. S. government to obtain the necessary blanks to procure headstones to put at the head of the graves of deceased soldiers. Ten years ago he did the same thing and as a result 45 graves of deceased comrades were marked. Relatives can assist Mr. Saunders in his work by furnishing him with the name, rank, company and date of death of deceased soldiers.

A number of sophomore rowdies who were in search of the freshmen banquet toastmaster on Thursday night of last week, completely mired the newly seeded lawn in front of George W. Butler's house, corner Monroe and Thayer sts., by trampling all over it. Besides this they made the night hideous with their yells and one young man, more destructive than the rest, threw an empty beer bottle through an expensive plate of beveled plate glass. Their supposition that the toastmaster was in hiding there was the cause of the ruffianly demonstration.

McClure's Magazine for June will contain a series of fifteen portraits of Mark Twain, the earliest taken nearly thirty years ago at Constantinople, the latest taken only a few months ago at Sydney, Australia. The Lincoln paper will describe Lincoln in his familiar, every-day relations with his family, friends, and neighbors, at the time of his return to Springfield after serving a term in congress. It will contain a number of new facts and anecdotes and will present Lincoln in one of his most attractive aspects. The paper will be fully illustrated.

John George Staebler has been granted a pension. It was obtained through W. K. Childs' agency.

The Political Equality Club meets Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Soule, 4 S. University ave. All interested are invited.

The junior dental class gave a very delightful party at Granger's academy on Wednesday evening. About 40 couples were present and enjoyed a very pleasant time.

E. P. Hall, captain of the high school team that will take part in the inter-high school meet at Lansing, May 29 and 30, requests that all candidates come out to the fair grounds every afternoon at 8:30 o'clock. A competent trainer has been secured.

The high school department of the Epworth League held its annual election Monday evening and chose the following officers: President, W. J. Antcliff; vice president, Miss Bain. The meeting was closed with a social hour one of the features of which was the serving of ice cream.

Next Sunday is Whitsunday and the services in St. Andrew's Episcopal church will be: 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., morning prayer; 10:30 a. m., second celebration of Holy Communion and sermon by the rector; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon by Rev. L. T. Cole.

In the circuit court on Monday, Judge Kinne in the case of Achsah Anna North vs. Elizabeth Lum, et al., dissolved the injunction preventing the defendant from disposing of the property of the Merchant H. Goodrich estate or otherwise encumbering it and also refused to appoint the receiver asked for.

The Washtenaw Evening Times is authority for the following: "One of Ann Arbor's hearses was in attendance at a funeral in this city Sunday. On the return trip the driver picked up four U. of M. students who got inside and were driven to Ann Arbor as real live weight. Perhaps they were getting in training for a ride after the Chicago game."

W. H. S. Wood, of Howell, is in the city in the interest of the fraternal insurance organization of the Loyal Guard. Although one of the youngest of its kind, having only been started 15 months, the Loyal Guard has a membership of very close on to 5,000. Mr. Wood is endeavoring to interest enough of our citizens in the order to get a lodge started here.

On Tuesday evening at the home of her father, John G. Wild, 20 W. Fourth st., Miss Minnie Wild was united in marriage to Mr. Gottlieb Bruegel, the ceremony being performed by Rev. John Neumann. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties were present. The young people have gone to house-keeping at the corner of N. Fifth ave. and Summit st.

Ann Arbor Commandery, No. 13, K. T., held its annual Ascension Day exercises and decorated the graves of deceased fraters in Forest Hill cemetery, on Sunday afternoon. Fifty members of the commandery were in line and marched to the grave of Judge Hiram J. Beakes, where the services were held and an eloquent and appropriate address was given by Rev. W. L. Tedrow. Rev. Wm. Gardam, of Ypsilanti, delivered the prayer. A large number of citizens were present and witnessed the interesting ceremonies.

There is only one \$10,000 United States note in existence, and that has never been issued, but is kept in the treasury as a specimen. There are three \$5,000 greenbacks. Two of them are in the treasury; the third was paid out several years ago, and is probably in the vault of some bank, because it has never been heard from since. One thousand dollar notes are numerous. There are 74,146 in circulation, and over 15,000 \$500 notes, 237,000 \$100 notes, 260,000 \$50 notes, 409,245 \$20 notes, 34,924 \$10 notes, and 1,152,786 \$5 notes in circulation.

