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For the Money the Old Man Had Hoarded.

James Richards, Who Lived Alone, Was Killed.

and Revolvers.

Fifteen Hours Later Still Living. He Dies the Next Morning-His Money Gone-The Two Murderers Escape.

o'clock Monday morning. The murder of the foulest that has stained the an- able to state. He bled profusely. nals of the county.

farmer, 70 years of age, who came to evidently knowing where the booty this country from Devonshire, England, they were after was located, Richards was 25 years of age. About 35 years stove. Here he passed ago he settled in Superior. He lived all alone on an 80 acre farm a mile north and a half mile east of the Dixboro road, in section 5 of Superior township. His farm is surrounded by the farms of Frank Duress, John W. Nanry and Edwin Curtiss. The road which runs in front of his farm is one not much travelled and the house is back about a quarter of a mile from the road on an elevation from which it can be seen from the road. It is a small, hewn log house. Here, sixteen years ago in June, he was robbed of a large sum of money estimated at over \$1,000. And here again was enacted the tragedy of Saturday night, when a sum, possi bly as large, was also stolen.

THE STORY OF THE FIGHT As gathered from those who saw Rich ards before he died, indicates that he put up a brave defense of his money. Two men, a tall and a short one, drove up Saturday evening, in a cutter with a side bar with a single sharp shod across the second field by a circuitous route so as to avoid a marsh, they ensconced themselves behind a little hillock and a rack, from which they could not be seen from the house, and waited for him to put out his light. About nine o'clock he put out the light and laid down on his bed fully dressed. Shortly after this there came a knock on the door. In response to a request to know who was there the burglars reolied that they wanted to see him and wanted to get warm. He refused to let them in unless they told him who they were. Then to use Richards' own words they attempted

"TO SHINE HIM OUT,"

That is they flashed the light from a the light and secured a pitchfork. The on each side of the stove, a pitchfork, Was held at the undertaking rooms of two men finding this ineffectual, pro- an axe and a shovel. The flooring was O. M. Martin yesterday afternoon, bethe house. To do this, each went for had evidently been occasionally clean the objects they wanted lay. One se- of rags, corn, etc. cured a large stick, over a foot in circumference, which was used as a battering ram and the other a handspike to ward off the pitchfork blows. The fastenings of the door were quickly broken and then began a hot fight. How long it lasted, only the burglars know. Richards said before he died, that he fought them off a long time, and at another time that they shot him as soon as they got in. The door, the stake and the pitchfork remain as mute evidence of the encounter. The door bears the marks of having been struck by the fork a number of times and the stake also bears the marks of the fork's tines, while one of the tines is slightly bent. Probably the robbers used

THE DOOR AS A SHIELD From Richards' lunges with the fork. During the fight they dazzled him by keeping the light on his eyes and could see the motions he was making in time the points of the fork times came in con- was located, beside which Richards jury."

"We want only your money. Let up H is a cider barrel and I a beer keg. Baltimore Oysters at BESIMER'S.

with the pitchfork and we won't hurt The firewood is marked J. The pan- WASHTENAW FAIR ASSOCIATION by was as much to the old man as pos- a few bottles. sibly his few remaining years of life and he continued the fight until he was

TWO SHOTS WERE FIRED.

from the outside door or immediately went entirely through his body, enterout near the hip and entering a heavy board back of the bed. To gain some With a Pitchfork, Handspike idea of the terriffic force of the bullet, it may be well to state that Richards was very warmly dressed. He had on two jackets a vest and a very heavy un-Shot Through the Body, He is Found dershirt. One of the jackets and the vest were of a sort of canvas, lined with heavy coarse flannel. Through all this clothing the bullet plowed its way twice, besides passing through his body and six feet beyond, yet having force enough to imbed itself in a hard board. James Richards, an old farmer living From this time on the account of the alone three miles from Dixboro, was night must be a meagre one. The inshot through the body last Saturday terest of those who talked with Richnight after a big fight with two burg- ards after he was found seems to have lars, who robbed him of his hoard and ended with the fatal shot, except to find left him to die. He was found Sunday out how much money he lost. To inafternoon and died at half past seven quiries on this point his reply was 'They got enough.'' Whether or not is yet shrouded in mystery and is one he lost consciousness the Argus is un-

After the robbers had gone, and they Richards was rather an eccentric old did not rummage about the house much, in 1852, leaving a wife and daughter lighted a lamp and filled his stove with in the old country. At that time he wood and lay down on the floor by the upon his mind that he became violent-

A LONG AND LONELY NIGHT. Slowly the weary hours passed away and the Sunday sun shown in on a lonely and weakened old man whose life blood was slowly ebbing away. It was not until near one o'clock on Sunday afternoon that help came in the person of Henry Tolbert, a colored man living some distance away who came over to see him. Soon other neighbors were summoned and later Dr. Walker, of Salem, reached the scene. He had Richards removed to the house of a neighbor, Mr. Duress, where he could be better cared for and here, after another night of agony, during which sympathizing neighbors cared for his wants, he died at half past seven Mon-

day morning. THE SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY Is not as desolate as one might imagine from the descriptions. It is lonely, the house being across two fields and a quarter of a mile from the road. It is horse, believed to have been a fast one, the road are both in sight. To one side and opening the gate by the road drove and a little nearer the road are the staand opening the gate by across a field to the second gate, where bles for the cattle, in good repair. they hitched their horse. Stealing There are five or six big bay stacks in the yard, a corn crib and a rack behind he has at various times sent money. is of hewn logs, well preserved for so lower story which was practically all he used, is divided into two rooms and a pantry. The huge beams across the room are just six feet three inches from the flooring. It was almost barren of day afternoon, and the poor old murfurniture. The bed took up one half of dered man was buried in the Dixboro the little bedroom in the east side of cemetery. the house. In the living room was a cook stove, a small table, a barrel of cider and an Ann Arbor Brewing Co.'s pantry contained a number of jugs. Under the flooring was a meal bin. dark lantern through the little win- There were very few old dishes, a coudows of the house, striving to locate ple of spoons, a knife and fork, a shav- and left. He jumped around to keep out of ing mug and razor, plenty of firewood

you," shouted the robbers, but his mon- try marked K contained the jugs and

THE CRIME DISCOVERED.

As was stated above, Richards was not found until after noon Sunday, agers of the Washtenaw County Agriwhen Henry Tolbert, who had been out cultural Association, held in the super-The first shot was fired from a 32 hunting rabbits, came to the door and visors' room in the court house, Saturcalibre revolver before the door was knocked. Richards called to him to day afternoon, further arrangements broken open and imbedded itself in the come in. He asked him what was the were made looking towards the success elm boards which formed the door. matter and was told that he was sick. of the annual fall fair to be held next MURDER IN SUPERIOR The second shot was from an ugly 44 The old man's thoughts were of his September. calibre revolver, and was fired either chickens, "please let the chickens out and feed them," he requested. It was laws, one of which gives the general after entering it. Richards was stand- not till this was done and Tolbert got superintendent power to stop payment ing in his bedroom, the door of which back to the house and said "How long of all premiums which he thinks are is close to the outside door. The ball have you been sick Jimmie?" that improperly obtained, until they have Richards told him that the robbers had A TERRIFIC BATTLE ing just below the breast and passing been there in the night, and shot him agers. and got his money. He requested Tolbert to go over to John Shankland's and get him a loaf of bread.

It is not known how much

MONEY THE ROBBERS SECURED.

Richards was miserly in his habits. He spent very little. He had neither tea, coffee or sugar in the house. He had not deposited any money for six years and every year he had laid by something. During the past year it is known that he sold over \$200 from his farm. It is probable be had over \$1,-000 stowed away. All that has been found is a bag of silver and change amounting to \$40.56. In this there were a couple of hundred pennies. He put his money away as he got it, and it is considered improbable that he himself knew how much he had. He was an illiterate man, unable to read or write and he seemed to have trouble in counting over four.

#### A FORMER ROBBERY.

Richards was robbed of about \$1,000 16 years ago, the exact amount not being ascertainable. This so preyed ly insane and was sent to the Pontiac asylum, where he remained three years, returning cured, to take up his old life again. John W. Nanry was appointed his guardian at this time, and searching the house found a large amount of Mail Carrier O'Kane Struck by a money stored away in cans, bottles and the wall. Mice had chewed the bills and many of them were nearly ruined by age. Many were destroyed beyond redemption, but about \$1,000 was placed in the Ann Arbor Savings Bank to his credit and is there yet.

The farm was stocked with a good team of horses, a cow, a calf and nineteen sheep. He worked the farm but little, using it mainly for grazing puroses for the stock he kept upon The neighbors speak kindly of him. He never bought anything without he paid for it on the spot. He bought what be wanted but he wanted little.

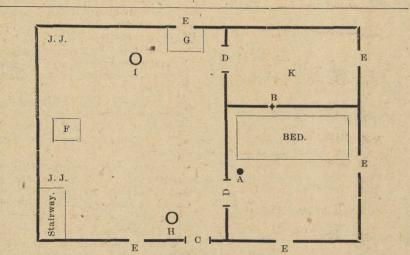
#### A DAUGHTER IN ENGLAND.

Of his family he talked but little until the past two years. When he left England 45 years ago, he left a wife from whom he was never divorced, and office was desirous of getting hold of who has since remarried. He left also his eash. Someone tried to enter the a daughter who has married and has a house while he was absent but was family of children. To this daughter frightened away. which the robbers first hid. The house letter acknowledging the receipt of \$25 by her was received last fall, in which old a house. It is two stories high or she gave her address, as Mrs. Sarrather one story and a huge attic. The ah Jane Pearce, Burrows Farm, Churchill, Devon, England. Two of his brothers died last summer, and a 262, F. & A. M., have been issued sister still lives in England.

day afternoon, and the poor old mur- at parties given in the temple rooms,

It is evident that the murderers were fully cognizant of the premises and Richards' habits. They carefully avoidkeg of beer, two or three chairs and the ed a marsh, although the track was not beaten, and they knew where everything was. They did not rummage the they have been on former occasions and house but took what they came after the reception and floor committees will

ceeded to break down the only door of absolutely destitute of covering, but fore Coroner Ball and a jury consisting of Zenas Sweet, Daniel Marr, Walter a stick. Both made bee lines to where ed. In the attic there were a number Voorheis, Frank Duress, Patrick Duress, and Wm. Duncan. Five wit-



A DIAGRAM OF THE HOUSE

passed, the night and G the small table.

nesses, Dr. Jane A. Walker, Henry to meet them, probably for a while par- Is given to show Richards' position Tolbert, John Shankland, John Quacktially closing the door in time to inter- when shot. In the diagram the letter enbush and Wm. Tait were examined. cept the fork thrusts. This seems to be A represents where Richards stood From the line of examination pursued about the only way the marks on the when shot. B represents where the it was evident that it was not desired Schmid; assistant treasurer, Mrs. J. door can be accounted for, as, when bullet which passed through him struck to have much of an "inquest," but Koch. Six new members were received open, the door closes against the bed- the board partition. C is the only out- rather to elicit just enough information at the meeting. Light refreshments coom partition. The door was made er door of the house and D the bedroom to show that the old man died from the were served to all present. The society of elm and the only bullet fired into it, door, through which the bullet was effects of a bullet wound. The jury redid not begin to penetrate it. Once the fired. The various small windows turned a verdict in accordance with the and will continue to labor for the welstake came down upon Richards' marked E, were partially boarded "evidence," that "James Richards came fare of the congregation. shoulder and once upon his hand and up and many of the panes filled with to his death from a gunshot wound intwice if not three times the stake and old rags. F is where the old cook stove flicted by some person unknown to the

An Important Meeting of the Board of Managers.

At the meeting of the board of man-

A few changes were made in the bybeen investigated by the board of man-

F. B. Braun, F. E. Mills and Wm. E. Boyden were appointed a committee to arrrange for school day at the fair.

Harris Ball, G. W. Phelps, H. P. Finley and H. S. Dean were appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions to put the race track in proper repair.

Mrs. Florence S. Babbitt, of Ypsilanti, made a suggestion to the board which if successfully carried out should be quite an attraction at the fair. Her plan is to build a log cabin on the fair ground to be used for the art department, the logs for which are to be provided by old pioneers or their descendants, and who shall each give a log or furnish the money to buy one, the name of each individual giver to be carved on the log on the inside of the cabin, together with the date of their coming to Michigan, and the town in which they reside. Mrs. Babbitt, F. B. Braun, H. P. Finley, John Sperry and W. E. Boyden were appointed a committee to solicit the logs.

The general superintendent was instructed to look out for some special attraction for the fair.

The next meeting of the board will take place Saturday of next week, at

WANTED HIS CASH.

Would-Be Robber.

Saturday night Mail Carrier James O'Kane had a narrow escape from being robbed of his month's pay. As he was going towards his home on Forest ave., he heard someone coming along behind him, but paid no attention to it, thinking it was someone, like himself, going home. Not until he received a sounding crack on the head and neck did he alter his mind, and then, although somewhat dazed by the blow, he turned and faced his assailant, who, fearing that he would be recognized made himself scarce in a hurry. Beyond a lump on his head Mr. O'Kane suffered no bad results from the blow.

Mail Carrier Baxter is also of the opinion that someone who knew that Saturday was pay day at the post

#### The Masonic Party.

Over 500 invitations for the party to be given next Friday evening at the Masonic temple by Golden Rule Lodge, No. 159, and Fraternity Lodge, No. and from present appearances will be The funeral services were held Tues- pretty generally accepted. As is usual, dancing will be carried on in both the lodge room and drill hall, and the Chequamegon and Minnis' orchestras have been engaged for the occasion, one orchestra being stationed in each room.

> The decoration committee proposes to have the rooms decorated as nicely as put forth their best efforts to make everybody feel comfortable and at

> Light refreshments only will be furnished. The party is to be strictly an informal affair and the committee wish such to be distinctly understood as being the case. It is to be an inexpensive party so far as it is possible to make it so, in keeping with the thinness of most people's pocket books and the stringency of the times.

> The present outlook is that "it will be good for anyone to have been there.'

Ladies' Society of Zion Church.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Society of Zion Lutheran church Thursday afternoon of last week was the eighth anniversary of the formation of the society and it was largely attended by the ladies; the pastor, teachers and vestry of the congregation being also present. Rev. A. L. Nicklas addressed a few remarks to the ladies, in the course of which he spoke of the great work they had done for the church and urged them to renewed zeal the coming year. He also spoke of their work as a beautiful work.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following: President, Mrs. Christian Mack; vice president, Mrs. A. L. Nicklas; secretary, Mrs. S. Graupner; treasurer, Mrs. Fred has been of great service to the church.

Col. Henry S. Dean has been drawn as a juror for the March term of the United States district and circut court

# oman's

Is never done, and it is especially wearing and wearisome to those whose blood is impure and unfit properly to tone, sustain, and renew the wasting of nerve, muscle and tissue. It is more because of this condition of the blood that women are run down,

#### Tired, Weak, Nervous,

Than because of the work itself. Every her to her father's home, in Ypsilanti. physician says so, and that the only remedy is in building up by taking a good nerve tonic, blood purifier and vitalizer

# Sarsaparilla

#### WASHTENAWISMS.

moving to Cleveland.

I. S. Savery, of South Salem, is attached to the end of his guitar. shipping hay to Benzonia.

Eight new members were taken into Sunday. The Morgan Signal Co., of Ypsilanti,

alists in the invention.

that village this evening.

Gilbert Hurd, of that town.

meat market in that village.

neighbors Tuesday night of last week. An effort is being made by Mrs. Rus-

the scholars of the Manchester high Chales Fuller, of Willis, died Thurs-

at Cherry Hill.

every home in Milau.

skating Wednesday evening of last week | ingly remarked." and broke one of the bones of his fore-

Miss Helen Wiard, of Ypsilanti town, was pleasantly surprised Thursday

Rev. Mr. Hicks, of Whitmore Lake, has coa menced a series of lectures to young people at the M. E. church, Hamburg. The first lecture was given

last Sunday evening. press is more beneficial to mankind than the steam engine." The printing press came out on top.

