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New Silks, New Dress Trimmings, New Veilings, New Belts, New

THE BUSY STORE OF

SCHAIRER & MILLEN

Three Plymouth Men Arrested for Richards' Murder.

Is Claimed to Be Very Damaging Against Them.

Marshal M. C. Peterson Worked Up the Case and Arrested the Men. The Examination Set for Tuesday, March 9th.

Last Saturday three young Plymouth | than any where else. men were arrested on the charge of murdering James Richards, in Superior. The arrests were made by Marshal Peterson and the men were brought to this city by him and Deputy Sheriffs Sweet ings. and Eldert. The three men were Wiliam Larkins, Rupert Jones and Edward Lyons. The evidence against the men, of course, is circumstantial as all evidence against the murderers must

up as follows: The three young men crease the risks. ired a livery rig at Tenney's stable, in village from 9:30 to 2 a. in. Sunday. This gave ample time to drive the ten and rob the old man and drive back. Larkins owns up to wearing rubber boots, Lyons to wearing pointed shoes with pointed rubbers, and Jones pointed to their business. More hours of labor, ards house were found tracks of a man only road to success with the farmer. with rubber boots, and of another with pointed shoes and rubbers, and where als alive and fail to recognize that there the horse was tied were tracks of a is more in the feed than the breed. third man with pointed shoes and no Why are the farmers finding fault? We rubbers. Larkins was the owner of a are comparing ourselves with ten years dark lantern and a 44 calibre Smith & ago. Land is just as good as ever. One Weston revolver, the kind of a revolver animal well kept is better than more from which the shot which killed Rich- poorly kept. All should be kept in a and one barrel was empty when Mar- selves. I don't know of any farmer sufshal Peterson secured it by a neat piece fering for food. Others are. No party of detective work, getting a number of is going to help me as an individual. I damaging admissions out of Larkins' care but little about trusts. In many wife. The horse which the three men respects they are help to us. Their comdrove was rather sharp shod. It will binations of capital furnish employment be remembered that the farmers around to thousands upon thousands of men. Dixboro claimed that the cutter driven by the three men was drawn by a livery

When seen, the three young men achad been to Northville, Novi and Farmsons for going. They claim that they accumulations when prosperity returns? had been drinking and were out on a lark, that when they reached Northville a railroad is rich and has a right to be. the hotel was closed and the lights out The man who has possession of great and they went on to Novi, where they oil fields is rich and has a right to be. knew the bartender. Finding this hotel The socialist is faced in the wrong diclosed, and being unable to arouse any- rection. By integrity, by economy, where they tried unsuccessfully to get the country will prosper. in the hotel there, and so returned to Plymouth, not meeting anybody on the road. This route covers a distance of 25 or 26 miles. Northville, on the route taken, is four and a half miles from Plymouth, Novi, five miles from from Novi and eleven miles from Ply-

Brenner drove over the route Monday, and report that the clerk at the hotel at visors. Northville, was up until one o'clock, that at Novi the lights were not put out until 11:30, and the proprietor and been confined in the jail at different clerk were sure nobody could have times, 235 prisoners, charged with oftried to get in without their knowing fenses as follows: Assault 1, assault it. L. D. Owen, the proprietor of the and battery 7, bastardy 3, drunk 118, hotel at Farmington, says he was up drunk and disorderly 5, disorderly 7, until 1:30 o'clock that night, and was disturbing religious meeting 3, insane sure these men, whom he knows, 2, larceny 30, larceny from person 2, made no attempt to get in his place grand larceny 1, had a fit 1, housethat night. The tollgate keeper on the breaking 1, jail breaking 1, incest 1, road to Farmington is sure no such rig suspicion of larceny 33, suspicion of have started, did not pass them on the these 233 are males and 2 females. The

near Richards'. He knew Richards are detained for trial and 12 are servwell and had been to see him several ing sentences. times and had driven stock out of his the owner of a false mustache.

day to the Ypsilanti lockup.

delegations from Plymouth and Superior being present. The prisoners were is that it is too small. represented by Randall & Jones, of this city, and Lawyer Starkweather, of Plymouth. At the instance of Prosecuting Attorney Kirk, who accompanied Marshal Peterson to Plymouth, Wednesday, to look into the case, the examination inspectors. was adjourned until March 9, and the prisoners were remanded to jail to await examination.

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WEBSTER FARMERS' CLUB,

Some Good Discussions at Its Meeting Last Saturday.

The spacious residence of Wm. D. Smith, of Dexter, gave the gathering of last Saturday plenty of elbow room and the geniality of the host seemed to impart a sense of freedom that made THE PROOF SECURED the discussion of the various topics proceed very smoothly.

E. A. Nordman had just returned from a session of the mutual fire insurance companies, of the state at Lansing, and was invited to impart some of his newly gotten wisdom. Mr. Nordman struck out on the wisdom of acknowleding the litghtning rod as a factor in decreasing fire risks. Years of experience and observation had taught him to feel much safer beneath a roof well rodded during an electrical storm

Hon. Wm. Ball, of Hamburg, was of a somewhat different opinion. He had never had enough faith in the potency of rods to place one on his build-

Prof. DeWitt gave a scientific exposition of the utility of the lightning rod and carried to the minds of his hearers the belief that they are a source of safety in an electrical storm. The professor thought that tall trees in the The known evidence may be summed vicinity of a building are apt to de-

Mr. Ball by invitation gave an ad-Plymouth, on the night that Richards dress on the present depressed condition position W. M. Osband, of Ypsilanti, was murdered and were absent from the of the agriculturist. He said, in part, that one of the best things is the farmer can't sell his farm. The result is a miles to the Richards farm, murder rigid system of economy will generally be practiced. Farmers are now obliged to apply the same principles to farming that successful men of other callings do shoes without rubbers. At the Rich- still stricter attention to details is the

Too many fed simply to keep animver up on the day before the murder Kinley can't help us, we must help our-The outlook is good. Let us quit grumbling and attend more closely to the details of our farms.

John E. Hall: The quicker we learn counted for their absence by saying they economy the better. With the lesson of economy and attention to details well ington, but at first differed in their rea- learned, what will we do with all our

Rev. McMahon: The man who owns ody, they drove on to Farmington, and the application of the golden rule,

WASHTENAW COUNTY JAIL.

Report of the Inspectors for Six Months Ending Feb. 17, 1897.

The report of the inspectors of the months ending Feb. 17, 1897, has been made up and is now ready to be for-Marshal Peterson and ex-Sheriff warded to the state board of corrections and charities and to the board of super-

It shows that during the period since the last report was made, there have passed that night and a man who drove burglary 8, suspicion 1, rape 1, vagfrom Novi to Plymouth, starting at the rancy 2, false pretences 2, bodily harm same time the young men claim to 1, suspicion of murder 3, total 235. Of offenses with which the females are The three men are from 20 to 23 charged are: Drunk and disorderly 1, years of age. Larkins was married larceny 1. The number of prisoners last Thanksgiving, to a girl who work- now in jail is 27; of whom 26 are ed for John Shankland, whose farm is males and 1 female. Fifteen of these

The report further shows that the by day is from one to 15, but only one of acceptance. Considerable friction has developed person is confined in each cell at night. between the sheriff's force and the mar- There is no employment for any of the conflicted, the marshal on leaving them the bedding, cells, halls and closets is was withdarwn before the ballot was at the jail says he requested that they good. No distinction is made in the be kept separate. When he called there treatment of prisoners. Prisoners un-Sunday morning, he found them turned der 16 years of age are not permitted to in together. Jones was removed Tues- mingle or associate with older prisoners, and male and female prisoners are The three young men were arraigned confined in separate rooms The only before Justice Gibson yesterday, large evil that the inspectors found in the construction or management of the jail

The report is signed by H. Wirt Newkirk, judge of probate; D. B. Green, county agent; Charles H. Kempf and Tracy L. Towner, superintendents of the poor, who comprise the board of

The offices that have been fitted up ful and cozy rooms.

School Commissioner.

JUDSON TO THE FORE

As Delegate at Large to the more equally distribute the burden of State Convention.

Osband,s Appeal to Distribute That Honor of No Avail.-Sawyer and Freeman Were Not In It at all for the Position.

The republican county convention,

held Tuesday, to nominate a candidate for county school commissioner and elect delegates to the state convention at Detroit next Tuesday, was a very harmonious one and business was pushed along rapidly in consequence. The impression left on the party last fall by the sheriff "boss" was still perceptible in the composition of the different delegations. Particularly was this noticeable when it came to the election of a delegate at large to the state convenion. After Mr. Sawyer's and Mr. Judson's names had been nominated for the urged the claims of A. F. Freeman for the position on the ground that such honors should be distributed around somewhat and not be allowed to concentrate in one or two persons. His re-

others might just as well have signified their preferences viva voce, as when the ballot was taken the sheriff had nearly four times as many votes as Mr. Freeman. The name of Mr. Sawyer was withdrawn before the ballot was taken. As in the democratic convention of last week, only one name was presented for the office of school commissioner, and unanimous vote of the convention.

At 11:20 County Chairman Wedemeyer rapped the convention to order and called E. F. Johnson, of Ann Arbor, to the chair as temporary chairman. A. E. Ford, of Ypsilanti, was elected temporary secretary, and on motion the chairman appointed the following committees: On Credentials-Seth C. Randall,

Ann Arbor; Chas. H. Greenman, Augusta; Wm. Buss, Freedom; Otto B. Luick, Lima; Henry Sims, Webster. On Resolutions-George S. Wheeler,

Salem; W. W. Wilkinson, Sylvan; John Heinzmann, Ann Arbor; Al. Davis, Scio; E. A. Hauser, Saline. On Permanent Organization and Or-

der of Business-J. C. Bemis, Ypsilanti town; Charles E. Blackmer, York; Fred E. Braun, Ann Arbor Mrs. Shewcraft played the wedding town; E. E. Leland, Northfield; M. L. Raymond, Sharon.

of Washtenaw county, the necessity of Ann Arbor. The ushers were Davy getting out the full vote of the party at Robinson, George Jewett, Wm. Zebbs the coming election.

H. Wirt Newkirk was also called on Loney, the father of the bride, gave and reiterated the advice given by Mr. her away.
Wedemeyer. He criticised the speech Last eve convention, wherein he stated that the the backdoor to return to that party, as of Zion Lutheran church. the republican party would welcome them at the front door in their stand

for an honest dollar. all the delegations full and no contests. It was also adopted.

Evart H. Scott and H. Wirt Newkirk were sworn in.

Frank E. Jones nominated William made unanimously.

taken. The result of the ballot showed Judson to have received 156 votes and Freeman 40. Mr. Freeman moved that Mr. Judson be declared the choice of the convention. Carried.

The convention divided into districts convention at Detroit, next Tuesday:

First district-A. J. Sawyer, E. H. Scott, John Heinzmann, John F. Lawrence, Wm. A Campbell, Ann Arbor; D. Davis, Scio; George S. Wheeler, Arbor town.

Gauntlett, York; Frank Lambie, Su- and pleasant occasion.

perior; Harrison Bassett, Saline; P Walters, Augusta; A. F. Freeman, Manchester; Philip Blum, Bridgewat-

The committee on resolutions pre-Nominated by the Repubs for sented its report, which was adopted. In them they renewed their pledges to support the principles enunciated in the national and state platform of 1896; commended Governor Pingree for his wise recommendations to the state legislature, which if carried out would taxation among the people; requested the representatives and senators to use all reasonable means at their command to enact the governor's recommendations into laws; and especially congratulated Governor Pingree upon the wise and patriotic stand which he has taken towards the public institutions of the state of Michigan and particularly to that of the University of Michigan.