"Praise God from whom all blessing flow," sang the choir, and the fellow felt around for his rubbers. "Praise Him all creatures here below," the man had slipped them both on and is reaching for his coat. "Praise Him above ye heavenly host," and he has switched himself into the coat, though some of those near him have received several punches during the operation. "Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost," by this time he is fishing the gloves out of his pocket, and by the time the preacher says "Amen," he has them on and snatching for his hat he rushes for the door; when once on the street, he stands and watches every one come out.

The National Educational Association will meet in Buffalo, July 3-10, and a lengthy program has been prepared for the occasion. Among the prominent Ann Arbor educators who will take part in the deliberations of the great body of teachers are the following: Prof. H. N. Chute is the chairman of the round table on natural sciences; Prof. B. A. Hinsdale will take part in the discussion of the subject "What is a secondary school?"; D. W. Springer is vice president of the business education conference, and will take part in the discussion on the curriculum of business high schools; Prof. H. S. Carhart will give an address on physics, and Prof. P. C. Freer one on chemistry in the natural science instruction department.

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A class of 45 law students will be admitted to practice in the circuit court next Monday.

The Y. M. C. A. lyceum committee is at work securing a course of entertainments for next year.

J. F. Sohls has the contract to do the plumbing in Paul Szable's new house on S. Division st.

Alfred Spaulding had his hand painfully crushed by some machinery at the Ann Arbor Manufacturing Co.'s factory on Tuesday.

On account of the May Festival concert, the program party at the University School of Dancing tomorrow evening will not begin until 9:30. Dancing until 12.

Miss May Turner died at her parents' home on N. Main st., just beyond the Ann Arbor railroad bridge, on Sunday, of consumption, aged 18 years. Her remains were taken to Chatham, Ont., for burial on Monday.

Dr. C. M. Coburn made a good suggestion at the M. E. general conference in Cleveland one day last week, when he moved to change the time of the meeting of that body from once in four years to once in six years. It costs \$2,500 a day to run that body.

A special meeting of the legal voters of Ann Arbor District No. 1, called by the district board, will be held at the supervisors' room in the court house, on Monday, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of voting on the question of building an addition to the Third ward school.

Becker's Military Band was pleasantly entertained at the home of Titus F. Hutzler, on W. Washington st., Wednesday evening. B. F. Becker is its leader and organizer and the band consists of 23 members. The band will shortly be uniformed in neat suits which it is hoped will arrive in time to allow it to play at Jackson on Memorial Day.

Notice has been received at the Ann Arbor postoffice that it is one of the offices that will soon be supplied with the receiving stamps which give the weather report. The time of receiving each letter is stamped on the back of the envelope at the receiving office and reads, for instance, like this: "Ann Arbor, Mich., May 20, 6 a. m., 1896, received." The new stamps will have in addition to this in a ring outside of the present style of stamp, the condition of the weather like this: "Fair and slightly warmer," or whatever the state of the weather may be.

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Dubuque, Ia., May 21.—The following delegates to Chicago were selected at the meetings Wednesday morning by the delegates from the various congressional districts...

Delegates Crowd the Theatre. Nearly 1,000 delegates to the Democratic state convention, two-thirds of them wearing white silk badges with a picture of ex-Governor Boies and the inscription: "Free coinage, 16 to 1, and Horace Boies for president..."

Free Silver and Nothing Else. The entire delegation to Chicago, except those from the First and Second districts will be silver men. The platform will declare for free silver and nothing else.

When the convention reassembled the committee on rules and permanent organization reported in favor of E. M. Carr of Delaware county as permanent chairman.

BLAND TALKS FREE SILVER.

Says That if the Gold Standard is Adopted at Louis the Republicans Will Split. St. Louis, May 21.—Ex-Congressman Richard P. Bland, Missouri's candidate for the nomination for president of the United States at the hands of the Democratic party, has arrived in St. Louis.

New Hampshire Democrats. Concord, N. H., May 21.—The New Hampshire Democratic state convention met Wednesday to choose delegates at large to the national convention.

To Confer with Morton. Albany, N. Y., May 21.—Ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt, State Senator Joseph Mullin, Speaker Hamilton Fish and James M. E. O'Grady of Rochester arrived here Wednesday for a conference with Governor Morton.