Rev. Mr. Hannaford, of the Salem Congregational church, was married, recently to a young lady of Indiana. They returned from their wedding trip beth Freeman, Ann Arbor, \$1,190. last week and were given a reception at the parsonage Jan 27.

Mrs. E. Valentine and Mrs. J. L. Hoyt, of Saline, were given a surprise Brown, Northfield. \$1,200. party by a number of their friends Monday evening of last week, it being ley, Northfield, \$1,200. the birthday anniversary of both the old and Mrs. Hoyt 81.

Charles D. Coon, formerly of Ypsilanti, died in San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 4, 1897, aged 62 years, 4 months, and 10 days. Mr. Coon, was a son of Day- trator, to Jacob Spathelf, Freedom. id Coon, a pioneer manufacturer and \$600. dealer of Ypsilanti, who established the business now owned by McElcheran and wife, Ypilsanti, \$2,000. & McAndrew.

A Bay View Reading Circle has been organized in Saline and has already held two meetings. Its officers are: Leader, R. O. Austin; vice president, Miss Minnie Jones; secretary, Mrs. Unterkircher; treasurer, Miss Alice Sturm; committee, Miss Idalene Webb, Miss May Hurd and Grove Rouse.

L. C. Palmer has resigned the office of express agent at Howell to take charge of the basket works at Dexter, formerly conducted by his father, been made in the machinery and it is require days. A dyspeptic doesn't want larger than ever this season.

John Staebler, or "Johnny smoker," effects. as he is often called, fell into the pond while working on the ice Tuesday of fering a product under the name of last week. John Senger, who was next Shaker Digestive Cordial which yields to him, caught him by the coat and immediate relief. The very first dose hauled him out so quickly that John- proves beneficial in most cases; and it ny's pipe was not extinguished, and he is owing to their unbounded confidence kept on smoking just as though nothing in it, that they have put 10 cent sam-

death to think they had a real, organiz. will repay the afflicted to invest the ed fire company and in their mind's eye trifling sum necessary to make a trial. could see themselves sitting back in the shade watching the prays fire laddies subdue the flames, but last week the ing the digestion of food. Observer notified them that they would be expected to do their share of the teetering on the handles of the old fire eagine and some of them got so mad that place of Castor Oil. they actually went and had their buildings insured .- Plymouth Mail.

The two years old son of John Frentper, of Ypilanti, died Saturday and was buried from St. John's church, Monday morning.

The Enworth League of the M. E. church, Ypsilanti, enjoyed a sleigh ride out to the home of B. D. Kelly, in Yp i anti town, Wednesday night and had a social after they got there.

Miss Marsland, of Ypsilanti, who suffered a stroke of paralysis at Lansing some time since, has so far recovered that they will endeavor to remove

The stockholders of Cleary College, Ypsilantil, held their annual meeting Monday evening and elected the old nounced a success. like Hood's Sarsaparilla. For the troubles directors as follows: P. R. Cleary, D. Peculiar to Women at change of season, elimate or life, or resulting from hard work, nervousness, and impure blood, thousands have found relief and cure in thousands have found relief and cure in standing the hard times the net income Milan and vicinity. of the institution is greater than last year, although the gross income was somewhat smaller. The school has been conducted very economically during the past year. -Times.

Last Saturday night's News contains a cut of Jerome German, formerly of lecture course, date Feb. 24. The One True Blood Purifier. \$1 per bottle. Ypsilanti. The cut shows him to be Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. rigged with a strange gear by which he times at their coasting parties. Hood's Pills are the only pills to take is able to play seven instruments at one time, a regular one-man band. He dry work with a fine list of orders. plays the mouth-organ without his hands, which are used to pluck the strings of a guitar; the snare drum, base drum and cymbals are controlled by an electric battery attached to his Ira Turner, of Saline, is talking of back; he plays the 'cello with his feet cess. and the triangle is controlled by a stick

A venerable couple are noted for evening. E. E. Snowball, of Whittaker, is their devotion to each other Occasionmaking preparations to build a new ally they have childish quarrelling in "Fast Mail" at Ypsilanti, Tuesday spells, and sometimes do not speak to evening. each other for days During such times the Saline M. E. church a week ago they communicate with each other by spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. signs. Recently, during one of these H. Hack. tiffs, the old gentleman came home with two tickets for the theatre. He is endavoring to interest Chicago capitshowed them to his wife, and she understanding the matter, began to get Hamburg Oddfellows give a public ready for the trip. When they arrived dance and supper at Royce's hall in at the theatre and were shown to their seats they discovered they were separ- journ with Mrs. Day. The Saline Farmers' Club is in ses- ated by a post. It was too much for sion today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. the old gentleman. Turning to his are filling their storage houses with your blood pure with Hood's Sarsapa wife, he said smilingly: "I wonder this "sleeping water." Frank Dunlavy, of Dexter, has mov- how they knew it!"—Chelsea Standard.

recent Farmers' Institute in that city Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Sloat, of Shar- says: "Those present in the forencon on, were surprised by a number of their were amply repaid for their efforts by the opportunity given them of listening visit with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Chapin. to the address of Mrs. Emma A. Camp. sell to organize a singing class among bell, of Washtenaw county. It is well to remember in this connection that Mrs. Campbell is an unpretentious, ing. every-day farmer's wife, residing bear Ypsilanti. During the absence of her day of last week in his 80th year. His husband, who is a member of the lower remains were interred in the cemetery house of the state legislature, Mrs. During the extreme cold weather of management of the farm. Yesterday Stone gave a short address on mission was some discussion as to the advisabilthe first part of last week house plants morning she drove to Willis station, ar- work froze or were badly chilled in nearly riving here via the Wabash in the fore-

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A evening of last week by a sleigh load of young people who went to her home from Ypsilanti city.

box of Dr. King's New Life Phis. A trial will convince you of their merits. These Pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of and lung troubles of all sorts. onstipation and Sick Headache. Hamburg. The first lecture was given leterious substance and to be purely on Monday last. The Unadilla lyceum debated the their action, but by giving tone to the subject "Resolved that the printing stomach and bowels greatly invigorate to mankind the system. Regular size 25 cents per box Sold by Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Ann Arbor, and Geo. J.

W. W. Wedemeyer spent I with relatives in this place.

Jas. S. Allyn, has sold hi Haussler, of Manchester

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Charles T. Brant and wife to Eliza- graph builders of the M. C. R. R. Co.

Harriet Welch to Wm. A. Collins, Ypsilanti, \$332. Charles E. Hiscock to Fred and Jesse

Charles E. Hiscock to Albert L. Bai-

Miles and Earl Gorsline, by special ladies. Mrs. Valentine was 75 years guardian, to John Lang, Superior, Tuesday.

Anna Gorsline to John Lang, Super-

Elizabeth K. Spathelf, by adminis-Nancy Pearson to Waldo E. Draper

William D. Pattison to Ettie N.

Johnson, Ypsilanti, \$5,000. Lambert Gieske and wife to Joseph A. Howard, Sharon, \$500.

and wife, Northfield, \$100. Harriet A. Starks to Wilber Todd,

Webster, \$150. Evart H. Scott to Sarah E. Scott, Ann Arbor, \$5,000. Erastus P. Mason to William J.

Mager, Salem, \$2,400.

A drowning man would have little or 50 converts have been secured al-Luther Palmer. Important changes have use for a method of rescue which would ready. expected the output of baskets will be to bother with a remedy that is going

The Mount Lebanon Shakers are ofhad happened. - Manchester Enterprise. ple bottles on the market. These can Saline people were tickled nigh to be had through any druggist; and it

> The Shaker Digestive Cordial relieves by resting the stomach and aid-

> LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in

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

#### VILLAGE DOINGS.

Milan.

Mrs. Hanlin is quite ill.

Weather warmer. Sleighing fine. Milton Hitchcock spent Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Barnes visited Dundee Tuesday. The four weeks' revival meetings

have closed. Mrs. Kelly has returned from her Ann Arbor visit.

A. E. Putman has returned from his to be free from all

La grippe victims are numerous in

Rev. R. N. Bouck has returned from his sojourn in Howell.

G. T. Blackmer, of Fowlerville, is the use of the Pinkham Medicine."visiting Milan friends.

Hoyt L. Conary is the next on the St., N. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

The young people are having jolly F. C. Hollis has started in his laun-

Mr. and Mrs. H. Whitehead, of On-

tario, are visiting Milan relatives. ter's, Friday evening, was a grand suc- weighs more than salted butter. The

Miss J. Webb's party at Saline, Friday ter, and by carefully experimenting it

A number of the Milan people took

Prof. Geo. A. Dennison, of Dundee,

Mrs. Ostrander and children, of Ma-

Harland's Players were at the opera ed to Pinckney, and will open up a The Adrian Times speaking of the house Monday evening, and produced 'A Modern Marriage.

Mrs. V. Hanley returned to her home 'n Petoskey, Monday, after a week's

Miss Mary Knickerbocker sprained one of her ankles quite badly while jumping from a sleigh Sunday morn-

The missionary meeting at the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, was fine. Rev. J. P. Hutchinson was too to shop. One of them had recently Campbell takes entire charge of the ill to be present and Rev. J. Ward moved his office down town, and there

One family in Milan was found withncon and leaving on the afternoon train out wood and provisions that cold Mon-Walton Rexford, son of Edgar Rex- for her home, 'so she could get home day, with the thermometer 20 degrees ford, of Ypsilanti, fell on the ice while and get the chores done, as she laugh below zero, but the news soon spread around our village, and wood, clothing and provisions were carried in, in short

of the newly cut pine are all embodied to it to live. It sat back from the street

#### Chelsea.

The school entered upon a new term M. J. Lehman, of Ann Arbor, was

here last Saturday. W. W. Wedemeyer spent last Sunday | circumstances.

miles north of town to Edward Stapish. ring came to my bell. It was then about Wm. G. Liwick has joined the tele-

John E. Durand, of Jackson, was at the funeral of Aaron Durand last Tues-

that has been still so long will start up | take care of him. Then I got up, and, A. W. Ames, of Ann Arbor. attend-

ed the tuneral of Aaron Durand here on Wm. G. Dancer, of East Lima, is

reported dangerously ill of enlargement of the liver. Large amounts of wood have been

now worn out The ice crop is being harvested and is investigate. Just as I was about to step

and clear and nice. A large numer of saw logs have been brought to the saw mill in this place

Caroline Bucholz to William Bucholz and are being sawed up. Dr. Geo. A. Robertson and wife, of

tend the funeral of Mrs. Robertson's father. The special union meetings continue touched him. Possibly I could not have with unabated interest this, the fourth been of any service to him if I had seen week, at the M. E. church. Some 40 him when he first rang the bell, but the

come yet. If the ground hog came out to take weeks to show its beneficial on Candlemas day he surely saw his shadow and went back into his hole for six weeks. It was a bright, sunny day.

The market met a bad set back last week on grain. Wheat brings 80 cents, Is where you'll find the difference if rye 30 cents, oats 15 cents, barley 60 you go to the Inauguration over the cents, beans 45 cents, dressed hogs \$4, clover seed \$4.50, eggs 13 cents, butter trains to Washington every day from 11 cents. Arrivals moderate.

Aaron Durand died at Battle Creek last week and was buried from the residence of D. H. Fuller here, on Tuesday last. Mr. Durand was 76 years old and had spent most of his life in this village and was well and favorably known here among a large circle of Agt., Cleveland, O. friends.

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have that tired feel-

ing day after day, in ? the morning as much The Milan school furnaces are pro- as at night after a hard day's work, and W pains caused by Ovarian and Womb troubles. I cannot express my gratitude. I hope and pray that other suffering women will realize the truth and importance of my statement, and accept the relief that is sure to attend Mrs. James Parrish, 2501 Marshall

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#### You Can Be Well

is drawn out of the butter.

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#### THE DOCTOR'S STORY.

In Experience That Followed a Call at Night.

Four or five physicians were talking up town the other evening at the home of one, and the conversation later turned ity of separating house and office.

"Well," said the separatist, "I can't see any difference so long as I am at my office during office hours." "Let me tell you a story," remarked

the oldest man in the party. "Thirty years ago, when I began practice, I lived in Virginia, and for a year or two I slept in my office. Then I married, and The soothing, lung-healing virtues my wife owned a nice house, and I went about 50 feet, and we decided that it would be much nicer if we had my office out on the street in the far corner of the lot. Only 50 feet away, you will observe, but still it was enough. In order to see such callers as came during the night I had a night bell and a speaking tube connecting the front door of the office with my bedroom. You see, I did not want a patient to escape under auv

Well, everything went nicely enough Jas. S. Allyn, has sold his farm two for three years or so, when one night a 2 o'clock in the morning, and the ring was a hot one. I asked who it was, and the answer came from a friend of mine to the effect that he was a mighty sick man and wanted to see me at once. I told him to come around to the house It is reported that the stove factory and I would meet him at the door and putting on my dressing gown and slippers, I proceeded to the front door. But there was no one there and no one in sight on the way between the gate and

the house.
"That was odd, and I went back and called through the tube to know what was wrong. I received no answer, and. being quite unable to account for it, I hauled on the late sleighing which is took my lamp-it was a very dark and still night-and started to go out and of good quality. It is one foot thick off the porch I lowered my lamp to get a better light on the step, and there at the foot of the porch lay a body. I turned it over at once, and as the light fell on the face I saw it was my friend who had only a minute before spoken to me. He was quite dead. And when an Battle Creek, were here Tuesday to at- examination was made, it was discovered that he had died of heart disease, and so near to me that I could almost have possibility that I might so affected me that from that day to this I have had There are six weeks of winter to my office as near my bed as I could get it."-Exchange.

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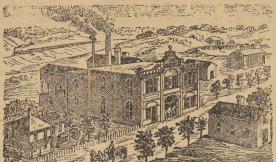
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#### AROUND THE STATE.

Ice 15 inches thick and of good quality is being cut at Utica.

The daily paper in Monroe has departed this life after a precarious existence of three months.

Joseph Emerson and family, of Uthouse. It was a decided novelty.

Thieves stole two suits of clothes in Milford, and left their old duds behind.

H. A. Foelter, of Benton Harbor, will stock southwestern Michigan with cottage on St. Clair Flats in 1892. At Mexican quail. It breeds more rapidly than the American kind.

W. H. Clawson, of Parma, took to Jackson, Saturday, a load of beans from his farm weighing 6,750 pounds. He sold them for 46 cents a bushel.

The fire insurance rate war, which has been waged in Kalamazoo for sev- amount title. eral months, is at an end. The agents and companies have become tired and lost too much money.

Harvey Barlow, of Grand Rapids, aged 76, was found dead in his bed it was first started it has been run by Saturday morning. His aged wife three different proprietors, each of could not believe it was so and for over whom has skipped out and deserted his an hour labored to revive him.

into an airhole in Mud Lake, going who first started the shop. He took his into mud and water up to his arms. | wife's gold watch and \$70 belonging to | it last longer. You people are very par-He was nearly frezen before he got out her when he went. She now proposes ticular about your meters." and finally reached the road and reach- to run the shop herself. ed home.

fire and the atmosphere of which was while in its employ. It will also pay down to freezing point, in Flint last relatives of men who may be killed

general in great numbers.

