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IT WAS FOR PINGREE

Washtenaw Republicans Instructed for Him.

WILL VOTE AS A UNIT

Sheriff Judson Had the Delegates Well in Hand.

But Could Not Prevent Some of the Old Grudges From Coming to the Top.—Judson Elected Delegate at Large.

When the republican county convention assembled in Ann Arbor, Tuesday morning, it was soon demonstrated that the old timers at republican county conventions were not in it. Sheriff Judson had shuffled and dealt the cards well, and the layout of delegates was distinctly a Pingree one. Not only were the county districts well in hand for Detroit's mayor, but the wily sheriff had managed to work Ann Arbor so successfully that out of a total of 45 delegates to the convention, 28 of them were avowed Pingreeites.

It was an anxious time from start to finish of the convention for the sheriff and others to keep the refractory ones within bounds, so as to get the county ship safely past the rocks and over the shoals that frequently obtruded themselves and threatened to wreck the peace and harmony which our republican friends are so fond of boasting, always characterizes their conventions. A solid Pingree delegation instructed to vote as a unit, will go to Grand Rapids.

Quite a bombshell was thrown into the camp of the Spaulding men and which may affect the voting of the congressional delegation to Jackson, by E. P. Goodrich's resolution instructing the delegation not to vote for any candidate who would not stand by the St. Louis platform.

W. W. Wedemeyer, chairman of the county committee rapped the convention to order at 11:30 a. m. and called Wirt H. Newkirk to the chair as temporary chairman.

H. G. Prettyman, of Ann Arbor, was chosen as secretary, and John F. Lawrence administered the oath.

The several committees were on motion appointed as follows: On credentials—Frank Jones, of Saline, chairman; W. H. Whitmarsh, of Milan; J. T. Jacobs, of Ann Arbor; Emory Leland, of Northfield; Archie Wilkinson, of Chelsea.

On permanent organization and order of business—Wm. S. Osband, of Ypsilanti, chairman; R. D. Walker, of Scio; H. D. Platt, of Pittsfield; John K. Campbell, of Augusta; J. L. Hoyt, of Saline.

On resolutions—John F. Lawrence, of Ann Arbor, chairman; H. S. Holmes, of Chelsea; James McLaren, of Lima; H. Kingsley, of Manchester; A. A. Wood, of Lodi.

A. J. Sawyer, of Ann Arbor; Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, and Col. H. S. Dean, of Ann Arbor, were each given a place on one or the other of these committees, but severally declined to act on the plea of "urgent business."

The convention then adjourned until 1:30.

At 1:40 p. m. the convention having reassembled, it was called to order by the chairman. The court room was crowded and a full delegation was present from each voting precinct. Frank E. Jones, chairman of the committee on credentials, reported that all the delegations were full and that there were no contests. The report was adopted and the reading of the names of the delegates was dispensed with.

Chairman Newkirk asked the indulgence of the convention for a few moments until the committee on permanent organization and order of business should be ready to report. The delay turned out to be caused by the fact that there was a majority and minority report. The majority report was signed by W. M. Osband, J. K. Campbell and G. L. Hoyt and the minority report, which recommended that the convention take a vote on its preference for governor before any more business be transacted was signed by H. D. Platt and R. D. Walker.

S. C. Randall moved that the minority report be added to the majority report and it was warmly seconded. Charles E. Hiscock moved as a substitute the adoption of the majority report.

Mr. Randall spoke in favor of Mr. Platt's minority report and A. J. Sawyer opposed its adoption on the ground that it would take up so much time.

H. C. Waldron, of Northfield, called on the convention to assert its rights and not be bamboozled by any smooth talkers. The convention had a right to call for this vote and to have it taken. He wanted to see every delegate walk up and deposit his ballot in the hat for the man who was his choice for governor.

John F. Lawrence replied to Mr. Waldron's remarks and urged that such a tedious ballot be not taken, feeling sure that the vote on delegate-at-large would be amply sufficient to determine the convention's choice for governor. He managed to work considerable sarcasm and ridicule into what he said, which

was especially noticeable when he said that "while he might not talk as loud as the gentleman from Northfield, there would probably be as much sense in what he said."

Capt. E. P. Allen attempted to spread oil on the somewhat troubled waters and said there was no necessity for any quarreling. The republicans had always done better than the democrats in warding off quarrels. He himself had had many experiences in conventions, some were pleasant and some unpleasant. Any convention has a right to express its choice if it has one, and the only fair, square, honest and manly way for this convention to declare its choice for governor was to take a ballot.

Wm. M. Osband explained the action of the committee in this matter and said that it was not done with any view of wronging anybody.

At this point H. D. Platt rose and said the convention had heard long speeches from two lawyers, an editor and a banker, but did not want the convention to be fooled by any smooth speeches, and urged them to stand by their guns and vote for the resolution to allow them to show their preference for governor. A. J. Sawyer next took the floor and proceeded to enlighten the convention as to some acts at previous conventions and afterwards in which Mr. Platt and others figured quite prominently. He wound up by the demand that no one who did not accept the St. Louis platform should attempt to dictate to the convention.

Several excited men were over their feet at once at this hit, but Sheriff Judson, who was an anxious spectator of this scene, got the floor and after apologizing for being no speech maker begged the convention to "keep its eye on the gun." He did not see any good in going over those old convention actions and reopening old sores. He wanted the plain people to have a chance today to express their opinion.

H. D. Platt again got on his feet to speak and an amusing bit of by-play was indulged in between him and Sheriff Judson, the latter trying to prevent Platt from speaking, while Platt impatiently waved him away with his hand. When he did speak it was to advise the convention not to be taken in with the oily words of the Ann Arbor men.

Mr. Hiscock's motion was then put but the chair being unable to decide which faction made the most noise called for a rising vote. It was then found that only 61 out of 191 had voted for it and it was declared defeated.

The motion to embody the minority report in the majority report of the committee was then carried. On motion to that effect the recommendation for grouping the towns and electing the delegates in that way was not concurred in and the report as amended was finally adopted.

On motion of George H. Pond the chair appointed W. J. Wallace, of Ypsilanti; N. D. Corbin, of Ann Arbor; Alfred Davis, of Dexter, and Frank Jones, of Saline, as tellers.

A ballot on the preference of the convention for governor was then taken and the vote resulted: Pingree, 111; O'Donnell, 71; Bliss, 4; Aitkin, 2; scattering, 3. Upon the announcement of this vote Mr. Allen moved and Mr. Sawyer seconded a motion choosing William Judson as delegate-at-large to the state convention at Grand Rapids. The motion was carried unanimously.

The report of the committee on resolutions being called for, John F. Lawrence, chairman of the committee, read the resolutions, prefacing his reading with the remark that the committee had not deemed it advisable to make them very lengthy:

"Resolved, That we, the Republicans of Washtenaw county, in convention assembled do now, as in the past, assert our devotion to the Republican principle of protection, that does not impair or lessen the earnings of the wage-worker, that does not cripple and reduce the farmer to a condition of tenancy, that fosters and builds up American manufactures and in all avenues stimulates American industries, and that brings prosperity and contentment to all the people of our common country."

"Second, The Republican party is not unalterably opposed to the use of gold and silver as circulating mediums—but it is determinedly opposed to a policy that would make a depreciated and debased coin an only currency. We believe that the adoption of free coinage of silver by this country would bring upon us unprecedented ruin and disaster. We, therefore, affirm our allegiance to the doctrine announced by the Republican national convention at St. Louis, that the Republican party is unreservedly for sound money."

The resolutions were carried and another dangerous rock, on which it was feared the convention would split, was passed by in safety.

On motion of Mr. Judson, A. J. Sawyer was unanimously chosen delegate-at-large to the congressional convention at Jackson, and the convention divided into legislative districts for the election of 18 delegates each to the state and congressional conventions. The delegates are as follows:

To the state convention from 1st legislative district—W. W. Wedemeyer, Ann Arbor; H. P. Dodge, Northfield; Dennis Walker, Scio; Daniel McLaren, Lima; John Heinzmann, Ann Arbor.

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YOUNG MAN DROWNED

Seized With Cramps He Lost His Life in the Mill Race.

'TIS SPALDING AGAIN

The Monroe Man Renominated for Congress.

New Movements in Street Railway Matters.—Many People Have Died the Past Week.—Deputy Jay Wood Was Held Up.

Saturday evening a young Canadian named D. F. Gregory, who was employed on the new roadbed of the Ann Arbor Railroad just north of the city, came to town to do some business in company with one of the foremen and another laborer. On their way back the two young men went into the mill race by the Ann Arbor Railroad bridge to bathe. This was about 8:30 o'clock. They remained in the water about half an hour, Gregory being a good swimmer, but his companion could not swim very well, when Gregory suddenly threw up his hands and sank out of sight. His companion went to help him but he was too much frightened at the occurrence and too poor a swimmer to be of any good and it was over two hours before the body was recovered. Dr. Kapp, who had been summoned, worked on the body for an hour or more, but life was extinct.

The relatives of the unfortunate young man were telegraphed to and on Monday morning his brother-in-law, a Mr. Osgood, of Samaria, Monroe county, arrived and took charge of the remains, which were taken to his home in Aurora, Ontario.

At the inquest held by Coroner Ball the jury returned a verdict of accidental drowning. Gregory was about 22 years old, a steady and industrious young man.

GEN. SPALDING RENOMINATED

For Congress by the Republicans of the Second District.

The Republican congressional convention for the second district of Michigan was held at Jackson, Wednesday, the meeting being called to order by Harry A. Conant, chairman of the congressional committee, who named Grant Fellows, of Hudson, for temporary chairman. C. E. Urickson, of Jackson, was made temporary secretary. The different committees appointed were as follows:

Credentials—Jackson, C. H. Smith; Lenawee, C. S. Valentine; Monroe, D. D. Van Ocker; Washtenaw, William Judson; Wayne, P. T. Bird.

Permanent organization—Jackson, W. E. Kennedy; Lenawee, E. F. Graves; Monroe, D. C. Speers; Washtenaw, F. K. Owen; Wayne, W. H. Lacey.

Resolutions—Jackson, T. A. Dailey; Lenawee, Geo. B. Horton; Monroe, H. A. Lockwood; Washtenaw, H. G. Prettyman; Wayne, Dr. J. M. Collier.

The convention adjourned until after dinner and at 1:45 reassembled. The temporary organization was made permanent and the committee on credentials reported the delegations full.

Burton Parker, of Monroe, then took the floor and presented the name of Hon. Geo. Spalding, as the republican candidate for congress for the second district. He said Mr. Spalding was a bi-metallist and believed in the use of gold, silver and paper money based on a sound standard. Dr. O. J. R. Hanna, of Jackson, seconded the nomination, and pledged the support of Jackson county to Spalding. R. H. Barker, of Lenawee, made a few moments' speech and said that Lenawee republicans would work for his election. W. W. Wedemeyer, of Washtenaw, and Mr. Campbell, of Wayne, also endorsed Gen. Spalding. A rising vote was then taken and he was declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

Gen. Spalding then spoke for nearly an hour. He said he stood squarely on the St. Louis platform but he was a bi-metallist. Hon. James O'Donnell followed with a brief, humorous speech in which he pledged his hearty support to the candidates nominated at the state convention, whoever they might be, and the convention adjourned.

STREET RAILWAY TO DETROIT.

Some New Movements That Look as Though It Will Go Through.

Another move has been made in the matter of an electric railroad from Detroit to Ann Arbor via Ypsilanti. The Detroit Railway Co. gave it out some time ago that they were willing, provided franchises could be secured to complete such a project, but an obstacle arose is an objection coming from the township of Canton, through which they proposed line was to be built, on the grounds that a franchise had already been granted to another company which corporation had five years in which to lay the track. Another obstacle to the proposed Ann Arbor road was also offered by the Saline Plank Road Co. by refusing the projectors the right of way over Michigan ave.

In order to eliminate these objections

Mr. Albert Pack, who is at the head of the Detroit Railway Co., has now made a purchase of a controlling interest in the Saline Plank Road Co., which gives him right of way from Detroit to Sheldons. Van Buren township in Wayne county and Ypsilanti township in this county are very friendly towards his project. All that will be necessary to do is to get a franchise for three miles of road in Van Buren township from Sheldons to the Washtenaw county line three miles in Ypsilanti township to the corporate limits of this city and the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Railway Co., which will act in harmony with him will do the rest.

Whether or not Mr. Pack will do anything more immediately is not known, but as he has had his eye turned wistfully in this direction for the past year, his latest move, which looks like the beginning of the end, means something more substantial than what has been accomplished since the project was first talked about.—Times.

Coming right on top of this are the announcements that meetings of the stockholders of the Ann Arbor Street Railway Co. and the Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti Street Railway Co. have been called for Friday, July 31, to consider and act on a proposition to sell all the property of the two companies to the new company it certainly looks as though matters were rapidly coming to a focus to carry out the long talked of plan of equipping the road with electricity. The move has been in contemplation for some time past, but there have been so many people to correspond with and get their acquiescence in the matter that a considerable delay ensued. The stockholders of the Ann Arbor street railway have decided to put their stock in at a certain figure and ditto the motor line stockholders and each stockholder in the new company.

Whether the equipment on the line will be changed this year depends a great deal on the money market, but it is certainly an important move in the completion of an electric line from Ann Arbor to Detroit, and coming as it does on the heels of Albert Pack's purchase of the Saline Plank Road makes the move all the more significant.

Masonic Banquet.

Friday evening last was the last date for degree work in Fraternity Lodge, No. 262, F. & A. M., until September and the occasion was celebrated by the raising of two fellow crafts to the M. M. degree and a banquet followed by several good speeches. Rev. Camden M. Cobern and E. T. Alber were the gentlemen who received the degree and the work was done in the usual good form of Fraternity Lodge, ably assisted by brothers from Golden Rule Lodge, No. 159, and Washtenaw Lodge, Dexter. After the work a toothsome banquet was heartily enjoyed in the drill hall, for which H. G. Prettyman did the catering. Following the banquet came speeches from Revs. C. M. Cobern, Henry Tatlock and W. L. Tedrow, Dr. Flemming Carrow, E. T. Alber, C. B. Davison, H. B. Dodsley, John W. Bennett, Dr. A. C. Nichols, George H. Pond, Julius E. Deal, Dr. C. G. Darling and W. H. Cliff, of Aberdeen, Miss. H. Wirt Newkirk, master of Washtenaw Lodge, Dexter, ably officiated as toastmaster, and made some excellent as well as witty remarks while doing so. It was a most pleasant gathering.

GOT HIS PRISONERS.

Before Doing So Deputy Wood Was Himself Held Up and Robbed.

Deputy Sheriff Jay Wood was in Chicago, Friday, looking after Jack Mansfield, the fellow who ran away from Ann Arbor last week with Kate Staebler and \$150 in money and a gold watch, the property of Tucker & Co., of N. Fourth ave. Jay was scouting along Madison st., Chicago, within four blocks of the police station, hot on the trail of Mansfield, about 11 o'clock Friday night, and the street was almost as light as day from the numerous electric lights that were around, when two men walked quietly up alongside him, one on each side. He paid no attention to them, thinking they were just going past, until one of them stuck a revolver in his face and demanded his money. Now, Jay did not see any particular use in having the fellow use that revolver so he promptly handed over his available cash balance amounting to \$15 and with it the men quickly disappeared. Jay says it was a neat "hold up," but he don't see that he could have done anything different. He arrested Mansfield later on about 2 a. m., and lodged him in jail. He brought both Mansfield and Miss Staebler back to Ann Arbor Saturday.

Marriage Licenses.

3031. Charles Marklewitz, 31, Lima; Martha Ricketts, 27, Chelsea.
3032. Alfred Bacon, 27, Detroit; Hannah Marsden, 19, Ypsilanti.
3033. George A. Narramore, 24, Toledo, O.; Lena Goodell, 23, same.
3034. Edgar Lamb, 33, Ypsilanti; Celeste Eastlake, 20, Canada.

The board of public works has ordered purchased a carload of paving brick from the Michigan Sewer Pipe Co., of Jackson, six barrels of pitch from a Chicago firm, and two wheeled scrapers from a Toledo firm. The building of brick crosswalks is to be pushed forward without delay.

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WASHTENAWISMS.

Arthur Lowry, of Bridgewater, is talking of moving to Manchester in the fall.

Fred Steffen, of South Lyon, lost two fingers of his left hand Monday week through getting it in contact with the rip saw he was running.

L. A. Wilcox, of Milan, threshed wheat on his farm Wednesday of last week which averaged 18 1/2 bushels to the acre. He got 400 bushels off 22 acres.