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THE DISTRICT PLAN.

Maccabees Will Again Try to Reduce the Great Camp Representation.

At the annual convention of the Michigan Great Camp, Knights of the Maccabees, to be held at Saginaw in June, the district convention plan will again be agitated. Three different positions are to be presented for the consideration of the delegates...

Fish Left High and Dry. LINWOOD, Mich., May 21.—By the recent heavy gale the water in Saginaw bay was driven out two or three miles from shore and thousands of fish were left high and dry on the bottom of the bay.

Cholera in Cairo. LONDON, May 21.—A Cairo dispatch to The Standard says that a death from cholera is reported among the Egyptian troops at Tourah Tuesday.

Strikers Return to Work. CLEVELAND, May 21.—One thousand men who have been idle for the past ten days as a result of the strike at the shipyards of the Globe Iron company, returned to work Wednesday.

To Bring About Reconciliation. LONDON, May 21.—At a meeting of the anti-Parnellite members of the house of commons Wednesday, Mr. John Dillon presiding, it was resolved to make an earnest effort to bring about reconciliation with the Parnellites...

Michigan Central Excursion Rates.

Grand Jubilee, K. O. T. M., Jackson.—One and one-third rate for the round trip. Tickets sold June 4, return June 5. June 2.—One way reduced rates to points in the South.

Republican National Convention, St. Louis, June 16, 1896.—Rate of one first class limited rate for the round trip. Tickets sold on June 12, 13, 14 and 15, limited to return June 21.

Democratic National Convention, Chicago, July 7.—Rate of one fare for the round trip. Date of sale, July 3, 4, 5 and 6. Return limited July 12.

National Convention of Prohibition Party, Pittsburg, May 27-29.—One fare for round trip. Date of sale, May 24, 25 and 26. Return limited May 30.

Christian Endeavor Meeting, Washington, D. C., July 7-13.—One first class limited rate for the round trip. Date of sale, July 4, 5, 6 and 7. Return limited July 15.

Camp meeting, Eaton Rapids, July 22 to Aug. 3.—One fare for round trip. Date of sale, July 21 to August 1 inclusive. Return limited, Aug. 4, 1896.

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H. C. Jennings Also Elected Agent at Cincinnati with Curtis—The General Methodist Conference Votes Against Changing the Rule Against Dancing and Theatres—Sale of Liquor in the National Capitol Denounced—Business Transacted.

CLEVELAND, May 21.—Bishop Foster presided Wednesday at the Methodist conference and the first half hour was devoted to an attempt to prevent such scenes of confusion as attended the nominations Tuesday.

Sale of Liquor at the Capitol. Resolutions denouncing as disgraceful the sale of intoxicating liquor in the Capitol at Washington and commending the bill reported by the house committee prohibiting it, were adopted.

Rule Prohibiting Certain Amusements. At this point the second ballot on the Cincinnati Book Concern was announced. The whole number of votes cast was 497, making 249 necessary to a choice.

Dr. J. B. Graw of New Jersey violently opposed any change. Dr. Berry said he had carefully investigated the desires of the young people and on behalf of the young people of the church he protested against any change.

Dr. Manis Elected. The fourth ballot on agent for New York was announced. In all 509 votes were cast, making 255 necessary to a choice.

The Johannesburg Reformers. PRETORIA, May 21.—The sentences of the leaders of the Johannesburg reformers it was announced Wednesday, will stand over for the present, and in the meanwhile, sentences of fifteen years' imprisonment have been substituted for the sentences of death imposed upon Colonel Rhodes, John Hays Hammond, Lionel Phillips and George Farrar.

Milwaukee Street Car Strike. MILWAUKEE, May 21.—The street railway strikers are suddenly continuing their warfare and boycott against the railway company.

Contractor Fatally Injured. BOSTON HARBOR, Mich., May 21.—D. McKellar, a wealthy contractor, and L. Price, a carpenter, fell twenty feet Wednesday with a scaffold that collapsed under them.

Baptist Publication Society. ASBURY PARK, N. J., May 21.—The seventy-second anniversary of the American Baptist Publication society began Wednesday in the Auditorium.

Forest Fires in New Hampshire. PORTSMOUTH, May 21.—Forest fires in this vicinity continue to spread in spite of the efforts of scores of residents to check the progress of the flames.

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Memorial Day Order.