The four men pardoned by Gov. Pingree for complicity in the Moliter murinformal reception was held in the af-

Miss Phoebe Stevens, of Saginaw, who whipped Col. C. V. R. Pond at Lansing last week, says she is out of politics and does not desire a position at Lansing. She admits that she "has it in for" a certain Saginaw man, and considerable speculation is rife as to his and that he will not try the case a

A Lapeer man brought a horse and finding he had made a bad bargain offered the animal in exchange for two cords of wood, but found no one to purchase. Then his clerk sold the animal "unsight, unseen" for 12 gallons of oil. The new owner is looking for a purchaser.

bewildered, lost her way and took shel-ter in a log hut until morning. When "W. L. January," said the represenshe reached a farm house, her legs were badly frozen. For a time her life was despaired of.

one of the oldest pioneers of that sec- blunder he had made. tion, died Sunday afternoon. He was a brother of ex-Congressman Willard, editor of the Daily Journal, and one of his ancestry back to the 11th century ually crushed and are felt only in being the wealthiest men in this county. as a descendant of the Scottish house Last week he deeded to the city a pub- of Mar. Last Sunday speaking in his lic park on Goguac Lake.

The Hillsdale steam laundry has been closed up on account of lack of Homer schools and look so much alike

knocked down Saturday night and rob- a good one. To punish Jim, the teachbed of \$16. The plant of the Round Oak Stove

opened and give employment to over 300 men. A building boom is expected at North Branch in the spring, many new build-

Works at Dowagiac will soon be re-

ings, business and otherwise, being planned.

a minstrel show to raise funds to help ment and she dismissd him instanter. build a bicycle path to a point several miles away. Extensive mineral paint deposits un-

Allegan county, which will probably be developed before long. Orson Beebe, of Mendon, was adjust-

horses started up and the building was every time a prisoner was taken out of pulled over onto him, killing him in- jail to court or some other place, stantly.

Sam L. Caton, who has been bound over to the circuit court of Ingham county, on his wife's charge of assaulting her with intent to kill, will have his examination today. He has remained in jail all week although he could have got the \$5,000 bail demanded very easily.

Two Paw Paw men hitched their team to a large tree which they proposed to cut down. In falling the tree went the wrong way and crashed down between the two horses knocking them to the ground and smashing the wagon. It took the men all the afternoon to extricate the equines which were not injured.

H. S. Closson, of Lansing, sued Buck & Leighton of Bay City, for the value of 750 dozen eggs. The defendants refused to pay on the ground that they ordered timed eggs one year old. These were two years old. To test the statement, one of the eggs was broken in the court room and the defendants were immediately given a verdict.

A Wayne county deputy sheriff snapped his handcuffs onto the wrists of two residents of Wayne village who ica, recently ate oranges raised in their were admiring the manacles. The citizens didn't have a thing done to those A syndicate, it is said, will shortly cuffs when they reached a blacksmith begin the work of erecting 15 cottages shop, where they were cut off and Manchester on the lake shore south of Harrisville. pounded in pieces. The officer does not think his practical joke amounted to from William A. Arme's clothing store much now that he is out the price of a new pair.

George W. Larkins, of Detroit, neglected to pay the taxes on his summer the tax sale the land was bid in for the state. In October, 1896, Nelson Roberts, of Port Huron, bought the title from the state. Larkins instituted ejectment proceedings, but Judge Vance, of St. Clair county, awarded possession of the property to Roberts. holding the tax title deed to be the par-

There is in Bay City a barber shop which has proved singularly unlucky for the peace of mind of the wives of its proprietors. During the time since wife and family. Heury Acker the last John Langhray, of Roscommon, fell man to skip is a brother of John Acker,

The Calumet and Hecla Mining Co. A young woman gave birth to a will in the future pay the hospital exchild in a room in which there was no penses of miners who may be injured Saturday. She and the infant are des- \$1,000 in place of \$500 as formerly; \$600 will be paid in case of permanent McKinley's appointment of Gen. R. injury. All this is free to employes, A. Alger, of Detroit, as his secretary who will in future have no aid fund of war, meets with general approba- dues to pay. The company also has a tion throughout the state and congratu- large stone building in the course of latory telegrams have poured in on the construction, which will be used by its lot of sewer gas in my house that you employes as a gymnasium, library,

baths, etc. Harry Dale convicted of committing der in 1873, were accorded a warm a criminal assault on Maggie Leonard, welcome by their friends on their ar- in Detroit, and who has been doing rival at Rogers City, Saturday. An time in Jackson, has been granted a bad."—Washington Star. new trial by Judge Chapin. It is believed that in view of the repeated assaults on women that have taken place since he was sentenced and other evidence that has been collected that he is not guilty. Prosecuting Attorney Fraser, of Wayne county, says that this order of Judge Chapin frees Dale second trial.

Representative W. L. January, of Wayne, broke through one of Governor | WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Piugree's ukases Friday when he rode on the Grand Trunk railway on a pass borrowed from Representative Edgar. That is to say, he tried to ride on it, for the conductor came along and knowing Representative Edgar he took up the pass and damaged the fare from Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Drug. Mrs. Arthur Watson undertook to the pass and demanded the fare from gists. Testimonials free. walk from Osceola junction to Cadillac Mr. January. The Wayne man asked in a bitter cold snowstorm. She became for a receipt for the pass. The con

tative and the official smiled as he gave the receipt and passed on, leaving Mr. January with a very summer like com-Charles Willard, of Battle Creek, plexion as he became conscious of the

Rev. W. F. Wilmot, of Utica, is a Congregational minister, who can trace sermon of the arbitration treaty be-Delbert E. Millan was tried in Niles tween this country and England he Saturday on a charge of stealing an ex- said: "A treaty between England and ous lie of the partisan, the merciful lie press package containing \$2,000 and United States is good, but a thousand of the friend and the careless lie of each was acquitted. The testimony of his fold better would be a treaty between man to himself that cast that black sweetheart, Miss Mattie Edwards, was England and the small states she is mystery over humanity through which practically what cleared him. Immed- everlastingly plundering, all because we thank any man who pierces, as we iately after his acquittal he was mar- they can't help themselves. England is ried to the young lady in the court a robber, and robs whenever she can, room. Millan will commence a suit and would rob us if she could, but for damages against the express com- when she cannot she is willing to make a treaty which costs her nothing.

John and Jim are twins in the that their parents can not tell them Is Raging Everywhere, Devastating Frank C. Pierce, of Saginaw, was apart. Jim is a poor speller and John er told him he must stav after school and learn every word of his lesson, Now the boys had planned for a great lark after school and so they determined to frustrate the teacher's orders. When the teacher's back was turned the twins changed seats, and Jim marched out with the other boys at close of school. John was cailed to the teacher's desk, and the way he spelled his Midland wheelmen are about to give lesson filled the teacher with amaze-

-Detroit Free Press. The Wayne county auditors by probing into the old bills of the sheriffs for have learned these things but a still derlie lands in Pine Plains township, the past 16 years have discovered that the county has been overcharged for turnkey's fees to the total extent of something like \$32,000, and perhaps ing the trucks under a building that more. The way it has been done was was being moved, Saturday, when the for sheriffs to charge turnkey's fees whereas they were only entitled to one fee of 70 cents. For instance, while Frank Ashley was in jail there were thirty-seven charges of turnkey's fees of seventy-six cents each during the last quarter of Sheriff Collins' term. Under the law Sheriff Collins was entitled to seventy cents for turning the key on him when he came in and when he went out. The sheriff received \$28.12 for bringing him back and forth to the Recorder's Court that he should never have received. The prac tice began with Sheriff Clippert and has been in vogue ever since.

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"Nope. Go right ahead with your business. Don't mind me. I had a few spare minutes, and I came here to

"Over whom?" was the surprised query.

"Over the company." "I-I must say I don't quite under-

stand you." "I suppose I'd better explain it. It's too good to keep. But I get so much enjoyment out of it that you'll have to ex-

cuse me if I tell it slow, so as to make "Of course. We have to be."

"You've got it down so you can meas ure the extra pressure that occurs all through the city if one of the workmen

happens to cough in your gas factory. 'We haven't got it quite so close as that, but we've done our best to protect our interests.'

"Well, I had occasion to have a sanitary plumber in my house yesterday. He's the man that made the discovery He informed me that there was a whole never discovered. You didn't have any arrangements for measuring it in the meter, and it got clear past you. I'm not naturally vindictive, but I couldn't resist the temptation to come around and tell you about it and make you feel

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The Measure of the Man.

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Took Poison on the Street.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 2.-Minnie Ackerman, a young girl residing here, tried to commit suicide Monday night. drank a half an ounce of laudanum on the street. When she arrived home the drug had taken effect, but the heroic efforts of physicians saved her life. Her act was due to unrequitted love.

Terrible Double Tragedy.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 2.-A. W. Linderstrom, a farmer living on Anderson's island, came home late at night and in a fit of anger took down a gun and blew out the brains of his 5-year-old son. He then placed the muzzle of the gun to his head and blew out his own

if not relieved, bilious feve or blood poisoning. Hood's Reading Women Organize.

The women voters of Reading, Pa., met recently at the home of Mrs. William Carter. Woburn street, and formed an organization. Mrs. S. G. B. Pearson was chosen temporary chairman. Offlcers for the ensuing year were balloted for, and the following were elected: Mrs. George Bosson, permanent chairman; Mrs. Warren E. Eaton, clerk; Mrs. S. G. B. Pearson, treasurer. The society then nominated Mrs. Ellen M. Bancroft for member of the school committee and recommended that Mrs. Gertrude Hussey be nominated as a trustee of the public library. Mrs. Warren Eaton was chosen a committee of one to confer with the proper authorities in regard to having a woman on the board of overseers of the poor. In conclusion, the society earnestly recommend that every woman in town qualified to vote should register and cast her vote at the coming town election.

A Confused Judge.

An English lawyer who had a habit of dropping his h's was one day prosecuting before Mr. Justice Lawrance a man for stealing, among other things, a halter. Constantly and consistently he cases where Pe-ru-na has not been used spoke of "'alter," and after an hour or during the acute stage and the victim so of this the judge summoned the clerk finds himself dragging out a miserable of assize and seriously asked him, "Is existence from the damage to his system this the crown court?" "Yes, my lord, tem accomplished by la grippe, he has I believe so," was the answer of the only to take Pe-ru-na according to the wondering official. "Thank you. I am relieved. I thought I had found my way The Right Topics,



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Checks and cash items \_\_\_\_

Nickels and Cents \_\_\_\_

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, 188.
County of Washtenaw. 188.
1, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do golemnly 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 9th day of Detaber, 1896
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1897.

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Townships and Wards will be entitled to

delegates as follows:	
Ann Arbor City:	
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2d ward10	
3rd ward10	
4th ward 9	
5th ward 4	
6th ward 6	
7th ward 4	
Ann Arbor Town 7	
Augusta 9	
Bridgewater 6	
Dexter 4	
Freedom 6	
Lima 5	
Lodi 7	
Lyndon 4	
Manchester12	

3rd ward. 4th ward. 5th ward.

CHARLES A. WARD, CAVANAUGH, Chairman Dated at Ann Arbor, Jan. 22, 1897.

Democratic Ward Caucuses.

Ann Arbor Town Democratic Caucus. The Democratic electors of Ann Arbor Township will meet in caucus Saturday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m., in the court house, for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention to be held Feb. 11.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Pittsfield Democratic Caucus.

The Democratic electors of Pittsfield will hold their caucus at the town house Feb. 9, at 2:30 p.m., to elect delegates to the county convention to be held at Ann Arbor Feb. II, 1897. All advocates of s'lver are invited to take part in the caucus. BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE. Pittsfield, Jan. 28, 1897.

once offered by the sheriff for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the thief, but when a man is foully good time to make a beginning was at the following executive committee for bottle and pamphlet, both sent by mail murdered and the house ransacked and this gathering. a large amount of money taken, not a dollar of reward is offered. Are horses so much more valuable than human Co. A, of the First Regiment, M. S. year, J. T. Jacobs, S. A. Moran, Prof. lives or large sums of money? Or is it T., and he was proud that his name because a life snuffed out has no vote, among others was on its roster. It was Miss C. Sager, B. St. James, Mrs. J while the owner of a horse has one?

ation of those figures represented sev- him that the excuse was valid. pared the article and first published it.

visited this city recently, acquired a boys used to get during the war of the investigate. Traveling Passenger Agent vast amount of misinformation concern- rebellion, greatly to the disparagement ing our charter. In fact it is doubtful if any other man ever acquired so much Charles H. Manly and his remarks misinformation in so short a time. It were well received by the company. does not cost the city so much more to collect taxes than, it does Adrian, and ment. Dean Seabolt danced a clog: the people of this city are not in favor the band played; Lieut. W. W. Watts of abolishing the board of public works. It is true that the board has not always "The Flowers of Killarney," the comacted in accordance with public judg- pany joining in the chorus; Major Sid ment and that a few are now striving W. Millard told a few stories on the to abolish the board, but the mass of boys; Fred Huntoon was called on, but the people uphold it and few wish to begged off; Walter Crego played a fine cornet solo, and the pleasing entertainreturn to the old system when street ment was brought to a close after a few work was only done for the benefit of remarks from S. W. Beakes. ward heelers and money was spent as a matter of ward politics only.

## Municipal Club Meeting.

A meeting of the Ann Arbor Municipal Club was held in McMillan hall, corps will organize, elect officers, and and yet some soft hearted sentimental-Wednesday evening. The meeting was drill regularly in citizen's clothes. presided over by Prof. B. M. Thompson and there were present in addition to that gentleman, J. A. Montgomery, Robert Campbell, A. B. Wood, D. W. Springer, W. S. Perry, George O. Higley, A. J. Kitson, A. E. Mummery, C. A. Maynard, A. J. Mummery, Selby A. Moran, A. B. Stevens, Perry Trowbridge, Leonard Bassett and two others

Most of the business consisted of talking over the question of law enforcement, and local option and license were talked of were local option as operated in Massachusetts, and the present system of closing the saloons at 10 o'clock 8:30 o'clock.

THE A. A. L. I. ENTERTAINS

Smoker and Lunch.

The Democrats of Washtenaw County will meetin county convention in the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Thursday the 11th day of February, 1897, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of school commissioner of Washtenaw County and for the further purpose of electring 23 delegates to the Democratic State Convention which meets in the City of Grand Rapids on Wednesday, February 17th.

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Those who had charge of the commissariat department thoroughly under- favor of accepting the \$250 offered by vict, who figured last year in an amusstood their business and did their part the board of supervisors as its share of ing wife trade at Jackson, and who is nobly well, providing a supper that was the sewer tax and it was accepted. The wanted in that city for robbing a hen toothsome enough to tempt even a man contract of lighting the clock in the house of five chickens, was arrested in without an appetite to eat, but there were none of that kind there. A detail local gas company for \$75 a year. of the members of the company acted as waiters and looked carefully after tiure of \$245.64 during January. The them a lively chase and they are of the the comfort of the guests.

company on the high standing it had riman and E. B. Pond. attained in the ranks of the state troops, and showed the difference between being a member of the militia now and when he first enlisted 20 years ago. He spoke of the willingness of every man who ever belonged to the company during that time to respond to the call of and \$43.75 expended. Humane Agent Humane Agent Humane Agent Peterson reported having attended to duty no matter what it was, and said Peterson reported having attended to that that willingness had done more to 96 cases during the year and prosecuted elevate the militia in the minds of the 5. A vote of thanks was tendered Offipeople of the state than anything else.

terms of the manner in which the boys ing secured articles of incorporation and nate. did their duty and attended to drill. having drafted a bill for passage by the When a horse is stolen a reward is at He suggested that in order to help keep present legislature by which the two It stands the highest for its wonderful the company up to its present high statutes relating to cruelty to animals standard a veteran corps be established and children are to be consolidated. in connection with it, and said that a

spoke briefly but earnestly to the boys. Miss Emma Bower, E. E. Calkins, He said it was an honor to belong to Judge N. W. Cheever, Mrs. J. J. Gooda good thing to belong to the militia L. Skinner, Rev. A. Ten Brook, Mrs. sometimes, particularly so for him just Jennie Voorheis. Last week's Ypsilanti Commercial at the present time. As they all knew, he had been appointed aide-de-camp to following officers of the society: Pressays: "The Courier compiles some in- Gen. Porter in the inauguration day ident, J. J. Goodyear; vice presidents, teresting statistics of marriages in the county the past year, from which it appears," etc.