Theodore Jacob's horse ran away on Dexter st., Milan, Wednesday of last week and threw him out of the carriage. He was well shaken up but no bones were broken.

A large plate glass window in Steinkohl's drug store at Manchester, was broken on the Fourth through a gravel stone being thrown against it by the explosion of a fire cracker.

Harlow Stringham, a former resident of Manchester, died July 2 at Tecumseh, of cancer, aged 42 years. His remains were buried in Manchester, July 5. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

Alex. Nulan, of Ypsi., who was injured in the eye by an explosion of a cannon fire cracker on July 4, says that Dr. Carrow feels confident that he can save the sight of the eye, which is cheerful news.

The C. M. B. A., the L. C. B. A., and the A. O. H., will in the near future tender Fr. Doman a public reception which will give Ypsilantians in general an opportunity of personally meeting this brilliant priest.

Some of the afflicted in the Michigan cyclone district take matters very philosophically. One man near Ortonville, discussing the storm, said: "I was born in 1836, married in 1856, built this house in 1876, and it was blown to h—l in 1896."—Ex.

J. G. Halaplian, M. A., addressed a union meeting at the town hall, Chelsea, last Sunday afternoon on the Armenian massacre. Mr. Halaplian is himself an Armenian and his fine address was much enjoyed by those who heard it. At the close of the meeting a collection was taken up for the relief of the Armenian sufferers.

The children and teachers of the St. Mary's Sunday school, the acolytes and the juvenile choir of St. Mary's church, Chelsea, had their annual picnic at Cavanaugh Lake, Wednesday. It was a basket picnic, and the children were accompanied by their parents and friends. Father Considine treated the children to ice cream, lemonade and cake and they had a most enjoyable time.

There is a merchant in Milan who has so many children that the other night one of them was locked in the store, where he had fallen asleep, and was not even missed from the home. It was only when the marshal heard the little fellow's cries and went and told the father and mother of the whereabouts of their son, that they began to count noses and found that he was missing.

Last Sunday week night was made hideous in the east part of the village by a lot of drunken, swearing, cursing young men from Dundee, two of whom are known, but out of regard for their respected parents we withhold the publication of their names. The residents in that part of town stood the horrible noise as long as they could, and finally sent for the marshal; when that official arrived they had departed, probably scenting trouble ahead for them if they longer lingered. There's nothing too cutting can be said of such conduct, and these young men are expected to assist in governing this great and glorious nation; for shame! such as they ought to be disfranchised.—Milan Leader.

Mary A. Hath, mother of Henry W. Holcomb, of Milan, died at her home in Detroit, July 4, aged 78 years, 10 months and 29 days. In her early life she married Erastus Holcomb, with whom she began making a pioneer home in Michigan in the early history of the state. In 1862 she lost her husband. After many years of widowhood she married John Cook. Seven years ago she was stricken with paralysis and became a confirmed invalid. Monday, June 29, she suffered another stroke, and then steadily failed until her death took place on the 4th. One son and three daughters survive her—Henry W., Miss Sarah A., Mrs. Annis Larrey, Mrs. Nettie Renwick, all living in Detroit. She was buried in Mooreville cemetery on the 6th inst. Rev. J. Ward Stone, of Milan, conducting the burial services.

The Sylvan postoffice is radiant in a new coat of paint.

Capt. John A. Clark, formerly of Chelsea, died in Saginaw, July 4. Mr. James Sharp and Miss Amy Hughes were married at Boyd's hotel, Chelsea, July 4, by Rev. W. H. Walker.

Milan will expend the coming year, in school salaries, \$2,340. The salaries range from \$270 to \$775 and there will be seven teachers.

Ezra Meade Foote died at the home of his son-in-law T. C. Owen, of Ypsilanti, Sunday night, aged 76 years. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Two men who were helping themselves to huckleberries out of Fred Marshall's swamp at Unadilla, recently, were fined \$3 for doing so. They could have bought the berries cheaper.

Mrs. Wm. Reimenschneider, wife of one of Chelsea's prominent and highly respected business men, died Monday evening from the effects of a surgical operation, aged 35 years.

Mrs. James Congdon died Monday night at her home in Chelsea, aged about 80 years. She had lived in that vicinity about 60 or 70 years, and was one of the best known and most respected pioneers in the county.

Charles Reed, a bareback rider in the circus which showed at Ypsilanti, Saturday, was paid off Saturday night and immediately proceeded to get drunk. In this he was successful and on Monday it cost him \$8.15 in fine and costs for so doing.

A farmer stepped into a money lender's office in Ypsilanti, Thursday, and wanted to borrow \$1,000 on his farm. He was informed he could have the money provided he would make the mortgage payable in gold. He said he preferred free silver and he didn't get the money.—Times.

Jamie Morris, a 10 years old Saline lad, was sitting on the grass a short distance from the home plate while a baseball game was in progress when a swift foul ball struck him squarely in the mouth. It was found that the three front teeth of his lower jaw had been forced back into his mouth splitting the jawbone.

Andrew Gavin, a laborer living in Ypsilanti, was obliged to have one of his fingers amputated the other day. Two months ago Friday a sliver from a hammer struck his finger but it did not cause much trouble until Thursday of last week, when it was decided that amputation of the finger was necessary and it was accordingly done.

Fred O'Neil, a Michigan Central brakeman living at Dexter and working on the train which carried the circus out of Ypsilanti, was knocked down and robbed Saturday night by one of the gang of thieves and rascals who seem to be attached to the show. He was relieved of a gold watch and \$11 in money. He followed the show up and claims he can identify the thief.

Thursday, July 2, being the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shaver, about thirty of their relatives and friends gathered to help them celebrate the occasion. There were three present who were also present at the exercises fifty years before, R. P. Chase, Mrs. M. B. Mills-paugh and Mrs. B. F. Tuttle. A bountiful dinner was served to which all did ample justice. The occasion was an enjoyable one and will be long remembered by those present.—Chelsea Standard.

An eccentric old man named Charles Jarvis, who lives all alone at the extreme north end of the Huron st., Ypsilanti, was robbed of \$1.65 by two men, who pointed revolvers at his head and threatened to hang him, Monday evening July 6. He told them all he had was the \$1.65 he offered them, but as it has been idly reported that he had lots of money they would not believe it. Finally, as an approaching train on the Michigan Central was heard one of the men said, "Come on, here is our train," and taking the \$1.65 with them they left the house. Either through fright or because Jarvis did not care, no one was acquainted with the occurrence until Thursday morning.

On Wednesday evening, July 1, Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, Knights of Pythias, after having conferred the first and the second degree, tendered a banquet to its members and visiting knights. The artistic floral decorations of the ladies, which with the balmy zephyr of the electric fan, so thoughtfully put up for the occasion by Guy Lighthall, made the event an ideal one. After an hour of silent activity, the toastmaster, Hon. J. S. Gorman, called on Messrs. J. G. Halaplian, of Ann Arbor; Holmes, Lighthall, BeGole, Foster, Klein, Watson, Turnbull and others, who responded to the toasts in words that failed not to have the desired effect. The old Grecian friendship was revived to such reality that Pericles and Aspasia or even the phlegmatic Socrates would have felt entirely at home. The guests departed with a unanimous opinion that they had a delightful time, and that Messrs. BeGole, Klein and Watson are very successful men to manage a banquet.

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Pitcher's Castoria.
Children Cry for

Adrian Press Items.

Manchester schools for the year just closed, had an enrollment of 396, and the number at the end of the year according to the Enterprise was 325 1/2. Just how it happened that there was a half a pupil short, is a problem in school attendance that we are unable to solve and we consider ourselves "some pumpkins" in mathematics if all kinds, too.

The populists of the congressional district met in convention last week at Ann Arbor, and nominated John O. Zabel for congress. He is a Petersburg lawyer and if we mistake not is connected with a railroad from Toledo, as one of its officers. This is a serious objection to a party that does not desire to be in cohorts with monopoly. If he is elected, how can he expect to get the government to buy his railroad at twice its value? Mr. Zabel will not be allowed to unload that Toledo railroad upon Uncle Sam. Not much.

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A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Arbor.

Monroe Democrat Items.

The Y. M. C. A. of Ann Arbor is encouraging intemperance by means of watermelon socials. When the last social adjourned all the members were "as full as a tick."

Rev. Henry Coate, of Wauseon, was the first passenger to ride over the new Lima Northern road to Morenci. The Coate seemed to fit and the railroad people put him on.

Whitmore Lake dogs having heard what the Ann Arbor Courier said about it not paying to raise sheep, got at the flock of George Spicer last week, mutt-toned 38 and felt that it did pay.

Fellow named Hellaby has just got married at Hillsdale. As an atonement for his name he is about to enter the theological department of the college, and the bride feels that the Lord has been good to give her Hellaby.

A gasoline burner in the japanning room of the Ypsilanti dress stay factory exploded the other day. Nobody could "stay" it. As soon as it happened, Patrick Dignan, who was there, seeing that absence of body beat presence of mind all hollow, jumped out of a closed window, taking along a lot of glass, cuts and singed hair, knocking the barber out of a job for many weary weeks. The flames did \$2,000 damage and would have killed Pat had he "stayed." He is around proudly exhibiting his "corpse."

It has been discovered by a drummer, who confided the secret to the Detroit Journal, that the curves along the Huron river, on the Michigan Central are so sharp that "when freight trains go round some of those curves the engine has to stop until the caboose moves out of the way to avoid a tail end collision." This may seem like an improbability by some, but not to those who are acquainted with the river Raisin's crooks. Why it is so crooked that wild ducks have often flown across it, and with chagrin, found themselves still on the same side.

Think It Over.

Have you ever heard of a medicine with such a record of cures as Hood's Sarsaparilla? Don't you know that Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier, has proved, over and over again, that it has power to cure, even after all other remedies fail? If you have impure blood you may take Hood's Sarsaparilla with the utmost confidence that it will do you good.

Hood's PILLS assist digestion. 25 cents.

Get a pair of Comfortable Shoes. JACOBS & ALMAND are having a reduction sale on all Tan Goods this week. A great opportunity.

Six Chinamen Burned to Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Several Chinese are believed to have been burned to death in a fire which occurred in Chinatown early Tuesday morning. The building destroyed was occupied by a large number of Chinese, many of whom were dazed from the use of opium and were unable to save themselves. It is believed that six persons were burned to death.

A Fellow Feeling.

University Extension Lecturer (the second lecturer of my course on Henry VIII has been objected to by eastern audiences as rather too eulogistic. Perhaps, therefore, I had better change it before delivering it here.

Chicago Manager—My dear sir, let it alone! It's just the thing we want. Why, the president of our circle has been divorced five times himself!—New York Tribune.

"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years, I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely." Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, New York.

Michigan Central Excursion Rates.

National Education Association, Buffalo, N. Y., July 7-11 inclusive.—One rate for round trip plus \$2 for membership fee. Date of sale, July 5 and 6. Return limited July 12. Extension of limit until Sept. 1 can be obtained by depositing ticket with joint agent on or before July 10, 1896.

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.

Bay View Camp Meeting, July 7 to Aug. 14.—One fare for the round trip. Date of sale, July 6 to 16 inclusive. Limited to return Aug. 15, 1896.

Epworth League Training Assembly, Ludington, July 14 to Aug. 2, 1896. One fare for round trip. Date of sale, July 13 to 25 inclusive. Limited to return Aug. 15, 1896.

HAD MONEY TO WASH.

CURRENCY THAT SOMETIMES REQUIRES AN AMMONIA BATH.

A Fair Young New York Cashier's Plan, Which Includes an Increase of Salary. The Experience of a Young Actor and His Brilliant Wife.

The fair metropolitan cashier has added a new factor to her growing valuation which will not prove so desirable a wife in the eyes of her employer as the honesty and efficiency which have won for her almost a monopoly in the business. It is the result of the microbe craze, and is nothing less than washing all the money she handles and charging her employer overtime too.

The discoverer of this new way to enhance her usefulness and cost is Annie Nesmyth, the money taker of a big downtown hotel. Miss Nesmyth serves at night mostly, and, while less money comes in then than in the day, she is generally kept busy enough. The money is often very dirty and to the last degree repulsive to handle. Now, the cashier is a trained nurse "resting" from her arduous professional labors. After a sick spell from handling the soiled currency she concluded to resign. She was persuaded not to by an increase of salary and permission to wash the money. So every night sees a soup plate of ammonia water at her elbow, into which each note, as it arrives, is dropped. It gets a quick bath and is then laid out on a piece of flannel to dry as tenderly as if it were her best piece of jewelry. The water has to be changed two or three times in a night.

The cashier recently had an offer of another similar job. Being asked what salary she wanted, she mentioned her usual figure, with the proviso that it must be so much more "if there's money to wash."

"Money to wash?" said the astonished would be employer. "Why, I haven't enough for my hides (he is a leather and tallow dealer), much less to wash."

"You see," she said calmly, "your business is dirty, and it's likely the money will be. I won't wash another fellow's money in ammonia water—it's bad for the hands and head—without a consideration in my salary. Different if it were my money!" She says she's "passing the tip along," and soon all merchants in a business that calls for an unusual fortitude in the olfactory and perceptive nerves will have to pay extra salaries if they wish to retain steady and efficient help.

A money washing episode which converted Charlie Bigelow, the actor, and his wife to a belief in banks is worth recording. By dint of great saving and denial the young couple got together \$800 in the first year of their marriage. The money was kept in a chamois bag, which the wife strung around her waist under her corset, and as the fund was a great secret which both tried hard to forget, so that the well known borrowing propensities of their profession might not be excited, it was never touched or even looked at for months. But a run of bad luck finally drove the young folks to draw on the chamois bag, when to their intense dismay it was found the money had become perfectly illegible. One by one the eight \$100 bills were laid on the bed, all in the same condition of greasy, uniform black green no color. Husband and wife took turns at trying to restore the attractive greenness of the filthy lucre, but in vain. The young wife wept; the saving husband raved. Then together they went to the bank which had given them the bills. The bank refused to recognize the money, nor could Manager Baker's indorsement make the cashier change his mind. The manager then took a \$100 bill off their hands for friendship's sake and got a managerial friend to do likewise, trusting to their prominence to pass the notes. That was doing a good bit for the young folks, who had submitted to being called stingy many a time to gather the fund together.

The actor then left his wife at home weeping over the remaining \$600, while he went down on the Rialto to sell it to any speculator at 50 cents for the dollar. But the wife was "no slouch" at expedients. As soon as he was gone she dried her tears and declared to the girl that, as the money was no good anyway, they would just experiment with it. The girl made strong ammonia water, and the mistress took some washing soap and soaked and soaped and washed those six bills as industriously behind locked doors as if she were perpetrating the regular handkerchief and hose wash in a fourth story room of a hotel where "laundry work in the rooms" was forbidden. Patience was rewarded. Rid of their slimy coating, the half dozen bills at last shone feebly out in a wan sort of alive greenness, touched up with brown, as if under the rays of a dying sunset. They looked like autumn leaves after a big gale.

When her husband came home with the news that he had sold our bills at 25 cents on the dollar, and would throw the other two in for fear the speculator, an actor friend, would be bitten too badly, she said radiantly, "Guess not," and led him to the table where the six faded, wishy washy governmental promises lay still damp. He rushed out and got the others from his consellers and submitted them to the same restorative process. The bank took the whole eight as the young couple's first deposit.—New York Times.

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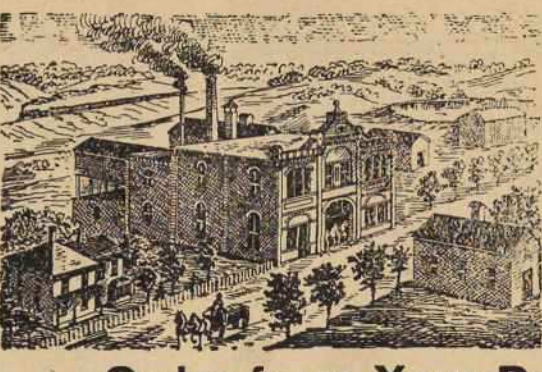
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Did you ever suffer from real nervousness? When every nerve seemed to quiver with a peculiar, creepy feeling, first in one place, and then another and all seemed finally to concentrate in a writhing jumble in the brain, and you become irritable, fretful and peevish; to be followed by an impotent, weakened condition of the nerve centers, ringing in the ears, and sleepless, miserable nights?

VILLAGE DOINGS.

Whitmore Lake. Miss Lillian Lumbard is visiting Dixboro friends this week. Miss Clara Elliott is spending a few days with friends near South Lyon.