F. Pistorius, Commander of Welch Post, G. A. R., of this city, has issued the following orders relative to the exercises of Decoration Day:

1. In obedience to general orders from national headquarters, Memorial Day, Saturday, May 30, will be observed by this Post.

2. Each comrade will report at the Post Room at 8 a. m., Saturday, May 30, 1896.

3. A detachment will be conveyed to St. Thomas' cemetery, starting at 9 o'clock sharp, who will properly decorate the graves of our departed comrades there; and on its return to the court house, the Post will fall in and march to Forest Hill cemetery, where services in accordance with the ritual will be observed, after which the graves will be decorated; the Post re-assembled and marched back to hall to disband.

4. The comrades will assemble at the Post Room at 1 o'clock sharp, and as soon thereafter as possible fall in and march down to Huron st., east on Huron to opposite the south door of court house, where they will be joined by Joe T. Jacobs Camp, S. of V., Co. A, M. N. G., and such other organizations and citizens, either on foot or in carriages, as wish to join with them in the exercises of the day.

5. The comrades will again assemble at the Post Room at 7 p. m. and march to the University to take part in the services to be observed in University hall.

6. All old soldiers are cordially invited to fall in with the Post, thus lending their assistance in observing the exercises of the day.

7. The comrades will assemble at the Post Room on Sunday morning, May 24, and be ready to march at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp, for the purpose of listening to a memorial sermon at the Unitarian church.

8. The comrades will assemble at the Post Room on Friday, May 29, at 1:30 p. m., and march to the High School hall for the purpose of attending Patriot's Day exercises to be held there.

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Storm of Wind and Rain. A terrific wind and rainstorm struck Ypsilanti and vicinity Thursday afternoon and evening of last week and did quite a little damage. The wind came up between 6 and 7 o'clock and lasted for 20 minutes, blowing with terrific force and was succeeded by a cloudburst of rain.

The wind did the most damage in the country, many trees being blown down across the highways. At Whitaker the roof of Alfred Smith's house was blown off. At Stony Creek, Mrs. Ladin's barn was severely shaken up but remained intact.

In Augusta the wind took a strip 20 rods wide off the back of the farm of Len Smith and cleaned it up. Trees were blown down and everything in the strip destroyed. The roof of the barn belonging to Mr. Hamm, who lives near Willis, was also taken off.

At Cherry Hill and in that vicinity the wind blew down trees in several orchards. Half of the roof on S. P. Westfall's barn was blown off.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Pearl Howell, of Flint, is visiting in the city this week. Miss Mary Clements is home from Bay City for a short stay. Miss Katherine Helblim is spending several weeks at Whitmore Lake. Miss Harvey Root, of Northville, is the guest of the Misses Emma and Cora Alexander.

UNIVERSITY.

The Alpha Nu Society has challenged the Adelphi to a game of baseball. The annual spring field day will be held on the athletic field next Thursday afternoon. The first year law class has petitioned the law faculty to allow the class to finish its work by June 12.

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FRESHMAN BANQUET ROW.

An Attempt to Break Up the Banquet With Noise and Stones.

A disgraceful disturbance took place on Maynard st., on Friday evening last, at the time that the freshman lit banquet was taking place at Granger's academy. The class had taken the precaution to engage the services of four deputies to protect them from interference and it was not until nearly midnight that any serious disturbance occurred.

Several hundred students, led by the sophomores, had made the best use possible of their lungs in an endeavor to drown the proceedings going on inside the hall and finally made a rush at the front door. At the same time a volley of stones was thrown and two large lights of glass and a small one were broken and other damage was done to the window shades where the windows were open. Mr. Granger went out and remonstrated with the crowd, but it was of no use, and he finally sent for Marshal Peterson.

When that officer and four patrolmen arrived they attempted to disperse the crowd, but the students resisted and one of them more bold than the rest was arrested. In the attempt of the others to rescue him two more were gathered in and finally lodged in the jail. The names of those arrested were Frank Ramsey, a freshman medic, Richard Ray, a law, and Alfred Ulp, a high school student. In the coat pocket of young Ray a number of stones were found. Ramsey disclaims all connection with either the sophomores or freshmen and says he did not participate in the row at all.