Now, Bro. Smithe, if you had sub-Now, Bro. Smithe, if you had sub- man in the U. S. district court, just stituted the word "Argus" for "Cour- at the same time as the inauguration Anna B. Bach; committee on legislaier" in that item it would have been all would take place, and the marshal tion, Rev. A. Ten Brook, M. C. Petwould not excuse him. He wrote to erson, N. W. Cheever, W. N. Brown; right and you would have given the Judge Swan and told him that he was committee on education, Rev. A. Ten credit where it belonged, as the Cour- exempt from jury duty on account of Brook, W. N. Brown. Mrs. J. Voorier did. We forgive you this time, but his being an honorary member of C. A, heis, Mrs. C. G. Plympton. don't let it occur again. The compil- and the judge immediately informed

Major Soule was introduced by the ral hours of hard work and we don't chairman and said that as he had been care to lose the credit of having pre- quartermster of the First Regiment for 16 years in its earlier history, he would confine his remarks to "Grub," and at once proceeded to compare the layout The city attorney of Adrian, who of the evening with that the soldier ation. If you're going it will pav to of the latter.

Major Soule was followed by Capt.

Then followed a medley of entertain talked of the militia boys of his command; Sergeant Jas. R. Bach sang

During the evening 15 persons signed the roll for the proposed veteran corps. Membership in this corps will give all

the priveleges of the armory to those

who belong. Eligibility to membership

is a three years' service in Co. A. The

Dexter Pedro Club.

Forty members of the Dexter Progressive Pedro Club went out to Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Staebler's in Scio Tuesday night and tested the hospitality of that genial couple. They had an excellent time and an elegant supper, and went home at an early hour (in the morning) vowing that it was one of the best meetings the club had had this winter.

discussed at length. Other questions Excursion Rates to Washington For 20, same. the Inauguration.

On account of the Presidential Inp. m. Mr. Springer suggested that it auguartion Ceremonies March 4, the was time to be looking after the spring Ann Arbor Railroad will sell excursion March 2 to 5, the Ann Arbor railroad election, but the meeting was not ready | tickets from all stations to Washington to act, and adjourned to meet at the and return at one fare for the round stations to St. Louis and return at one same place next Wednesday evening at trip. Tickets will be sold March 1, 2 and one-third fare for the round trip on and 3, limited for return to March 8. | the certificate plan.

OVER THE MAYOR, S VETO.

Its Ex-Members and Friends With a The Common Council Has Passed The Saturday, to visit her son, William, for Traders' License Ordinance.

The smoker and lunch given by the At the meeting of the common coun-Ann Arbor Light Infantry to ex-officers cil Monday evening, there was not a course in the Toledo Business College, Subscriptions not paid in advance \$1.25 a year. of the company, the members of the member absent. Beyond the passing has returned home. civil board and other invited guests at of the license ordinance over Mayor the armory Monday evening, was a de- Walker's veto and the appointment of cidedly unique and pleasing affair, par- the committee on charter revision no Holloway, this week. taking more of the nature of a first particularly interesting business came night in camp before the boys have done | before the aldermen | Bina A. Butler's any active duty to speak of and are request to have \$29.17, taxes wrongoverflowing with fun, than anything fully assessed against her, returned, else we can think of. By 8 o'clock was referred to the finance committee. the members and their guests began to A communication from Mayor Walker assemble and by 9 o'clock games of vetoing the traders' license ordinance council and lodge meetings put in an dinance over the Mayor's veto by a vote their ice houses filled with ice.

Charles H. Manly, J. F. Schuh, the question of paying \$250 for the Charles E. Hiscock, Sid W. Millard new team of horses in the fire departand J. C. Fischer, and ex-Lieut. W. ment was referred back to the fire com-W. Watts. Of the civil board there mittee. The city attorney was ordered were Col. H. S. Dean, Major Harrison to settle by the payment of \$230 the Soule and S. W. Beakes, besides repre- suit of Mast vs. the City of Ann Arbor. sentatives of the Argus and Times and To E. J. Phelps was refunded \$53.60

The sewer committee reported in court house tower was granted to the

The poor report showed an expendmarshal reported having made 11 ar- opinion that he is safer behind the bars.

Democratic Ward Caucuses.

The Democratic Ward Caucuses will be held on Wednesday evening, February 10th, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock local time, to elect delegates to the County Convention, to be held in the County Convention, to be held in the County House, Ann Arbor, Mich., I hursday, February 11th, 1897. Places for holding said caucuses are as follows:

1st Ward—E. B. Norris' Office.
2d Ward—M. Staebler's Coal Office.
2d Ward—M. Staebler's Coal Office.
3d Ward—Engine House.
5th Ward—Engine House.
6th Ward—Hammond's Shop.
EDWARD DUFFY, S. W. MILLARD,
EDWARD DUFFY, Chairman.
Secretary.

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Ann Arbor Humane Society.

The third annual meeting of the Ann Arbor Humane Society was held in the M. E. church, Sunday. The treascer Peterson and President Goodyear. Captain Granger spoke in the highest | The legislative committee reported hav-

The nominating committee reported Col. Henry S. Dean being called on elected: H. J. Brown, Wm. N. Brown, W. S. Perry, Mrs. C. G. Plympton,

The executive committee elected the

How Government Officials Travel.

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Emery.

Cutting ice is now all the rage. The Epworth League gave a candy social at Mr. H. Laraway's, Friday night.

Two sleigh loads of young people had a merry evening at H. Laraway's Monday evening.

Charles Burd lost his dog a short time ago, Last week he found it hanging over a picket fence where it had caught while attempting to jump over. It had chewed off three pickets in its endeavors to free itself.

The murder of James Richards is another of the many strong arguments Michigan is furnishing in favor of a capital punishment law. An old man is brutally murdered for a few dollars ist will hold up their hands in holy horror if the hanging of the perpetrators is mentioned. A capital punishment law would have a good effect in teaching lawless citizens that murder is a crime.

Marriage Licenses.

3213. Bert Laubengayer, 24, Scio; Mary Lang, 23, same.

3214. Charles Henry Johnson, 23, Ypsilanti; Sarah Scott, 22, same. 3215. Andrew Richardson Taylor, 26, Ann Arbor; Mary L. Woodward,

Farmers' Institute "Round Up." For the Michigan Farmers' Institute Round Up" at St. Lduis, Mich. will sell excursion tickets from all its

Mrs. N. Hough went to Litchfield several weeks.

Fred Burtless, having completed his

Miss Lizzie Farrell is visiting her friend, Miss Florence Thompson, in

The B. Y. P. U. served a chicken pie supper at the Baptist church Wednesday, followed by a concert. Wm. Amspoker and family moved to

Ann Arbor, Tuesday, which will be their future home. They will be missed by their many friends in this place. Wm. H. Lehr, Wm. Kirchgessner,

Co., were busy the past week having A necktie social is to be held at the home of Miss Libbie Rawson, next Friday evening, under the auspices of

Kiebler & Landwehr, Chas. Adrion &

the senior class of the high school. The new firm Schaible & Hendershott opened their store on Main st. last Monday. They have a nice line of goods and their friends wish them success.

Baltimore Oysters at BESIMER'S.

Arrested in Ypsilanti.

William Kersey, the colored ex-con-Ypsilanti, Wednesday morning, by Marshal Warner, on information furnished by the Jackson police. He has given

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Chancery Sale.

Chancery Sale.

IN PURSUANCE AND BY VIRTUE OF A decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the 30th day of January, 1897. In a certain cause therein pending wherein Elizabeth Gunther, Josephine Kohler and Margaret Feuerbacher are complainants and John W. Schneider, George Schneider, Frederick E. Schneider, George Schneider, Olga Schneider, Catherine S. Evers, Mary S. Dell, Emma S. Seery, Lydia S. Alber, Fred Schill, John Schill, Emanuel Schill, Frederick Gunther, William Gunther, Edward Gunther, John Gunther, Anna Gunther, and Mary Gunther Seitz are defendants.

Schill, Frederick Gunther, William Gunther, Edward Gunther, John Gunther, Anna Gunther, and Mary Gunther Seitz are defendants.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the following described real estate, situated in the township of Freedom, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and known and described as follows, viz: Being a part of section number twenty-four (24), and commencing on the south line of said section nine chains and forty-six links east from the south west corner thereof and running thence north and parallel with the west line of said section thirty chains and forty-seven links; thence east and parallel with the south line of said section ten chains and fifty-four links; thence south and parallel with the west line of said section seventeen chains and eighty-six links to a stake; thence east three chains and sixty-six links; thence south twelve chains and sixty-one links to the south line of said section; thence west along the south line of said section fourteen chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing thirty-seven and one-eighth acres of land, more or less.

O. ELLER BUTTERFIELD, ing thirty-seven and land, more or less.

O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD,

Circuit Court Commissioner.

E. B. NORRIS,
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#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

UNCLE, THE KEEPER. When the north winds blow,
And the ground is all snow,
What will the bicycle do then, poor thing?
It will be warm and snug
In Ikenstein's jug,
For Ike has it under his wing, poor thing!
New York Sunday Journal.

Orville W. Sage, of this city, has

been granted an increase of pension. The Washtenaw County Teachers' Association will meet in Saline tomor-

Trinity Lutheran church society realized \$13 from the social held last Fri-

day evening. The Chequamegons will furnish musie for a Maccabee party at Chelsea, Friday, Feb. 19.

The next social and dance of the I. O. O. F. will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 18.

Nine Masons of this city went to Ypsilanti Tuesday night and saw Phoenix Lodge, F. & A. M., work the third de-

Lew Renwick, assisted by soloists cital at the M. E. church, Ypsilanti, Wednesday evening, Feb. 17.

Master Mason's degree on a class of candidates next Thursday evening.

The republican state convention to nominate a supreme court justice and two regents for the university will meet in Detroit, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railroad is now using the terminals of the Ann Arbor railroad at Toledo Lake Erie.

The republican county convention to nominate a candidate for county school commissioner and elect delegates to the and skipped. state convention will be held in the court house Tuesday, Feb. 16.

The Michigan Press Association will hold its midwinter meeting at Hotel The proprietors of the Cadillac have ject "How to be beautiful." At the tendered the Association a banquet on the evening of the 23d.

The order of the L. O. T. M. received 1,313 new members in this state during December last, and 33 new hives were organized since the biennial convention last June, making a total of 683 hives in Michigan with a membership of more than 32,000.

a bob-sled load Friday evening and Mrs. Jones, a sister of Jex Bardwell, of called on Charles Braun, in Northfield. Detroit, Michigan's veteran photogration invites all persons to attend a ben-It was among the wee sma' hours when pher. Both were well known in Ann effit entertainment at the high school Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schaller, the chaperones, succeeded in getting the party started homeward. -Times.

ward in the "Sweet bye and bye." A should also be kept on hand. -Plymouth Mail.

Louis Mead, at the home of his parents, neys for the plaintiff. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mead, in Ann his birthday. Vocal and orchestral very pleasantly.

would leave Detroit at 10 a. m., and earth.—Adrian Press. reach Buffalo the same hour as at pres-

There was a young man from Leoni, Whose ambition it was to be tony, So he got for his hair A pomatum most rare, And scented all over Leoni.

At St. Andrew's church next Sunday evening there will be a musical service without sermon.

Invitations are out for the fourth hop of Arbor Tent, No. 296, K. O. T. M., to take place Thursday evening, Feb. 11, at the Maccabee hall, over the post

Blair Hinkley, of Scio, left his team of horses standing on the street for several hours Saturday night in the cold, while he enjoyed himself in a saloon, and Officer Armbruster locked them up.

"Some further considerations touching the choice of the christian ministry as a life work" will be the subject of Heavy and Best Quality,
- Sc, 10c, 12c per roll.

as a life work" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. Henry Tatlock at St. Andrew's church, next Sunday morning.

> Officer Peterson has notified the proprietors of the billiard halls of the city that all boys under 16 years of age must be refused admittance to their halls. The law in this matter will be strictly

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its regular monthly business meeting Monday, Feb. 8, at 3 o'clock p. m., in the rooms of the association. All ladies interested are invited to be present.

There will be an Epworth League school department of the League will also have a social at the home of Mrs. Calkins on S. Ingalls st.

The married folks' dancing class at Granger's academy will meet next Thursday evening again and if enough are on hand to take an interest in the class a series of six more meetings will be held. All old members and their friends are invited.

Henry Englehardt, the hackman, known to everbody as "Dutch Henry" has received a windfall in the shape of a \$700 check from his cld home in Germany. "Dutch" says he will now buy a farm and settle down to the peaceful life of a rural agriculturist.

Lateral sewer district No. 6 has nearly six miles of sewer to be constructed and City Engineer Key's estimate of its cost is \$28,000. The street crossings the district.

Henry Luce, who had an operation for appendicitis performed at the hospital recently, has so far recovered as to be removed out into the ward room. During his illness he has been carefully cared for by the Oddfellows the vocal department Monday after-the cellar for the moisture. Last spring and B. P. O. Elks, of both of which noon, Feb. 8, at 4:30 o'clock, and a it "began to disagree with him," as the orders he is a member.

Dr. S. M. Hartley was severely burned about her face and hands Saturday from this city will give an organ re- afternoon. A cup which was supposed to contain water, but which had kerosene in it, was emptied onto the furn-Golden Rule and Fraternity Lodges, ace fire and the flames burst out on Mrs. F. & A. M., will jointly confer the Hartley burning her quite badly. She is, however, recovering from the accident and will experience no bad effects from it.

The Oakland Excelsior warns newspapers men to beware of "a would-be solicitor for town write-ups. A rather portly, middle aged man, with a short mustache, full face, light colored overcoat, and a 4x4 smile and giving his instead of those of the Wheeling & name as Geo. Phillips." Said Phillips urged his assistance onto the Excelsior man recently, wrote up some of the Pond yesterday morning on a charge of tgether they examined the sack. The

> Dr. Mary Wood-Allen, of this city, superintendent of the purity department of the National W. C. T. U., delivered an address at the Lansing high school. Saturday afternoon, on the sub-Central M. E. church Sunday morning this city, under the leadership of Mrs. his gods, never to take another chew. she spoke on "The bequests we make our children." In the evening she gayer, went out for a sleighride Wedspoke at the First Baptist church on nesday afternoon to the home of Mr. "The beautiful vision."

A jolly party of young folks made up Mrs. Charles Woodruff of this city, and tell of their experiences. Arbor, where their early married life hall this evening, Music will be furwas spent. - Ypsilanti Sentinel.