Don't Stop Him! He has a bad attack of colic and is making for Mummy's drug store after a bottle of Foley's Diarrhoea and Colic Cure. 25 and 50c.

Sharon. Henry Trolz spent Sunday in Bridgewater.

Fred Kapp, of Manchester, was in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Pardee has returned from her trip north.

Master Vernon Pierce has been spending the week at Chelsea.

Miss Lizzie Nestell, of Manchester, visited at S. H. Smith's last week.

The Misses Blanche Starks and Mae Green visited at T. Green's last week.

Democrats here are highly pleased with the result of the Chicago convention.

Steinigeweg and Maner began threshing last Saturday. A poor yield is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pierce, of Chelsea, visited at E. M. Pierce's on Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Wisner is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Harlow Stringham, of Tecumseh.

Miss Jennie Campbell and friends, who are visiting here, have been spending a few days at Wampler's Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bullard, of Wolf Lake, were in town last week. Mrs. Harriet Bullard accompanied them on their return.

The greater part of the week the roads are lined with people on their way to or from the huckleberry marshes. Berries are very plentiful and very cheap.

Points to Consider When You go East If you would combine personal comfort and ease in travel with speed and safety.

That the Lehigh Valley Railroad running between Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Rochester, Ithaca, Geneva, N. Y., and Philadelphia, and New York City, offers the traveler solid vestibule trains, heated by steam, lighted by Pintsch gas, dining cars on the European plan, quick time, free from cinders, and as great a degree of absolute safety as human care and ingenuity can secure.

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BANDITS ARE CAUGHT.

Contemplated Hold-Up in Chicago Goes Wrong.

POLICE HAD RECEIVED NOTICE.

When Five Men Attempt to Do the Hold-Up Act in Helm's Billiard Room They Find Themselves Surrounded by Officers and After a Desperate Fight All but One of Them Are Landed Behind the Bars in the Station.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Hold-up No. 19 was attempted at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday morning in Helm's billiard hall on the second floor of the building at 108 Randolph street. It was unsuccessful because the police received a "tip" in advance. These are the men arrested: John Franzee, ex-convict who held up eight poker players a year and a half ago in Powers & O'Brien's gambling house; William H. Burns; Thomas McCarthy, alias Frank McCarthy; William J. Wiley. These are the injured: John Frazee, Frank Murray, alias McCarthy, Detective Sergeant Weibasky. This man escaped: "Chick" Sullivan, Early Monday evening Inspector Fitzpatrick received information that Helm's billiard hall would be raided by robbers before morning. The information had been imparted by Ed Helm, who had received his information from a frequenter of the place, who formerly associated with highwaymen, and who still maintains his association to the extent of knowing their plans. Inspector Fitzpatrick gave Mr. Helm assurance that he would provide for the emergency, and Mr. Helm returned from the city hall to his billiard rooms. He said nothing to his employes, nor did he hint to any of his regular customers that robbery, shooting or death might be seen in the place before morning.

Trusty Officers Called In. Shortly after Mr. Helm departed from the inspector's office the police official called in four of his most trustworthy detective sergeants. They were John Smith, John Norton, Bert Coudrey and William Burke. The inspector told the officers what appeared in prospect and asked the men if they could play pool. All replied in the affirmative. Then Inspector Fitzpatrick ordered the men to go to Helm's place and play pool, if necessary, until morning or until they had satisfied themselves that no robbery was imminent. The officers went to the billiard hall immediately, and, walking to the rear part of the hall, called upon J. E. Franklin, colored, who attended the tables, to supply them with a set of pool balls. The game was begun. The detectives while playing kept a close watch upon the door. This door is at the west side of the hall, about midway of the building, and is reached by a pair of winding stairs. While the officers played the hall filled up. Among the men at the surrounding tables were the well-known billiardists, Tom Gallagher, Edward O'Malley of Indiana and Clark streets, Banks Cregier, John Matthews, and Messrs. Rex and Freeman of the Schiller restaurant.

Mr. Helm Grew Nervous. To the officers all the rest of the players seemed orderly, and the detectives still watched the door, believing that the robbers, if they came at all, must come up the stairs rather than out of the crowd. About 12:15 the crowd in the billiard room began to thin out. The detectives kept playing and casting nervous glances about them. Mr. Helm grew nervous. He did not know who they were. In his uncertainty he concluded that they were the men who were to make an assault upon his cash register, which is on a desk immediately in front of the door. The man who had supplied him with the original information of the coming robbery was in the hall, and Mr. Helm conferred with him. He also conferred with his cashier, P. H. Smith, with the result that Mr. Helm went to the central station and reported that four suspicious characters were playing pool in his room. Inspector Fitzpatrick gave him more assurance, and he went back satisfied. Scarcely a moment had passed after the proprietor had entered his billiard room when five men entered. These walked past the cash register and to the very center table in the room. Porter Franklin approached and asked if they desired to play billiards.

Revolvers Are Drawn. At that instant a horde of detectives rushed into the door with drawn revolvers. At that very instant also, it is claimed, one of the five men at the center table drew a revolver and commanded the occupants of the place to stand and give up their money. The command of the robber brought the pool players at the rear to their side in an inconceivable short length of time, and the five men were surrounded before they were aware that resistance was being offered to their hitherto unvanquished arms. Two of the robbers were knocked to the floor by the butts of the officers' revolvers. Blood gushed from the noses of the fallen men. Two of the other three offered desperate resistance, and made efforts to get revolvers from their pockets. The officers, overpowered them. In the general scuffle, however, one of the men, who was recognized by the officers as "Chick" Sullivan, escaped, and darted down the stairs. He was followed and seen to enter the basement restaurant at Clark and Madison streets, but he escaped.

Street Railway Consolidation. DETROIT, July 15.—According to what is considered reliable authority a large and controlling interest in the Detroit railway, the system operating under 3-cent fare ordinances, has been sold by Henry A. Everett, general manager and promoter of the system, to R. T. Wilson of New York. Mr. Wilson now owns most of the stock of the Citizens' Street Railway company and the consolidation of the roads under one management is now anticipated. It is asserted that the deal will be completed at Mr. Wilson's office in New York Wednesday.

Wants to Impose the Mayor. HAMILTON, O., July 15.—Father Henry Anderson, a priest of St. Mary's Catholic church, caused a sensation here Monday when he retained ex-Congressman H. L. Morey to draw up the necessary papers to impeach Mayor Charles S. Bosch. The priest explained that he cannot sleep at night on account of the hoodlums who gather in front of his parsonage and make night hideous, and he says the mayor refused to afford him protection and cause the nuisance to cease. Mayor Bosch said that he didn't mind being impeached, but he would not fight a duel.

Russian Officialdom.

An amusing yet suggestive instance of the prevailing corruption among all classes in Russia is shown in the following story:

One of the largest firms in the English iron trade contracted for the erection of a bridge in Russia. The bridge was erected and official inspection invited, but on one pretext or other it was put off until it became plain to the English contractors that unless they were prepared to bribe the inspector the bridge would not be taken off their hands. As they had cut the contract very close they could not afford to do so, and the official revenged himself by certifying the bridge to be unsafe. It had to be taken to pieces and shipped to England.

The sequel is most suggestive of all. A new tender "for a much larger sum" was sent in by the same firm. It was accepted. The very same bridge that was sent to Russia and brought back was forwarded again, re-erected, examined by the same official, received his approval and was taken over by the Russian government.

Of course in their new tender the firm left an ample margin, and the official, receiving a substantial "tip," approved of the same bridge that he had formerly condemned.—Pearson's Weekly.

Cyrus Field's Advice to Garrett.

When young Bob Garrett took it upon himself to run the earth, after he became president of the Baltimore and Ohio, he started the Baltimore and Ohio sleeping car system, the Baltimore and Ohio Express company, the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph company. One day he ran across Cyrus Field in New York, and the old financier took him in hand.

Novel Safety Lamp.

The new safety lamp for mines, operating upon a peculiar principle, is reported as being in successful use in Germany. A peculiarity of this lamp is noted—namely, that it is not closed in any special way, like other lamps, and it matters very little whether or not the workman, disregarding the regulations of the mine, succeeds in opening the lamp, for there is a special arrangement by means of which the flame is extinguishable at the same instant. This is explained by there being in the interior of the lamp glass a spring which is compressed when the upper piece is screwed down, which enables a cap to operate upon the wick in such a manner as to shift it aside, facilitating the lighting of the lamp and afterward the combustion. When the spring is worked in the contrary direction, the cap again operates upon the wick, and the flame ceases the moment the cap comes in contact with the air. The lamp can be lighted without being opened.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Gailouette, Druggist, Beaver ville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at the Drug Stores of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor and Geo. J. Haussler, of Manchester.

A Handsome Book for a Two Cent Stamp. New Publication by The D. & C. Line.

To those who contemplate taking a summer outing, we will mail for 2c. postage our illustrated pamphlet, which contains a large number of fine engravings of every summer resort between Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit and Picturesque Mackinac. It has many artistic halftones of points of interest of the Upper Lake region. Information regarding both short and extended tours, costs of transportation and hotel fare, etc. Address, A. A. SCHANTZ, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

Expiring Senatorial Terms.

Senators whose terms will expire March 4, 1897, are Pugh of Alabama, Jones of Arkansas, Perkins of California, Teller of Colorado, Platt of Connecticut, Call of Florida, Gordon of Georgia, Dubois of Idaho, Palmer of Illinois, Voorhees of Indiana, Allison of Iowa, Peffer of Kansas, Blackburn of Kentucky, Blanchard of Louisiana, Gibson of Maryland, Vest of Missouri, Jones of Nevada, Hill of New York, Hansbrough of North Dakota, Brice of Ohio, Mitchell of Oregon, Cameron of Pennsylvania, Irby of South Carolina, Kyle of South Dakota, Morrill of Vermont, Squire of Washington, Gallinger of New Hampshire, Pritchard of North Carolina and Vilas of Wisconsin.

Of course you will have a vacation, but you are a little puzzled as to where you spend it—that is, if you have never been at Crystal Lake or Frankfort. Those who have visited these resorts never think of going anywhere else. They are located away up in the northern part of Michigan and are ideal summer resting places. The Ann Arbor R. R. runs a cheap 10-day excursion Wednesday, July 29.

THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

Perhaps the Most Curious of His Many Singular Adventures.

"In a house that I went into one night in the country," said the retired burglar, "I saw when I got up on the second floor a light coming out into the hall from an open door. When I got a look into that door, I saw a man all dressed standing leaning over a bed. I couldn't see his face, but I could see anxiety on the back of his head. Lying in the bed was a child, thin and white and still, but awake and looking up at its father. Backing out of the door, I ticked my lamp against the door jamb. The man looked up. He wasn't scared. I doubt if he would have been anyway, but he was thinking of something else now.

"Come in," he says, and I went in.

"The child looked at me as I walked across the floor, and then looked up again at its father, saying nothing, but just lying there and looking up.

"How the man came to be fixed in that way, all alone with that child, I could not even guess. Wife just died maybe, but there he was and thinking of nothing else in the world, and the child was the pitifullest looking little child I ever saw.

"What the man wanted was to have me go for the doctor. He told me his name, and the doctor's name, and where he lived, and I went. It was late, you understand, but I whinged away on the doctor's door till I heard him open his window. I told him what was wanted.

"All right," he says, and I thought by the way he said it he knew about the child.

"Then I went my way. I'd lost a night, but what of that?"—New York Sun.

Personal.

PREP—64-page medical reference book to any person afflicted with any special, chronic or delicate disease peculiar to their sex. Address the leading physicians and surgeons of the United States, Dr. Hathaway & Co., 70 Dearborn street, Chicago.

Two Women Burned to Death.

BALTIMORE, July 15.—Mrs. Thomas Woolford, aged 64, and her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Slemaker, aged 65, were burned to death by the explosion of a coal oil lamp Monday night at their home, 1200 Riverside avenue, this city. The women were ascending the steps leading to their bedroom on the second floor, one of them carrying the lamp, when it exploded, throwing the burning oil over them.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward to any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made their firm.

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Headache stopped in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "Once cent a dose."

They Stopped That Way.

"Step this way, please, ladies," said the gracious shopwalker at a large drapery emporium as he led off with a majestic wave of the hand.

"We are sorry," returned one of the fair customers demurely, "but we haven't really learned to step that way."

"But we'll try," put in another. And they all did, imitating that haughty shopwalker till he wished he had never been born.—London Answers.

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood overcomes that tired feeling, creates an appetite, and gives refreshing sleep.

The Successful One.

"So Miss Keene is married," said one young man.

"Yes," replied the despondent lover.

"And to another."

"I thought she regarded you very kindly."

"She did. And I lavished every attention on her. I took her to the opera every night, and then she married my rival."

"She thought he had more money than you."

"She was sure of it. He couldn't help but have after I took her to the opera every night."—Washington Star.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night, Itching Piles, and say nothing about it through a sense of delicacy. Instant relief in Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Not even a grain of salt is wanting to emphasize and make perfect the flavor of NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT.

Pure, wholesome, an economical luxury. Sold everywhere. Take no substitute. Send name and address for booklet. Mrs. Hopkins' Thanksgiving. MERRELL-SOULE CO., SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Battle Ax Plug advertisement featuring an illustration of a man with a battle ax and the text: 'The North Pole made use of at last.' 'Always at the front and wherever "BATTLE AX" goes it is the biggest thing in sight. It is as remarkable for its fine flavor and quality as for its low price. A 5 cent piece of "BATTLE AX" is almost as large as a 10 cent piece of any other equally good tobacco.'

AMERICAN SILVER TRUSS advertisement with an illustration of a truss and text: 'Retains Severe Hernia with Comfort. LIGHT, COOL, Easy to Wear. No pressure on Hips or Back. No understraps. Never moves.'

The COAST LINE to MACKINAC advertisement with an illustration of a steamship and text: 'TO MACKINAC DETROIT PETOSKEY CHICAGO. 2 New Steel Passenger Steamers. The Greatest Perfection yet attained in Boat Construction—Luxurious Equipment, Artistic Furnishing, Decoration and Efficient Service, insuring the highest degree of COMFORT, SPEED AND SAFETY.'

Weakness of Men advertisement with an illustration of a man and text: 'Quickly, Thoroughly, Forever Cured by a new perfected scientific method that cannot fail unless the case is beyond human aid. You feel improved the first day, feel a benefit every day, soon know yourself a king among men!'

Between Detroit and Cleveland advertisement with text: 'Connecting at Cleveland with Earliest Trains for all points East, South and Southwest and at Detroit for all points North and Northwest. Sunday Trips June, July, August and September Only. EVERY DAY BETWEEN Cleveland, Put-in-Bay & Toledo. Send for Illustrated Pamphlet. Address A. A. SCHANTZ, G. P. A., DETROIT, MICH. The Detroit & Cleveland Steam Nav. Co.'

WM. HERZ advertisement with text: 'NO. 4 W. WASHINGTON ST. HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL AND FRESCO PAINTER, gliding, calceining, glazing and paper hanging. All works done in the best style and warranted to give satisfaction.'

DRS. MACLACHLAN & BROOKS advertisement with text: 'Diseases of the EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT. Office, corner Main and Washington Streets R. side, 118 S. State Street. Telephone, No. 134. Hours: 10 a. m. to 11 and 1 to 5 p. m.'

ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK advertisement with text: 'At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, May 7, 1895. RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts, \$401,144.48; Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc., 496,114.54; Overdrafts, 1,493.09; Banking House, 20,500.00; Furniture and Fixtures, 8,417.32; Other Real Estate, 16,271.32. LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00; Surplus fund, 150,000.00; Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, 12,445.00; Dividends unpaid, 417.04. DEPOSITS: Commercial deposits, subject to check, 188,012.91; Savings Deposits, 729,743.84; Savings Certificates of Deposit, 112,408.59; Due to Banks and Bankers, 6,748.07. Total, \$1,240,775.45. STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw, I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of May, 1896. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public. CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, L. Gruber, Directors. Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$150,000 Resources, \$1,000,000. Transacts a general banking business; buys and sells exchanges on New York, Detroit and Chicago; sells drafts on all the principal cities of Europe. This bank, already having a large business, invites merchants and others to open accounts with them with the assurance of the most liberal dealing consistent with safe banking. In the Savings Department interest at the rate of four per cent. is paid semi-annually, on the first days of January and July, on all sums that were deposited three months previous to those days, thus affording the people of this city and county a perfectly safe depository for their funds, together with a return in interest for the same. Money to loan on approved securities. DIRECTORS.—Christian Mack, Daniel Hiseock, Willard B. Smith, W. D. Harriman, William Deubel, David Rinsey, L. Gruber. OFFICERS.—Christian Mack, President; W. D. Harriman, Vice-President; Chas. E. Hiseock, Cashier; M. J. Fritz Ass't-Cashier.'