After a short speech from Chairman Johnson the convention adjourned.

WEDDING BELLS.

Several Couples United in Matrimony the Past Two Days.

Weddings have been rather numerous in Ann Arbor the past two days, and several of our young people have made a start on life's journey in double harness. To all of them the Argus extends its congratulations and best wishes.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Vincent Crittenden and Miss Olga Laubengayer were quietly married at the bome of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Laubengayer, 98 S. Main st., by Rev. A. L. Nicklas. It was strictly a home wedding, only the nearest relamarks were greeted with endorsations tives of the parties being present. Afof "Boss" Judson by the Sylvan, Lyn- ter the ceremony a wedding supper was don and Salem delegations, and several served. Mr. and Mrs. Crittenden left on the east bound Michigan Central train for a short wedding trip. They will return home next week and will reside with the birde's parents.

The same evening, at the Lutheran parsonage, 44 S. Fifth ave., Rev. A. L. Nicklas united in marriage Mr. August Waidelich and Miss Addie Minkley, daughter of Mrs. Emma M. Wm. N. Lyster, of Saline, received the Minkley, of 46 Broadway. The young couple have furnished a neat little home on Ann st., and have already gone to housekeeping therein.

At 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, at the Second Baptist church, occurred a wedding that caused considerable pleasurable excitement to the colored residents of Ann Arbor. At that time Mr. J. H. Walker, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss Nona B Loney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Loney, were married by Rev. Mr. Carter, of Adrian. The wedding was quite a swell affair and was attended by a large number of the friends of the contracting parties in this city and from other places. Edward Lewis, of Howell, acted as gentleman of honor, and Miss Nola Bird, of Lansing, as maid of honor. Miss Eva Robinson was flower girl, march on the organ, and the attendants were Miss Ruby Jones, of Plymouth, W. W. Wedemeyer being called on for a speech, urged on the republicans Rufus Zebbs, and John Slater, jr., of and Thomas Wallace. Mr. J. H.

Last evening, at the home of the Farmington, Farmington five miles Washtenaw county jail for the six of Capt. C. H. Manly at the democratic bride's mother, Mrs. Dorothy Wehner, 13 Sixth st., Mr. Carl Gauss, foregoldbug democrats, if they wanted to man of the Inland Press bindery, and return into the party, would have to Miss Henretta Wehner, were quietly come in at the cat hole in the back married in the presence of a few door. He said they need not go in at friends, by Rev. A. L. Nicklas, pastor

Will Be Sent to Pontiac.

Arthur Kilts, son of Wm. Kilts, de-The convention then adjourned until ceased, a young man about 25 years of 1:30 p. m., when the reports of the age, living in Webster, was brought to committee on permanent organization Ann Arbor, Tuesday night, by Deputy and order of business, providing that the temporary organization be made pering from acute mania, the result of a manent, also the order of business to be derangement of his mind, from the effollowed, was adopted. The report of fects of a fever he had last fall. He the committee on credentials showed imagines that someone is following him all the time with the intent to kill him, and is correspondingly enraged thereat. On Tuesday his brother and were appointed tellers and the officers he had a quarrel over some matter and the unfortunate young man seized a revolver and threatened to shoot his N. Lyster, of Saline, for county school brother. Another brother asked him to commissioner, and the nomination was give up the revolver, but he would not do so, and then Deputy Bell was sent H. Wirt Newkirk, Wm. Campbell for and he was brought to Ann Arbor. and B. M. Damon were appointed a Drs. S. A. Jones and E. A. Clark excommittee to notify Mr. Lyster of his amined into the young man's condition farm. Lyons, the marshal says, was number usually confined in one room nomination, who made a short speech Wednesday afternoon and decided that he was mentally unbalanced. An ap-A. J. Sawyer, Wm. Judson and A. plication has been filed with Judge of F. Freeman were nominated for dele- Probate Newkirk to send him to Ponshal. As the stories of the three men prisoners in the jail. The condition of gates at large, but Mr. Sawyer's name tiac Insane Asylum. The case will doubtless be disposed of today.

Dexter Maccabees.

The degree team and other members of Arbor Tent, No. 296, K. O. T. M., of Ann Arbor, bessides Maccabees from Pinckney, Chelsea, Hamburg and Deland chose the following delegates to the hi, paid a fraternal visit to Crystal Tent, No. 279, Dexter, on Wednesday evening, and the Ann Arbor team conferred the degree on 15 candidates. All present are enthusiastic in their praise Archie W. Wilkinson, Sylvan; Alfred of the fine work done by the team and would like to see it repeated. Refresh-Salem; Thomas Birkett, Dexter; Hen- ments were served, after which speechry Huehl, Freedom; F. B. Braun, Ann es were made by Profs. A. B. DeWitt and Wm. N. Lyster, John Lutz, Ess-Second district-H. S. Boutelle, Ed- linger, H. Wirt Newkirk, Dr. E. F. for the prosecuting attorney and county gar Rexford, C. M. Warner, L. D. Chase, Commander Campbell, of the school commissioner in the upper story of the court house, are very neat, cheer- Loomis, Ypsilanti town; Charles Chelsea, and others. It was a merry

People often wonder why their nerves are why they start at every slight but sudden sound; why they do not sleep naturally; why they have frequent sion. headaches, indigestion and nervous

Dyspepsia

The explanation is simple. It is found in that impure blood which is continually feeding the nerves upon refuse instead of the elements of strength and vigor. In such condition opiate and nerve compounds simply deaden and do not cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla feeds the nerves pure, rich, red blood; gives natural sleep, perfect digestion, is the true remedy for all nervous troubles.

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Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills: easy to sided at Dexter from 1844 to 1848.

WASHTENAWISMS.

Dexter icemen have their icehouses all well filled with fine ice.

Miss Mabel Fletcher is the teacher in the Gabriel Freer district this term.

Miss Edith Foster will teach the the horses quite severely. spring term in the Sylvan district

Charles Samp has rented the George Mitchell farm in Lima and has moved

Eber Bradley, of Mooreville, died the grip.

new barn.

Harland's Players have been presenthouse this week.

to Chelsea in the spring. The owners of North Lake have is- nine miles form Ypsilanti to Whittaker.

sued a formal notice to fishermen to keep off that body of water. A donation at the Presbyterian parsonage, Saline, recently, netted the

pastor, Rev. Mr. Leith, \$83. Thomas Fletcher, of Lima, is draw-

ing stone to Chelsea and will build himself a house there in the spring. Rev. F. Berry, of Chicago, has been

holding revival meetings in the Mooreville Baptist church with good results. The roller skating fever has struck the young people of Dexter and the

rink may be opened up for their bene-A movement is on foot to establish a

stand ready to take stock in the com-Miss Davidson, of Ann Arbor, assisted by Chelsea local talent, will give

in that town soon.

dealers in that village.

43 persons, went from Saline to Ypsi-Milton Webb and family. Married at St. Mary's church, Chel-

sea, by Rev. Wm. P. Considine, Feb. 12, Mr. Wm. D. Fox, of Detroit, and Miss Susan M. Howe, of Chelsea. Thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Action, of Saline, dropped in on them Tuesday evening of last week, from the not be confounded with the old system, country, and helped celebrate Mrs. Action's birthday.

course of preparation by local talent in where.' Chelsea, and will be given in the near future for the benefit of the soldiers' monument to be erected in that village.

The religious meetings that have been held at the Holister schoolhouse, Whitmore Lake, by Rev. Mr. Roe, of South Lyon, have been very successful from 12 to 20 feet high at various and a number of converts have been

A large number of the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stanger, of their stand with only head and shoul-Dexter, helped them celebrate their silver wedding Monday evening of last quarter of a mile there was a castle week, and left several handsome presents behind them as mementoes of the occasion.

Mr. Edgar A. Phelps and Miss Myrtie Bostwick, were married Wednesday afternoon of last week, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ella Bostwick, in Dexter, Rev. H. A. McConnell officiating.

tative of the Michigan Anti-Saloon it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottined discretive argues but it is likely as a superior of the Michigan Anti-Saloon it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottined discretive argues but it is a likely as a superior of the Michigan Anti-Saloon it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." a temperance address in the same church

ladies of the Presbyterian church, Saline, will hold a social, graphophone and autoharp entertainment, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Nissly, in that village, Friday evening of next week, Feb. 26.

Waite Peck, of Sharon, died Feb. 6,

Lincoln's birthday was observed in

the Manchester schools last Friday. has been granted a mother's pension.

Township treasurers say that the taxso weak; why they get tired so easily; es are coming in very slowly this year. Mrs. Mary E. Newton, of Whittaker, has been granted a widow's pen-

> Ambrose Osborn, of Whittaker, died Tuesday morning of last week, aged 85

the old settlers of Stony Creek, is dead, grance of his "Royal egg-plant of aged 89 years.

A little son of W. R. Smith, of Milan, fell part way downstairs Monday its astronomical editor "has drank cel-of last week and fractured his collar estial wisdom, out of the Northern

April 5.

Waldo Draper has bought the farm owned by his aunt Mrs. Nancy Peartake possession of it.

Is the One True Blood Purifier. \$1 per bottle. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. and well known citizen of Detroit, died torial opinion.—Washtenaw Times. Feb 9, aged nearly 81 years. He re-

> A box social held the other evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortbring, of Sharon, for the benefit of the Rogers' Corners church, netted

water, Tuesday of last week, and was thrown off a bridge injuring one of

won't do that trick again in a hurry.

Feb. 6, from the effects of an attack of his mining interests in the Rainy River got Wiener Wurst. That's about the Milo Green, of North Lake, is build- which its composed of capitalists from play was "a model foot.," which proving an addition to his house, also a Toronto, New York and Detroit, for a ed to be a common foot rule, a 12 inch consideration of \$1,000,000.

nesday night of last week. It is about were served with the unknown.

Miss Nettie Hudson, of North Lake, had a narrow escape Saturday week anonymous communications?—Chelsea evening, when she was lighting a lamp | Standard. near a piece of netting. The netting caught fire and the flame flashed up near a package of gunpowder and several boxes of matches, and burned off the end of a box of loaded cartridges. — stuck in its sides, crying, "Who'll eat Chelsea, \$1. Chelsea Standard.

Mrs. Mary Stapish, widow of the late George M. Stapish, of Chelsea, died Feb. 7, after a long and painful illness. She was one of the pioneers of Chelsea, and was a gentle, amiable woman, who was greatly loved by all who knew her. A large number of relatives and friends attended the funcreamery in Saline and many farmers eral services in St. Mary's church, Chelsea, Feb. 10, and her remains were interred in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

John Caplan, of Ypsilanti, was astonished at an unusual noise in his bedbugs turn to humming birds; when an entertainment at the Baptist church, barn at about 8 o'clock Thursday eventhe fools are all dead. Not till then Gilbert, Ypsilanti, \$1. ing of last week, and went out to see my friend. Six carloads of sheep, one of cattle what was wrong. When he got to the and hogs, one of bran and one of hay barn he found his horses contentedly were shipped out of Saline last week by munching their hay. Returning to the house he found that during his abcures accomplished by Hood's Sarsapar-Charles Hieber and wife to John Die-Three sleighloads, containing in all sence between 20 and 30 of his friends illa is quickly told. It purifies and enterly procession of it and who had had taken possession of it and who had riches the blood, tones the stomach and lanti the other evening and surprised caused the alarm in order to distract caused the alarm in order to distract his attention. A jolly evening was the not enter the system fortified by the Bell Scholer et result of the invasion.