He says that while standing on the curb he was ordered to move on by the officers. Refusing to do so he had done nothing wrong he was arrested. He feels the disgrace of his position keenly and paid the costs and damages assessed against him Monday morning in Justice Gibson's court amounting to \$13.75. The trial of the others was postponed until next Monday.

On Monday night the law faculty suspended Richard Ray until the second semester of next year for his share in the disturbance. Henry S. Weinstein, '98 lit, of Montana, was arrested Tuesday for complicity in the affair. He claims he was arrested because he has money and has engaged Prof. J. C. Knowlton to defend him.

It was purely a student affair—a row between the members of two classes. No one had any interest in it but themselves and the imputations that have been thrown out in the Detroit daily papers that the hoodlums were 'town boys' cannot be condemned. If it was town boys who did this action it is the duty of the students to prosecute them and by having them properly punished, remove the stigma from themselves.

It is only justice to say that when the stones were thrown not only did the freshmen show their disapprobation by hisses but the better part of the sophomore crowd did likewise.

Marriage Licenses.

- 2965. Isaac Hardy, 53, Ypsilanti; Hattie Ughbanks, 24, same. 2966. Lafayette Sellman, 41, Pinckney; Rhoda Sackett, 29, Dexter. 2967. Joseph McCormick, 30, Elkhart, Ind.; Lucinda H. Jewell, 21, Ypsilanti. 2968. Hugh R. Pebbles, 23, Rollin; Mattie McManus, 20, Ann Arbor. 2969. Gottlieb Bruegel, 24, Ann Arbor; Wilhelmina Wild, 22, same. 2970. Harry A. Pratt, 26, Pittsburg, Pa.; Ethel May White, 16, Ann Arbor. 2971. Charles H. Schroen, 26, Ann Arbor; Emma J. Hauser, 23, Pittsfield.

Will Probably Consolidate.

At the next regular meeting of Ypsilanti Lodge, F. and A. M., the question of consolidation with Phoenix Lodge, No. 13, F. and A. M., will come up. Phoenix stands ready to receive them with open arms and there is a prospect of the measure being carried. Two years ago the matter only lacked two of having a unanimous vote in Ypsilanti Lodge and those who advocate it think it will be carried unanimously this time. Phoenix has 150 members and Ypsilanti 106, which will make a lodge of 256 members.—Times.

Annual Credit Convention.

A meeting of great interest to every person interested in the subject of credit and collections is to be held at the Chamber of Commerce Building, Toledo, Ohio, on June 23, 24, and 25. This is a meeting of the National Credit Men's Association of America. The first annual convention of credit men of mercantile houses, manufacturing establishments and banks was held during the World's Fair in Chicago. As a result of this meeting associations for the consideration of the betterment of the credit system have been formed in various cities. The present meeting at Toledo has been extensively announced, and it is hoped that every person interested in this most important subject will be in attendance, and use his influence in inducing others to attend. No special invitations are sent out, but a general invitation is extended to everyone interested in this subject. The object of the association is to discuss means for improving the general collection laws, and discuss especially the making of more uniform laws of exemptions etc., in the different states. It is its aim to draft or discuss an equitable bankrupt bill which shall become a national law. The official organ of the association is the Lawyer and Credit Man, published in New York, and Lew H. Clement of this city is one of the Michigan members of the national executive committee.

A Big Black Boom.

Al. G. Field's big black boom, "Darkest America," will be the attraction at the Grand opera house next Thursday evening, May 28. This is the largest negro show ever organized to travel, numbering one half hundred people. The performance is full of original features. From the rise to the fall of the curtain there is two hours and forty-five minutes of continuous enjoyment with not a moment's pause. The opening is a picturesque scene on the banks of the Suwanee River, with fine stage effects, handsome costumes and other attractive surroundings. It is in this first part that many of the choice old-fashioned songs are introduced, as well as all the latest and popular ballads and many high class specialties. After the first part comes the olio, composed of such people as McCarver Bros., John Rucker, Billy Miller, Larry Fiddler, Reid Bros., Prof. Edwin Winn, Andy Williams, Fred Simpson, The Magnolia Quartette, Prof. Hailstock's mammoth orchestra and twenty others of note. There will be a grand free street parade given at noon, which is without doubt the finest and most novel parade ever given by a minstrel company.

Trouten vs. Trouten.