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FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1896.

NATIONAL TICKET.

For President, WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. For Vice-President, ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

While, as will be noted, the Argus will give the democratic national ticket a good support, it wishes now to say that it has no word of excuse to offer for those Michigan democrats who sought to override the will of a legally called and lawfully conducted state convention and secure the seating of four delegates who had no credentials and whose names were never brought before the state convention for ratification or rejection.

Byron and Sewall are the democratic nominees for president and vice president. Nebraska and Maine have the honor of furnishing the standard bearers. Excellent men they are personally, and of strong calibre. They stand squarely for free silver and unlike McKinley, who has been placed on a gold platform, they are not averse to letting the world know where they stand.

Bryan is one of the foremost orators of the country. Those who heard him speak in this city four years ago will bear testimony to the truth of this remark. His oratory before the convention nominated him. He is a clean, straightforward man of great personal magnetism; one of the common people, tall and well proportioned, he presents a good appearance upon a platform and the earnestness of his manner and the frankness of his countenance impress his hearers.

Hon. Frank H. Hurd, ex-congressman, lawyer and one of the most prominent democrats in Ohio, died at his apartments in the Boody House, Toledo, Friday morning, after an illness of five days. The immediate cause of his death was apoplexy.

Congressman Spalding is out for "safe bi-metallism." Can he get along until election time without taking his stand on either the St. Louis or the Chicago platform?

Why was it that the republican wheelhorses were so averse to serving on the committees at the republican county convention Tuesday?

The republicans of Washtenaw declare for gold for president and silver for governor. That's a straddle for you.

Frankfort is the most charming resort in Northern Michigan. The days are pleasant there, the nights cool. Ten day excursion via Ann Arbor R. R., Wednesday, July 29.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

The Grim Reaper Has Been Very Busy This Week.

Iva, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fields, died at her parents' home, 8 W. Summit st., Thursday of last week, aged 10 months. The funeral services were held at the house Saturday afternoon and the remains were buried in the Fifth ward cemetery.

Mrs. Dorothy H. Brown died Friday morning last at the home of her daughter, Miss Margaret E. Brown, No. 7 E. University ave., of prostration, aged 80 years. Mrs. Brown was a native of England, but had been a resident of this city for 29 years. She leaves one son, Major A., and one daughter, Margaret E. Brown. The funeral services were held at her late home, Sunday afternoon and she was buried in Forest Hill cemetery.

John Gall, an old and highly respected resident of Ann Arbor, died at his home, No. 41 N. Fifth ave., on Sunday, of lung trouble, aged 60 years and 11 months. Mr. Gall was born in Germany in 1835. At the age of 18 he came to America and settled in Ann Arbor, where he has since resided with the exception of one year spent in California. He carried on the butchering business for many years in the store now occupied by Casper Rinsey, later removing to a store on E. Washington st. When he retired from business he was succeeded by his nephew, J. Fred Hoetzle, who still has it. In 1864 he married Miss Julia Niethammer. Three children resulted from this union, one of whom, a son named George, is dead. His wife and two daughters, Mrs. Andrew Muehlig and Miss Alice E. Gall, survive him. The funeral services were held at his late home on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. A. L. Nicklas officiating, The Arbeiter Verein, of which he was a member, attended the funeral in a body. The remains were interred in Forest Hill cemetery.

In the death of John George Laubengayer, which took place at the home of his son, Fred Laubengayer, in the township of Lodi, on Sunday, another old pioneer of Washtenaw county has passed to the great beyond. Mr. Laubengayer was born in Leinfelden, Wurtemberg, Germany, in 1807. He came to this country with his parents, brother and sisters in 1833 and settled in Washtenaw county, where he has resided ever since. He was married in Ann Arbor to Miss Elizabeth Kirn, after having lived in the city for several years, and they at once moved out to Lodi. Four children were born of this marriage, Fred, Mary, George and Katharine. His first wife having died he married again and one child, Emanuel, was born to him. Having sold his farm in Lodi he removed to Lima, but only lived there a short time when he came back to his son Fred, with whom he had since made his home. He was well known, generally liked and highly respected. The funeral services were held Wednesday and were conducted by Rev. Julius Klingmann, of Scio. The remains were buried in the Lodi cemetery.

Frank Dugdale died at his rooms in the Unity block on Monday noon of Bright's disease, aged 29 years and 9 months. The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Camden M. Coburn officiating, and the remains were buried in Forest Hill cemetery.

Albert Nelson Williams, better known as Allie Williams, died Monday afternoon of consumption, aged 52 years, at the home of Newton Felch, 30 Wall st., where he boarded. He had been sick for a number of years. Deceased was a single man, his only relatives being a brother, Wm. Williams, of Saginaw, who attended his funeral, and a sister who is married and lives in one of the western states. He was buried in the Fifth ward cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. J. W. Crippen.

Louisa, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bischoff, of 56 Pontiac st., was carried off Monday evening by cholera infantum, aged 3 months. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Max Hein, and the remains were buried in the Fifth ward cemetery.

Leo Friedrich Marquardt died Wednesday morning at 2:30 at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Marquardt, in the town of Scio, of appendicitis, aged 10 years, 3 months and 4 days, after an illness of one week's duration. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at the house, Rev. Max Hein officiating. Burial in the German cemetery on Jackson ave.

Thomas McMahon, an old soldier, died at his cabin in Northfield yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. His funeral services were held at St. Patrick's church, Northfield, this morning, Rev. L. P. Goldrick officiating, and he was buried in the cemetery of that church. He was a brother of Mrs. William Mason, of this city.

Get a pair of Comfortable Shoes. JACOBS & ALLMAND are having a reduction sale on all Tan Goods this week. A great opportunity.

Plan Your Summer Outing Now. Go to Picturesque Mackinac via The Coast Line.

It only costs \$13.50 from Detroit, \$15.50 from Toledo, \$18.00 from Cleveland for the round trip, including meals and berths. One thousand miles of lake ride on new, modern steel steamers for the above rates. Send 2c. for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. SCHANTZ, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

CRUDE INTOXICANTS.

THE MANUFACTURE OF STIMULANTS BY ABORIGINES.

Fermented and Distilled Liquors With Which the Uncivilized Natives of Different Parts of the World Produce "Drunk," Learning From the White Man.

It is a remarkable fact that up to the time of the coming of the whites the North American Indians generally had no knowledge of intoxicants. As for tobacco, they did not smoke it as we do apparently, but merely for ceremonial purposes. Going southward into Mexico in those days, however, the traveler might have found alcoholic stimulants in common use. Even at the present time the natives in that part of the world make an odd sort of beer out of corn. They wet a woolen blanket, lay it in the sun and spread whole grains of maize upon it. The grains germinate, sprouting and sending out rootlets through the texture of the blanket, which is kept moist. They are then parched and ground to a coarse meal. To this meal a little yeast, made by chewing some corn and allowing it to ferment, is added. Then the stuff is mixed with water and put away in jars. Fermentation follows, and as it diminishes the liquor becomes as clear as yellow amber, in which condition it is drunk. It is quite intoxicating.

Several varieties of grasses, herbs and flowers, the roots of sundry plants, the juices of the sugar cane and aloe, and even beets, are used by various tribes and peoples as a basis of drinks. In earlier times spruce trees, fir trees, birch trees and ash trees were tapped for their sap, which was fermented to make stimulating beverages. The willow, poplar, sycamore and walnut are said to yield palatable drinks. The Japanese obtain intoxicating beverages from plums and from the flowers of the motherwort and peach. The Chinese actually produce an alcoholic drink from mutton. The Abnaki Indians of New England used to manufacture a kind of liquor from the tops of fir trees, which they boiled and put into casks with molasses. The contents of the casks were allowed to ferment for three days.

The Eskimos were entirely unacquainted with the art of getting drunk until they came into contact with the whites. Travelers have observed that they drink extraordinary quantities of water when they can procure it. That is not always so easy in a latitude where the normal condition of water is that of a solid. In winter one of the most important occupations of the women is the thawing of snow to get water. The snow is cut into very thin slices as a preparation for the thawing process, and it is fetched to the hut from a considerable distance in order that it may be perfectly clean. The Eskimo greatly dislikes water that is many degrees above the freezing point.

The Chilcat Indians of southern Alaska distill a fearful beverage called "hoocheeno." The process adopted was probably suggested to them by United States soldiers originally. Molasses or vegetables of any sort, made into a "mash," are employed as raw material. The mash is put into a large tin can, which is connected with another tin can by a tube of the hollow stem of the giant kelp. This tube is buried in snow. A fire is built under the can that contains the mash, and the alcohol passes over into the other vessel. The liquor thus distilled is drunk fresh and produces temporary insanity.

The aborigines of Mexico and farther to the south were acquainted only with fermented intoxicants up to the time when they learned from the whites the principle of the still. At present, however, this contrivance of civilization is in general use among savages on this continent. The Apaches of southern Arizona make whisky from the sap of a small species of cactus. They cut out the hearts of the plants, resembling little cabbages, and in the cup shaped receptacles left behind the sap accumulates. From this sap they distill the famous "mescal," which drives those who drink it to sheer madness. Many spirituous drinks are made from the banana. Banana wine is obtained by pressing the fruit through a sieve, after which it is made into cakes, dried in the sun and dissolved in water when wanted for use.

On the west coast of Africa it is a common thing to see a bare legged woman climbing up a gigantic palm tree, with a calabash of immense size hung round her neck. When she has reached the top branch, she taps the tree, and the sap begins to flow. Then she hangs the calabash beneath the stream of sap and descends. Twelve hours later she climbs the tree again and takes down the calabash, which by that time is full of palm beer. It resembles mead somewhat, but a small quantity of it stupefies the drinker. African natives universally know how to prepare drunk producing liquors from such simple materials as the tops of broom corn, sugar cane juice and coconut milk.

All over eastern Asia is consumed a drink known as "arrack." The best of it is distilled from the unexpanded flowers of certain varieties of palm. A vile kind of arrack is made from impure molasses that is left over as refuse in the manufacture of raw sugar. It makes the drinker crazy, and under the influence of it whole parties of Malays sometimes "run amuck" together, the sport only concluding with the death of all participants, as well as the destruction of numbers of innocent people. This is a favorite Malay plan of committing suicide. A man makes up his mind that he wants to die, and so he fills himself up with arrack and starts to run amuck, stabbing every one that comes in his way until he himself is slain.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Blotting paper is wholly unsized, the lack of sizing enabling it to take up and retain the ink of the writing on which it is laid.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

"Whose Game Was It?" When two men are hunting together, either for large game or small, there is frequently considerable difficulty in determining to which one the dead game belongs, especially when the shots are fired simultaneously or when shot or bullets of the same size are used by both hunters. Dr. J. W. Hall, in Recreation, discusses at considerable length the question, "Whose Game Was It?"

When two persons standing side by side shoot with shot of the same size at a bird, the question is practically unanswerable, though if both hit the bird the number of shot in the game would, of course, have to be considered. Courtesy gives the doubtful game to the one whose bag is lightest.

An experienced hunter can usually tell when he presses the trigger whether it is a killing shot or not, and when two such men shoot together there is rarely any difficulty, as each knows whether he held on or not and does not hesitate to say so if he feels that he missed.

When hunting with a man who claims everything, it is best to quit. Some men, even if their second shell misses fire, will contend that they killed two birds rods apart. They can make marvelous shots around corners, over hillsides and through trees, and they quite spoil an honest man's sport.

Creation of Peers. The creation of a peer is now effected by letters patent, addressed to the new lord of parliament, which are accompanied by a writ of summons to the house of lords. Sir William Anson gives the following account of the proper steps to be taken: The prime minister informs the home secretary of the intention of the crown. The home office thereupon instructs the crown office in chancery to prepare a warrant for the sign manual. This warrant, when prepared, is submitted by the home secretary to the queen, and having been countersigned by him it is returned to the crown office for the preparation of the letters patent and the affixing thereto of the great seal, and the letters patent and writ are then sent to the newly created peer. On the introduction to the house the new peer presents his patent to the lord chancellor, and this and also his writ of summons are read and entered upon the journals of the house. They form the "matter of records," in which, as the lords resolved in 1680, the title to a peerage must originate.—Strand Magazine.

Decided by Jury. It is not uncommon for an English judge to try to raise a laugh—and strange to say he usually succeeds—by affecting an infantile ignorance of all things but purely judicial matters. Sir Henry Hawkins not long ago asked in court, "What is hay?"

A correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger says that in a recent libel suit a strange affectation of judicial ignorance was evinced by Lord Russell. Sir Edward Clarke read, from a book of the plaintiff's, a description of Chopin's "umber shaded head."

"What shade?" asked Lord Russell. "Umbel," replied Sir Edward. "Yes, but what is that?" persisted the chief justice.

At this point the feelings of the jury were too much for them. With a unanimity reminiscent of the "Pirates of Penzance," they chanted in expostulatory chorus, "Brown, my lord, brown," and the trial went on.

Hollow Steel Spars. Mechanical skill of no ordinary character is required to produce the hollow steel boom, the spar which has now become so noted in marine architecture, advantage being gained, in exigencies, by beginning in the center and riveting the plates toward both ends. In the most recent instance of this construction there were four lines of angle iron braces at equal distances from each other and running the whole length of the boom, giving it a good bracing, the face to the angles being slightly curved to take the concave shape of the interior of the boom, these angles consisting of sections measuring on an average some 15 feet, with a lap made at each joint 1 1/2 inches in length and bolted with steel. These laps are irregular, in order that two joints or more may not be opposite each other and thus cause weakness.

He Gave Her Away. As everybody knows, Richard Wagner, the great composer, married the devoted wife of Hans von Bulow. The story goes that the latter one day came to Wagner, for whom he had the greatest possible admiration, and said: "Master, I wish to make you a little present. I have noticed your preference for my wife. Take her. She is yours. I am proud to think that I have something that you will consider worthy of acceptance."

And so a divorce was procured and the marriage took place. Later, when Von Bulow was in this country, he laughingly said to a well known woman of this city, "You know, Wagner married my widow."—New York Journal.

He or She

DON'T KNOW WHAT HE WANTS

Had to give him up, is the way they refer in most Furniture Stores, to a man or lady who walks out without buying.

They are wrong; they know what they want—that's the trouble. People who are hard to please in Furniture Stores are generally good judges of Furniture. They have a gift of spotting bad goods, bad styles and poor work; they know how Furniture should be made.

We complain of such people. Why should we? They are our best and most appreciative customers.

W. G. & E. Dieterle,

Nos. 2 and 4 E. Liberty St.

Milan. Milan is selling home grown peaches for \$1.25 per bushel, potatoes for 40 cents, eggs 10 cents per dozen, butter 12 cents per pound.

Warren Babcock, after a long and painful illness, died at his home, July 13. He leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter, who are all married.

The Baptist ladies held their tea social at Mrs. Redman's residence on Hurd st., Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Grant Pullen, who has been quite ill, is now convalescent. Attorney G. R. Williams went to Whitaker on business Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilkinson, of Vernon, arrived in Milan Wednesday noon for a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Minch.

Prof. Carrick and family are away on a visiting tour.

Prof. and Mrs. Babcock, of the Agricultural College, are in town visiting friends.

Mrs. Ball, of First st., is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. T. Lacey, have returned to their home in Toledo.

Mrs. F. Coe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Heston, in Parsons, Kansas. Mrs. Moore returned the last of the week from a four years' sojourn in Kansas.

Miss Ruby Rouse, of Saline, is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rouse, of County st.

The Misses Gardner and Stringer, who have been the guests of Miss Imo Whitmarsh, have returned to their respective homes.

Miss K. Lamb, of Blissfield, is the guest of Mrs. Tom Barnes.

L. Stringer, of Detroit, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitmarsh and family.

Rev. H. F. Shier left for Bay View, Monday.

A. Day, of Ypsilanti, is visiting his sons, Maurice and Frank, this week. Mrs. Hinkley is entertaining guests from Belleville this week.

For Sale. A New Spring Wagon with 3 upholstered seats. Complete, a good one, large bed and fine finish.

G. W. LOUGHRIDGE, Marble and Granite Works, No. 23 Washington St., Ypsilanti, Mich.

Jacques Louis David.