The Chelsea Standard says: "The Hoods' Sarsaparilla. citizens of Chelsea and farmers of the county within a reasonable distance should awake to the interest now being headache, indigestion, bilionsness. All craft, Ann Arbor, \$175. put forth to secure a butter and ice druggists. 25c. oream factory at this place. It should as the separator process is as much more perfect as the roller process of George Woelper, of Saline, has sold flouring is over the old millstone months be instituted. If such a division out his meat market to Seckinger Bros., method. The work is progressing and from Manchester. As soon as he can can be made a good investment by the straighten up his business matters he proper patronage and management as the new month 29 days, to make 365, will move his family to Newark, N. J. there is and will be a constant demand and 30 in leap years. After a few days A Michigan day program is in for the product at Detroit and else-

Hadrian's Wall.

Hadrian, in A. D. 120, built a stone wall from Bowness, near Carlisle, on Solway frith, to the river Tyne, near Newcastle. It was 80 miles long and garrisoned by 10,000 troops. It was points, 8 feet thick at the top and was provided with a gallery in the rear, which enabled its defenders to take ders visible to the enemy. At every tack, whether by day or by night, the of saying "I am tired. Give me rest." the wall from sea to sea.

A Valuable Prescription.

be bride's mother, Mrs. Ella Bostwick, in Dexter, Rev. H. A. McConlell officiating.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, attested by the fact that these people are practically free from what is without doubt the most prevalent of all disseases. The Shaker Digestive Cordial it for all absences from recitations his students shall write out reasons in full why they were away and what recitations were away and what recitations were missed. One day Dr. Fisk received a tage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat or digest food, in the evening, both times speaking to had a backache which never left her large audiences.

down, could not eat of digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six both bottle will convince you of its merit, The Young People's Society and tles of Electric Bitters restored her and these you can obtain through all health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a bottle at the Drug Store of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haeussler, of Manchester.

Inauguration Visitors to Washington, All who want low rates, fine trains, aged 88 years and 4 months. He had fast time and a pleasant trip, purchase been a resident of that town for 65 excursion tickets over the Pennsylvania years, having settled there in 1832. Lines, on sale March 1st, 2d and 3d. He was buried Wednesday of last week For details, address Traveling Passenin the South Sharon burying ground. ger Agent. F M. BUSHONG, 66 Gris-Rev. D. H. Yokom and Rev. Lester wold St., Detroit, or C. L. KIMBALL, Hudson conducted the services.

A. G. P. Agt., Cleveland, O. Adrian Press Items.

Moore & Wetmore was an Ann Arbor Mrs. Miranda Watling, of Dundee, firm. They have dissolved partnership, Moore coming in out of the wet, and Wetmore, continuing the business without the help of dry Moore any

Between "puffs," the new judge of probate of Washtenaw, wrote out a rule that hereafter there must be no smoking in the court room during the hearing of cases. We would suggest that he postpone its enforcement, until Mrs. Bethany Harmon, the last of he has thoroughly conquered the fra-

According to the Ann Arbor Courier, Dipper." Well, of course, we know Bishop Davies will make his annual that he had been drinking, but had no visitation to St. Luke's parish, Ypsi- idea where he got it. The stuff appears lanti, on the morning of Palm Sunday, to have been a "high" wine, and he evidently passed the dipper to the political editor, during the campaign.

The Times will again state that it is son, in Ypsilanti town, and will soon not in any way responsible for communications which appear in its columns. They do not represent its edi-

Well, neighbor, whether they represent editorial opinion or no, cuts little figure. If they are libelous, you will find that you are responsible with a big R, and don't misremember it. At least you will be liable, for any libel either by editorial or correspondent malice. Better exercise a little care Bro. David Nixon's team met with an ac- Lisemer, for when you claim you are oident near Charles Uhl's in Bridge- not responsible for correspondence, your 'trolley is off."

Over at Ann Arbor last week, the young men's Sunday evening club gave John O'Leary, of Brooklyn, pared a a Friday evening supper and social, corn on his foot so closely that it bled and art exhibit, the dishes of the menu and for a time it was feared that blood and the names of the exhibits, being poisoning would set in. - We bet John hidden neath conundrumical puns. For instance, on the menu, was "mix-J. C. Foley, of Ypsilanti, has sold ed morsels," and the party ordering it district to the Foley Mines Company, worst we ever heard. In the art dissell. A pair of dice, was called the The Ypsilanti Commercial says that "Garden of Eden." This we regard ing a series of plays at the Saline opera the whistle of a locomotive on the as Adam poor pun for that Eve. Still, Wabash railroad, near Whittaker, was there was a bunch of fun bigger than a Dan McLaren, of Lima, has rented distinctly heard on the streets of Ypsi- gold dollar, as the guests called for his farm to John Wenk, and will move lanti, during a light snow storm Wed- their articles on the bill of fare, and

When will people learn that it is not customary for newspapers to publish

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nereining, Ann Arbor, \$360. John J. Raftry to Elizabeth Snyder, Lima, \$700. Andrew Birk, by executors, to Min-

na Kempf, Ann Arbor, \$400. William Dresselhouse et al. to James L. Babcock, Sharon, \$1.

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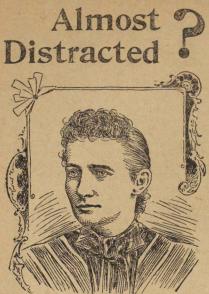
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Milan.

Mrs. O. L. Youngs is seriously ill. Mrs. H. A. Vincent is on the sick

Mrs. Crane is visiting friends in Indiana. A. E. Putman has returned from his

western trip.

at present writing. Miss Grace Debenham is suffering

from a sprained ankle. Mrs. G. R. Williams, who has been

ill, is now convalescent.

Pinder, the magician, drew a good house Saturday evening.

W. H. Whitmarsh and T. W. Barnes have returned from their Elkhart trip.

daughter, Mrs. McCormick, at Au Sable.

at Big Rapids. The third annual Masonic reception

and ball is a much talked of event by our party goers. Mr. and Mrs. Elan Gauntlett have

returned from a four weeks' visit in Traverse City and Elk Rapids.

Atty. and Mrs. G. R. Williams. Miss Myrtie Vandewerker was the

In honor of her birthday, her young friends said.

Rev. J. P. Hutchinson is seriously ill at his home in Ann Arbor, and is for the sake of introducing some highunable to fill his pulpit at the Presbyterian church in this village.

Rev. R. N. Bouck is assisting Rev. Mr. Berry with his revival meetings at Mooreville. The results are fine, about 40 having made a start in the right

M. E. church, Monday evening. Mr. Riehl's chalk talks were very entertaining.

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queathed to Yale university, of which

Mr. Lampson was a graduate about

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THE COUNTY FAIR.

Success They Should Be.

The following excellent article on what conduces to the success of a fall fair, is taken from the columns of the Grange Visitor, and is from the pen of F. E. Mills, the general superintendent of the Washtenaw County Agricultural Association. It shows the study and attention that the gentleman has given the question of county fairs and their general and special attractions, and is worth the perusal and consideration of those who should be most interested in the fairs-the farming community:

First, we must take into consideration the fair as an American institution, an educator, a great civilizer, an advertiser of the nation, state or county of which it is a part. Thinking and observing people must admit that social gatherings are necessary for the advancement of a community, and that these gatherings are to the advantage of the farming part of the community. We often hear the remark, "Fairs are out of date. There is nothing new to be seen since the World's Fair."

think this is a wrong idea. The people of state and county should put forth an extra effort to make attractions which are both moral and educational, which will get the whole community together on a common level. Let them see all the improvements that have been made during the year; learn what their neighbors, far and near, have been doing; exchange ideas, and I will warrant they will go home feeling better for having gone to the state or county fair. Their children enjoy it equally well, and, if allowed to do their part toward making an exhibit, feeling that they, as well as the older

ones, are a part of the people. The fair or the exhibits which constitute the fair proper, should be diligently caren for by the board of managers, and no neglect allowed in any department from least to greatest value, by the fair officers and superintendents. See that the best there is in the county finds its place in the exhibits, whether it be mechanical, of the vegetable kingdom, live stock, art, or of the more homely industries. Let one neighbor Sleighing in Milan and vicinity fine induce another to compete. Don't be afraid that the departments will be too full, or that the fair will be dubbed a 'pumpkin show,'' for the ones who dub it as such usually don't know whether a pumpkin grows on a tree or is done to some extent in behalf of every in the ground.

should be clean and well lighted. The grounds should not remain littered, every morning should find them clean. Mrs. L. VanWormer is visiting her This requires work, "eternal vigil-" Those who have had to do ance. with fairs know what it means. Plenty a single church or hospital take the Mand and Walter Aniba will leave in of seats should be provided. No tired a few days to attend the Ferris school, mother, out for a day of diversion from home cares, with her family of little but all the ordinary hatmakers and shoeones, will ever want to come again if makers would starve. Or, if they did she is obliged to stand all day, holding not starve, they would be supported by her tired child when she herself is ready this too often. Such days to mothers or they would be supported by sweet are days of pain instead of pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Markham and some taste, in order to make the exhibit son, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with some taste, in order to make the exhibit really the fact that the evils of society and Elik Rapids.

We the undersigned, have known really the fact that the evils of society and Elik Rapids. them remember that the whole comvictim of a surprise the other evening. munity are patrons and are entitled to change at a bazaar table. One day, per-

respectful answers to their questions. The vitascope exhibition at the Bap- tions is that they are a second consider- fairs as we already look at lotteries, tist church Tuesday evening, under the ation in connection with the fair. The which were once regarded as one of the auspices of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, horticultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of the B. Y. P. U., is expected agricultural, and mediate the subject of which interest nine-tenths of the people for the sake of introducing some highpriced "jim crack." But after the better part of the fair has been provided for, see what you can afford to give the people extra for their money. Show these attractions later in the day when your patrons are tired with other sights.

Almost every society has tried speed Rev. D. C. Riehl, of Detroit, closed contests and has had years of debt and a nine days' engagement at the Milan curses from those who owned the horses because they couldn't carry away the grounds. Large purses and trotting horses bave not, as special attractions, put money into the treasury of any fair society. A moderate amount of track speed with purses that develop good horses in the vicinity, are not objectionable; but as a gambling attraction, they are a failure. I would not have you confound the good driving horse with the gambling specialist. If your locality demands special races, the the other?" purses should not be made at the expense of other premiums, and one race each day is as much as the society should offer a large amount for.

For many years balloon ascensions like something sensational and daring. But the expense for these was more than the income, compared with what we were giving the people in premiums. Traveling shows of any kind, trained animals, track-performers, or athletes, are popular. If the society chooses to ters so that all can see the performance. of William Lampson, a banker of this The exhibition must move quickly, or place, and a nephew of the late Sir Cur- otherwise it is wearisome and uninteresting. These exhibitions should be clean in character and the committee should know before just what they are, in order to arrange the program to the best advantage. Those entertainments which show skill and agility usually give the best satisfaction. I am not in favor of tented shows where admission fees are charged and an effort is put forth to see how much money the showkeeper can get out of every man, woman, and child. 'When these people have returned home, they think over how much they have spent and fully riding a broomstick over the top of the resolve that another fair will not be piano. made richer by their attendance. When people have paid their admission to the grounds the rights there should be free of charge.