Mrs. Carrie Trouten has filed a bill for divorce in the circuit court against her husband, Richard Trouten, on the plea of desertion and non-support and that he is a habitual drunkard. The bill sets forth that the applicant is 23 years of age and that her home is in the town of Ann Arbor. That she was married to Richard Trouten June 30, 1891, and they have had two children both of whom are dead, one at the age of eight days, the other aged one year and 16 days. The remainder of the bill is a recital of the old sad story of cruelty and non-support added to which was the habitual drunkenness of the husband and father. For the past three years Trouten has not contributed \$25 a year to the support of his family and during that time had come home drunk as often as three times a week, and he was always under the influence of liquor. He could earn good wages looking after horses and as a musician, but he spent all his money in saloons and bad company. For these reasons Mrs. Trouten seeks a divorce from Richard.

Flowers for Memorial Day.

The teachers of all the primary grades of the public schools, are requested by Mr. W. K. Childs, chairman of the committee on flowers, to have their scholars bring all the flowers they can to the court house basement, on Friday afternoon, May 29th, where they will be taken care of and used for the Memorial Day services. This is requested because of the difficulty in making the bouquets and arranging the flowers if they are not brought until the morning of Memorial Day.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

BICYCLE REPAIRING, lawn Mowers sharpened, by Wm. J. Wenger, 8 N. Fourth Ave. 20-23. FOR SALE.—A second hand survey in good condition. Inquire at 73 Washtenaw Ave. 18-21. TO RENT—Term of years on shares—Stock farm, 200 acres, tillable land, ample buildings, good fences, well watered. Lessee to furnish stock. Is 2 1/2 miles from best stock market in Washtenaw county. A. M. Clark, Ann Arbor; A. F. Clark, Saline. 3t. TEACHER OF mandolin, banjo and guitar, Hattie Long, 69 Miller Ave. HORSE WANTED.—At 28 N. State street, Ann Arbor. Must be young, sound and cheap. Weight about 1,200 pounds. Call soon. FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three farms, one close to Ann Arbor, 55 acres, first class buildings, another in Lima, 100 acres well timbered and good buildings, and the third in Lodi, 40 acres, good ample buildings. Call on or address Wm. Ostus, Box 1531 Ann Arbor, Mich. FOR SALE OR RENT—A new 8-room house with a good barn, good well, two good cisterns, one and one-half lots of land. Terms easy. Enquire at 35 Detroit St., Ann Arbor. 22t.

C. F. Gauss is having his store at the corner of W. Liberty and S. Ashley sts. lowered even with the sidewalk.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids are solicited for the erection of an addition to the school building in the 3d ward, City of Ann Arbor, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned. Bids must be presented not later than Tuesday, May 12, 1896, 7:30 p. m., at the Board Room in the High School building. Also Tuesday, May 26, 1896, at 7:30, sealed bids will be received at the same place for the erection of an addition to the 6th ward building. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids in both cases.

JOHN R. MINER, Chairman of Committee.

Another Opportunity.

I have received another lot of No. 1 four-ply rubber hose, warranted to stand 300 pounds pressure. Prices will remain the same, 20c. hose for 12c. J. F. SCHULL, 23 E. Washington st.

Notice to Fruit Growers.

John Allmand is agent for the Dexter Basket Factory. Please place your orders with him early for berry baskets, grape baskets and other supplies needed.

L. C. PALMER, MATTIE I. PALMER.

KOAL

ORDER YOUR KOAL OF M. STAEBLER. OFFICE: 11 W. Washington st., Phone No. 8. YARDS: M. C. R. R., Phone No. 51.

Advertisement for Henne & Stanger. One-half block W. of Main St., Nos. 9 & 11 W. Liberty St. IT PAYS To buy good goods. We have a full assortment of them. Customers tell us that our Prices are the Lowest ever offered them. That's what makes business good at our place. Parlor Suits, Chamber Suits and FURNITURE of every kind. White Iron Beds, etc. Draperies and Lace Curtains. We Repair Furniture Right. Your Attention Will be attracted by the beautiful patterns of our Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Etc. Our assortment is new. Our prices sell them. Henne & Stanger One-half block W. of Main St., Nos. 9 & 11 W. Liberty St.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frink, of Marshall, spent Sunday with Mrs. N. H. Drake and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Pond and son Kenneth spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Burchfield returned home from their stay in Texas City, Tex., yesterday morning.