Ann Arbor people are learning to filed a bill for divorce from his wife, trip to Mexico. Those who are intermake artificial ice. Good idea. It may Jennie Schofield, on the ground of ested in travels will find this a profitacome in handy to the people of the un- adultery. The offense on which the ble place to spend the evening. His iversity town if they get their just re- bill is based is alleged to have been travels will be illustrated by views committed in the city of Jackson, on taken on the way and Prof. Chute will bottle of Ypsilanti mineral water or about Nov. 1, 1896. The complain- operate the electric lantern. The enant asks to be given the custody of tertainment will begin at 8 o'clock. their seven years old daughter. The Admission 10 cents. Thirty-five couples of young people couple were married in Chelsea, Nov. from this city perpetrated a suprise on 23, 1888. Wallace & Webb are attor- American Review contains an article

Arbor town, Friday evening, it being selected by Gov. Pingree to be deputy of Civil Engineers, entitled "The New railroad commissioner, is a splendid Epoch and the Currency." It is a wellmusic, supplemented with a fine sup young man, with the omission of his drawn comparison between the conper, served to pass away the evening politics—which, it were better, were a ditions under which we at present re millstone hung about its neck and it side, and those under which the repub-The officials of the Michigan Central cast into the Huron river. "Weedy" lic was born. Much stress is laid upon are figuring on a change of time Feb- is of the "tall sycamore" variety-in the enormous achievements resultant ruary 7 that will shorten the running fact so tall that his legs barely reach upon the substitution of manufactured held Friday evening last, and each one time between St. Louis and Buralo by the ground, and he has to get down on power for human labor and the gain just an hour and ten minutes. The his knees to get into his pockets. He accruing therefrom to all civilized the exercises. The class showed itself train to be changed in time is known as cannot be otherwise than a good selec- nations. No. 36. Under the new schedule it tion since he represents heaven and

Minnie Olp Stevens, formerly of this that although the youngest congrega-The spicy odor that you notice in the place, a child actress with the "Myles tion in the city it is still gradually incigar box comes from the wood of Aroon" company, gave an admirable creasing in strength and usefulness. which it is made. It it not because it exhibition of pluck at Thursday night's The pastor's report showed the present is impregnated with tobacco. On the performance at Adrian. She came on resident communicant membership as contrary, tobacco takes the flavor of the the stage hardly able to walk and cry- 111; enrollment of Sunday school, 104; wood. That is the reason that a par- ing with pain from a sprained ankle, members of Y. P. S. C. E., 29; total ticular wood is used for the boxes of all the result of a fall during the day, but amount of the missionary benevolent the best cigars. It is Spanish cedar. notwithstanding her suffering, bravely contributions, \$368.09. The treasur-It is an expensive wood, porous and played her important part in the drama er's report showed that the receipts for spicy, and the only kind which has until the curtain fell on the last act. the year were \$4,874.72; disbursebeen found to improve the flavor of the Andrew Mack carried the child in his ments, 4,819.49; balance on hand, arms most of the time.

The university hospital is so crowded that patients are being refused admis-

Mr. and Mrs. Gottob Teufel are the parents of a new baby boy, who weighed 10 pounds when he arrived. The Soldiers' Relief commission of

the county will meet at City Treasurer Manly's office, in this city, Monday next, at 11 o'clock, city time. The meeting for men at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Sunday next at 2:45 p.

m., will be addressed by Prof. Mensel. Subject, "The christian race." Being the lowest bidder, J. F. Schuh was given the contract for fitting up the

new jury room in the court house, so that it will be heated by steam. Captain Gardner, of the 19th Infanry, U. S. Army, has been appointed by the war department instructor of the

National Guard of Michigan, and will

visit Co. A in the near future. W. H. Owen has moved into his new barber shop at the Cook house and S. W. Burchfietld now occupies Owen's former place of business with his tailoring establishment.

At the meeting of the state camp of Modern Woodmen of America, held in Bay City, Tuesday, Enoch Sears, of this city, was appointed one of the committee on order of business.

At the monthly business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night Richsection social this evening at the residence of Mrs. A. L. Noble. The high The choice of a permanent secretary has not yet been made.

Among the corporations who filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state last week were the Ann Arbor Electric Co, Ann Arbor, capital \$60,000, and the Ypsilanti Mineral Bath Co., Ypsilanti, capital \$5,000.

Gen. O. M. Poe Relief Corps, No. 8, was organized in Detroit, Thursday of last week, by Department President Manda J. Halstead, of Concord, and Department Chaplain Florence S. Babbitt, of Ypsilanti.

throughout the city and county, is ly- Collins' sewer contract. He has also ing at his home in Lima, suffering entered suit in chancery against Robert form a serious illness with which he Hunter, for the purpose of abating the was seized last Saturday. At present writing he is somewhat better.

will amount to 3,300 feet and will cost phonograph entertainment will take has already declared it a nuisance. \$2,200, thus leaving \$25,800 to be as-place at high school hall, under the sessed against the property owners in auspices of the Clenadis literary society, at which solos and selections from the U.S. Marine Band, Issler's Orchestra, Gilmore's Band, etc., will be rendered. The admission will be 10

> recital by pupils of the vocal depart- anaconda said, after swallowing a porp. m. in Frieze Memorial hall. The blind in August, and experienced a senpublic is invited. The last faculty con- sation as of snakes crawling up his legs. cert in the first semester series occurs He doesn't chew now, and is better Admission 25 cents.

O of H., connected with the A. O. U. his way to the cellar after another W. in this city, are: M. P. grand moist hunk of "North Carolina Pig seignor, H. Allmendinger; noble viz-tail," and put his hand in the sack in ier, J. Armbruster; venerable friar, which it was stored. The sack was J. Kuebler; reverend monitor R. empty save a quantity of "can rub-Stollsteimer; almoner, G. Schneider; bers," and Johnson returned and up scrivener, W. Sorg; C. herald, J. braided his wife for taking the tobacco Baumgardner; armorer, G. Luick; out and replacing it with can rubbers. seneschal, H. Zulz.

ways he would send them to Adrian.

A number of married ladies from John Schmid and Mrs. Jacob Laubenand Mrs. Tobias Laubengayer and Mr. and Mrs. Greenlief C. Jones, of family in Scio. There was not a man Jenison, Kent county, who were res- in the party so the Argus is unable to home Feb. 9. Mr. Jones is a brother of there is not one of them who would

nished by the High School Mandolin Arthur Schofield, of Superior, has Club. J. E. Beal will tell about his

The February number of the Northfrom the pen of George S. Morison, W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, Past President of the American Society

Little Florence Olp, the daughter of held Wednesday evening and showed

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The democratic ward caucuses for the city of Ann Arbor will be held next Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at 7:30

H. Wirt Newkirk, judge of probate, yesterday issued an order committing Elizabeth H. Peyton, an indigent insane person, residing in Ypsilanti, to the Pontiac insane asylum.

William Gerstner has bought out the billiard room in the Savings Bank block, lately acquired by M. J. Lebman, on a chattel mortgage, and will now attend to the rolling of the balls instead of the rolling of the bread.

President Angell received a message yesterday morning stating that the proposed visit of the legislative committee to the university had been postponed for one week. The committee was to have been entertained by Representative Sawyer and others during their stay in the city.

City Attorney Kearney, for the City of Ann Arbor, has filed a bill of interpleader in chancery in order to have determined to whom shall be paid the Samson Parker, of Lodi, well known balance of the money due on the Henry nuisance of the mill pond at the corner of W. Washington and Third sts., own-Tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock a ed by Mr. Hunter. The board of health

> Thought It Was a "Can Rubber." James Johnson, of Lambertville,

used tobacco excessively-always had a chew in his cheek, and couldn't row a boat without upsetting it, if he shifted the black mass from one side of his face There will be a recital by pupils of to the other. He kept his nicotine in ment on Wednesday, Feb. 10, at 4:30 cupine. He had stomach sickness, went Thursday, Feb. 11, at 8 o'clock p. m. The circumstances that constrained him to swear off and keep the oath are as The newly elected officers of the O. follows: One day in August, he groped His wife said she had done nothing of Lizzie Marshall and Ellen Becks, two the kind, and went, herself to see business houses, collected the money slander preferred by another colored and skipped. slander person. The charge was admitted. snake two feet long, which had been On the court being informed that the keeping Johnson's choice "chaw in" girls were becoming habitual street moist and sweet. What became of the walkers he let them go with the cau- only piece that remained in the sack, tion that if they did not mend their Johnson does not know, but thinks the snake swallowed it. He emptied the snake into the fire, and laying hold on the horns of the family altar, swore by He has not broken the oath. - Adrian Press.

Y. M. C. A. Third Anniversary,

The Y. M. C. A. celebrated its third anniversary last Sunday evening at the idents of Washtenaw in early days, will more than surmise the good time that Bethlehem Evangelical church on S. celebrate their golden wedding at their was had by the ladies, for, of course, Fourth ave., a large audience being present to listen to and take part in the exercises of the occasion.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the choir of the Bethlehem church and an orchestra. Solos were sung by Jonathan Stanger and Master Freddie

Words of encouragement were given by Rev. John Neumann, of Bethlehem church, Rev. J. W. Bradshaw, of the Congregational church, and Rev. T. W. Young, of the Baptist church. The address of the evening was given by Rev. B. L. McElroy. of the M. E. church, and was a fine piece of platform oratory.

WANTED-Intelligent persons (both sexes) to take orders for Bryan's book in every town and township in Washtenaw and Jackson counties. Call on or address, HARRY U. KIES, Lock Box 24, Manchester, Mich.

He Would Resign.

The annual exhibition of the junior class of the Ypsilauti high school was of the 28 members took some part in to be a particularly bright one and is a The annual congregational meeting credit to the institution. One of the of the Trinity Lutheran church was unique features of the program was held Wednesday evening and showed "What Would You Do?" One of the male members of the class arose and commenced telling what he would do if he was President of the United States. Before he had progressed far he was interupted by different members of the class making suggestions and this was continued until the first speaker finally said, "If I may be permitted to speak, I would say that if I was President of the United States I would resign."-

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.\$1,024,123 82 .82,955 22 TOTAL INCOME ..... DISBURSEMENTS. \$1,307,079 04 \$277,194 14 8,143 29 245,624 19 43,958 25 Paid Death Claims Paid Surrender Values Paid Matured Endowments Paid Dividends to Policy-Holders. TOTAL PAID POLICY-HOLDERS. \$574,919 87

Paid Agency Expences, Commissions on New Business, and for Renewals and Collection Fees on Old Business.

Paid Medical Examinations.

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Paid Rent, Advertising, Printing, Postage, Exchange, Canvassing, Documents, Taxes and all Incidental Expenses.

Paid Salaries of Officers and Clerks.

Paid for Re-Insurance and Interest on Capital

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS..... ASSITES. Cash in Bank
First Mortgage Liens on Real Estate
Real Estate, including Home office Building
Loans to Policy-Holders, secured by Reserves
Agents Balances.
Bills Receivable
Interest due and accrued
Rents due and accrued
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TOTAL ASSETS .....LIABILITIES. \$5,401,995 27 
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lacrease of Surplus on basis of admitted Assets, 4 per cent \$79,882 79 O. R. LOOKER, President. KENT, 1st Vice-President. HOYT POST, 2d Vice-President.

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# Depression

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#### THE GOLDEN THROAT.

Bell-like Tones Not Always a Gift of Nature, but May Be Acquired.

acquired by any amount of endeavor, if the true "golden throat," with finely adjusted chordæ vocales, be lacking. A speaking, however, is not always a gracious gift of nature, but is a possible atmusical capacity. A prima donna spends than an ambitious actress devotes to the cultivation of a ringing, bell-like intonation to her sentences, for public speakers and people of the theatrical profession understand the value of vibrant tones, of the "thrilling, solemn, proud, pathetic voice," whose echoes linger long in the memory of the inthralled

Among well bred people low voices are the rule-low, but not always musical, a tendency to falsetto marking any effort beyond ordinary conversation, which is simply an evidence of the lack of proper training, or of a failure to islative halls. The building stood bepractice those primary principles of elocution that are a part of the briefest Stewart and Secretary of Internal Afcommon school education.

Lessons under a teacher are not an absolute necessity to the woman who would secure the grace of clear, sweet accents. Deep breathing and chest expansion are the first steps toward the desired end, and a systematic course of throat strengthening, combined with slightly injured. enough discernment to decide between a nasal twang and pure tone, is about all that is needed to achieve a fair degree of success.

An excellent method of strengthening the throat is gargling with cold salt water in the morning, bathing it at the same time, first with very hot and then with very cold water. It thus gets a slight shock and is braced up and peranently benefited. - New York Jour

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ONE OF NE SON'S CAPTAINS.

New Yorker Commanded a British Ship In the Battle of the Nile.

The fifth ship was the Theseus, Captain Ralph Willett Miller. This gentleman, whom after his premature death Nelson styled "the only truly virtuous man I ever knew," was by birth a New Yorker, whose family had been loyalists during the American Revolution. A letter from him to his wife gives an account of the fight which is at once among the most vivid and from the professional standpoint the most satisfactory of those which have been transmitted to us. Of the Theseus' entrance

into the battle he says: "In running along the enemy's line in the wake of the Zealous and Goliath, I observed their shot sweep just over us. And knowing well that at such a moment Frenchmen would not have coolness enough to change their elevation, I closed them suddenly, and, running under the arch of their shot, reserved large elevator and two stores at Willmy fire, every gun being loaded with lamsfield were set on fire and burned by two and some with three round shot, parties unknown. Burning hay was until I had the Guerrier's masts in a line and her jibboom about six feet clear of our rigging. We then opened with such effect that a second breath could not be drawn before her main and mizzen masts were also gone. This was precisely at sunset, or 44 minutes past 6. Then passing between her and the Zealous and as close as possible round the off side of the Goliath, we anchored by the stern exactly in a line with her and abreast the Spartiate. We had not been The cause will probably never be many minutes in action with the Spar-known. Jealousy, however, is believed tiate when we observed one of our ships to have been at the bottom of it. (and soon after knew her to be the Vanguard, place berself so directly opposite to us on the outside of her that I desisted firing on her, that I might not do found in an unconscious condition at mischief to our friends, and directed every gun before the mainmast on the the night a stovepipe became unjointed Aquilon (fourth French) and all abaft it on the Conquerant, giving up my is thought that they cannot recover.

proper bird to the admiral."—"Nelson Legislators at Houghton. In the Battle of the Nile," by Captain Mahan, in Century.

CASTORIA. last H. Iletchers wrapper.

# POINTED OUT O'MALLET. Politeman's Evidence in the Coliander Murder Trial at Chicago.

Destroyed.

Lawmakers Driven Out by the Fierce Fire Which the Department Was Unable to vember election in 1894. Control-The Great Dome Falls with a otic Citizen-Valuable Records Consumed-Fire in a Michigan Mine.

Harrisburg, Feb. 2.-Fire broke out at 1 o'clock in the senate wing of the state capitol and at 1:30 the building seemed to be doomed, as the fire department was unable to control the flames. The fire originated in the rooms of Lieutenant Governor Walter Lyon, over the senate chamber. It is supposed to doorway, holding a revolver?" asked have been started by an electric light Mr. Deneen, the prosecutor.
"Thomas O'Malley." And the police-

The fire burned for several minutes before it was discovered. It had such headway that little could be saved in the costly apartments of the lieutenant governor or across the hall in the rooms of the Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaffer, who was alone in his office when the fire was discovered.

Saved Appropriation Books.

He did all he could to check the fire, but it was not in his power. All he saved were the appropriation books. Thousands of dollars worth of records were lost. The flames had eaten their gating Governor A. J. Smith's managefire department arrived. Part of the roof tumbled in before the water was The power of the highest interpreta- started. Then the streams were so tion of music in song is vouchsafed to small that the fire seemed to laugh at but few favored mortals and is not to be the play and burned on. Soon the great doom was a mass of flames. This doom was a mass of flames. burned like shavings. The fire quickly communicated to the house side and began eating its way along the roof. voice of sweet and mellow quality in There seemed to be no possible way of saving the building. The house was in session when the fire was discovered, tainment to persons of the most ordinary and it quickly adjourned. The members saw the probabilities of the fire scarcely more time practicing her scales spreading and they began to save their belongings. The smoke soon drove them from the building and little was gotten out. Dome Falls with a Crash.