There is an old feature of the fairs or special attraction that city patrons have all night. What's the best remedy?" Flitcher. special attraction that try pations have a map when you ridiculed until it is almost lost to us. "Just take a nap when you but the state of the state o

generally liked-that is a good, open air speech made by a first-class orator. the city. But our city patrons have the privilege of hearing addresses by all the first of our country, while those who live in the country do not have this pleasure. To the latter a talk on the topics of the day is a treat to be long remembered. The orator must not be a cheap, second-rate one, but the best that can be obtained.

An exhibit of musical instruments, especially if the booth is made attractive by good vocal talent, always draws a crowd, more perhaps of women and children than of men. But if you please this part of the gathering, the lords of creation are sure to be close behind them. Who was ever in a place where the women could chat and be en tertained at the same time, who didn't think those women would like to be as nicely entertained again? Five thousand women on a well arranged fair ground with a good exhibit, means five thousand men and as many children, for one must go to care for the other.

I cannot refrain from saying, don't try to give a dollar show for fifty cents, and don't allow fakirs of any kind on your grounds. They rob you of all they can and send your patrons home thoroughly disgusted with fairs and all connected with them.

CHARITY FAIRS.

An Argument to Show Why They Should Be Suppressed.

Charity has been defined as this state of things: That so soon as A is in trouble B begins to consider what C ought to do for him. All charitable fairs, for instance, are based on this principle. You go and buy something which you probably do not want in order that the profit made on it may go to some good cause. In case you had really wanted what you bought you would have perhaps bought it somewhere else, and the regular trade thus suffers from the loss of your custom. In case of very large fairs, like the "sanitary fairs" in wartime, the ordinary local trade unquestionably suffers, perhaps for a whole year, and the community is thus impoverished to a degree in one way so that it may be helped in other ways.

For a great national object this can easily be endured, although, to be sure, we never have known just what the regular dealers thought about it. But when we consider that the same thing local or sectarian enterprise, it is evi-All the buildings on the grounds dent that the principle of the affair is not quite satisfactory.

Suppose, for instance, that we were all to agree for a single year to have all our shoes and hats made by amateurs "for sweet charity's sake," and to have value of them all. Then sweet charity would make an apparent gain no doubt, their kindred, who perhaps are not far to sink from weariness. I have seen above the starvation point themselves, charity, and the last condition of things Get those to assist you who have would be worse than the first. It is not tendants be kind and respectful. Let young girls prettily and having them take money and give rather inaccurate haps, when the laws of trade are better My idea in regard to special attrac- understood, we shall look at charity Harper's Bazar.

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Said he: "The one that I whip cannot possibly overwork himself. I will say that he is lazy, but he is so do himself any damage. It would be were quite the fad. People seemed to impossible to whip him so hard that he a mile in less than 2:25, and he would trot from the love of it until he dropped dead. Hot or cold, he does his best.'

Consumpution in its advanced stage its beyond the power of man to cure. give these extra, it must arrange mat. It can be prevented though, by the timely use of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

After the Elopement.

Artie-Darling, you have no idea how anxious I was while you were coming down the rope ladder. I was so afraid you had not fastened it securely above. Susie-You needn't have been alarmed, dear. Papa tied the knot for me.-Detroit Free Press.

By Special Permit.

"Here! What does this mean?" shouted Whooply as he found his youngest so small space. They are a whole medicine

"This is all right. Mamma said if I'd stay in I could play on the piano. - Detroit Free Press.

Professional Advice.

"Doctor, I'm so nervous that I toss "Just take a nap when you feel that

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children who take your chiding literal ly, are holy terrors," relates a young man noted for his politeness to ladies 'I was in a herdic the other day which was much crowded, though no one was standing at the time. Presently a lady and gentleman got in, and I gave my seat to the lady, leaving the old gentle man standing. Immediately a young lady sitting in one end of the herdic called to her little sister, a child of 6 perhaps, who was sitting near the door at the other end, to come to her and give her seat to the elderly gentleman. The child came willingly enough, and while the sister was reading her a lesson in manners a passenger got out, and I took a seat. "Never let me see you remain seated again when people older than you are standing," closed the lecmade that he never can and never will ture, and the child was crowded, half sitting, half standing, between the old er sister and the lady next to her. Two would hurt himself. The other can trot | minutes later a pretty girl got in, and of course, as the only gentleman in the herdic, I gave her my seat. No sooner had I done so than that small terror was on her feet.

"Oh, mister," she said in sweet, shrill accents, "you take my seat! You's older than me." And everybody laughed, of course, trust a lot of giggling girls for that, for the only place on earth that I could have "taken a seat" was on the sister's lap, from which the child had slid. I didn't take the seat, but I did take to the street and walked five blocks in a drizzling rain to get away from the giggle of those girls. -Washington Star

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	County of Washtenaw. It is, the control of the above ramed bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and helief. Chas. E. Hiscock, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of Octaber, 1896 MICHAPL, I. FRITZ, Notary Public. Correct Attest: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, W. B. Smith, Directors.	

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1897.

Democratic State Convention. Detroit, Mich., Jan. 15, 1897.

To the Democratic Electors of the State of

Michigan:
The Democratic Electors of the State of Michigan will meet in state convention in the city of Grand Rapids, on Wednesday, the 17th day of February, 1897, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of nominating party candidates for the following state offices: One Justice of the Supreme. Court and two Regents of the State University: and it will trnsact such other busines as may come before it.

G. WALTER MEADE, Secretary.

gas stoves and Welsbach lights." The president's address stated that the average increase of business, as reported by the gas men of the state during the past year, was 10 per cent. Out of 35 gas companies in the state 26 are represented in the association.

In the afternoon E. F. Walker, of Lansing, read a paper on "Snags," and H. D. Wallridge of Grand Rapids

Judge Yaple is a strong candidate for judge of the supreme court. He is able man. He is a good lawyer and went into executive session. has made an excellent record on the bench. And although he has been in public life for some time and has made " several hard campaigns, no breath of the supreme court without regard to their politics, Judge Yaple would receive two votes to Judge Long's one.

FORESTS OF MICHIGAN.

Commissioner Moore Urges That Waste Lands Be Improved.

Morse, will be a number of chapters bor Gas Co. devoted to the subject of forestry.

The appropriation at the disposal of the Labor Bureau would not permit the investigations to be conducted by its personal representative, and the figures given were obtained through the supervisors, the questions being directed to ascertaining the acres of timber subdivided into pine, hemlock and hardwood, and the amount of plains and swamps partly timbered.

In connection with the figures given Labor Commissioner Morse calls attention to the fact that many states are taking steps to preserve their forests from wanton destruction by fire, and if possible to promote new growth. This is undertaken under direction of officers styled fire wardens and forestry commissions.

The commissioner says: "Unquestionably Michigan must give this matter attention in the near tuture, or the state, once second to none in amount and value of its timber, will be nearly as treeless as the prairie states. The Minnesota law for the preservation of her forests seems particularly applicable to Michigan, and is published in full in this report for the benefit of those who are taking an interest in this important matter. The last annual message of Governor Rich invites the attention of the legislature to the mat ter of forestry, and makes pertinent recommendations. Land Commissioner French, also, in his last annual report, calls attention to the practicability of utilizing the cheap lands of the state for the reproduction of forests. There is very little doubt that at a moderate expense a large amount of land now almost valueless may be made to yield same. valuable returns in the not remote future."

The reports of the supervisors regardeach township are accurately described. boy freezing just around the corner, At the conclusion is a tabulated state- probably within a few feet of you. It ment giving the totals for the counties is right to send help away, but take rolled on, and Erlanger in Paris adverand the state.

The number of surveyed townships ing hardwood is given at 6,166,977; of standing pine, at 755,208; hemlock, 1,468,166; of plains partly covered with bushes and scattering trees, 5,-660,810; of swamps partly covered with small timber and bushes, at 3,265,- Delegates to Y. M. C. A. Convention. 667 acres. There are 18 counties in the state in which there is not an acre attend the annual state convention of of pine, and there are 32 counties in which there are less than 100 acres Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Suneach. In 23 counties there is no hem-

Circuit Court Jurors.

circuit court has been drawn and is as follows:

Ann Arbor city-First ward, W. K. Childs; second ward, Samuel F. Henne; third ward, M. J. Martin; fourth ward, George Clarken; fifth ward, Wagner and R. C. McAllaster. Wm. A. Seery; sixth ward, George Jewett; seventh ward, Fred Harpst; Ann Arbor town, John Forshee; Augusta, Anton Gable; Bridgewater, John Rentschler; Dexter, Henry Doody; Freedom, Frank Renan; Lima, Wm. Holzapple; Lodi, Daniel Drake; Lodi, Lewis Sweetland; Lyndon, Elmer Jacox; Manchester, Martin Traub; Northfield, James Vanatta; Pittsfield, Frank M. White; Salem, S. O. Chapin; Saline, Milo M. Rouse; Scio, James Morrison; Sharon, Henry J. Reno; Superior, Edward Chase; Sylvan, George P. Staffan; Webster, Lewis Chamberlain; York, B. F. Gooding; Ypsilanti town, John P. Barlow; Ypsilanti city-First district, L. L. Bogue; second district, Gilbert M. Brown.

Excursion Rates to Washington For the Inauguration.

On account of the Presidential Inauguartion Ceremonies March 4, the Ann Arbor Railroad will sell excursion Boston Courier. tickets from all stations to Washington and return at one fare for the round and 3, limited for return to March 8. eggs.

GAS, GAS, GAS.

Fourth Annual Meeting of the Mich. igan Gas Association.

The fourth annual meeting of the Michigan Gas Association has been in session at the Cook house during the past two days. The meeting has been attended by between 50 and 60 gentlemen interested in gas who hail from different parts of the state.

The morning session on Wednesday was devoted to an address by the president, W. M. Eaton, of Jackson, and a paper by L. N. Latta, of Goshen, Ind., on "New methods of introducing gas stoves and Welsbach lights." The the gas men of the state during the past

H. D. Walbridge, of Grand Rapids, on "Maintenance of Welsbach Lights." A general informal discussion followed each of these papers and great interest known to the people of the state as an was shown. At 4 p. m. the convention

Yesterday morning the discussion of the papers read the day previous was continued, followed by a discussion on 'Electric gas lighting.

At the business meeting it was desuspicion has ever been cast upon his cided to hold the next annual meeting character. If men were to be elected to at Port Huron and the following officers were elected: H. W. Douglas, of Ann Arbor, president; C. H. Raynor, of Adrian, vice president; H. H. Hyde, of Saginaw, secretary and treasurer.

At 2:30 p. m. the delegates took a special car, porvided by the courtesy of Manager Hemphill, of the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti electric railway, and visited all parts of the city reached by the line. Accompanied by Regent Dean they paid An interesting feature of the forth- a short visit to the University. They coming report of Labor Commissioner also visited the works of the Ann Ar-

Sawyer Made the Speech.