In France art, like society, was tottering to its fall when the revolution burst and hastened the end. The spirit of which the revolution was the political outcome had also, as in the pictures of Greuze and Vien, been working beneath the surface of the art world, and with the fall of the empire these aspirations took definite shape. The art so long dedicated to whims and caprices of the aristocracy began, under the impulse of the new environment, to express the sentiments and ideals of the common people. Cut off from the past by the sword of retribution, in the turmoil of the present they sought inspiration for the future in the great acts of patriotism of the Romans. And the general intelligence of Europe, interested in the discoveries at Pompeii, gave it form on its artistic side.

These feelings and aspirations seemed to become incarnate in the work of Jacques Louis David. A friend of Robespierre and a leader in the revolution party, he on the collapse of the movement narrowly escaped with his life. But with the rise of Napoleon, who appointed him his painter in chief, his influence again became paramount, and despite the many phases art has undergone and the innumerable cliques into which painters have divided in the interval it is still, modified and touched by reality, a living force in French art. David's conception of pictorial art was somewhat cold and lifeless. He led his conferees back not to nature, but to antiquity, as expressed in sculpture. Respect for the achievements of the past underlay all his work and paralyzed his invention and resource.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Circus Excursion.

Saturday, July 25, the Ann Arbor R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Toledo and return, account exhibition Buffalo Bill's Wild West. Train leaves Ann Arbor at 7:00 a. m. Fare for round trip \$1.00. Returning train leaves Toledo 8:30 p. m.

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Dead Stuck for Bugs!

Is guaranteed to destroy Carpet Bugs, Ants, Roaches, Bed Bugs, etc. It costs 25c for a large bottle. We have also Corrosive Sublimate, Insect Powder, Oil of Cedar, Oil of Lavender, Oil of Sassafras, Carbolic Acid, Copperas, Chloride of Lime, and many other preparations used for the destruction of all kinds of insects and disease germs, which are so prevalent at this time of year.

A. E. MUMMERY'S DRUG STORE

17 E. Washington St., Corner Fourth Ave.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR SALE—The Dexter Basket Factory. The factory is now running its full capacity and we cannot keep up with orders. Other business prevents our running it. L. C. Palmer, Mattie E. Palmer. 25-33

FOR SALE—Seven-year-old bay mare, standard bred, fine condition. Price dead cheap. Also carriage and harness. Enquire 27 N. University Ave. 26-29

WANTED—Lady of experience to travel and establish agencies. Salary and expenses paid. Call or address 9 S. Ingalls st., Ann Arbor. 29-32

FOR SALE—A cow for sale 1 1/2 mile west of Northfield Catholic Church. Jno. McKernan. 25-28

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. 31

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. 26-29

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three farms, one close to Ann Arbor, 85 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 1351 Ann Arbor, Mich. 29-32

FOR SALE OR RENT—A new 8-room house with a good barn, good well, two good closets, one and one-half lots of land. Terms easy. Enquire at 33 Detroit St., Ann Arbor. 29-31

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

BIKES—A strictly high-grade wheel at wholesale price. Only one in each place. Call or write. A. G. St. John, 9 Geddes ave., Ann Arbor. 29-32

TO RENT—Large Commodious House, best location in city, for roomers and boarders. Will rent all or part. Inquire at 47 S. Division St. 29-33

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Decorate your house now. A mammoth stock of beautiful combinations. Our prices: Standard blanks 3c per roll. Silver combinations 5c per roll. Best gilt paper 7c per roll. Best ingrain paper 8c per roll.

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ARGUS AUGURIES.

Friday, July 17—Fraternity Lodge F. & A. M., work in first degree.

Friday, July 17—Modern Woodman, adjourned meeting; initiations.

Wednesday, July 22—Annual picnic of Bethlehem Sunday school at Relief park.

Thursday, July 23—Organ Recital at University hall. Admission free.

Monday, July 27—Opening of Summer Normal School.

Thursday, July 29—Second Annual Y. M. C. A. excursion to Detroit.

Friday, July 31—Emancipation Day Celebration at Ann Arbor.

Monday, August 3—Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show at Fair Grounds.

Wednesday, August 5—Republican State convention at Grand Rapids.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Henning block has received a second and final coat of paint during the last few days.

The next regular teachers' examination for all grades will be held at Ann Arbor beginning on the third Thursday of August and lasting two days.

George Reichert, of Scio, brought the first load of new wheat to the Central Mills yesterday. It weighed 60 pounds to the bushel plump.

Miss Norma Tucker, formerly alto in the First Baptist church choir, has been engaged for a similar position in the Congregational church choir during the coming year.

The congregation of Zion Lutheran church gave a pleasant reception to Rev. A. L. Nicklas, the new pastor, in the basement of the church, Thursday evening of last week.

A new and modern plate glass front will be put into the store occupied by Henne & Stanger, the furniture dealers, as soon as the iron trusses necessary for the work arrive.

The annual Young Men's Christian Association excursion to Detroit, will take place on Thursday, July 30. The trains will be run conveniently and last year's low rate of fare will be observed.

The stockholders of the Ann Arbor Street Railway Co. will have a meeting Friday, July 31, to consider and act on a proposal to sell its property and franchise to the Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti Electric Railway Co.

Sheriff Judson has sold the growing crops on the Conrath Bros.' farm to a young man named Miller for \$66. The claims of the children amount to over \$450 so that 15 cents on the dollar is the utmost the children will receive as the result of the sale.

Vet Seabolt and Fred Arnold, who were out camping at Zuky lake, returned home from there Friday by way of the Huron river in a canoe. They made the distance, 27 miles, in 10 hours, over all sorts of obstacles in the shape of dams, etc.

Prof. Fred Schaeberle will shortly open a music store in the store next to Charles Binder on Liberty st., which he has recently purchased. The store is now being fitted up with a new front and other improvements preparatory to its occupancy by him.

Mrs. Ellen M. Holzheimer has filed a bill for divorce from her husband, Franklin H. Holzheimer, on the ground of cruelty and desertion. Mrs. Holzheimer resides in Ann Arbor and Mr. Holzheimer, who graduated from the law department in June, is a resident of Utah. The couple have one child, a boy four years old.

The Fox family had a very pleasant reunion at the home of W. H. Fields, No. 52 N. Fourth ave., on Monday evening. The company was favored with mandolin and guitar solos and duets by Walter Parker and F. C. Goien, of Chicago, who were among the guests, also with bass solos by Andrew Johnson, of this city. Miss Ora Brown, of Battle Creek, was one of the guests from outside the city.

Joseph Seabolt, the oldest brother of Jacob, Moses and Martin M. Seabolt, of this city, died July 4 in Loveland, Iowa, of paralysis, aged about 70 years. He leaves a wife and a large family of grown up children. Mr. Seabolt left here in 1845 and went to California in those early days of the gold fever in that country. He finally settled in Loveland, Iowa. There are some of the older residents left who can still remember him although he had been a comparative stranger in Ann Arbor for many years past.

The front of George Wahr's book store on N. Main st., has been remodeled somewhat during the past week.

The sum of \$40 was realized at the M. E. church on Sunday evening for the benefit of the Armenian sufferers.

Emmanuel Luick purchased a large quantity of Canadian lumber in Toledo on Monday, for use at the Luick Bros.' mill in this city.

William Walsh has just completed his season's work for the Deering Harvester Co., and they are so pleased with his work that they want to engage him again next year.

The Dexter Leader says: "The good results of the spearing law are beginning to be manifest. It has been long years since so many fine bass have been caught from the Huron as this spring."

A switch engine pushed a box car across the main track of the Ann Arbor railroad two miles north of Cadillac on Monday night, and as a consequence the train which goes through here at 7 a. m., was four hours late that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmid last evening gave a reception at their home on S. Fifth ave., to enable the young people of Zion Lutheran church to get acquainted with their new pastor, Rev. A. L. Nicklas and his wife. It was largely attended and was very enjoyable.

Last week Wm. Walsh, the agent for the Deering Harvester Co., sold a Deering pony binder to Wm. Copeland, who owns the Hueston farm in Ann Arbor town, and he was so pleased with his purchase that he paid Mr. Walsh for the machine before he got his wheat half out.

Among the Ann Arborites who attended the Evacuation Day celebration at Detroit, Saturday, were Dr. Angell, Col. H. S. Dean, Prof. A. C. McLaughlin, J. Q. A. Sessions, Robert Campbell and J. T. Jacobs. Dr. Angell's speech on the occasion is said by all who heard it to have been a splendid effort.

Miss Cornelia Nichols, the little daughter of Dr. A. C. Nichols, after whom the Cornelian Club at Island Lake was named, and who so christened it July 4th, has presented the club with a handsome United States flag 4x6 feet in size and of the new regulation 45 star pattern. The club will fly the flag on all possible occasions.

Prosecuting Attorney Randall reports the following amount of business done by him during the last six months: Cases prosecuted, 255; cases convicted, 190; acquitted, 2; discharged on payment of costs, 2; number of cases nolle prossed, 13; discharged on examination, 5; total number escapes and unsettled, 3. During the last 18 months 665 cases have come before the county prosecutor, an unusually large number.

An exchange says: "People often wonder where in the world all the flies come from. It is all simple enough when rightly calculated. The toper makes the blue-bottle fly, the school teacher makes the gad fly, the cyclone makes the house fly, the blacksmith makes the fire fly, the carpenter makes the saw fly, the driver makes the horse fly, the grocer makes the sand fly, the boarder makes the butter fly and ice cream makes the money fly."

Paul C. Meyers made the run to Ypsilanti and back Tuesday afternoon to beat the best time record that had been made. He started from the court house, Ann Arbor, at 5 o'clock and rode to Congress st., Ypsilanti, turned round and rode back to his starting point, a distance of between 15 and 16 miles, in 49 min. 10 secs. At the L. S. & M. S. crossing he was delayed for some seconds by a train and still did better than the time he had anticipated.

A rather singular circumstance occurred in this city last Sunday. It was the meeting for the first time in their lives of four brothers. The names of the four are Jacob Esslinger, of Detroit, Rev. Wm. Esslinger, of Bay Port, Fred and Charles Esslinger, of Ann Arbor. The elder brother had left Germany before his younger brothers were born and although they all live in Michigan, they had never been all together before.

A number of local democrats celebrated the nomination of William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, for the presidency of the United States on Friday evening by lighting a big bonfire at the corner of Main and Huron sts. The bonfire was accompanied by the discharge of a number of large cannon fire crackers and other fireworks. Becker's Light Infantry Band gave a couple of selections towards the close of the embryo ratification, which one of the promoters informed the Argus cost just \$7 and was all paid for. True democratic simplicity was here exemplified.

The cyclone storm of July 4 reached Brighton and spent its fury all on C. M. Stark's photograph car. The wind lifted the car high in the air and carried it nearly across the road, leaving it a total wreck. Luckily Mr. Stark had left a short time before the accident or he would doubtless have been seriously bruised. The car was built in '73 and had stood the storms of 23 years without fear of molestation.—Oakland Excelsior. Mr. Stark was formerly a resident of this city and had a photograph gallery next to the postoffice on N. Main st.

Santaneli, the hypnotist, who mystified large audiences in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti for a couple of weeks last winter has been pretty roughly handled by two New York dailies, in which city he has been exhibiting his hypnotic powers. He had trouble with Tom Minnock, one of his employees, who did the sleeping act and the young fellow gave the whole thing away to the newspapers. The New York Journal says Minnock told its reporter that the week's sleep was really a week of most brain-racking wakefulness. The sleeper is always fed on the sly, and must watch every minute to prevent detection.

A number of Ann Arborites took in the A. O. H. excursion to Detroit yesterday.

Gilmore's famous band has been booked to give an evening concert in this city Dec. 1.

Ann Arbor Camp, No. 2796, Modern Woodman of America, have an adjourned meeting this evening for initiation.

The ninth annual meeting of the health officers of Michigan, has been in session in the physical laboratory yesterday and today.

The city summer tax rolls are now open at the city treasurer's office and willing and unwilling taxpayers can step up to the captain's desk and settle.

"Personal Responsibility" will be the subject at the Young Men's Christian Association men's meeting, Sunday next at 2:45 p. m. All men are welcome.

A number of the newsboys of this city went to Detroit yesterday, where they took part in the great newsboys' rally in that city. The boys had a good time.

The Light Infantry inspection and parade Wednesday evening was witnessed by a large crowd of people. Becker's Light Infantry Band took part in the ceremony.

The Hulbert property at the corner of S. State st. and N. University ave., has been bought by parties who will plat it into six store lots of 23 feet front each by 78 feet deep.

Ten German singing societies will take part in the Peninsular Saengerfest to be held at Lansing, August 4, 5 and 6. The Lyra, of this city, will probably also attend in a body.

The bill boards and store windows of the city are filled with the gaily colored posters advertising the appearance of Buffalo Bill's Wild West combination on the fair grounds Monday, Aug. 3.

Paul C. Meyer has entered the bicycle races at Jackson next Tuesday and at Tecumseh next Thursday. He will doubtless be heard from if he makes as good time as he has heretofore done.

A. C. Tessmer has been awarded the contract for building the new Arbeiter hall at Arbeiter grove, Ypsilanti. He will commence work at once. It is to be completed by Oct. 1. The plans show a large dancing floor, a stage and a gallery that will seat 300 people.

A bad washout occurred on the Ann Arbor railroad between Durand and Byron during the storm Tuesday afternoon. It was so bad that it delayed the train which leaves here at 4:38 p. m. over 40 minutes while the track was being temporarily repaired with shovels borrowed from neighboring farmers.

Reports to the state board of health show that rheumatism, diarrhoea, tonsillitis, neuralgia and bronchitis, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Consumption was reported at 210 places, measles at 88, typhoid fever at 34, scarlet fever at 19, whooping cough at 18, and diphtheria at 11.

Blanks will be circulated in a day or two in Sewer District No. 5, on which the property owners in that district can state the location they desire for their house connections with the sewer. These blanks should be filled out as soon after being received as possible so that the matter can be promptly attended to and thus prevent any kicking afterwards.

The Sunday school of the Bethlehem Evangelical church will hold its annual picnic in Relief Park next Wednesday afternoon. The children will assemble at the church at 1 o'clock and will march to the grounds, where the afternoon will be spent in games, singing, etc. Ample refreshments will be on hand for the young people and they will assuredly have a good time.

Peter McEnany, of Sharon, 70 years old, was brought to Ann Arbor Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Rushton, of Manchester, and lodged in jail, the poor old man being violently insane. McEnany suffered a severe sunstroke some time since, which affected his reason. He broods a good deal and at times he is violently insane. On Wednesday he had one of his violent spells, during which he jumped through a window without opening it and cut himself badly.

Bach & Butler have closed a series of transfers by which Edward Seyler becomes the owner of the De Witt Fall property, 29 Thompson st., Zeus Sweet of the house and lot, 43 E. Catherine st., now occupied by Ed. Donnelly, and Geo. Blum of Zeus Sweet's house, 20 Spring st. The aggregate value of the property transferred is \$7,000. Mr. Seyler will at once commence the erection of a large residence on the property he has secured on Thompson st.

A prominent berry grower of this vicinity informed The Times man this morning that a great quantity of prime berries are being left to rot on the bushes because of the extreme low price they command in the market. He is a life-long democrat, but he insists that the low market price is due to the Wilson bill. Canadian berry growers are flooding Detroit, our only market, with berries. Our berries command scarcely \$1 per bushel.—Washtenaw Evening Times.

Mrs. Mary E. Warner, of Ann Arbor, by her attorney, J. C. Knowlton, has filed a bill for divorce from her husband, William W. Warner, to whom she was married in Allegan, in 1872, and for the custody of their 10 years old child, Lillian W. Warner. In her bill Mrs. Warner alleges gross cruelty to her at different periods, commencing two years after their marriage, by her husband, and specifically mentions five or six different instances of his cruelty. It also asks for a writ of injunction restraining Warner from in any way interfering with his wife who seems to be in great fear of him.

A. L. Nowlin, owner of the Cook house, was in the city yesterday looking over the repairs being made on that hotel. Among these is a new boiler for heating the house.

F. W. Hastings, a mail route agent running on the Ann Arbor Railroad between Toledo and Frankfort, has for some time been suspected of being crooked, as many valuable letters have been lost on his route. Friday last he was arrested at Clare by Postal Inspector Larmour. A decoy letter, which like all the rest of those missing found its way to his car, was the means of his being found out.

Published His Own Obituary.