The officers in the department buildings adjoining the capitol prepared to move. The dome fell with a great crash. Before it fell one patriotic citizen crawled through the mass of flames and hauled down the flag. He was loudly cheered. Several men were slightly injured by falling timbers. At 2 o'clock the entire interior of the house was in flames. The water power was still very weak and every effort was made to confine the flames to the legtween those used by Adjutant General fairs Latta. These officials removed their valuable papers and furniture. While trying to remove their desks from the house Representative C. Rhodes of Northumberland and J. W. Doagy of Dauphin had narrow escapes. Just as they were leaving the chamber a portion of the roof fell in. They were

The big building was finally totally destroyed. The loss is placed at \$1,-000,000; insurance, \$400,000. The loss of valuable records is great. They can never be replaced.

FIRE IN A MICHIGAN MINE.

Flames Break Out in No. 3 Shaft of the Tamarack at Houghton.

Houghton, Feb. 2.-Fire broke out uddenly in the ninth level south, No. shaft, Tamarack mine, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. The trammers left the plat with a load of rock, leaving all well, and returning five minutes later found the timbering ablaze. Two lines of hose were turned on the fire, and it was hoped to prevent its gaining access to the shaft which would serve as a chimney nearly 4,700 feet high, that being the vertical depth of the shaft. Four miners were cut off, being below the fire, but the air compressor was at work forcing air to them. The firemen worked at a great disadvantage and personal discomfort as well as danger.

#### Two Old People Cremated.

Lima, O., Feb. 2.-At North Baltimore Charles Russell, 70 years old, and his vife, 65 years old, were burned to death. They lived alone and some time before midnight their house was discovered to be on fire. Russell managed to get out of the house, but ran back after some money he had secreted and was overcome by the heat and cremated.

Manual Training School Burned. Menomonie, Wis., Feb. 2.-The Menomonie high school and Stout manual training school were destroyed by fire Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock. The loss on the high school is \$30,000; insurance, \$12,000; on Stout manual training school \$100,000; insurance, \$40,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

#### Incendiary Fire.

Galesburg, Ills., Feb. 2.-Farmer's carried from the elevator to the stores. In the elevator was considerable grain. The loss will run in the thousands.

Murder and Suicide.

Apollo, Pa., Feb. 2.-James Shelhammer, son of a well-to-do farmer, shot and killed Grace Clark, an attractive and popular young lady, and then turned the pistol on himself, inflicting a fatal wound. The tragedy took place in the sitting room of the Clark residence, and as the couple were alone.

#### Overcome by Coal Gas.

Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 2.-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larisch, an aged couple, were their home Tuesday morning. During and the room was filled with gas. It

Houghton, Mich., Feb. 2.-The Michigan legislature upper peninsula asylum and branch prison committee members with their families arrived in a special car Monday night. They visted the big copper mines in the county Tuesday.

Of Spirits Capitol Building at Harrisburg Is Secured after a long struggle and with a crowd in attendance that packed the court room the O'Malley-Santry murder trial was fairly put under way Tuesday. The two men are charged with the murder of Gus Coliander at an election booth on the night of the No-

> Officer Nicholas Michaels, who was Terrible Crash-Heroic Act of a Patri- on duty at the booth on the night of the shooting, took the stand. He came with little preliminary talk to the moment of the shooting and described how six men rushed in with the command: 'Throw up your hands!" Stepping in front of the jury the officer told how he grappled with one of the assailants. drew his own revolver and fired; how one of the invaders fell in a heap before him, and how he was himself shot through the thigh.

"Who was the man who stood in the

man pointed to the alderman. Before the sensation caused by the first dramatic climax had died away Dr. Henrotin, who was chief surgeon at the Alexian Brothers' hospital at the time of the murder, arrived and testified to the nature of Coliander's

LEAVENWORTH SOLDIERS' HOME.

Congressman Warner of Illinois Is Hearing Testimony.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 2.-Congressman Warner of Illinois, member of the congressional committee investiway through the senate roof before the | ment of the soldiers' home here, has arrived in Leavenworth, and is hearing testimony both corroborative and in rebuttal to that given before the committee in Washington recently by Miers Powell, who charged Governor Smith with drunkenness, with treating the inmates harshly, and compelling them to take the Keeley cure.

Mr. Warner examined several witnesses. Veteran Louis Heilich, in a measure, corroborated the testimony given by Powell. Governor Smith caused several attendants from the hospital to be examined as to the illtreatment alleged by Powell when he was an inmate of that part of the home. They all testified that Powell had been well treated. Several other witnesses were examined. There was some testimony corroborative of that given by Powell, but in the main the evidence was favorable to Governor Smith.

VICTORY FOR PINGREE.

Supreme Court Declines to Take a Hand in Ousting Him from Mayoralty.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 2.-Attorney A. Baker of Detroit has filed in the supreme court an application for an order requiring the common council of Detroit to show cause why a mandamus should not issue to compel that body to order a special election for the purpose of electing a mayor of the city to succeed Mayor Pingree, who, it is alleged, has vacated the office of mayor by accepting the office of governor. The application is made upon the relation of DeWitt H. Moreland of Detroit, who recently petitioned the city council to call such special election. The relator claims that to hold both offices is incompatible and contrary to the state constitution and that by accepting the office of governor Pingree ipso facto vacated the office of mayor.

The supreme court Tuesday declined to take up the petition for a mandamus to compel the ousting of Governor Pingree as mayor of Detroit excepting as an appeal from the county court.

Duestrow Must Die.

for a rehearing in the case of the state millionaire murderer, who is to be hanged on Feb. 16. The sentence of John Schmidt, who was convicted with two others for killing B. Atwater of Chicago at Webster Groves, a suburb of St. Louis, a year ago, was affirmed, and his execution fixed for March 10.

#### Struck Against a Reduction.

Tonawanda, N. Y., Feb. 2.-Six hundred men quit work on the canal improvement contract here. The work is being carried on by sub-contractors, and the announcement was made of a cut of 25 cents a day in wages. men had been receiving \$1.50 per day and declared they would not accept a There has been no disorderly conduct on the part of the strikers.

Copper From Green Water.

the great mining town of Butte is the process by which copper is caught from the emerald colored water that flows from the Anaconda and St. Lawrence mines. It is estimated that this water. waste, is now bringing the Anaconda about \$1,000 a month.

did scheme for disposing of the tons and mulated for years. Old hoisting cages, white. - Julian Hawthorne in Century water pipe, wheelbarrows, railroad iron -in fact, any old thing that consists of tin or iron—is approprated to this serv-

It is said for every pound of iron put into a vat a pound of copper is produced. Where the water first attacks the iron, the copper absorbs the iron completely within three weeks. After the precipitation is effected the water is drawn off and the slimy copper is transferred to third Thursday and Friday of October, another tank, where the water is further drained off. These latter vats hold day of June, 1897. about 15 tons of the copper, which now has the appearance of a clayish substance. This is sacked into packages of about 100 pounds. When in this shape, it is sent to the smelters in this city.

The product carries an average of 86 per cent pure copper. The iron remaining in it makes a fine flux, and when mixed with other smelting ore it is said to bring the ore up to a value of about \$300 a ton.

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THE CRANE DANCE.

Where the Soubrettes Got Their Idea For a Specialty.

There is a dance called the crane dance, which is popular at the vaudeville houses. At Lincoln park there is a real crane which does a crane dance. and those who have seen its saltatorial feats say the bird does it much better than do the featherless, two legged ani-

No purely imitative dancing could fail to gain by being an exact copy of the performance of the long necked, spindle legged sand hill crane. Its steps are not only grotesque, but they are of a kind to make the gravest onlooker lose his dignity and laugh like a delighted boy at the circus. This Lincoln park bird at the outset of his dance is the personification of dignity. When in the days of his freedom he tripped it on his native sand hills for the sole benefit of his mate, be did so only in the springtime, but now, in his lowly captive state, he dances in and out of season if the keeper who feeds him will but wave his arms and take an awkward step or two to give him encouragement.

The crane begins its dance by shoving one long leg, with its claw attachment, straight out in front of his body. Then he lowers it and draws it back slowly until it is within an inch or two of the ground. Then there is a lightninglike double shuffle, and the other leg is pointed to the front. Then the dance begins in earnest. The wings are stretched and beat the air in perfect Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 2.-The su- time to the movement of the feet, be preme court has overruled the motion | they going fast or slow. There is the semblance of a clog; then the sinuous versus Arthur Duestrow, the St. Louis foot and body movement of the nautch girl, and in a moment the whirl of the dancing dervish, to be succeeded as a finale by a sort of wild "all hands round," in which every feather of the bird is alive, as it enters into the joy of the dance with an utter abandon. The act of stopping is like the "halt" of the German soldier-sudden, stiff and instant. Then the crane marches away to a corner with a still stately tread, but with an eye which appears to reveal embarrassment. - Chicago Times-Herald.

English Administration of Jamaica.

The English administration of Jamaica is a thing to be thankful for. There are law and order, excellent roads, comfortable houses, adequate police, lawn tennis and cricket, plenty of One of the most interesting sights in manly, companionable English army and navy officers and a governor who is strong, able and genial. At the same time it would be folly to maintain that the island is producing a tenth part of the wealth that is latent in soil and which for four or five years went to atmosphere, or that most of the wealth that is beginning to make its apcompany \$30,000 a month at a cost of pearance is due to anything so much as to the American enterprise and cap-At the present time several acres of ital which are opening up railways ground are covered with wooden vats. and cultivating fruits. Another serious These are filled with all the old scrap fact, though not necessarily an unweliron they can hold. It has proved a splen- come one, is that the island's 4,000 square miles contain a population of tons of old iron the company has accu- 600,000 persons, 25,000 of whom are

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(From the Jackson Citizen.) Mr. A. E. Wing resides at 612 N. Jackson Street, Jackson, Mich. He is a keeper in the Michigan State Prison, a man of sterling integrity, and whose word is beyond He tells the following story of a wonderful escape, and the incidents connected with the dangerous position in which he was placed. He says, so he months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins, which began to increase in size to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs to my feet, and I was bloated from my waist down, so badly that I could not pull my Joseph McKenna of California is slated pants, over my legs, and I had to open my shoes fully two inches before I could get them on. Even my face became puffed up; and my whole system seemed affected. could hardly drag myself upstairs to unlock my men. I consulted a physician, one of the best in the city. He said the swelling was caused by an irritation of the kidneys, and I commenced treatment with But I seemed to be getting worse. I was strongly urged by a friend to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally con-sented. After the first week I commenced to see a change, and felt much better. This was encouraging, and I continued their use. I took five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I have never heard of any medicine which had such a pronounced and radical effect, and yet not affect the system generally and leave it in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was entirely gone. I regard Doan's Kidney Pills as a most wonderful agent in the curing of any form of kidney disorder.

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#### Estate of Thomas Stewart.

CTATE 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 Saturday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate, In the matter of the estate of Thomas Stewart, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Samuel Stewart, praying that he may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died siezed.

icensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died siezed.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturjay, the 27th day of February next at 10 o'clock in the foremon, 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 thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Arbus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

(A TRUE COPY) Judge of Probate.

P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register

#### Estate of Michael, Mary, Thomas and Thersa Agin.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY

said county, three successive means said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

(A true copy.) Judge of Probate. P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Estate of James D. McMaster.

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 25th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of James D. McMaster, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Theodore J. DeForest, Administrator, praying that he may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died siezed.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 23rd day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be 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 thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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P.J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Count for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 25th day of Jannary, A. D. 1897, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Elizabeth Stevens Clark, 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 26th day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 26th day of April, and on the 26th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated Ann Arbor, January 25, A. D. 1897.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.

Judge of Probace.

# 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 Elijah W. Morgan, 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 the Judge of Probate, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, on Wednesday, the 7th day of April and on We nesday, the 7th day of July next, at ten o'clock A. M. of 'each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated, January 7th, 1897. NELSON J. KYER, COMSTOCK F. HILL, CHARLES H. WORDEN, Commissioners.

Two Posts Open to Judge Mc-Kenna of California.

the South Will Be Cared For-Some culty in making up the personnel of the Talk of Making a New Portfolio To Be arbitral commission. Called the Department of Shipping-Ex-Governor Long of Massachusetts Expects To Be Called to the Navy.

Washington, Feb. 2.—It is understood here that the position for which Judge in the McKinley cabinet is that of attorney general, but that there are possibilities which may make it necessary to name him for secretary of the interior, in the final arrangement of the cabinet of the new administration.

There may be other changes from the slate as it stands today. The fix- Famous Australian Criminal Captured by tures are: Secretary of state, Sherman of Ohio; secretary of the treasury, Gage of Illinois; secretary of war, Alger of Michigan; secretary of agriculture, Wilson of Iowa. Ex-Governor Long of Massachusetts has let it be known that portfolio, but it is not yet certain which

#### Three Vacant Posts.

Three other posts are vacant—the interior, postoffice and law departments. The practical retirement of Henry C. Payne from the race for the postoffice department has given new hope to the friends of Bradley of Kentucky and Evans of Tennessee, each of whom would like to represent the south in the cabinet.

partment and has the backing of Senator Wellington for the place. As yet, however, the president-elect has not determined upon the southern members of his cabinet. New York also is troubling him. With McKenna assigned to two posts will remain to be filled. One will probably go to a New Yorker, in case, as in Illinois, a man can be found acceptable to both wings of the party. The south will get the other.

#### Talk of a New Cabinet Officer

"Information has been received by members of the Chamber of Commerce of New York that President-elect Mc-Kinley will solve the cabinet question as it relates to this state by having a department of trade and commerce created early in his administration and then placing a New Yorker at the head

"The work of the department as outlined will be chiefly to look after foreign commerce. The secretary of the department would have charge of the registration of ships and divide with the treasury department the work at different ports. His chief duty would be, however, to promote the American shipping industry by recommending legislation and taking other steps to restore the country in the position it once oc-

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 28th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt N-wkirk, Julge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Michael, Mary, Thomas and Thersa Agin, minors.

Thomas Murray and John Harris, the guatdians of said ward, come into court and represent that they are now prepared to render their final account as such guardians.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 26th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of kin of raid wards and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the robate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the sid account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said guardians 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 Arbox, an ewspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, and there sold upon the market.

In the decision rendered the interstate commerce commission holds that the development company has no bona fide interest in the transaction, neither the development company nor the railroad purchasing the grain for the purposes of ownership. The whole transaction, the opinion says, was simply a device to secure transportation of the grain at other than the published rates, and that the only rate paid was the profit upon the transaction, which varied win each shipment. The commission holds that this constitutes a violation of the second, third, and sixth sections of the act to regulate commerce, and an order has been issued directing the railroad company to cease such transactions.

#### Will Veto Immigration Bill.

Washington, Feb. 2.—President Cleve land will veto the immigration bill if it comes to him for consideration. He has told several senators that he is opposed to the bill because it is un-American and because it contains a clause directed against Canada which will certainly cause that country to retaliate. The president is not opposed to the general proposition of restrictng and controlling immigration. does not object to the educational test set out in this bill to be applied to immigrants after July 1 next. His chief objection is directed to that section of the bill which would exclude ignorant women and girls.

Declines on Account of His Health. Washington, Feb. 2.-Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt has sent a letter to General Miles, chairman of the reception committee for the inaugural ball, politely declining the proffered membership on the reception committee, to which General Miles had appointed him on learning that he intended to live in Washngton for the next few months. declination, it is understood, is due to Mr. Vanderbilt's health and his desire not to participate in social functions during his stay in Washington. Militia of the United States.

#### Washington, Feb. 2.—The secretary of war has transmitted to the senate an abstract of the militia force of the United States for the year 1896, according to the latest returns received. The grand total of all arms of the service

is 1,115,627 and the number of men avail-

able for military duty (unorganized) 10,149,184. Larger arms of the service are given as follows: Infantry, 102,488; cavalry, 4,976; light battery, 4,569. Senator from Kentucky. Washington, Feb. 2.—It is reported at

good authority that Governor Bradley of Kentucky has decided to appoint Mr Yerkes as senator from that state upon the retirement of Senator Blackburn in March and not to call the legislature in extra session.