Representative A. J. Sawyer is never better pleased than when he is making a presentation speech, and his fame in that line must have preceded him to Lansing, judging from the following item describing a very interesting ceremony which occurred in the house at Lansing on Monday:

"Representative Chamberlain and his pretty bride were asked to take a seat in front of the clerk's desk, and then there was brought in a handsome silver tray, tea set, knives, forks and water service, the wedding gift of all the members of the legislature. Even the house pages came in, presenting the bride with a beautiful boquet of flowers. Representative Sawyer made a happy presentation speech, and gave the pair some good advice. The tall pine returned his thanks, and then the joint convention adjourned.'

Marriage Licenses.

3222. Wm. H. Armstrong, 31, Ypslianti; Alice May Bone, 21, same. 3223. Lewis C. Mayer, 28, Freedom; Annie M. Eschelbach, 24, same.

3224. Ernest G. Seifert, 27, Ann Arbor; Dolly Grawps, 25, same. 3225. William Bohnett, 22, Saline;

Sophia Schaible, 21, same. 3226. John H. Walker, 26, Ann Arbor; Norma B. Loney, 21, same.

3227. Thomas W. Poland, 20, Ann Arbor; Addie E. Barrows, 18, same. 3228. William P. Scheid, 37, Monroe; Emma C. Koebbe, 28, Freedom. 3229. Suppressed.

3230. Vincent Crittenden, 28, Ann Arbor; Olga B. Laubengayer, 26,

An exchange says: "I would like to offer a suggestion to the people of this fidential agent, Mr. Blank." ing the amount of forests in their re- town for the winter. Don't ship a big spective townships fill over 100 pages box of clothing and provisions a thousof the report, and the conditions in and miles away when there is a little care of the destitute at your own doors before going farther away. Don't hesiand fractions of townshpis in the state tate about giving a Presbyterian coat is 1,859. The number of acres of stand- to a Methodist boy or a Methodist pair of pants to a Lutheran. Give the clothing to the needy, regardless of the relatives and you have done an act that is commendable in the eyes of the Al-

The following named young men will the Y. M. C. A., to be held at Owosso, day next, Feb. 25-28, as delegates from the local Y. M. C. A.:

Ed. C. Krapf, E. J. Chapin, H. Godfrey, R. L. Flynn, F. Wuerth, A. The jury for the March term of the C. Schairer, Wm. Goodyear, Wm. Wilcox, N. Stanger, A. E. Mummery, James Tice, J. A. C. Hildner, E. S. Gilmore, B. B. Johnson. The alter-

Baltimore Oysters at BESIMER'S.

A Bootblack's Novel Scheme.

The most enterprising bootblack in New York is a young negro who has a stand on Columbus avenue not far from the Natural History museum. His location is one which does not bring much "transient" trade, but he has a goodly number of regular customers. On days when the weather looks threatening this wise young man issues rain checks, good for 12 hours, so that if it rains and a customer's shine is ruined he gets a new one free of charge. The rain checks are slips of paper with the date and hour written in pencil.—New York Press.

Of Course.

First Small Boy-I wish I had that 5 cents back I spent for candy. Second Small Boy-What would you

do with it? First Small Boy-Buy more candy.

The common house fly lays four times trip. Tickets will be sold March 1, 2 in each summer, each time about 80

A HETEROPHEMIST.

HOW HE INJURED THE FINA AL IN TERESTS OF THE CONFED! RACY.

Mr. Blank Was Sent to England to Solicit Aid and Failed-The Message He Sent to Mr. Memminger Was the Opposite of What He Supposed.

The Southern Confederacy was only a few months old when a financial agent was sent to England on a very important mission. Mr. Blank was a politician and a banker. He was also an elegant gentleman, with many influential acquaintances on both sides of the wa-

Before leaving Richmond he had a long talk with Memminger, the secre-

tary of the treasury.
"If I find that England will aid us," he said, "I will send you word by some reliable blockade runner. It will be a very brief message, but you will understand it, while it will mean nothing to the enemy if it should be intercepted."

The confidential agent slipped through the lines, and in less than a month was comfortably established in London. In the metropolis he found many southerners and many prominent Englishmen who sympathized with the secessionists. He saw Mr. Yancey, the Confederate minister, every day, and the two worked together in harmony. Mr. Yancey was a practical man and was not long in coming to the conclusion that no aid was to be expected from the British government.

"The abolition sentiment controls here," he said to Mr. Blank. "Some of urday and Sunday. the statesmen would like to help the south in order to break up the Union. but the people will never consent. The south will have to fight alone.'

Blank felt pretty blue when he heard this, and that night he wrote the single word "successful" on a thin slip of paper and skillfully secreted it in an ordinary coat button. The next day he was visited by a southern friend, who remained with him for an hour or more. During his stay he removed the top button from his coat and sewed on one given by Mr. Blank.

'I understand it all," he said when he left. "If I get safely to Wilmington, I will go at once to Richmond and give this button to Mr. Memminger. I prefer not to know the nature of the message,

as you say that it explains itself."
"Yes," replied Blank, "it will be understood by the secretary, and as it refers to a state secret I cannot say anything about it."

The two shook hands, and the gentleman with the precious button took the next train for Liverpool, where he boarded a steamer bound for Wilming-

The steamer was chased by Federal cruisers, but she managed to reach her destination without any serious mishap. In the course of two or three days the mysterious traveler called on Mr. Memminger in Richmond and presented him with a button. The secretary cut off its covering in a hurry and smiled when he read the word "successful." "Did Mr. Blank show this message to

you?" he asked. "No. We both thought it best that I should remain in ignorance so that no telltale expression of my face would be-

tray anything if the enemy captured At a meeting of the cabinet that afternoon Mr. Memminger was in high was preparing to recognize the Confeder influence on character than nature,

break the blockade. "I have this," he said, "from my con-

The name commanded respect, and when the secretary said that under the circumstances a loan of \$15,000,000 negotiated in Europe would be sufficient everybody agreed with him. The weeks tised for bids for \$15,000,000 in Confederate bonds. Mr. Blank read this at his London hotel and dropped his paper in his agitation.

"Well, I'll be d-d!" he remarked. "Must be a mistake. I'll run over and see about it."

formed his visitor that there was no mistake, and then Blank swore vigorously. The bids rushed in from all quar-If the demands of these speculators had been met, \$500,000,000 in Confederate bonds could have been sold. When this fact became known, Mr. Blank again relapsed into profanity.

He could not stand it, and, despite the danger of the trip, he made his arrangements to return home. His interview with Memminger was a stormy one when he arrived at Richmond.

"I intended to write 'unsuccessful!" he said after a long talk.

"Well, there is your message," replied the secretary. "You wrote 'successful."

"I don't understand it," said Mr. Blank sadly. "Surely your advices from Mr. Yancey should have warned you that there was something wrong.' "His dispatches were intercepted," answered the other.

"I don't understand it," repeated Mr. Blank.

"Perhaps I do," quietly remarked the secretary. "I have carefully noted your talk this morning, and I have discovered that you are a heterophemist. For instance, you say London when you mean Richmond and Richmond when you mean London. You similarly misuse the names of other places and persons and are unconscious of it. When you sent me that message, the word 'unword and ruined the Confederacy.

"I may have made a mistake, sir," said Mr. Blank, rising from his chair, "but I am neither a lunatic nor an idiot. I have the honor to bid you good morning."

Heterophemy is a fatal thing in diplomacy.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Willis. Mrs. Frank Hayden is sick with bili-

ous fever. J. B. Lord is quite poorly. He has

heart trouble. Waldo Draper has bought the late Joseph Pearson's place. Consideration

The ladies have started a Maccabee hive at Whittaker's Corners with 16

Dr. Post is not in the best of health we regret to say. He is not able to ride out much. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sanderson were visiting at New Boston last Sat-

Will Lord has just returned from New Brunswick, where he has been

during the past summer. Mr. and Mrs. John Post are at their old home in Willis again. They have appropriate wedding gifts.

been on their farm in Canton, nearly all winter. Ira Bissell is one of the invalids near Willis. The doctor pronounces his trouble Bright's disease, but we hope

A donation for Rev. W. Caldwell, pastor of the Augusta Congregational

it's a mistake.

blast. This is the sixth week they have been held in the M. E. church, Willis. Many souls are, we trust, being brought into the fold.

Manchester.

Sleighing is fine and sleigh ride parties are numerous.

Conrad Neuman went to Detroit, Monday, as a delegate to the A. O. U.

Miss Blanche Stark has gone to Cincinnati, O., for a few weeks' visit with her father. Jessie Kimble entertained a number

of her friends at her home Tuesday 20 E. Washington St., evening, which was enjoyed by all present. Miss Margaret Blosser, who has been

visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. Blosser.

at Lansing, the past four weeks, has returned home. A laughable farce "Deestrick-Skule" was given at Arbeiter hall, Wednesday evening. The characters were citizens

of our town, who dressed like boys and girs of 50 years ago. spirits. He predicted that the war would meeting Monday evening. The debate be over in 90 days and said that England "Resolved. That education has a great-

eracy and send over her warships to was decided in favor of the negative. The remains of Mrs. S. Ancliff, who died in Ann Arbor on Monday, were MONDAY, FEB. 22 brought here for burial Wednesday.

The members of the W. R. C. and G. A. R. attended the funeral. She was a member of the W. R. C. Emery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Green a

Zeeb Bros. are preparing to start their saw mill; they have quite a number of logs to saw.

Joshua Leland, of Emery, and Miss Jessie Campbell, of Manchester, will The next day he was at Erlanger's be married Monday, Feb. 22, at the office in Paris. The French banker in-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Riper, of Webster, will entertain the Odd Fellows of this village on Tuesday evening next.

The Dexter Progressive Pedro Club met with Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Jenney on Tuesday evening, and a very pleasant time was the result.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Arbor Hive, No. 113, L. O. M. T. now has 162 names on its membership

The January business of the Ann Arbor postoffice amounted to nearly \$3,

Ernest Jaeger has purchased the meat market business of Charles Zuern, on E. Washington st.

James S. Baldwin, law '96, of Decatur, Ill., was admitted to the bar of

Washtenaw county Saturday morning. O. H. Vreeland, of Mason, has been appointed hospital steward of the First

Regiment, Michigan National Guard. It is reported that C. P. McKinstry promises to be here next month to stand trial in the circuit court. - Ypsilanti Commercial.

Dr. I. W. Copeland, dent '96, of Ashland, Ohio, visited Ann Arbor friends Friday and attended the Masonic party

in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shetterly have been receiving the congratulations of their friends on the birth of a son,

Thursday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Hollands entertained a party of friends with pro-

their home on W. William st. The Mystic Shriners of this city are

grand reception given by Moslem Shrine at Detroit tonight. Several will

you will continue to get up as good a ren survive her. paper as you do now, for twice 16 years to come, Bro. Smith.

initiation of some candidates.

The friends of Joseph Donnelly are urging him to again enter city politics Price only 15 cents. and allow his name to be used in connection with the democratic nomination rooms Sunday at 2:45 p. m. will be ly and will add to his already large for supervisor in the Fourth ward.

Now that horseless carriages are an assured fact, a philosopher hopes that we may have dogless sausage, hairless butter, soundless pianos, voiceless elooutionists, acheless backs, and jokeless

George Spathelf, jr., the north side butcher, has had on exhibition at his market the largest bog brought to Ann Arbor this winter. It weighed 746 pounds dressed and was fattened by Henry Kleinschmid, of Northfield.