Attorney G. R. Williams, of Milan, son-in-law of Jonathan Sprague, of this city, was in the office of the Milan Leader one day last week and handed to Editor Smith a letter which is something of a relic. It is a letter written Mr. Williams' father in 1862 by a comrade in arms—H. Smith Schuyler, 1st Duty Serg., Co. I, 3rd Bat., 1st Wisconsin Cav.—informing Mr. Williams, sr., of his son's untimely death and the circumstances relating thereto. With Mr. Williams' permission the following extract is published:

"Helena, Ark., Aug. 5, 1862. 'To Gen. A. Williams, Chelsea, Mich.

"Dear sir:—Circumstances and the fortunes of war combined, have caused a melancholy duty to devolve on me, one which I am now about to discharge, and I trust in a faithful manner. Your son George is numbered with the 'Noble Slain.' He fell on the morning of the 2nd inst. at Gainsborough. He died like a patriot and hero, manfully and bravely struggling to maintain the flag of our country, her dominion and her integrity. George was one of the 20 picked men who were detailed for special service under command of Lieut. Porter of squadron I. They were sent back from Madison with orders to gather our sick and wounded who were scattered along our line of march, and proceed with them to Bloomfield. Everything in our rear at the time was quiet, and the service was not supposed to be unusually hazardous. We had several small detachments of troops along the line at different points, and two or three days' march would enable them to reach the outpost. I have no authentic information of the particulars, but will give them when informed if you request. A German boy, who reached camp last evening, was one of the ill-fated party, and is the only known survivor, says they were encamped just outside of the little village mentioned and ascertained through means of a secret reconnaissance that there were armed rebels there; but the force was not believed to be of much strength and the Lieut. resolved to dash into the place at an early hour in the morning and confidently expected to drive or capture whatever might be found. The attack was made accordingly, and early, but our brave boys were surprised after fairly entering the village to find themselves surrounded by an overwhelming force, their retreat cut off and themselves exposed to a destructive and murderous fire from fences and buildings at all points. The enemy were on the alert and fully prepared to pursue the advantage. The boys fought well and bravely. My informant says from the firing that continued after he escaped he thinks they gave our men no quarter. The enemy were Guerrillas and Missouri ruffians of the Kansas stripe, and the very ones to commit acts that make humanity shudder to contemplate. My informant says he was close to George when he fell, and he fell dead the first fire; thinks he was shot in the head as he did not speak after he fell. George and myself were intimate friends. Weeks ago we mutually agreed to do for each other what I am now doing for him. Had given me a card with your address and I had given him one with my father's address in exchange. George by his bravery and good conduct won a high position in the esteem of his officers and the affections of his messmates; and if he had but survived the perils of a soldier's life for a little time longer he would undoubtedly have been promoted to that rank to which his courage and good behavior entitled him. We, his brothers in arms, feel his loss; feel and know that in him his father loses a noble son, his messmates a true friend and his squadron, regt., and country a true, faithful and brave soldier.

It is not often that a man is able to publish an obituary of himself, but such in Mr. Williams' good fortune. The gentleman has many friends in Ann Arbor and throughout the country.

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HER BOOK FRENCH.

Errors Made by a Boarding School Girl in Paris.

"It is a wise old saw which advises one 'not to go to France unless you know the lingo,' and indeed it is desirable to know it pretty well if you wish to avoid humiliating little situations," said a Philadelphia young woman in speaking of her experience. "I am an American girl, and about a year ago was rather proud of my boarding school French, but I am wiser now. We were a party of four—my parents, myself and a young lady, some years my senior, who had been my schoolmate, but was recently widowed. Our tour began in Germany, and as we were all densely ignorant of German, we were oftentimes compelled to depend greatly on gesture language, especially in out of the way places, where there were no English speaking hotel or railroad clerks and waiters. This gave us some decidedly comical experiences, though it was a revelation as to the capabilities of dumb show and pantomime, but on touching French soil I felt relieved and confident. Alas for human pride! At the first practical test, though I could read the language easily enough, I found I could scarcely catch a word.

"The sounds seemed to fly like winged arrows, and it might have been Chinese, so far as my understanding it was concerned. Some of the more considerate, out of pure instinctive politeness, would speak very slowly, and then I could get along well enough, and in the course of a few days I began to recover some of my old confidence. My first real humiliation came at a restaurant in the Palais Royal, when I wanted a spoon (cuiller) and asked for a staircase (escalier). I got over that, however, but was caught shortly afterward with the word 'frappe' on the wine list, which struck me altogether until a young Englishman told me it meant 'iced.' By this time the conceit was rapidly oozing out of me, and two more little incidents brought on the catastrophe. Our party determined one day to go to the theater, and I undertook to ask the clerk of the hotel about it, and in what I thought the purest Parisian French told him we wanted a box, which I translated 'boite.' Unable quite to restrain his laughter, he said, 'Mademoiselle means a loge.'"

"I then discovered that 'boite' means a dry goods box, or any other kind almost rather than one at a theater. But worse remained. I wanted to explain to some French people that my friend, the widow, was in mourning for her husband, and I tried to say, 'Elle est en deuil parce que son mari est mort,' she is in mourning because her husband is dead. Unfortunately my conjugation of verbal participles was weak, and I substituted the word 'morte' for 'mort,' which made me say, 'She is in mourning because her husband is a codfish.'"

—Philadelphia Call.

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Wednesday, July 29, the Ann Arbor R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Frankfort on Lake Michigan, and Benzonia on Crystal Lake, at \$5 for the round trip. Train leaves Ann Arbor at 7:38 a. m. Children under 12 years of age half rates. No more delightful place can be found to spend a vacation and the extremely low fare places the trip within reach of all.

Knocked Out by Slavin.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15.—Frank P. Slavin knocked out Joe Butler in one minute and ten seconds at the Caledonia club Monday night. The bout was to have been for six rounds, but a right hand jolt on the jaw finished Butler, who was unconscious for some minutes.

D. & C. Summer Service to Mackinac. Their new steel passenger steamers are all in commission, making four trips per week between Toledo, Detroit, Mackinac, Soo, Petoskey, Duluth. If you are contemplating a summer outing, send 2c. stamp for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. SCHANTZ, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich.

SINCE YESTERDAY.
The mavis sang but yesterday
A strain that thaled through autumn's
dearth;
He read the music of his lay
In light and leaf, and heaven and earth:
The windflowers by the wayside swung,
Words of the music that was sung.
In all his song the shade and sun
Of earth and heaven seemed to meet,
Its joy and sorrow were as one,
Its very sadness was but sweet;
He sang of summers yet to be,
You listened to his song with me.
The heart makes sunshine in the rain,
Or winter in the midst of May,
And though the mavis sings again
His selfsame song of yesterday,
I find no gladness in his tone,
Today I listen here alone.
And—even our sunniest moment takes
Such shadows of the bliss we knew—
Today his throbbing song awakes
But wistful, haunting thoughts of you;
Its very sweetness is but sad,
You gave it all the joy it had.
—A. St. J. Adcock in Chambers' Journal.

WAITING FOR A BANG

We had been staying in Wales for ever so long—weeks and weeks—an awful time it had seemed to me, drifting aimlessly about, Maud and her husband—Maud is my sister, by the way, and newly married—professing to be almost as much "gone on" the scenery as they really were on each other. So you can easily guess what that meant for poor me until George joined us.

The chief, nay, the only, difficulty, was George. He did not quite "catch on." He was very agreeable and very nice, but apparently quite satisfied to enjoy himself with us, and then go back to work, as he playfully phrased it, "a giant refreshed," and could not be got to see that there was anything more serious in life than aimlessly frivolling about.

We had done Snowdon, and really what with the electric light and the crowd, and all that, it was not half bad. Quite cheerful, you know, and civilized. Indeed, I never should have gone without.

After that, I think—yes, it was George suggested our going to Bethesda. Not that any of us were at all interested in slates or quarries, only it was somewhere to go and an excuse for a drive.

George ordered the carriage and made all the arrangements. He had been there before, so knew all about the "show," as he said, and we left everything to him.

Altogether it was so stupid and so dull that, but for what Maud called the "off chance" of George, I never could even that began to look desperate. Even have stood it as long as I did, though Maud began to lose heart.

"And yet I don't know how it is. You are looking your best," and she eyed me critically, "and he seems quite fond of you in his way."

But there was the hitch. His way was not ours. Apparently he was no fonder of me than of any other girl, or of Maud herself.

We saw the men lay down their tools, and as though they had been so many rabbits, disappear into their holes, and after a few moments of suspense there were several loud explosions, and we were told that the dynamite had done its level best, or its best, to level the place, and we were warned most solemnly that once we were inside the works—we had only been on the outer edge then—whenever the whistle sounded we must get into the nearest shelter and not come out on any account until after we had heard the "bang."

It was highly exciting at the first, but by repetition even danger grew monotonous and began to pall, and we strolled on, George and I, and left the foreman to look after the others as best he could.

"Maud and Fred seem very much attached, don't you think?" said George as we looked back just before passing round a curve and caught sight of them with their arms round each other's waists, ostensibly listening to the foreman's improving discourse, but really, as we knew from experience, far, far away.

"They are indeed," I answered, with a sigh that might have meant anything from envy to despair. I realized with a blush, according to the interpreter and the interpretation.

And we strolled on again to a part of the workings rather screened by that pyramid left standing in the middle.

"I suppose it is not possible to get lost ourselves?" I began presently.

"Bless me, no—you mean with this Jack in the box arrangement—oh, dear, no. One has only to pop out, and you can see all over the show, but stop in and—but there's that infer—I mean that blessed thing again. I suppose we had better."

"Oh, yes; we must really go in. All the men are off already, and if they do it, who are so used to it and know, we should be very foolish to risk—see, there's a refuge here!" And we went inside.

"After all, it is rather jolly in here out of the sun. Beasty hot outside, don't you think? Sightseeing and all that, it gets to be rather—rather—"

"A bore, do you mean?" I interposed.

"Doesn't that depend?"

know, with people who are properly chummy."

"Do you mean?"
"No, not Maud and Fred. They are almost too much so. They miss nearly all that's going on, and so don't get the best out of it, whereas you and I understand each other and can get along splendidly without—without—"

Confounded long while the bang this time, isn't it? Wonder if it ever misses fire! How would you care for a flat such as this?"

I must have looked puzzled, for he went on hurriedly:
"No, I don't mean the 'flat' you mean, so you need not look severe. I mean one room, and all that sort of thing," he finished vaguely.

"Why," I began nervously, "I should think it would be rather—nice, but!"
"Cramped!" he interposed quickly.

"Yes, I knew you would say that."
I said I supposed he was only chaffing and did not mean anything.

"Oh, dear, no. It's only my way! But it is curious—that what's 'er name must certainly have missed fire."

"You know the man said we were not on any account to stir until after the explosion."

"Oh, just as you like. I'm all right, only I thought—Maud and Fred, you know—but no doubt they will be waiting, too, though, I suppose, they would say they were only one, and it is we who were the 'two.'"

"Does he think I am trying to keep him here on purpose?" I wondered.

"You quite understand," I explained; "it is not that I want to stop—"

"Oh, I quite understand, and I could hardly expect that," he assented pleasantly.

"But you know we cannot possibly go until after—after—"

"No, I dare say you are right. It would be rather awkward, I dare say, to go out and find ourselves the center of a small eruption. What a 'slating' we should get!"

"Oh, there it is, confound it!" we exclaimed together as a tremendous explosion announced the possibility of our release, and forthwith we stepped on to the terrace outside.

"You seem awfully delighted to get out," said George rather pointedly, and I supposed he meant it for sarcasm, but I could not resent it or say I was not.

"One can breathe more freely now that the—the explosion has come off!" was all I could say.

Just then came Maud.
"Oh, there you are!" Where on earth, or under it, have you been?" And seeing our confusion she was misled into adding, "We began to think you must have run off with her." This, with would be archness, was to George. But this was too much.

"No, by Jove! I wish I had! Fact is, Maud, I—I'm an awful fool! To think of wasting such a chance! We've been shut up there two blessed hours, and I told you I'd something very particular to ask Edith."

"Well," she replied, looking dubiously at me.

"It isn't well. I haven't been able to say a word. You will just have to ask her for me, and that's a fact. Whenever I try to come to the point, she either crushes me or freezes me, and I've been talking the most awful drivel you ever heard."

"Then why didn't you come out?"
"We were waiting for the explosion, don't you know, and I—I couldn't explode."

Whereupon Maud burst out laughing, and I could not but for my life think why.

"But for me there would have been no explosion. When the last whistle sounded, the men finished work for the day. They all went home. We thought you must have gone, too, at first, while as to finding you—well, it would have taken weeks. But I guessed how you were occupied"—here George groaned aloud—"so by way of rousing you I got the foreman to make another bang, just as I shall have to—"

She looked wickedly at George, then ran away.

And at that he exploded, and out it came with a rush—how he had been dying for days to ask me, just what I had been dying for days to hear, only I would not have him know it for the world.—Answers.

One Name For Everybody.

On the slopes of Mount Terrible, not far from Delsberg, in the Basler Jura, lies a small village called Montavon. The Sunday before last was the day of the communal elections. A list of the successful candidates is given in Der Birsthaler and Le Pays, the journals respectively of the German speaking and French speaking inhabitants of the valley of the Birs. The names stand as follows:

President (maire or burgermeister)..... Joseph Montavon
Vice president..... Viktor Montavon
(Peter Montavon)
Councillors or aldermen..... Julius Montavon
(Ernst Montavon)
Communal steward..... George Montavon
Communal clerk..... Joseph Montavon
Communal sergeant..... Karl Montavon

There is not a man in authority who is not a Montavon. This is due to the curious fact that every person in the village without exception bears the name of the village as his surname. No other instance of this unique custom is to be found in Switzerland, or we presume, anywhere else.—Westminster Gazette.

When the First Elevated Roads Were Built.

Extension in the use of iron and steel also made elevated railways possible. A project in this direction dates from 1868. Exactly ten years later two sections of railway were open in New York.

The first elevated road in Brooklyn began operation in 1885. These speedways at once became popular. In 1884 no fewer than 250 engines and 800 cars were in use by the New York lines, carrying over 300,000 passengers daily, or about 103,000,000 for the year. Chicago followed with the Alley L line, so called from the lanes to which it is relegated. Boston prefers and is preparing provision for rapid transit by means of an underground railway system like London's.—Scribner's.



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ARDMORE, L. T., July 15.—Noah McGill, sheriff of Tishomingo county, came in from Tishomingo, capital of Chickasaw nation, and reports that three white men were found hanging to a limb near Reagan postoffice, a few miles from Tishomingo. The men were strangers in the neighborhood and the crime is a mystery. It is generally believed that they were horsethieves and were followed and captured by a party of Texans and swung up on the spot.

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Attempt to Assassinate the President of France.

MISCREANT IS AT ONCE ARRESTED.

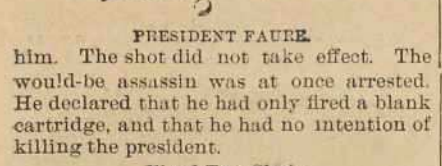
He Claims to Have Fired a Blank Cartridge and That He Had No Intention of Committing Murder—Great Enthusiasm Manifested Over the President's Escape—Interview in London with John Hays Hammond—Other Old World News.

PARIS, July 15.—An attempt was made to assassinate President Faure Tuesday. The president had gone to Longchamps to review the troops. He had no sooner entered the field when a man in the crowd stepped forward and fired a revolver at him. The shot did not take effect. The would-be assassin was at once arrested. He declared that he had only fired a blank cartridge, and that he had no intention of killing the president.

Fired Two Shots.

As President Faure, seated in an open carriage and accompanied by M. Meline, the premier, and MM. Boiesdoffe and Tourneux, appeared upon the reviewing stand at Longchamps, a well dressed man, apparently about 40 years of age, who had been leaning against a tree, took deliberate aim and fired twice in quick succession with a revolver at the president. The man had not time to fire again before the crowd closed in upon him and seized him, and but for the intervention of the police the would-be assassin would probably have been lynched. The name of the miscreant is given as Francois.

When it became known in the crowd at Longchamps that the president had not been hurt by the pistol shot the greatest enthusiasm was manifested. Cheer after cheer was sent up and the people could scarcely be restrained by the guards from crowding about the place where the president and his suite were standing.



NO LONGER "TRIED ON."

The New Invention That Saves Women From Hours at the Dressmakers'.

A clever New York dressmaker has done away with the ordeal of "trying on," and the gowns that come from her establishment are no longer a weariness of the flesh or spirit to the woman who orders them, for they fit without being "fitted," and there is no "system" of measure and tape about the matter whatsoever. It is merely an ingenious device patented by this same clever woman of the needle whereby any client's figure can be copied from a perfect fitting waist lining or waist and expanded into an exact mold of every curve, every angle, every peculiarity, of the original flesh and blood form.