Mrs. Willis J. Abbott and son, of New York, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Mack.

Mrs. Gregg, of Wellington, O., is visiting her parents, Ald. and Mrs. H. P. Danforth, of Oakland ave.

Mrs. J. Kelly, of Hamburg, Ont., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Peterson and other friends in the city.

J. T. Jacobs went to New York Monday morning to attend a meeting of the U. S. board of Indian commissioners.

Mrs. Charles Moore, of St. Clair, is visiting her daughter on S. Division st., and attending the May Festival.

Prosecuting Attorney Randall, Sheriff Judson, and Deputy Sheriff Sweet were among the visitors to Chelsea Wednesday.

Mrs. Millard Rosenberg, of Reed City, is visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. S. A. and Miss Matie Goodale, of N. Main st.

E. B. Hall has gone to St. Louis, where he will spend several weeks trying the efficacy of mineral water to cure rheumatism.

Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Pearson, of West Milton, O., are in the city to spend several weeks with their son, Alvic A. Pearson, of the Times.

W. W. Watts has been in Grand Rapids this week attending the meeting of the Grand Commandery, K. T. He returned this morning.

The Misses Grace Miley and Mollie Seabolt went to South Lyon Saturday, to spend a few days with friends. They made the trip on their wheels.

Mrs. D. W. Storrs and family, of Chicago, also Mrs. F. B. Tibbals, of Detroit, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Babcock, for the May Festival.

William Herz and Christian Martin will attend the D. O. H. state convention to be held at Muskegon, June 9-11, as delegates from the local lodges.

Mrs. E. B. Norris and son, Freddie are visiting Mrs. J. W. Cowan, of Manchester. The lady is just recovering from a severe attack of the typhoid fever.

James E. Carr, editor of the Dundee Reporter, made the Argus a short call Saturday morning. He was in the city to attend the funeral of his old friend, J. D. Williams.

Fred W. Baumer, of Wheeling, W. Va., the largest music dealer in that state, arrived in Ann Arbor Tuesday evening to attend the May Festival. He is the guest of Lew H. Clement.

Col. H. S. Dean was in Lansing Tuesday on G. A. R. business connected with his duties as a member of the committee on transportation to the national encampment at St. Paul, Minn.

W. K. Childs will deliver the Memorial Day address at the services at Hamburg May 29. The services are held that day to enable the veterans to join their comrades at Brighton the next day.

Prof. W. H. Hawkes, a former U. of M. student, who married Miss Fannie Stimson, of this city, has resigned his position as principal of the Hudson schools to take a professorship in a South Dakota college.

Miss M. Ellen Clarken, the harpist, played at the formal reception given by the faculty and post graduate students to the seniors of the Normal school last Saturday evening at the Normal gymnasium, Ypsilanti.

Its Funds are Exhausted. The treasury of the Woman's Charitable Union is entirely exhausted. During 28 years the work of this organization has been carried on. The question now arises shall it be given up and all care of the poor be turned over to the city authorities? The decision of this question rests, not with the officers of the Union and the members of the ward committees, but with those who, by the payment of the annual fee of \$1, or by special contributions, enable the work to be maintained. The officers desire simply to acquaint the public with the facts and await guidance for their future action.

MARY W. D'OOGE, Secretary.

True Value of a Gold Dollar. Leonard Gruner, having a desire to know the true value of gold and silver coins, wrote to the U. S. mint at Philadelphia, recently, and received this reply: "The gold in a gold dollar has an intrinsic value of \$1, and the silver dollar from 43 to 50 cents, owing to the market value of silver. A damaged gold coin without loss of metal, will fetch face value at this mint, while a silver coin under the same circumstances will be worth only one-half of face value."

A Mysterious Marriage. Last Friday afternoon Conrad G. Carver, of Detroit, and Miss Cecil E. Von Beckman, of Newark, N. J., arrived at Ypsilanti on the fast train, and were quietly married by Rev. Bastian Smits. The marriage license was taken out in Detroit, April 20, and the services of Mr. Smits were engaged a week ago. They were unaccompanied by anybody except the bride's maid, who stated to the clergyman that she and her mistress had no real home, most of their time having been occupied in traveling. They had no acquaintances in Ypsilanti, and just why the ceremony should be performed there and engaged for in advance, is unknown except to themselves.