Wm. Gerstner, Ann Arbor, has "kneaded dough" for a long time to buy a billiard hall in that city, and has finally scared enough together to get it. He will probably be "rolling" in wealth in a short time.—Plymouth

Mrs. Sarah A., wife of Samuel Antcliff, of No. 54 S. Division st., died Monday morning, aged 43 years, 5 months and 27 days. The funeral services were held at the house Wednes. day and the remains were interred in Manchester.

Representative Sawyer has concluded to stick to Ann Arbor, notwithstanding the solicitations of Governor-Mayor Pingree and others to go to an ultra tropical clime. No doubt Ann Arbor has some advantages over the other place for a man like Mr. Sawyer.-Yp-

There will be a horse racing matinee an oyster supper at the Clifton house at Leader. the expense of the losers. Among other features of the matinee will be several exhibition heats by Mason Nutwood, the Dexter pacer.

A half drunken tramp met a citizen "I'm the victim of circumstancees-" passed on down the street.-Times. portunities for "coffee."

Mrs. Anna C. Deckert, of Dexter, has been granted a widow's pension.

The Sons of Veterans will have annext week The Ann Arbor Organ Co. has receiv- desertion.

ed orders from Minneapolis for 30 carloads of organs. Saline Monday night. There are five have professed conversion.

saloons in the village. The Modern Woodmen will give another dance in the Light Infantry armory, next Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Henne had an addition to their family Monday morning. She is a girl and weighed 12 pounds.

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April 19, when the Chequamegons will furnish the music.

Monday is Washington's Birthday. It is a legal holiday and according to All complete for 15c each. Largest statute the Ann Arbor Light Infantry will parade at 3:30 p. m.

> Ald. Coon left Monday evening for Talapoosa, Ga., to be absent a short time. He went to see about some property he has in that vicinity.

> Barnum & Bailey's circus will exhibit in this city some time between April 3 and August 3, but the date has not yet been definitely settled.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the English Lutheran church will give a Nationality Social at the church parlors this evening. Admission 10 cents;

supper, 10 cents. John C. Wilson was allowed \$594 for services rendered the late Horace Carpenter, by the commissioners, in the probate court Friday last. M. J. Cavanaugh was his attorney.

The late Robert Phillips carried \$4,000 insurance on his life—\$3,000 in the Maccabers and \$1,000 in the Massachusetts M toal-which will be di-

Invitations are out for a reception next Monday afternoon, Washington's

The following ladies are the delegates from the Ladies' Auxiliary of the of the Y. M. C. A., at Owosso next week: Mrs. E. S. Eaton, Mrs. Geo. H. Pond; alternates, Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, Mrs. C. W. Wagner.

Congregational church to serve until May 15: President, G. F. Allmendinger; vice president, O. E. Schairer; shores of Crystal Lake, where the coltreasurer, E. H. Waples; secretary, Bernath Sherwood.

The board of directors of the State Savings Bank has promoted John C. Walz to be assistant cashier. Rice A. Beal has been promoted from the position of collector and assistant bookkeeper to that of bookkeeper. W. J. gressive pedro on Monday evening, at Booth, president of the bank, remains as manager.

Mrs. Margaret E. Trouten, widow in receipt of invitations to attend a of the late James Trouten, died at her grand reception given by Moslem home, No. 36 N. Fifth ave., on Friday, of paralysis, aged 70 years. The funeral services were held at St. And-The Milan Leader has entered on its rew's church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. 16th volume. Congratulations. Hope Henry Tatlock officiating. Three child-

an oyster supper in the Wall st. chapel Fuller could not furnish it he was re-Arbor Tent. No. 296, K. O. T. M., on Monday afternoon and evening for manded to jail. will visit Wolverine Tent, No. 77, at the benefit of the building fund of the Ypsilanti, March 3, and the degree new church. It is pretty early to eat team from Arbor Tent will conduct the "supper" at noon, but that is when the ladies will begin to serve the oysters tle field of Gettysburg. Norman A. and will continue at it until 9 p. m. Wood, taxidermist at the University

> The meeting at the Y. M. C. A. led by the Evangelist, E. F. Miller. collection of curiosities. He will speak on the subject, "Experienes with hard men in Colorado.' Mr. Miller will sing "I am that wandering boy" a new song, thrilling, pathetic and true to life. All men are in vited to come and hear him.

February, while the weather is cold. If ence than it received. Mr. Murphy evening, Washington's Birthday, from they are trimmed in the spring they had to respond to two curtain calls and 8 to 1. The Chequamegons with four will bleed; that is, the sap will run also make a speech. from the ends of the shoots that have been cut, and the vines will be weakened. If cut now these ends will be healed by the time the sap begins to flow, and the liability of damage will be reduced.

in the city during the week, visiting ty in which school he is attending. his son-in-law, M. R. Parmelee, and The faculty of the high school think other friends. Mr. Stoddard was this unjust and have decided to withwounded in the same battle and at the draw from the contest. same time Maj. Soule, the U. of M. treasurer, was, at Baton Rouge and they have had some very pleasant, and some very sad conversations bringing up old war memories. - Courier.

Amel Lindeman has returned home from a stay of three weeks at the hom- lime will thaw out the pipes if the op- Y. M. C. A. lyceum course will be eopathic hospital at Ann Arbor, where eration is properly carried out. Pipes given at the Presbyterian church next he was operated upon for a rupture, from may also be protected from freezing by Tuesday evening. It is that of the which he had suffered for ten years. first wrapping with straw, then put- Royal Bell Ringers and Imperial Caril-Mr. Lindeman has returned entirely ting on a layer of unslacked lime, and loneurs, from London, England, and cured and is naturally well pleased with finally again covering with straw. The the result. He speaks in the highest gradual slacking of the lime by the rendered by them last year will be praise of the manner in which he was moisture of the atmosphere evolves eager to hear them again, especially as cared for while at the hospital and ad- sufficient heat to prevent water pipes this is the last tour they will make on the ice at Whitmore Lake this after- vises all who are suffering from a like from freezing for a whole season. noon, the winners in which will enjoy affliction to go and be cured. - Dexter

rested Thursday night of last week by lanti. It will then celebrate its 50th Marshal M. C. Peterson on suspicion anniversary, and the Master Mason's read at the meeting of the Ann Arbor of being implicated in the murder of degree will be conferred three times, on Light Infantry, on Wednesday even-James Richards. Ely was absent from as many different candidates, during the ing, appointing Corporal Noble Friday night on Main st., and began: the city on the night of Jan. 30, the afternoon and evening. At 2 p. m., Monroe as regimental color ser-"I'm the victim of circumstancees—" date of the murder, and was well ac-"So am I," interupted the citizen and quainted with Richard's premises and on W. L. Fuller; at 4 p. m., Ypsilanti good member from its rolls by this apwas known to have had more money Lodge will work it on Frank Creech; pointment all Sergeant Noble's friends That must have been the same fellow than usual in his possession since that and at 8 o'clock Fraternity Lodge, No. congratulate him on his appointment. who tackled the Argus man and wanted time. He claimed to have been in De 262, of Ann Arbor, will work the sub- At the same meeting Capt. Garnger enough to buy a cup of coffee and who troit that night and proved the correct- lime degree on B. H. Comstock. A appointed A. C. Wilson a corporal in next morning was lugged off to jail, ness of his statement by the evidence of large number of the craft from this city the company to succeed Corporal Karl drunk from the proceeds of his im- parties living in Ypsilanti. He was re- have signified their intention of being Kern, whose term of enlistment has exleased.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Tedrow, Monday night, a baby girl.

Judge Kinne on Tuesday granted a other social party Thursday evening of divorce to Nora Gatchell, of Ypsilanti, from Fred Gatchell, on the ground of

The revival meetings at the Church of Christ closed Sunday night. They An anti-saloon league was formed in have been very successful and 44 people A large number of the members of J.

T. Jacobs Camp, S. of V., paid a vis-

it to Henry Perkins, one of their fellow members, at Lowell, last evening. The Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Electric Railway Co. has sold the large steam motor, No. 2, to parties in Ohio, for about one-eighth the original cost.

Judge W. D. Harriman will lecture before the Unity Club Monday night, at the Unitarian church, upon "Early days in California and the journey there.'

A reproduction of J. J. Goodyear's beautiful picture, entitled "Two Friends," appears in the last number of "Our Dumb Animals," a magazine publishd in Boston.

A number of the friends of Christian Lutz, of 37 W. Fifth st., surprised him Saturday night and helped him cele. brate his 43d birthday in a very jolly and enjoyable manner.

A sleigh load of young people, comprising about a dozen couples, went out to the hospitable home of Charles Kempf, in Pittsfield, Monday evening, and had a jolly time until early morn-

Theta Delta Chi fraternity, assisted by Mesdames Dock, Murfin, Stanley, Nancrede and Beman, received from 3:30 to 6 o'clock Friday afternoon, in honor of Mlle. Rhea and Mr. Norman H. Hackett.

The Argus was in error last week in stating that the electric wiring of the Ralph L. Miller. The work was done ing Co.

At the close of the revival meetings Sale" which closes now in progress at the M. E. church, Birthday, to be given at the residence the Y. M. C. A. will begin a short serof Mrs. James B. Angell by, the memies of meetings to be held in the associbers of Ann Arbor Chapter of the ation rooms and to be conducted by Daughters of the American Revolution. Evangelists Potter and Miller.

Lawyer Frank Russell, of Detroit, has applied to the fish commission to Y. M. C. A. to the state convention stock Island lake, Fondas lake and the Huron river with wall-eyed pike. The fish in these waters have diminished rapidly in the last two or three years.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co. has of-The following officers have been ered to Benzonia college, in Benzie chosen by the Young Men's Club of the county, \$5,000 on condition that the college raise \$20,000 to go with it to establish a summer assembly on the lege is situated.

The 400th anniversary of the birth of Phil. Melaucton the co-worker of Martin Luther, was celebrated by a special festival service at the Bethlehem Evan gelical church, Tuesday evening. subject of the sermon was "Phil. Melancton as co-worker of Luther.'

Joseph Barthowiak, who was shot in the Bay City Polish riots recently, has had the bullet which lodged under his shoulder, removed at the University hospital by the aid of the X rays and is now in a fair way towards recovery.

Frank Fuller was bound over to the side. circuit court Friday morning by Justice Pond, on the charge of stealing some cattle in Northfield, Oct. 21, The ladies of the north side will give 1896. Bail was fixed at \$500, but as

H. Wirt Newkirk, judge of probate, was yesterday morning presented with a percussion shell picked up on the batmuseum, was the donor of the specimen, which the judge values very high-

One of the best entertainments that has been given at the Grand opera house this season was that of "Old Innocence" by Tim Murphy and company on Saturday night. It is a strong, clean play with a good moral lesson in Grapes should be trimmed now, in it, and was worthy of a far better audi- a social party at their hall on Monday

The Ann Arbor high school will not enter the Interstate High School Oratorical Association as before announced. The president of the Oratorical Association writes saying that any student will be debarred from entering the con-J. B. Stoddard, of Concord, has been test unless he is a resident of the coun-

> The Scientific American gives the following simple recipe for thawing out frozen water pipes: "Place unslacked lime around the pipes, cover with straw, and then pour on water. The heat generated by the slacking of the

Next Monday afternoon and evening will be quite a red-letter day for Phoe-Ernest Ely, of Traver st., was ar- nix Lodge, No. 1, F. & A. M., Ypsi-



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Justice Gibson let four colored boys go on suspended sentence Wednesday, who were charged with truancy. Charles Neithammer, of the north

side, hauled the first load of stone Monday for the new church on the north A freight car on the Ann Arbor rail-

road jumped the track while switching Sunday at Elsie, striking an engine which was standing on the main track. One car was completely demolished and the engine disabled. Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Davies, bishop

of the diocese of Michigan, will make his annual visitation to St. Andrew's parish and celebrate the rite of confirmation on a class of candidates on the evening of Passion Sunday, April 4.