This woman discovered that dressmakers' systems and trying on were the trials of womankind. She forthwith reasoned that the lay figure had not been useful except for skirt draping, because of the manifest inaccuracy of it as applied to any and every figure. Some women with a 24 inch waist had a 34 inch bust measure and a length of side seams out of all proportion. Other little women were short waisted and broad backed. Still others were higher in one shoulder than the other and had unaccountable hills and hollows in their anatomy. It was manifestly impossible that a conventional machine lay figure should be able to assume all the shapes of all the women. No, each woman must have a mold of her own, and an exact mold, over which bodices could be as perfectly fitted as on the flesh and blood woman.

The invention consists of an artistic and perfectly fitted waist lining of canvas, strong, but flexible, and shaped to every line of the bodice. Into this lining is inserted a cunning device which expands it into the exact shape it was, while upon the woman, just as rigid, just as solid, as if there was the real anatomy inside of it, a true reproduction of the figure.—Jenness Miller Monthly.

RECEPTION TO LI HUNG CHANG.

PARIS, July 15.—Li Hung Chang the Chinese statesman and diplomat, was given a state reception with military honors here Tuesday. President Faure, members of the ministry and other distinguished personages met the famous representative of the Chinese empire. Li Hung Chang spoke briefly, expressing his hope that there would be a growth of the friendly relations existing between France and China, and President Faure responded in a similar strain. The latter said, in addition, that he hoped Li Hung Chang would find it advantageous to grant favors when it was in his power to bestow upon manufacturers in France.

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MANIFESTO IS ISSUED.

Illinois Gold Democrats Call for a Revolt.

ANOTHER CONVENTION DEMANDED.

They Declare That an Independent National Ticket Should Be Nominated Upon a Sound Money Platform—The Chicago Convention, They Say, Was Not Democratic—Time for a Separation of Genuine Democrats from Populists.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Illinois sound money Democrats demand that another Democratic convention be called and an independent national ticket be nominated on a sound money platform. The sound money Democrats of this state repudiate and disown the recent convention here. They say it was not Democratic. They accuse it and those composing it of political high crimes and misdemeanors, and they call on their fellow Democrats throughout the nation to assist them in their assault on Candidate Bryan and his cohorts.

If the Democrats of the nation shall respond to the appeal of the Illinois sound money men, well and good. If not, the Illinois men will fight their own battles and will run an independent campaign in this state. The position taken by the Illinois gold men and their reasons for so doing are set forth in an address to their fellow Democrats of the nation, issued Monday night by the state advisory committee of the sound money Democracy.

Logical Course to Pursue.

The call declares that the nomination of a new ticket is the logical course for the sound money Democrats to pursue under the circumstances. It declares that the sincerity of the Republican party on the sound money question is doubted by the mass of Democrats and the belief expressed that the tariff will be pushed to the front, a thing which true Democrats could not tolerate.

It points out that the time has come for a clear-cut separation between the genuine Democrats and the Democrats who are drifting into Populism, and unless this is done there is no chance for the party to regain public confidence. The call concludes as follows:

"Democrats who believe in Democratic principles must have a party. They will have a party sooner or later. The sooner the better. They have now an opportunity to reorganize and keep the Democratic party, and the interests of the nation imperatively demands that the great Democratic party shall be rescued out of Populism and kept on its historic foundations."

Organized in Illinois.

"The sound money Democrats are already sufficiently organized in this state to be able to meet their fellow Democrats in a new convention, and are anxious to confer with representatives of other states whenever a representative conference can be brought about. We hope that out of the responses to this public statement of the views of the Illinois Democracy there can be gathered so much of the judgment of the leading sound money Democrats of the United States as can be formulated into a plan of action. Communications should be addressed to Charles A. Ewing, chairman."

The foregoing is signed by the following: John M. Palmer, Charles A. Ewing, James H. Egles, Franklin MacVeigh, Benjamin T. Cable, William S. Forman, Thomas A. Moran, John P. Hopkins, Henry S. Robbins, A. A. Goodrich, James T. Hoblitt, Adolph Kraus, James M. Sheehan, Charles H. Williamson, Lynden Evans and R. E. Spangler—executive committee of the honest money Democracy of Illinois.

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Discharging the Old Men.

MILWAUKEE, July 15.—The Illinois Steel company, with works at Big View, in this city, has started in on an era of re-employment, and there is much feeling among the employees. A large number of men have been laid off, and it is said the company is discharging the old men, who have grown gray in the service, and will replace them with younger men as soon as business picks up again. In the machine department twenty-five men have been discharged, and almost as many have been dropped from the payroll in the blacksmith shops. It is reported that a large number of the older men are marked for decapitation, and there is much excitement among the men.

Held for Criminal Carelessness.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Jay B. Kniskern, telegraph operator at Altemhoff station, is locked up in the county jail, held to the grand jury on a charge of criminal carelessness in connection with the collision on the Wisconsin Central railroad last Sunday evening, by which five persons lost their lives and over a score were injured. This was the verdict of the coroner's jury. James Grant, the engineer, and William Doyle, the fireman, of the wrecked excursion train were exonerated from all blame.

Bryan's Nomination Indorsed.

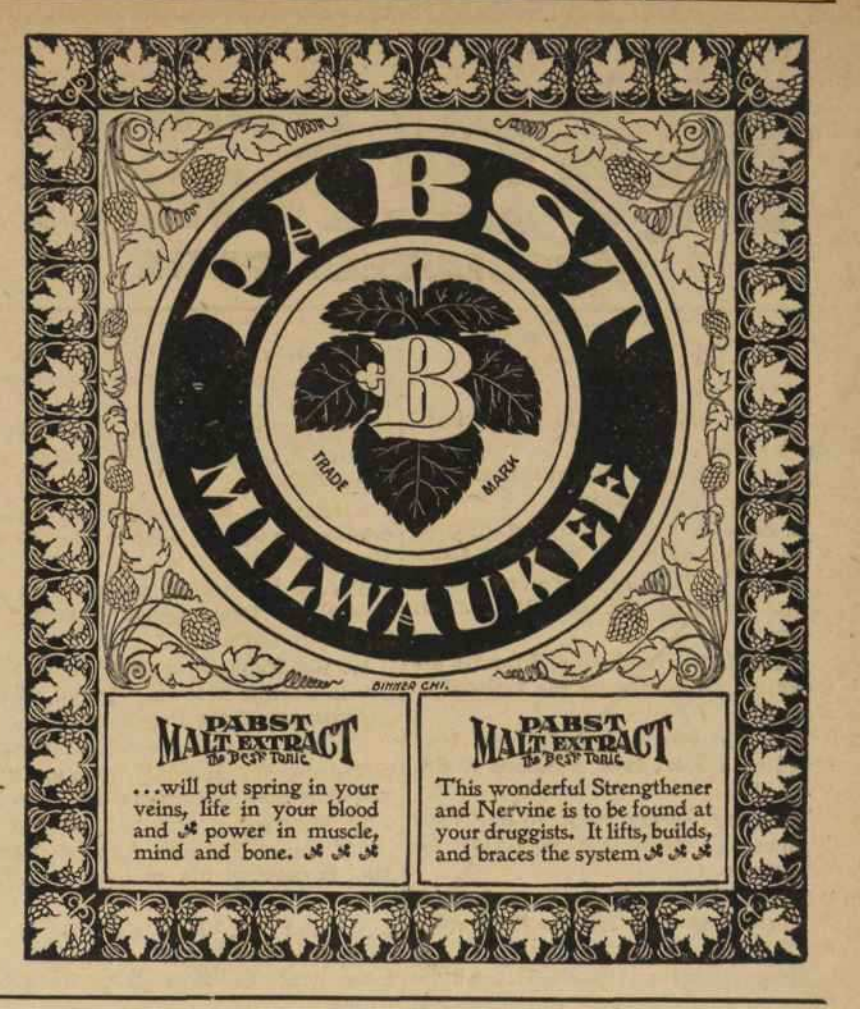
TOPEKA, Kan., July 15.—Conventions have been held in forty-three counties to choose delegates to the non-partisan silver convention, which meets on Wednesday, to send delegates to the national convention at St. Louis. Democrats, Populists, and a very few Republicans participated. In every county the nomination of Mr. Bryan for president was indorsed and delegates instructed to vote at the Topeka convention only for men who will support his nomination. Seven Populist county conventions were also held and all of these indorsed the action of the Chicago convention.

Repudiates the Chicago Platform.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15.—Samuel Dickson, of this city, who was selected at the Democratic state convention as a presidential elector, has sent a letter to State Chairman Wright resigning the office. In his letter he says in part: "It is impossible for those who approved of what was said and done at Allentown to accept the platform or the candidates of Chicago."

Cannot Go Sewall.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 15.—Ignatius Donnelly, who has been considered a candidate for the Populist presidential nomination, says that while Bryan was satisfactory to the Populists they could not go Sewall. Donnelly calls Sewall "a bloated capitalist," and says unless the



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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Morris Richmond, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of E. B. Pond, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, on the eighth day of September and on the eighth day of December next, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated June 8, 1896.

ELI H. B. POND,
FREDERIC B. BRAUN,
Commissioners.

Chancery Notice.

THE TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT for the State of Michigan. In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, the Chancery Cause, Charles F. Harrington, complainant, vs. Charles F. Harrington, defendant.

It is satisfactorily appearing to me by affidavit that the complainant, Charles F. Harrington, is a non-resident of this state and that he resides in the State of South Dakota. On motion of E. B. Norris, of counsel for complainant, ordered that the cause be heard in person in this cause to be entered within four months from the date of this order; that in default thereof the bill of complaint which is filed in this cause be taken as confessed by the defendant. It is further ordered that the complainant do cause this order to be personally served or duly published pursuant to law.

Dated, Ann Arbor, May 9th, 1896.

E. B. NORRIS, E. D. KINNE,
Solicitor for Complainant. Circuit Judge.

W. DAINSBURG, Register.

In Chancery.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT. Cause No. 10, pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery. Alice G. Sherman, complainant, vs. Isaac E. Sherman, defendant. In this cause appearing that defendant, Isaac E. Sherman, is a non-resident of this state and is a resident of the State of Florida, therefore, on motion of Thompson & Harriman, solicitors for the complainant, it is ordered, that defendant do cause his appearance in said court on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days thereafter the complainant cause this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper published in this cause to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Dated April 11, 1896.

E. D. KINNE,
Thompson & Harriman, Circuit Judge,
Solicitors for Complainant.

Estate of Edward Olney.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 2nd day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward Olney, deceased.

Schuyler Grant, the administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, comes into court and represents that he is now appearing to render his final account as such administrator. Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 28th day of July instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said account and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Probate Court, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper published and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Estate of John W. Cowan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the sixth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John W. Cowan, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Pamela C. Taylor, administrator, praying that she may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the fourth day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS, a newspaper published and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Wm. G. Doty, Probate Register.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of the payments of a certain mortgage made by James R. Bach and Blanche E. Bach, his wife, to John Allen, dated the 9th day of March, 1893, and recorded in the Register of Washtenaw County, Michigan, in Liber 84 of Mortgages on page 567, on the 3rd day of January, 1894, at 5 o'clock p. m., on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and six dollars and eighty cents, (\$1,068.80) and no suit at law or in equity having been instituted to collect the amount due on said mortgage.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 22nd day of September, 1896, at the east front door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, Mich., (that being the building where the Circuit Court for said County is held), there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the legal costs of this foreclosure. The premises to be so sold are described as follows: Lots number 61 and 76 in Miller's addition to the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Dated June 15th, 1896.

JOHN ALLEN,
Mortgagee.
THOMPSON & HARRIMAN,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN the conditions of two certain mortgages made by Joseph B. Steers of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, to Lewis S. Anderson, of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, bearing date March 12th, 1881, each securing the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Dollars with interest thereon, a part of the purchase money for the premises therein and hereinafter described, which said mortgages were recorded in the Register's office for Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the 14th day of April, 1881, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Liber 4 of Mortgages, on pages 68 and 69, both of said mortgages being long past due, and whereas, by reason of default, there is claimed to be due upon one of said mortgages the sum of Two Thousand Dollars and interest from said date to date, and upon the other of said mortgages the sum of One Thousand and no suit at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount due on said mortgages or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgages contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday, the 28th day of September, at 11 o'clock a. m., standard time, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, that being the building where the circuit court for said county is held, the premises described in said mortgages or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said mortgages and the legal costs of this foreclosure. The premises to be sold are described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan. Beginning on the quarter line running east and west on section four of said township at a point near the center of the said township and extending north and south 28 1/2 links from a hickory tree six inches in diameter and south 43 degrees west 52 links from a yellow oak tree eight inches in diameter; thence north-westerly along the center of said road 13 chains and 25 links; thence north 29 degrees west along the center of said road 1 chain and 88 links; thence north 63 degrees east 6 chains and 32 links; thence north 23 degrees west 1 chain and 55 links; thence north 72 degrees east 16 chains and 40 links; thence south 2 1/2 degrees east 6 chains on the section line between sections three and four; thence north 87 1/2 degrees east 19 chains and 90 links; thence south on the line between the east and west half of the north-west quarter of section three in township 36 north and range 15 east 15 chains and 68 links to the quarter line of said section three; thence west on said quarter line 35 chains and 51 links to the center of said Ypsilanti road on the east and west quarter lines of section four in said township to the place of beginning, containing 64 acres and 6-100 of an acre, more or less.

Dated June 29th, 1896.

LEWIS S. ANDERSON,
THOMPSON & HARRIMAN, Mortgagee,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 4th day of December, 1891, made by Barbara Conant of the Township of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to Rinsey & Seabolt, (David Rinsey and Moses Seabolt), and recorded in the office of Register of deeds of said County, in Liber 73 of Mortgages, on page 620, on the 9th day of April, 1892, at 3 o'clock p. m., on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand and Ninety Dollars and Seventy-Six Cents and no suit at law having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof.

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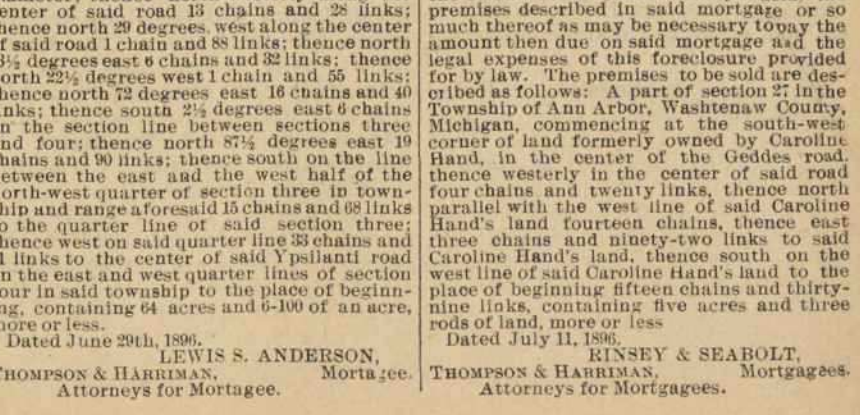
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PERSONAL.

Mrs. John Wotzke is visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Stofflet and family are at Portage Lake camping.

B. St. James and family are enjoying a six weeks' outing at Whitmore Lake.

Mrs. S. E. Higgins, of Toronto, Ont., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Quarry.

Prof. H. B. Hutchins and family are spending the summer at the seacoast in Maine.

Geo. Dengler and wife have been spending a few days' vacation at Silver Lake.

Miss Ora Sperry went to Bay View Wednesday, where she will stay for two weeks.

Miss Anna Wesch went to Jackson Wednesday to visit friends for a week or ten days.

Moses Seabolt and Daniel Hiscock are away on a trip up north to the Soo and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duffy, of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Galick, of N. Main st.

G. Josephans and family are visiting relatives in Saline and York for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroen are visiting relatives near Saline for a couple of weeks.

Prof. and Mrs. E. F. Johnson are making a short visit to their old home in northern Ohio.

Rev. Henry Tatlock left Friday for New York to spend several weeks in study and research.

Mrs. O. M. Martin left Tuesday for Dodge's Point, a pleasant summer resort near Cheboygan.

Mrs. Fred Gall, of Chicago, was here attending the funeral of the late John G. Gall, on Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Beal is spending a short time with relatives and friends in Gregory and Plainfield.

Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Tyler have gone to Leslie to spend a couple of weeks with the doctor's sister.

Elliott A. Herdman is spending the summer vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Herdman.