British-Venezuela Treaty Signed. Washington, Feb. 2.—The treaty of arbitration between Great Britain and Venezuela was signed at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The delay in complet-After McKenna Is Located New York and ing the treaty was caused by the diffi-

## Supreme Court Adjourns.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The re-argument of the Nebraska maximum freight rates cases, before the supreme court, was fixed for the first Monday in April. The court adjourned until Monday,

#### Nicaragua Canal Bill.

Washington, Feb. 2.-The senate Tuesday debated the Nicaraguan canal bill migration bill, but acted on neither.

#### MURDERED FOURTEEN MEN.

San Francisco, Feb. 2.—The bark Swanhilda, having on board the Australian murderer, Butler, arrived Tuesday morning at 6:30 after a passage of. eventy days from Newcastle. The popartment, and that he will accept the post. He will probably be given a tered the harbor and captured Butler. lice and detectives after a three weeks' Butler is extremely English in appearance and speaks with a pronounced English accent. He gave his name at the city prison as Eagan. Butler is credited by the Australian police with having murdered fourteen men. plan was to entice men whom he knew to have money into the interior under the pretense of examining a mining claim and then murdering them. His last victim was Captain Lee Weller, a money and clothes and shipped on the Swanhilda under the name of Weller.

#### Death Results from an Old Injury.

Menomonee Falls, Wis., Feb. 2.—Franz Obermeyer died Monday, aged 35 years. Mr. Obermeyer had been engaged in the jewelry business here since April 1 of last year. He had been in the same business for a number of years in Milwaukee, previous to coming here. November, 1895, he met with an accident on West Water street in Milwaukee, which resulted in a broken leg, and he never recovered from the effects. December last he obtained a judgment against the city of Milwaukee for \$1,500 for his injuries. He leaves a wife and two children.

#### Friends of Ireland Meet.

Boston, Feb. 2.—A protest against excessive taxation in Ireland and the adoption of resolutions in favor of having the report of the royal commission on British financial relations carried into effect were the principal features of a massmeeting which crowded Faneuil hall here Monday night. The speakers included John F. Redmond, M. P., ex-Mayor Bancroft of Cambridge, Elmer H. Capen, president of Tuft's college, and Thomas J. Cargan. Richard H. Dana of Cambridge presided.

### Drowned While Fording a Creek.

Ventura, Cal., Feb. 2.—Hugh Mc-Millan, agent for the Western Transit company at Chicago, was drowned in the Santa Paula creek. He was driving to Santa Paula, where he intended to take the train for Chicago. Santa Paula creek has a quicksand bed and recent rains had made fording the stream dangerous. The carriage was overturned in the middle of the stream, and though the driver escaped he was unable to render any assistance to Mr McMillen. The body was recovered.

#### Typhoid at Canton, O.

Canton, O., Feb. 2.-Miss Emma Troll, who was formerly a stenographer for The information was imparted Tuesday that there are over 100 cases of fever in this city. The cause is attributed to the water supply and the board of health has advised precautionary measures to be taken. The public schools will quit using city water and get their supply from artesian wells. Hotels and other places are using water from arte-

#### Here's Another Snub for Congress.

Omaha, Feb. 3.-J. N. H. Patrick, government director of the Union Pacific, has returned from New York. In an interview he said that congress could not stop the foreclosure sale of the company's property. "Neither the Harrison bill nor any other can now affect the status of the road," said Mr. Patrick. "It is too late for congress to interfere regarding the Union Parific. The matter is still open regarding the Central Pacific."

#### Were Taken from an Old Address.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Dispatches from New York contained an interview printed in a newspaper in the eastern city, purporting to be Lyman J. Gage's views on the currency question and the ad-ministration of the cabinet office which he is about to assume. Mr. Gage denied the interview and explained that the statements were taken from an address delivered by him two years ago.

#### Four Murderers to Hang.

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 2.-Frank and Antonio Borrego, Sauriano Alarid and Patricio Valencia, the four conspirators who murdered ex-Sheriff Frank Chavez and whose conviction was recently affirmed by the United States supreme court, have been re-sentenced to be hanged Feb. 23.

#### Allen Will Play with Detroit. Detroit. Feb. 2.-President Vander-

beck of the Detroit Western League Ball club, announces having signed Robert G. Allen, the well-known short stop, formerly with the Philadelphia team. He will succeed George T. Stallings, who has gone to the Philadelphia

### Rood Lifts the 211-Pound Bell.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 2.-Luther C. Rood accomplished the feat of lifting a 211-pound dumb bell in the Hemmenway gymnasium, thereby establishing a new amateur world's record at heavy dumb bell lifting. The previous mark was 201 pounds, 5 ounces.

Quiet New Year's in Chinatown. San Francisco, Feb. 2.—Not a fire-cracker was heard nor a bomb exploded in Chinatown all day or night Monday There was not even a Chinese arrested during the day. It was the quietest New Year the oldest member of the the Capitol on what is believed to be police force ever saw.

#### IT CANNOT BE.

The dying lips of a dear friend At parting spoke to me, Saying: "Wheresoe'er your path may trend There ever I shall be.

"Go walk where over Egypt's sand The burning simooms blow, Or in Alaska's sunless land, Your wake my wing shall know.

"When winter's nights are long and dark, I'll lead you by the hand, And when the waves beat on your bark Will beacon you to land."

He died. I watched his spirit go Across death's darkening sea.
It came not back, and now I know
Of things that cannot be. -Cy Warman in New York Sun.

#### PLACE NAMES.

Some Odd and Curious Names of Places In Massachusetts.

In the Middlesex fells some good old colonial names are preserved, like Jinglejerry hill and Shillyshally brook. Spot pond was named by Governor Winthrop, who discovered it in the winter, because of the many rocks that showed through the ice and spotted the surface. Powderhorn hill in Chelsea is said to have been bought from the Indians for a hornful of powder.

The fact of misfortune to divers unknown persons—whether trivial or great does not appear-finds a record in Bad Luck brook and swamp in Rehoboth, Bad Luck mountain in Granville and Bad Luck pond in Douglas. There may be some association between Burncoat brook and pond in Leicester and Spencer and Burnshirt river, likewise in Worcester county.

Drinkwater river is a felicitous name for a stream of good water. It is in Hanover, and possibly there may have been a family of that name in the neighborhood. Strong Water brook in Tewksretired sea captain. Butler took his bury has quite different associations. Sought For pond, in Westford, suggests a long and baffled quest for the spot through the wilderness in the olden days. One of the least euphonious of names is Skug river in Essex and Middlesex counties. It is worthy a place

Max Muller's Father.

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Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the forthe died in 1827, and yet in that short life he established a lasting reputation not only as a scholar, but as a most popular as a session of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said petition, and the forework. The said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to any there be, why the prayer at a session of ter, whose name has been lost to memory, there was nothing left but the most | they breathed the spirit of freedom and remote and undesirable of the group, which was called No Man's Land, because its owner was a woman. The Elizabeth islands, in fact, were named ed by him in Germany, as by Lord Byfor Queen Elizabeth by Bartholomew Gosnold, their discoverer, whose name indignation against the Turk, and as has been given to ' town that comprises them. - Bost ... Transcript.

#### Mailing Candy Abroad.

A young man who apparently knows a girl in London came into the office the other day and asked whether candy could be sent abroad through the mails. So he was taken over to the postoffice and the state of affairs was laid before an official, who instigated an investigation. After a long time he returned and reported as follows:

"I am very glad," said he, "that you asked that question. Its answer shows a curious state of affairs. In this counknow whose poems they are singing. try you can send candy up to 4 pounds as merchandise for 1 cent for each ounce. If you want to send candy abroad you only have to pay 1 cent for every 2 ounces, but you can only send 12 ounces in each package. If it weighs more than 12 ounces you have to pay letter rates, or 10 cents an ounce for the whole thing.

"That is to say, you can send 10 ounces to London for 5 cents, but it would cost you 10 cents to send it to Brooklyn. So if you are thinking of sending a pound it will cost you \$1.60. The stamp department is right over there.

"Thank you very much," said the young man. "I just happen to remember that the doctor has forbidden the girl to eat candy."—New York Mail and Express.

Bicycle riders, football players and athletes generally, find a sovereign possible. remedy for the sprains and bruises and cuts to which they are constantly liabl, in Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

#### Foiled.

Senator Wilson of Washington and his brother, Harry Wilson, look very much alike. One day in Spokane, where the two brothers live, Senator Wilson, who had just returned from his legislative duties, was stopped on the street by a man who had known him for years. "Harry," said the man, "when will your brother John be here?"

"In a day or two," said John without a smile.

"Tell him I want to see him on an important matter. 'Certainly,' said John.

'And you will not forget it?" "I'll try not," promised John, and thus another office seeker was foiled. -Washington Post.

#### Mrs. Hearst's Motive.

Mrs. Phœbe Hearst of California has given \$200,000 to found a mining school in connection with the state university at Berkeley as a memorial to her husband. She gives largely to the free kindergartens, supports several college settlements and contributed \$1,000 to the recent campaign for the woman suffrage amendment. She has also given \$200,-000 to establish a fine gymnasium for girls at the state university. She said to Miss Anthony, "I am doing all this to make girls fit to vote.'

CASTORIA. The fachat Hitcher. Wrapper. THE DEACON'S DONATION.

And Why It Was Not Accepted by the Town Committee.

It had been decided at a public meeting of the citizens they that would have a combination library, reading room and social club in Wampton. The committee, made up of substantial members of the community authorized to act upon their own judgment, was in session at Deacon Close's, he having a site that he wanted to sell for the proposed building.

"I regard this movement as deserving of popular approval and aid," said the minister. "It aims to secure a wider intelligence and a better tone of morality among our people. Every one should give according to his means." After the editor, the doctor and the

banker had talked in the same vein, the lawyer proposed that they get down to business. "Deacon Close," he continued, "has a desirable lot for which he asks \$2,000. It strikes me as a pretty stiff price, but I have no doubt that he will make us a donation of \$500 and make a deed of the site for \$1,500." There was applause, in which the

deacon did not participate, but rising reluctantly he delivered himself as follows: "I must say that I agree with what has been said in praise of this enterprise. Our town needs it and there is no place for it more desirable than the lot I have offered. Of course I want to bear my full share of the expense. "Since I offered you this lot," the

deacon went on, "there has been a great improvement in times. Money is easier, prices are better and realty gets an enhanced value because of the general prosperity. I will let you have the lot for \$2,500 and throw off \$500 as a donation.

The minister muttered something he was glad the rest did not hear. The doctor laughed, the banker scowled and the lawyer moved to adjourn that the lawyer moved to adjourn that told the deacon he would have to seek some other market for the lot that had taken such a long and sudden jump in value.—Detroit Free Press.

Probate.

In the matter of the estate of the lot that Ryan, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Leonhard Gruner, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Elihu B. Pond or some other suitable person.

sion all over Germany, perhaps because patriotism, which was then systematically repressed in Germany itself. The Greeks never forgot the services renderron in England, in rousing a feeling of the marble for Lord Byron's monument in London was sent by some Greek admirers of the great poet, the Greek parliament voted a shipload of Pentelican marble for the national monument erected to my father in Dessau. His lyrical poems also are well known all over Germany, particularly the cycles of the "Schone Mullerin" and the "Winterreise," both so marvelously set to music by Schubert and others. He certainly had caught the true tone of the poetry of the German people, and many of his poems have become national property, being sung by thousands who do not "Recollections" of Max Muller.

#### African Blood Brotherhood.

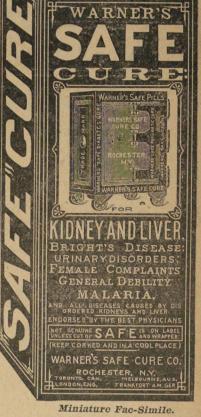
The method of making blood brotherhood among the Galla and Somali has its peculiarities. It is described by William Astor Chanler in "Through Jungle and Desert:"

Lokomagul, on behalf of his people. and I, on behalf of my own, each seized in our right hands a round stone. Upon the stones we liberally expectorated. Each then passed his stone to his following, who did likewise. We then exchanged stones, and each, holding the stone in his right hand, with his left dug a small hole in the soil, meanwhile uttering words of supposed magic im port. In these holes we finally placed the stones and covered them with sand. We then grasped hands and assured each other that we were the best friends

#### Nature's Windows. Nothing hitherto was ever stranded,

cast aside; but all, were it only a withered leaf, works together with all. is borne forward on the bottomless, shoreless flood of action and lives through perpetual metamorphoses. The withered leaf is not dead and lost; there are forces in it and around it, though working in inverse order, else how could it rot? Despise not the rag from which man makes paper or the litter from which the earth makes corn. Rightly viewed. no meanest object is insignificant: all objects are as windows, through which the philosophic eye looks into infinitude itself. -Thomas Carlyle.

#### THE ADVANCE ACENT OF HEALTH



Estate of Patrick Ryan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at tenaw, ss. At a session of the Probat Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden a the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, of Monday, the 18th day of January, in th year one thou and eight hundred and ninety

Notice to Creditors.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, s. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1897. six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Tobias Holmes, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Frobate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the ninth day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the ninth day of April and on the ninth day of July next, at teu o'clock in the forenoon of each ot said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, January 9, A. D. 1897.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

Judge of Probate,

Mortgage Sale. Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made by Nettie C. Wise to the Ann Arbor Savings Association, dated July 22, A. D. 1895, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 10th day of Angust, A. D. 1895, in Liber 78 of Mortgages on page 162, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifteen cents.

gage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fourteen hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifteen cents, and an attorney's fee of twenty five dollars provided fer in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the east door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County is holden,) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent. interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars convenanted for therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situate in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, and known and described as follows: The east twenty-eight (28) feet of lot number three (3) and the west twenty-two (22) feet of lot number four (4), in block number twenty-four (24) in Ormsby & Page addition to said city, according to the recorded plat thereof

ormsby & Page addition to said city, according to the recorded plat thereof
ANN ARBOR SAVINGS ASSOCIATION,
C. H. KLINE,
Attorney for mortgagee.
Dated, January 27, 1897.

#### Commissioner's 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 Fleming Busenbark, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased, in the Township of Ann Arbor, in said county, on Friday, the 16th day of April, 1897, and on Friday the 16th day of July, A. D. 1817, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated Ann Arbor, January 16th, 1897.

JOHN O'HARA,
FRANCIS PARKER,
Commissioners.

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AGENTS IN EVERY TOWN IN MICHIGAN.

The Evening News, Detroit.

#### PERSONAL.

ing Miss Marion Knauss on Huron st. hop has been placed at \$6 each.

Mrs. Giles Lewis, of Chicago, is visiting her brother, Charles S. Millen. Fred Rentschler attended the meeting Arbor High school.

of the photographers' convention at Detroit Tuesday. H. A. Williams, H. T. Phelps and are absent from the lectures.

others took in the Dexter races on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Byron Greene, mother of Clay

E. Greene, is dangerously ill at her home in Detroit. Mrs. J. A. Wessinger has gone to

Howell for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends. The Misses Schleyer, of Fifth st.,

friends on Sunday. Mrs. E. S. Cushman gave a small

party in honor of Mrs. Howard, of Lansing, yesterday. Dr. A. W. Smith, of Adrian, was

hands with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ives, of Chicago, are visiting at the home of Prof. E. D.

Campbell, of Hill st. David Laubengayer and family, o-Scio, have moved into the Mann homef stead on S. Main st.

Mrs. Chas. S. Millen entertained a number of her friends yesterday after noon in honor of Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. H. S. Cheever went to Tecum.

seh yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. Wm. Tilton, for a few days. Miss Kate Brown, of Fort Wayne, is spending a few days with her sister,

Miss Alice Brown, on Huron st. Firman Hendrickson, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hendrickson, on State st.