The subject of Rev. J. T. Sunderland's lecture on India next Sunday evening, will be "Benares, the Sacred City of the Hindus. Its temples, shrines, palaces, pilgrims and religious The lecture will be finely illustrated with stereopticon views.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Granger will give pieces will furnish the music. All former pupils and their friends are invited. Tickets will be 50 cents.

Arrangements are about completed for the visit of the Masons of Ann Arbor to Ypsilanti, on Monday evening next. Round trip tickets via the motor line are now on sale at the Ann Arbor Savings Bank and Schumacher & Miller's drug store, at 25 cents for the round trip. It is urged on members that they buy their tickets early so that proper accommodations for them may be provided by the railway company. A large number will go by the 5:40 motor, so as to take supper with the Ypsilanti boys.

One of the best entertainments of the those who heard the beautiful music under their present conductor, Duncan I. Miller. They give a charming entertainment and the church should be filled Tuesday evening.

Orders have been received and were pired and who retires from the service.

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The Millionaire Physician Hanged at Union, Mo.

The Case One of the Most Remarkable. Ever Passed Up by the Courts of Missouri-"Cottonhead" Schmidt and Sam Foster Executed at Clayton, Mo., for the Murder of Bertram Atwater, a Chicago Artist-The Boy Died Game.

Union, Mo., Feb. 16 .- Dr. Arthur Duestrow, the St. Louis millionaire, who on and child in that city, was hanged here 12:55 Tuesday. A few hours before the

The condemned man walked to the save his life.

Story of Duestrow's Crime.

On the afternoon of Feb. 13, 1894, Arthur Duestrow shot his wife, Albertine, and his 2-year-old son, Louis, at the family mansion in Lafayette avenue, near Compton avenue—a fashionable residence district of St. Louis. The child was killed outright, and the wife, after lingering a few days, died without consciousness. Duestrow. double murder was apparently without an incentive save a brain disorder, caused by the excessive use of liquor. Mrs. Duestrow was an estimable woman, the superior of her husband in point of education and refinement. She was cashier for a St. Louis afternoon paper before her marriage.

Duestrow, by the terms of his father's will, would draw \$6,666.66, a year as long as he lived

Led a Fast Life.

On coming into possession of his patrimony, young Duestrow led a fast life, and ill-treated his wife, who bore her sufferings in silence. On the day of the murder Duestrow offered to take his wife sleighing, and procured a sleigh for the purpose. As the sleigh drew up in front of his residence he ran up the steps calling his wife, and immediately began abusing her for not being ready. Ascending the hall stairs Duestrow encountered his wife on the second floor. She fled from him into her room. He followed and shortly afterward shots rang out. After shooting his wife, Duestrow stooped over her and called her name. Receiving no reply he grabbed up the child which stood near, and, holding it with one hand against the wall, shot it also.

A Remarkable Case.

The case of Dr. Arthur Duestrow was one of the most remarkable ever passed upon by the courts of this state. From the beginning Duestrow tried to make people believe he was insane and his attorneys, ex-Governor Charles P. Johnson and Charles T. Noland, did everything in their power to carry out that idea. A legal inquiry made as to Duestrow's mental responsibility, resulted in his being declared perfectly sane by a jury, before whom many experts were examined. When the trial on the charge of murder came up, a change of venue was taken to Union, Franklin county, where the case was heard before Judge Hirzel. It resulted in a disagreement. Duestrow was given a second trial and was convicted and sen-

DOUBLE HANGING AT CLAYTON.

"Cottonhead" Schmidt and Sam Foster Pay the Extreme Penalty.

St. Louis, Feb. 16.-At Clayton, a suburb of this city, and the county seat of St. Louis county, Peter, better known as "Cottonhead" Schmidt, and Sam Foster, colored, were hanged Tuesday. Peter Schmidt, who is only 16 years of age, was swung off first. He died gamely at 7:05 a. m. with a sullen look on his face and without any sign of repentance. Sam Foster, the big, brutal negro, who followed him to death fifteen minutes later, was so weak that he almost had to be carried to the scaffold. His lips quivered and his eyes filled with tears as the black cap was drawn over his head. Both died almost

The murder of Bertram A. Atwater occurred at Webster Groves, a few miles from St. Louis, on Jan. 23, 1896. Atwawas a well-known young artist of Chicago, and had come to Webster Groves to see his affianced, Miss Gen-They were soon to be married. Atwater rode out from St. Louis on an electric car, arriving at Webster Groves about 8 o'clock p. m. He engaged Peter Schmidt, a worthless young fellow, better known around the village as "Cottonhead" on account of his extreme blonde hair, to take his valise over to the Orton residence. Then he went into a barber shop to be shaved. Schmidt hurried away, saw his cousin, John Schmidt, and Sam Foster, and quickly formed a plot to attack Atwater while on the way to the Orton residence and rob him.

The two secreted themselves awaiting the approach of Atwater and Peter Schmidt, and when Schmidt gave the signal John Schmidt and Foster jumped in front of Atwater, telling him to throw up his hands. As his hands went up there was a pistol in the right one, and he shot John Schmidt through the breast. Sam Foster then fired two shots, one of which pierced Atwater's heart, and he fell a corpse.

"Cottonhead" and Foster ran away. "Cottonhead" went back to town and reported the affair to the sheriff. John Schmidt was found lying near Atwater badly wounded. Several days afterward, when he thought he was dving he told the whole story. John Schmidt is to be hanged also, but not until March 10.

Jackfon and Walling's Execution. Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.-Governor Bradley has fixed March 20 for the execution of Jackson and Walling.

Economy in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 16.—The eco-nomical streak in the house has led to the introduction of a bill abolishing the state geological survey.

FILLING A BULLDOG'S TEETH.

An Operation Which a Scranton Dentist

Did With Hesitation, but Success. A powerful and ferocious bulldog, owned by Dr. Ward of Scranton, Pa., enjoys the distinction of having a big gold filling in one of his incisors, and a MURDERED HIS WIFE AND CHILD. good many citizens, who have caught a gleam of the gold in his mouth, wonder how the filling was done. Some think it was done through hypnotic influence by the doctor over the dog, while others insist that it was through the dog's implicit obedience to his master's command.

The bulldog's name is Gem. He is as ngly in appearance as a prize winner in a dog show. His nose is a mass of wrin-Feb. 15. 1894, shot and killed his wife kles, and his eyes have a wicked gleam for any one but his master and Mrs. in the court yard of the county jail at Ward. His affection for them, however, knows no bounds. When Gem was disexecution took place, Duestrow threw covered one day clasping his muzzle beof the mask of insanity, sobbed like a tween his paws, rolling over and over woman and admitted that he killed his on the floor and moaning, his mouth was examined, and it was found that there was a hig cavity in one of the ingallows without a tremor, and mounted cisors. It was decided that a dentist the steps to his doom, without a shade should be consulted. The dentist found of fear passing over his face. He died | that it would be necessary to use a rubquietly and bravely, bidding a last fare- ber dam, and he promised to fill the well to the man who had fought to cavity provided Gem was etherized. This was done, and the operation was considered a successful one, although Gem evidently thought otherwise. Some time afterward the filling came out, and Gem's last state was worse than his first, for he refused to submit to another operation with ether. At the first sniff of the anæsthetic he not only added a score of wrinkles to those already in his nose, but showed his teeth in so dangerafter the shooting, went to the nearest ous a way that the dentist refused to police station and gave himself up. The proceed. Dr. Ward insisted that he could proceed. Dr. Ward insisted that he could make Gem stand on the table and have the tooth filled without wincing. The dentist was dubious about trusting his hand between the brute's jaws, but finally consented to try.

Gem was put on the table, and his master stood in front of him, kept his eyes fixed on Gem's and told him to open his mouth. Gem did so, and a rubber dam was soon adjusted in place. The dentist set to work with the instrument of torture called a bur, and one of Gem's ears went down in a threatening way, while the other remained cock-The doctor held one finger raised and kept his eyes fixed on Gem's, that never wandered from his master's gaze. The attitude of Gem's ears proved a barometer of his sufferings when the bur touched a spot close to the nerve. When both ears went down, the dentist knew he had gone as far as dogs' nature would let him go. Gem's eyes never wandered from the doctor's in the 11/2 hours the dentist was at work. Gem stood the final polishing, and when his master gave the word for him to get down from the table Gem danced with demonstrations of joy at his release. Since that day he has no trouble in masticating the biggest beef bone.-New York Sun.

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

Tobacco an Essential.

In a general order issued recently the president virtually recognizes tobacco as an article essential to the well being and sustenance of the soldier in times of great exertion, as well as in times of peace and routine. The order, which emanates from the war department, reads as follows:

"Under the authority vested in him president hereby establishes an emergency ration for troops operating for short periods under circumstances which require them to depend upon supplies carried upon their persons. Its component parts are as follows: Bacon, 10 ounces; hard bread, 16 ounces; pea meal, 4 ounces, or an equivalent in approved material for making soup; coffee, roasted and ground, 2 ounces, or tea, half an ounce; saccharin, 4 grains; salt, .64 ounce; pepper, .4 ounce; tobacco, half an ounce.

The secretary of war directs that this emergency ration be resorted to only on occasions arising in active operations when the use of the regularly established ration may be impracticable; that, although its nutritive qualities permit its use on half allowance, it will not be so used except in cases of overruling necessity and never for a longer period than ten days, and that not more than five days' emergency rations be carried on the person at one time.

By order of the secretary of war, the subsistence department will provide tough paraffin paper for wrapping the bacon; will furnish hard bread in greaseproof packages the pea meal in cylindrical packages, and the coffee, tea, saccharin, salt, pepper and tobacco in suitable packages. —Washington Star.

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Chicago Tanners May Strike.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Two thousand men employed in the tanneries of Chicago are involved in a prospective strike. It is said employers have entered into an agreement to cut wages from 5 to 15 per cent. and to increase the working hours from nine to ten each day. The men working have held several meetings and are resolved to strike if these regulations are put into effect.

National Editorial Association

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 16.-The twelfth annual convention of the National Editorial association opened auspiciously here Tuesday with several hundred delegates present. The visitors were royally welcomed. The first session of the convention was called to order shortly after noon at Harmony hall by R. H. Thomas of Mechanicsburg, Pa., the retiring president.

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They Caused a Commotion at a Ministers' Meeting.

NUMEROUS PROTESTS ARE HEARD.

The Editor of the New York Christian Advocate Savs he Does Not Believe in the Infallibility of the English Version of the Bible-The Declaration Followed by a Storm of Protests, but They Refuse to Record Themselves.