Rauney C. Scott arrived in the city Sunday from Honolulu. He says everything is lovely over there.

Mrs. M. A. Jourden, of Bucyrus, Ohio, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Gillis, of E. Liberty st.

Mrs. B. F. Watts went to Flint on Monday, where she will spend the summer with her sisters and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodyear, who were visiting in Detroit last week, left their Monday morning for a two weeks' stay at Orion Lake.

Mrs. Charles Sweeney, of Marion, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Schweinfurth, of S. State st.

Nate Stanger and Herman Gundert have been at Whitmore Lake this week enjoying a brief vacation from business.

Miss Hattie Haviland, of Saginaw, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rhodes, of the north side.

Ed. V. Seyler is taking his two weeks' vacation at present. The Soo and Mackinac Island is where he is spending it.

Rev. J. M. Gelston has taken a cottage at Bass Lake, where he and Mrs. Gelston and family will spend two or three weeks.

Henry A. Kyer, of Seattle, Wash., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Seabolt. He left Sunday evening for the Soo and Duluth, Minn.

Mrs. Elmer E. Beal went to Howell, Saturday, to attend the wedding of Mr. Green, of Pinckney, and Miss Winegar, of Howell, which took place Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boylan went to Howell, Tuesday, to visit friends; Wednesday they attended the wedding of Mr. Green, of Pinckney, to Miss Winegar, of Howell.

James E. Murnan, clerk at the Cook House, has gone to New York city to spend a month's vacation. He will visit his sister in that city part of the time. C. A. Collier is acting as day clerk during Mr. Murnan's absence.

Prof. W. S. Perry, who has been attending the National Educational convention at Buffalo, N. Y., has gone to his old home in that state for a brief visit. He will also visit his son, Paul, who is employed on the New York World.

Mrs. Daniel W. Tilton, of Thompson st., who has resided in the city for four years, educating her children, will return shortly to her former home in Montana. One son, Lester, is still in the high school and will remain to continue his studies.

Miss Anna Burlingame, of Grand Rapids, who graduated from the Ann Arbor high school with the class of '94 and who for the past year has been in the training school of Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, is spending her vacation with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Nathan C. Sutton, of Northfield. Miss Burlingame will return to Grand Rapids Sept. 1 to complete her course and follow her profession as a trained nurse.

Miss Sara Whedon is attending the Epworth League training school at Ludington.

Henry Hangsterfer, of New York, is visiting his cousins, E. V. Hangsterfer and sisters.

George G. Stimson is enjoying a week's trip up the lakes to the Soo and Mackinac Island.

Mrs. S. E. Sheehan and children and Mrs. N. H. Drake spent yesterday at Whitmore Lake.

W. W. Wedemeyer will spend Sunday in Detroit with his friend, Elmer J. Ottoway, of the Free Press.

Evart H. and Ranney C. Scott were in Toledo, O., Monday, looking after their business interests in that city.

W. W. Taylor, '93 lit, chemist for the Missouri Furnace Co., St. Louis, Mo., is visiting his mother for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt, of W. Huron st., and Chas. Stabler and wife have gone to Base Lake for a few weeks.

Miss Bertha Feiner and her nephew, Ralph Barker, left yesterday morning for a visit with her brother at Clinton, Iowa.

Mrs. McJanet, who has been the guest of T. H. Wadhams, on N. Main st., for some time, has returned to her home at Mt. Pleasant.

Dr. Jos. Foster, who has been Dr. Carrow's assistant for a couple of years, will sail for Europe July 29, to study at Vienna and Berlin.

Mrs. George Holden, Miss Tinnie Masten and Miss Mamie Hine went to Whitmore Lake on their wheels yesterday and spent the day.

Ed. A. Munyon, a former resident of Ann Arbor, was in the city for a day or two the early part of this week, calling on old friends.

Postmaster and Mrs. S. W. Beakes left Wednesday evening for a trip to Bloomingburg, N. Y., Mr. Beakes' old home, and other points.

J. J. Quarry left yesterday morning to spend a week's vacation at Parkhill, Ontario. His wife and her mother, Mrs. Higgins, accompanied him.

John Winter, H. H. Humphrey and Wm. S. Conant, of Detroit, were in the city Wednesday on business connected with the Ann Arbor street railway.

Miss Florence Sterrett has gone to her home in Decatur to spend a few weeks with her parents. She was accompanied by Miss Nina B. Davison.

Mrs. Charles H. Callahan and family, of Chicago, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donnelly. Mr. Callahan is expected in about two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hull left yesterday for Williamsport, Pa., to take up their residence there. Mr. Hull having been chosen pastor of the Disciples' church.

Rev. T. W. Young, J. Harold Montgomery, Fred Hefflebower, the Misses Belle Lemon, Susie Dorrance, Emma Alexander, Viola and Maud Hess have gone to Milwaukee, Wis., to attend the B. Y. P. U. convention as delegates from the Young People's Union of the First Baptist church of this city.

Miss Cavanaugh, who has so ably conducted the primary department of our public school for the past year, left Tuesday for her home at Ann Arbor. Miss Cavanaugh leaves a host of friends behind, both among the children and grown up people, who will undoubtedly be sorry to learn that she will not return. Mrs. J. T. Hunt accompanied her as far as Seney.—Grand Maries Herald.

Summer Normal.

A summer normal for the county teachers will open at the high school in Ann Arbor, Monday, July 27, and continue until August 21. This will afford teachers desiring a review a splendid opportunity. Instruction will be given in all branches required for first, second and third grade certificates. A full corps of competent instructors has been secured. Tuition, \$1.50 per week. This includes all the courses.

Attention is called to public acts of Michigan, 1893, page 36, section 6, wherein it is provided that: "Third grade certificates shall license the holder to teach in any school of the county in which it shall be granted, for one year; but no more than three certificates of this class shall be granted to the same person."

Board can be had from \$1.75 to \$2.50 per week.

Further information can be obtained by addressing M. J. Cavanaugh, Ann Arbor.

A New Novel by Rudyard Kipling

Rudyard Kipling is now putting the last touches on a fifty-thousand-word novel, dealing with the Gloucester fishermen and their life on the Grand Banks. It is written from close personal study of the scene and the people. It is American in its characters, and in its plot seafaring and adventurous. It breaks entirely new ground. The title is "Captains Courageous."

There has been a lively competition for the serial rights of "Captains Courageous." They have been secured for the United States by The S. S. McClure Co., and publication of the novel will begin in the November number of McClure's Magazine.

IT WAS FOR PINGREE

Continued from First Page.

S. Parker, Chelsea; S. C. Randall, Ann Arbor; Fred Braun, Ann Arbor town; Geo. S. Wheeler, Salem.

To congressional convention from 1st district: H. G. Prettyman, Ann Arbor; Jos. Staebler, Soio; Wm. Judson, Ann Arbor; S. Foster, Sylvan; J. T. Jacobs, Ann Arbor; Wm. F. Reh-fuss, Ann Arbor; Jas. L. Gilbert, Chelsea; Wm. E. Blackburn, Ann Arbor; Chas. E. Hiscock, Ann Arbor.

To state convention from 2d legislative district—W. H. Sweet, Ypsilanti; P. W. Shute, Ypsilanti; W. J. Wallace, Ypsilanti; W. H. Whitmarsh, York; H. D. Platt, Pittsfield; A. A. Wood, Lodi; E. A. Hanser, Saline; Chas. E. Lewis, Manchester; John K. Campbell, Augusta.

To congressional convention from 2d legislative district—Richard Walter, Augusta; J. H. Kingsley, Manchester; Geo. Burkhardt, Saline; C. C. Dorr, Sharon; Andrew Campbell, Pittfield; E. B. Ford, York; F. K. Owen, Ypsilanti; P. W. Carpenter, Ypsilanti; Geo. W. Esslinger, Ypsilanti.

It was then moved to ratify the delegations from both districts at once. To this Mr. Wheeler, of Salem, objected, and the motion was withdrawn and the convention proceeded to ratify each delegation separately. The delegations from the first district were ratified unanimously. Before the vote was taken to ratify the second district delegation Mr. Wheeler rose and said he understood that, notwithstanding the action taken by the convention, the second district convention had passed a resolution that its delegates should go to Grand Rapids practically un-instructed. If this was so he wanted to know it and if it was not so he wanted that the members of that convention should so state. The resolution was read and it was found to be as Mr. Wheeler had heard. Several of the second district delegates tried to explain that the resolution did not mean anything, but their statement was met by Mr. Wheeler with the question "If it does not mean anything why did you pass it?" He further demanded that if the delegation elected to the state convention from the second district did not wish to carry out the wishes of the county convention, that they should step out and let others be sent who would do so.

Frank Jones, of Saline, said that this was the first instance that had ever come under his knowledge where the honesty of any part of a delegation had been impugned and he looked upon Mr. Wheeler's attack as an insult.

Other explanations and remarks were made, the motion that Mr. Wheeler had made to instruct the delegation for Pingree before ratifying was withdrawn by that gentleman, and the delegation from the second district as presented were ratified.

A motion was then passed instructing the delegates to the state convention to vote and work as a unit for the nomination of Hazen S. Pingree for governor of Michigan.

E. P. Goodrich, of Ypsilanti, offered this resolution which was unanimously adopted: "Resolved, That the delegates to the congressional convention be instructed to vote for no candidate for congress who does not unequivocally accept and stand upon the Republican platform."

Chairman Newkirk then thanked the convention for the courtesy it had shown him and advised united action in the fall against the democrats and stated that in such a case they could not fail of the election of Wm. McKinley as president of the United States, and the convention adjourned with cheers for McKinley.

Drowned at Traverse City.

A telegram was received in Ann Arbor Tuesday afternoon, which contained the sad intelligence that Thomas Angell, the 11 years old son of Prof. and Mrs. Alexis C. Angell, of Detroit, and grandson of President and Mrs. J. B. Angell and Prof. Thos. M. Cooley, had been drowned while bathing near Traverse City, where with his parents he was spending the summer. It is supposed that he was seized with cramps, as when found the body was in about four feet of water. The remains were brought to Ann Arbor on the 10:11 train Wednesday evening and were taken to the residence of President Angell, where the funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. W. Bradshaw, were held yesterday morning in the presence of a large number of friends of the families. The remains were buried in the Cooley lot in Forest Hill cemetery.

I. O. O. F. Installations.

At the meeting of Washtenaw Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., last Friday evening, the officers for the present term were installed as follows: N. G., Robert E. Staebler; V. G., Charles Wrinkle; R. S., J. D. Vance; P. S., George Scott; treasurer, M. Staebler; R. S. N. G., A. T. Cook; L. S. N. G., N. Glaser; warden, —Ehnis; conductor, Victor Strong; I. G., E. Williams. The other officers of the lodge have not yet been appointed.

On Tuesday evening Otsenango Lodge, No. 295, also installed its officers. A list of the elective officers has already appeared in the Argus, so only the officers who were appointed on that evening are given below: Warden, Elmer Bancroft; conductor, Royal Jenney; R. S. S., Elmer Jacobs; L. S. S., J. R. Woolcut; R. S. N. G., Wm. C. Jacobus; L. S. N. G., Henry Lutz; I. G., Jos. Martin; O. G., Edgar Jacobus.

Important Notice to Wheelman.

The Ann Arbor Railroad takes pleasure in announcing that hereafter bicycles will be checked between all stations on its line without charge.

Real Estate Transfers.

Harry J. Maloy to Jeremiah Waish, Ann Arbor, \$50.

Joseph E. Smith and wife to Charles H. Fisk, Ypsilanti, \$600.

Comstock F. Hill, guardian, to Emma Alexander et al., Ann Arbor, \$1.

Vashti D. Garwood to Fred G. Novy, Ann Arbor, \$2,500.

J. R. Miner to Michael Heinzmann, Ann Arbor, \$500.

Eva Hermann to Anna A. and Charles M. Dosey, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Wm. M. and Marion Durand, by circuit court commissioner, to Moses Seabolt, Ann Arbor, \$3,000.

Thomas Jensen to Julia A. McDonald, Chelsea, \$600.

Solomon Yansen to Ida M. Yansen, Washtenaw, \$800.

Amy H. Richmond, et al., to L. D. Watkins, Freedom, \$1,000.

Benjamin McGraw and wife, by sheriff, to Eunice M. Lambie, Augusta, \$215.90.

James L. Palmer, by sheriff, to Catherine Palmer, Superior, \$330.45.

A. P. Ferguson and wife, by circuit court commissioner, to Lee Underwood, Ann Arbor, \$3,710.59.

George Blaich and wife to Lillie E. Wood, Chelsea, \$1.

Lillie E. Wood to George Blaich et al., Chelsea, \$1.

George and Myrta Blaich to Frances J. Davidson, Chelsea, \$655.

Anna Gieske to Catherine Gieske, Sylvan, \$100.

Abram A. Wilson and wife to Bryant Walker, Ypsilanti, \$600.

John C. Wilson and wife to Mary E. Vincent, Ann Arbor, \$2,500.

Charles H. Leonard, by sheriff, to Patrick Grogan, Northfield, \$897.32.

John C. Goodrich and wife to Simon P. Shafer, Ypsilanti, \$200.

Nannie B. Herdman to W. J. Herdman, Ann Arbor, \$1.

John Renton and wife to Herbert W. Childs, Ypsilanti, \$1.

Herbert W. Childs to Agnes Renton, Ypsilanti, \$1.

George Peck to Edward P. Goodrich Ypsilanti, \$1.

Dorothy H. Brown to Margaret E. A. Brown, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Elizabeth Reddaway to Frederick W. Cleveland, Ypsilanti, \$300.

Daniel I. Klein and wife to Julius Feldkamp, Saline, \$60.

Charles E. Godfrey and wife to Junius E. Beal, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Martin Alford and wife to Willis and Martin Alford, Augusta, \$1,200.

Forged His Sister's Name.

Deputy Sheriff Jay Wood Wednesday night lodged in jail. Eby C. Carr, charged with uttering a certificate of deposit with forged endorsement. It seems that in March of the present year Carr stole a certificate of deposit from his sister at Brighton and brought it to Ann Arbor to get it cashed. He presented it, seemingly properly endorsed, to the State Savings Bank for payment. The bank demanded identification. Carr got E. T. Edmunds, who knew him, to identify him. The bank asked Edmunds to endorse the certificate, which he did thinking all was correct. Carr got the money and skipped out at once. Edmunds soon found out how things stood and being held for the amount of the certificate got out a warrant for Carr. Carr kept away till Wednesday when Brighton officers managed to arrest him after a hard chase.

Officer Wood brought him before Justice Pond yesterday. At Carr's request the hearing was set for Saturday at 9 a. m.

Board of Public Works.

City Engineer Key reported to the B. P. W. at its meeting Wednesday night that it will cost \$230 to scrape and paint bridges Nos. 1, 2 and 3 over the Huron river, and \$455 to construct a culvert across Ashley st., near Jefferson. The board referred the estimates to the common council. Mr. Horen was granted permission to use the streets for building materials.

President Winters, of the Street Railway Co., was asked to set a date for a meeting with the board to discuss needed improvements on the railway tracks. The street commissioner was ordered to remove a willow tree on Packard st., near E. University ave. Then the board adjourned.

A Bowery Waiter's Amendment.

A slim young man with a high standing collar and straw colored mackintosh hurried into a Bowery restaurant the other evening. As the waiter with furl-ed shirt sleeves threw his towel down on the table and gave it a wipe the slim young man jumped.

"What'll yer have?" asked the waiter.

"A piece of apple pie and a cup of coffee, and hurry up," said the young man firmly.

"Say, look a here, young feller," said the waiter, shaking his finger at the guest, "I'll git yer de pie and I'll git yer de coffee, but I'll be hanged if I'll hurry up." And the big fellow slouched off toward the kitchen, leaving the young man transfixed.

"One in de dark and Eve's gift to Adam on a limited freight for a Chol-y," was the order he yelled into the kitchen.—New York Sun.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1896, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Alpheus Felch, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 13th day of January next, and that such claims will be heard before said court on the 13th day of October, and on the 13th day of January next at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, July 13, A. D. 1896. J. WILLARD HABBITT, Judge of Probate.

Estate of Felix Dunlavy.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 16th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety six, Present, J. Willard Habbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Felix Dunlavy, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Ann J. Dunlavy, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 10th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereon, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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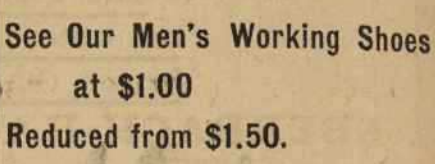
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