Eli Cuddeback and family left last evening for a two months' visit with Mrs. C.'s relatives in Mississippi.

with his brother Julius V. Seyler, in Detroit, the early part of the week.

installation of the officers of the K. O. high school team. T. M. tent, at Hamburg, last Friday

Henry Paul, of Chicago, who has been visiting his cousin, A. J. Paul, at the American house, returned home Tuesday evening.

Miss Amanda Binder left Monday for Columbia City, Ind., where she will stay with the family of her cousin, Fred Binder, for some time.

Wm. A. Clark, collector for the Ann Arbor Electric Co., who has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is able to be out again.

Miss Emma Weitbrecht, of Tucson, Pilling.

Mr. Ernest E. Bubb, a dental student, and a member of the Xi Psi Phi fraternity, was married in Jackson Wednesday afternoon to Miss Gertrude S. Smith.

Maurice Pack celebrated his 80th birthday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. B. Dodsley, Friday evening, among a party of friends. It was a

very pleasant gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weidemann, of Ann Arbor town, entertained a sleighing party from this city Tuesday night. will take place Monday. On Wednesday night another party repaired to the same place and were equally well taken care of.

Y. M. C. A. for the past years, left that it is the right of ownership of the saloonkeepers to close their places of Sunday night for Chicago, from whence product of one's labor, emanating business at 9 o'clock p. m., but a prohe will go to Winona, Minn., where from the fact that man has the pre-emhe expects to resume his theological enent right to himself. Now all the cities and villages power to extend the studies preparatory to entering the products of his labor belong pre-emin- time to 10 o'clock. It is generally un-

All About a "Right Angle."

A justice court case which created an unusual amount of interest among students of the dental department, was on trial before Justice Gibson Saturday.
In fact so much interest was manifested of all just laws. Now, as labor is the One this that the justice adjourned the case to the court room and held the exaimnation there.

Wm. Bush, the complainant in the case, is local agent for Calkins & Co dealers in dental supplies. The defendant was R. S. Mitchell, a senior dent. Bush charged that Mitchell had stolen from him a "right angle" or drill, valued at \$6, which the latter had in his possession. This charge Mitchell emphatically denied, and claimed that the instrument in his possession was one that he had borrowed.

There were any number of witnesses examined on both sides, the bulk of the evidence being mainly hearsay. The evidence was totally inadequate for a conviction and Mr. Mitchell was pronounced not guilty by the jury. He has now sued Bush for \$2,000 damages for slander. There are many of the boys who insist that the suit is only a quarrel between the two dental fraternities, the Xi Psi Phi and the Delta Sigma

#### Vick's Floral Guide, 1897.

For nearly half a century this Catalogue of Flower and Vegetable Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, Roses, Grains, Potatoes, etc., has come as regularly as spring time. Here it is again to remind us that it's time to think about our gardens. This issue contains half a dozen full page half-tone illustrations of Roses. Asters, Gold Flowers, Carnations and

Tomatoes It seems full of the necessary information for either amateur or professional. Send 15 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for a packet of either Vick's Branening Aster, New Japan Morning Glory or extra choice Pansy and a copy of Vick's Floral Guide. If you state where you saw this notice you will receive a package of flower seeds free.

Baltimore Oysters at BESIMER'S

#### UNIVERSITY NOTES.

Miss Russell, of Manistee, is visit- The price of tickets for the Junior

There are at present about 25 university students in attendance at the Ann

are suffering from tonsilitis and many

W. H. Thorp, '96, and G. B. Cady, of last week at the Beta Theta house. Beta Theta Phi gave an informal st. sleigh ride and dance at Whitmore Lake Saturday afternoon and evening. Mrs. Lombard chaperoned the party.

The Beta Theta Pi cotillion at Granger's academy, Friday night, was were visited by a party of Dexter a pretty and very pleasurable affair Twenty-eight couples were present.

The following have been chosen as upon them. the officers of the senior class in the homeopathic department: President, C. M. Steele; vice president, E. J. Elin Ann Arbor, Wednesday, shaking tary, Mr. Decker.

Treasurer Emmons will therefore for- one of the gentlemen will explain their ward the amount of Mr. Palmer's expenses to Detroit.

In his lecture to one of the engineering classes Monday morning, Prof. J. B. Davis severely roasted the government for shiftlessness in connection spoke of the Brooklyn as a "ship that ed," and said that the government

to be played in Chicago, one in Detroit, May 22, and one in Ann Arbor, May Games have been scheduled with Ed. L. Seyler spent a couple of days Wisconsin to be played at Madison, May 10, and in Ann Arbor, June 12. On the Chicago trip games will be play-W. W. Wedemeyer spoke at a public ed with Beloit and the All Chicago

#### PROBATE COURT NOTES.

Last Saturday E. Martin was appointed executor of the will of William Martin, deceased, of Chelsea.

On Monday Electa Ford, of York, was appointed administratrix of the estate of Eugene B. Ford, deceased.

John Shankland was appointed special administrator of the estate of James Richards who was murdered in Super-

ior, Saturday night. Nathan Sutton has been appointed

guardian of Cora B. Burke, minor. On Tuesday license was granted Fred-Ariz, formerly of Howell, and who erick Graves, administrator of the eshas many friends in this city, was martate of Marriette Bennett, of Ypsilanti, ried Wednesday in Tucson to Dr. H. to mortgage the property for \$1,500 to to mortgage the property for \$1,500 to pay claims.

License has been granted Wm F. Bird, guardian, to mortgage real estate

Today the hearing on the petition to sent up to the circuit court. ell the real estate of E. P. Kellogg,

of Dexter, will be heard. Tomorrow will be heard the petition for appointment of an administrator of the estate of Daisy Pratt, deceased.

Monday is the last day of hearing claims in the estate of Charles Hewitt. The hearing of the petition to probate the will in the estate of Anson K. Gage

#### Basis of Civil Society.

What constitutes the basis of civil the auti-saloon league. J. A. Benz, general secretary of the society or civilization? We contend ently to himself. No man has a right to other's labor without due compensation, justice. As the land is the only source be remedied. of all our wealth and labor, the factor which produces all our wealth, it naturally follows that if the source of our wealth is reduced to private ownership and consequently subject to monopolization, to the owners naturally will accrue all the benefits, as the producer, labor, has access to the source of wealth, land, only by permission of the owner, the landlord, and as the masses are continually competing with each other for an opportunity to labor, this gives the landlord the power to despoil the laborer of all except a bare living. This is the condition that exists in society today—a glaring injustice. The remedy-restore the land to the people. The single tax will do it.

Ann Arbor, Feb. 1, 1897.

Building and Loan Associations. The Huron Valley Building & Loan

Association at its annual meeting Monday night, re-elected the following officers: Frederick Schmid, president; Norman Gates, vice president; John R. Miner, secretary; F. H. Belser, treasurer; Herman Krapf, Ambrose Kearney, T. D. Kearney, O. M. Martin and W. G. Doty, directors.

The Ann Arbor Savings Association recently elected the following officers: President, Gottlob Luick; vice president, N. J. Kyer; secretary, John R. Miner; treasurer, F. H. Belser; directors, Morgan J. O'Brien, W. E. Howe, Wm. Biggs, C. H. Kline, Jno. A. Gates. Subscribe for the Argus now.

#### SPYING ON SALOONS.

Three Anti-Saloon League Men in the Roll of Detectives.

An incident that has caused more than the usual amount of talk in Ann Arbor is that of the arrest last Friday evening of the two university "toots, Quite a number of medical students | Instructors George O. Higley and Perry F. Trowbridge, and Herman E. Brown, by Night Watchman Campion and Officer O'Mara while they were ex-'99, of Detroit, spent the latter part peeking into the windows at the rear of the Hub saloon on E. Washington

> The gentlemen in question are well known and prominent church members and are also members of the anti-saloon league, which has been recently organized. Petty thefts have been quite common of late and when the cops saw the suspicious actions of the three gentlemen they immediately pounced down

The parties arrested claimed that while out on the streets after 11 o'clock p. m. on the night in question for the liott; treasurer, L. H. Stewart; secre- purpose of observing the condition of creens at the saloon windows, they When the treasurer of the oratorical found two places where the law had He Is Now in Jail Awaiting Trial association offered to settle with ex- not been complied with, those of Gus Senator Thos. W. Palmer after the de- Waidelich, on Detroit st., and Fred bate Saturday night, he said: "Send Reimold on W. Washington st. An exthe money to the poor of Detroit." tract from the Times' interview with peculiar actions while inspecting the Hub. It is as follows:

'While at the Hub the gentlemen decided to enter the alley and see how things looked in the rear of the saloon. A horse, poorly protected, was found with the acceptance of war vessels. He there. While discussing the advisability of reporting this fact to the officers, needed repairing before it was finish- Policeman O'Mara appeared on the scene and inquired the gentlemen's busmethods would disgrace any private iness. They replied that they were looking around and discussing the ad-Arrangements have been made with Chicago for four base ball games, two cer O'Mara and he invited the gentlemen to follow him.

'On reaching the sidewalk in front of the Hub, Officer Collins was met and the gentlemen explained their business fully. Mr. Collins said: "Gentlemen, if that is your business we are glad to see you and will be glad to render you all the service we can.' A pleasant conversation followed and the gentlemen were told that, if they could show a single case of law violation in any respect whatever, the officers would enter complaint in the morning. Immediately the officers were invited to visit two places, namely, Fred Reimold's saloon, No. 7 W. Washington st., and George Waidelich's saloon on Detroit st. near the depot. The gentlemen express themselves as highly pleased with the courtesy and assistance of the officers, and say that they did not find as much open law violation as they bad expected, from the rumors that had reached them.'

On Saturday morning the officers entered complaints against Messrs. Waidelich and Reimold and the cases came up for hearing before Justice Pond Tuesday when both the defendants waived examination and the cases were

It is getting pretty near the spring election and it is a question in the minds of many whether this is the annual spasmodic outbreak of a certain portion of our citizens which usually lasts for about six or seven weeks and then hibernates for the balance of the year, during which time all sorts of systematic attack upon the saloons by

vison is attached to the law which gives ish. derstood that although all the salcons take any part of the product of an- in Ann Arbor are allowed to remain open until 10 o'clock, there is no orif he does he commits a robbery, and dinance which gives them that privilthe first duty of society is to protect the ege and that consequently their being individual in the possession of the pro- allowed to remain open until that hour

One thing, however, is certain, and creator of all wealth it should naturally that is the question should be settled follow that those who labor most should one way or the other at once. Either possess the most wealth; but upon examining society we find almost invariply with the requirements of the statute ably the very opposite the case. By in allowing the saloons to remain open what process is this accomplished? until 10 p. m., or the state law should There must be something radically be enforced and the saloons closed at 9 wrong in our present society. Let us o'clock. It is not in the interests of examine briefly the primary cause good government to have such a con which produces this inequality and in- dition of affairs existing and it should

#### Srturday Night's Debate. The university debate between the

literary and law department representatives at university hall Saturday night, was the strongest that has been held in recent years. The attendance was so poor, however, that Hon. Thos. W. Palmer, of Detroit, who acted as chairman, felt compelled to call attention to the lack of interest that was evidently shown in both departments particularly, and the whole college generally, on such an important occasion. The judges were Robert Gibbons, of Detroit, Principal Boone, of Ypsilanti Hon. A. J. Sawyer and Mr. Coler, of announced it was found that the contestants stood in the following order of merit: Chandler, Lathers, Carmody, Abbott, O'Leary, Adams, and the three first named will represent the Oratorical Association in the debate with Chicago. The faculty committee has chosen the negative side of the question in the debate.

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#### BISHOP ARRESTED.

at Adrian.

Charles Bishop, the actor, who enticed Mabel Stanton from her home in Adrian about three weeks ago, was arrested at Maysville, Ky., Thursday of last week, by Sheriff Ferguson, of Adrian, where he had been for two weeks, accompanied by the girl, whom he had introduced as his wife. He was taken to Adrian and lodged in the jail, the

girl going home to her parents. Miss Stanton says she never was stage struck but was perfectly dazzled by Bishop's persuasions. She says she tried to induce him to marry her and at Maysville protested so hard that a marriage ceremony was performed before a man who Bishop said was the prosecuting attorney, but on the way back to the hotel he told her it was only a mock marriage.

Bishop was examined before Justice Humphrey, of Adrian, Saturday, and was bound over for trial in the circuit court next Monday, bail being fixed at \$1,000. When Justice Humphrey asked him if he wanted to enter into a recognizance he said: "No. Guess I'll keep as quiet in jail as I can.

At Maysville Bishop wrote in an autograph album "Only an actor who has played many parts." Below his name Mabel Stanton wrote "Just beginning, but watch me.'

It was a very bad beginning for Mabel, just such a beginning as always ends in disgrace and ruin.

Bishop makes jail life interesting for the ten prisoners there confined. Every evening he gives an entertainment, consisting of recitations, quotations

#### EPISCOPAL CONVOCATION.

Members of That Church from Five Counties Meet in Ann Arbor.

The meeting of the southern convoca tion of the diocese of Michigan held in this city Jan. 28, had a smaller attendance than is usual at its meetings. The convocation comprises the counties of Jackson, Washtenaw, Hillsdale, Lenawee and Livingston, and Rev. Henry Tatlock is dean of the convocation. Its membership consists of all the clergy in the convocation and three lay delegates

from each parish. The meeting opened with a celebracharges as to the non-enforcement of tion of the Holy Communion in St. Anthe liquor and moraity laws are made, drew's church at 1:30 a. m., conducted or whether it is the commencement of a by Rev. Henry Tatlock, assisted by Rev. A. H. Stonex, of Brighton, and Rev. W. R. Blackford, of Tecumseh. Under the statute it is obligatory on This was followed by a short business session. Lunch was served at 1 p. m., in Harris hall, by the ladies of the par-

At 3 p. m., in the church, Rev. Jose eph T. Ewing, of Jonesville, read a paper on "The attitude which the Protestant Episcopal church should take toward other religious bodies." A general discussion followed, participated in by nearly everyone present. At the evening session in the church, excellent addresses were delivered by Rev. W. R Blackford, of Tecumseh, and Rev. W. G. Stonex, of Dexter, the topic chosen being that of "Missions," referring to work within the diocese.

#### Ann Arbor Juries.

The Whittaker correspondent of the Ypsilanti Commercial does not have a very good opinion of the material of which Ann Arbor juries are composed, judging by the following item from his pen in last week's issue of that paper:

"It is also to be hoped that the next time the people of Augusta have occasion to have a man, or men, or toughs, arrested, they will take them somewhere besides Ann Arbor. There have been two jury trials in Justice Pond's court, and on both occasions they have disagreed, and if the thing is continued they will keep on disagreeing until all the creatures that infest the vicinity of a justice court can have a whack at the case at the expense of the county."

Sunday Evening Lectures on India. Next Sunday Rev. J. T. Sunderland will begin a series of three Sunday eve-Ann Arbor. When their markings were ning lectures on India, illustrated with stereopticon views as follows:

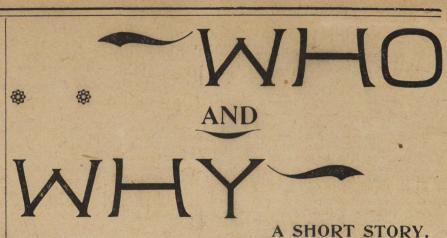
Feb. 7-"From Ann Arbor to India." Glimpses of scenes by the way-Niagara, The Hudson, New York, London, Berlin, Prague, Vienna, Venice, Brindisi, The Mediterranean, The Suez Canal, The Red Sea, etc.

Feb. 14 — "Delhi and Agra, the splendid Capitals of the Great Moghul Empire." Perhaps the most wonderful

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