New York, Feb. 16.—At a meeting of preachers at the Methodist Book Concern, after a paper was read combatting Dr. Lyman Abbott's recent declarations concerning the Bible, the Rev. W. James Buckley, editor of the New York Christian Advocate, the official organ of the Methodist church, rose and boldly said: "I am sorry to disagree with the paper of my friend Curtis. I don't believe in the infallibility of the English version of the Bible, and I think there are scarcely four men in this meeting who do."

There was a gasp, a groan, a confused hum of voices, and then a chorus of protests. Dr. Buckley's language was practically a defense, a fortification of the declarations of Dr. Lyman Abbott. When Dr. Buckley had finally sat down the storm broke and his declarations were vigorously assailed.

Denounce Buckley's Views.

Clergyman after clergyman arose and in somewhat unclerical heat denounced the views of Dr. Buckley and Dr. Lyman Abbott. Dr. Shaffer of Newburg and Dr. Leonard of this city were the leaders in the discussion, Dr. Buckley declined fervent appeals to retract his words and demanded a vote on the question of the infallibility of the Bible. "If you doubt the infallibility of the Bible," cried Dr. Shaffer, "we can very well get along without you and all like

"You are afraid to have a vote taken, retorted Dr. Buckley. "I do not pretend at this time to question the infallibility

for stopped over Sunday in lower New York harbor. The failure of an air com-

pressor of the latter has lead to appre-

badly blistered. He said he had been without food for fifty hours. The penalty for train robbery in Arizona is

"Jack the Clipper" at Work.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Miss Lizzie String, 15 years old, residing at 159 Twenty-second street, is the latest victim of "Jack the Clipper." The girl encountered the fellow on Wabash avenue, a short distance south of Twenty-second street, at dusk Monday evening. Before she could resist the attack her assailant severed one braid and fled, running east in an alley. Though pursued several blocks by citizens who had witnessed the assault, the culprit escaped.

Woolen Mills to Resume.

Passoag, R. I., Feb. 16.—The woolen mill at Oak Valley will resume operations in a few weeks, after being idle for sixteen months. The other woolen mills in this section of the state are nearly all running, and a few small concerns that idle are making preparations to start their machinery.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 16.-The Roburn mills, which manufacture cotton goods will start up March 1. The mills have been closed for many weeks.

Want and Open Fishing Season.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 16.—The fisher-men have decided upon an organized movement to secure an open season for net fishing in Lake Winnebago. titions looking to this end have been circulated in Oshkosh and vicinity and have been very numerously signed. The members of all the labor unions of the city are heartily in favor of the fishermen and the signatures of all of those who were seen were procured.

New Treasurer of Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Feb. 16.-Joseph H. Thompson was Monday evening elected treasurer of the city of Minneapolis to succeed A. C. Haugan, resigned. Thompson is a successful business man, a millionaire, and a resident of the city since 1856. He is a native of Maine and s 63 years of age. He will file a personal bond of \$200,000 and a security company bond of \$500,000 and take charge of the office at once.

General Freight Agent Resigns.

St. Paul, Feb. 16.-W. J. C. Kenyon, general freight agent of the Chicago Burlington and Northern railway, has resigned and General Passenger Agent George P. Lyman is temporarily acting as general freight agent and will probably be given the appointment soon. Mr. Kenyon will not say where he goes, nor does he give any reason of that Helitakur. The factorization of that Helitakur.



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retorted Dr. Buckley. "I do not pretend at this time to question the infallibility of the Bible as it was written in Hebrew and the Greek, but I do question parts of it as it is written in English, and I want a vote taken."

Those who believed in the infallibility of the English version of the Bible were to rise and be counted. Only one man arose, Dr. Shaffer. The other clergymen, however, said they did not consider such a vote authorized.

BLCCKADE RUNNERS AT REST.

Admiral Bunce's Squadron Spends the Day at Target Practice.
Charleston, S. C., Feb. 16.—The fleet spent the day in target practice. For several hours the twelve, eight, and four-inch guns were operated, and the practice was the best that has been had since the vessels reached here. The cruiser Vesuvius steamed out of portin the afternoon outside the line of formation. This is expected to be run by the blockaders at night. The fog and rain, which are now prevailing, is interfering with the searchlights, and the feats of last Thursday and Friday may be repeated. The Marblehead has sailed for Jacksonville to relieve the Dolphin, and the latter is now expected to return here as a blockade runner.

The Maine has left the fleet for Port Royal. The monitors Puritan and Terror stopped over Sunday in lower New York harbor. The failure of an air compressor of the latter has legad to apure-

Notice to Creditors.

pressor of the latter has lead to apprehension that there may be trouble in working the turrets in gun practice.

Train Robber Captured.

Kingman, A. T., Feb. 16.—Deputy Sheriff Bouggett of Williams captured James Parker, the Nelson train robber, twenty miles north of Peach Springs late Monday afternoon. When overtaken he was wading in the middle of Diamond creek and offered no resistance. The bandit was completely worn out. His feet had been frozen and were badly blistered. He said he had been to the latter of the County of Washtenaw, made on the 15th day of the Propage Court, at the Frobate Office in the 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 14th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 15th day of May and on the 14th day of August next, at the Office is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that Dated, Ann Arbor, February 15, A. D. 188
H. WIRT NEWKIRK

Estate of Jacob Kern.

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 15th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and pingly-seven.

and ninety-seven.
Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jacob Kern,

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Kern, deceased.
Frederick J. Kern, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.
Thereupon it is ordered that Saturday, the lath day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for 'examining and allowing such account, 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, in said County, and show cause if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate A true copy. P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

Made Plain. Lawyer-Well, proceed.

Witness-The plaintiff resorted to an ingenious use of circumstantial evi-The Judge (interrupting)-For the

benefit of the jury, state in plainer language exactly what you mean by that. Witness-Well, my exact meaning is -that he lied!-Pearson's Weekly.

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(Trom the Grand Rapids Press.)

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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 eighthundred and ninety-seven Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Thomas Stewart, deceased

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

ricensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died sized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturiay, the 27th day of February next. at 10 o'clock in the formoon, 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, Arbous, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK.

(A TRUECOPY)

Judge of Probate.

P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register

Estate of Michael, Mary, Thomas and Thersa Agin.

Thersa Agin.

TATE 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 Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Michael, Mary, Thomas and Thersa Agin, minors.

Themas Murray and John Harris, the guardians of said wards, 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 dovernon be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of kin of said 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 grobate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account that said guardians give notice to the persons interested in said estate, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor. count and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Arbors, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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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. In the matter of the estate of James D. McMaster, deceased.

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 forence noon 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 ireulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Estate of Edward H. Clark.

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 Tuesday, the 5th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Edward H. Clark,

In the matter of the estate of Edward H. Clark, deceased,
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Francis Chaulin, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Leonhard Gruner, or some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered that Saturday, the 6th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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of Mussulman Rule for All Time-Strong Reinforcements of Greek Troops To Be Landed on the Island-Terrible Massaere Reported at Sitit-The Turkish Authorities Demoralized.

Canea, Island of Crete, Feb. 16.-[Copyrighted, 1896, by the Associated Italian, and Austrian flags are floating over Canea and the fact causes general satisfaction here. The state of uncertainty which has so long prevailed is now at an end and the Christians believe themselves to be rid, for all time, of Mussulman rule. There are 450 foreign marines ashore, and they occupy the best positions in the town, the British being quartered in a large building adjoining the telegraph office. The Russian, French, British and Italian warships each furnish 100 marines to the landing party, and the Austrian warship contributed fifty men to the foreign garrison. The utmost order is maintained, guards are regularly mounted, and the outskirts of the town are patrolled.

Told to Withdraw Troops.

Shortly after landing Monday afternoon the Italian officer, who is in command of the foreign force, by agreement between the naval commanders, issued a summons, addressed to the decedent was one of the most procommander of the Greek army corps ing young business men in Denver. at Platonics, Colonel Vasses, to withdraw his troops, and the insurgents were called upon to cease hostilities, The Insurgent General Succeeds in Passpending the decision of the powers as to the future of Crete. To this the Greek commander replied:

"I have come here with four battalions of Greek troops with orders to occupy the country and I must carry out my orders, pending further instruc-

The orders of the foreign admirals being confined to preventing the landing of Greek troops at Canea, Retimo, and Heraklion, they could not interfere with the Greeks under Colonel Vassos Later an officer was sent to Akrotiri to notify the insurgents of the joint occupation of Canea by the forces of the powers and calling upon them to lay down their arms and cease hostilities.

Great Massacre Reported.

The insurgents leaders promised to consider the matter, and it is understood will send a delegation for the purpose to Canea. A great massacre is reported to have occurred at Sitit, and the Italian warship Daria has been hastily dispatched to that place. Hadepa and its vicinity are now tranquil. It is reported that strong reinforcements of Greeks will be landed on the island shortly. The occupation of Canea was carried out by the foreign fleets with the consent of the Turkish officials, and it is not in any way likely to add to the complications at Constantinople. The commander of the Greek fleet was also formally notified of the joint occupation of this place. The Turkish authorities are demoralized and are simply following out the recommendations they receive from foreign admirals, who are acting in accord and consult upon every step to be taken.

Provisional Christain Government.

It is thought certain that the next departure will be the establishmnt of a provisional. Christain government of being given to the annexation of the island to Greece, although it does not seem as if that country was willing to wait any longer for the necessary all parts of the island not occupied by the foreign marines. If Turkey is willing to accept the situation and submit to the annexation of Crete to Greece the foreign marines will be promptly withdrawn and Greece, in turn, withdraw her fleet from Cretan waters

Ismael Bey, the Turkish official who has succeeded Georgi Brovitch Pasha as governor of Crete, has been in communication with the foreign admirals and it is understood that he has entered a formal protest against the landing of the Greek force at Platonics.

WORK ON HENNEPIN CANAL.

Orders Received to Clear Away All Timber on Right of Way. Princeton, Ills., Feb. 16.-Major James

C. Long, in charge of the engineering works on the Hennepin canal, has received word from the government engineeers of the war department to have the entire right of way of the canal so far purchased cleared of timber and prepared for the work of making the excavations. The right of way has been acquired as far west as Wyanet, and includes the distance from the Illinois river to the Summit level, where onehalf the locks will be located. The order authorizes Major Long to give the timber on the right of way to any persons who will obligate themselves to take it away. This provision was made so that the land would be cleared without delay.

Northern Pacific Sale Completed.

Milwaukee, Feb. 16.-Thesale of the Northern Pacific Railroad company's properties and the transfer to the Judge Jenkins entered an order in the Dcan's Ointment. It never fails. nited States court and directed Master in Chancery Cary to execute the deeds transferring the property and sanctioning the disposition of the proeeds as made by the master. This is the last act in the disposition of the property, but it will be years and years before the court is done with the liti-

British Commander Killed.

London, Feb. 16.—The morning papers publish telegrams stating that the British naval expedition advancing toward Benin City for the purpose of punishing the King of Benin, murderer of Consul Phillips' party, had met with strong op-Commander Pritchard was killed in fighting at Sapelo.

Mistaken for a Lynx.

Tomahawk, Wis., Feb. 16.-While John Featherston was going through the thick timber Monday he was taken for a lynx and received a charge of buckshot in the leg by a companion. Amputation will probably be necessary.

Accomplished. Denver, Feb. 16.—The special train Flags of the Powers Are Floating from Chicago over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and the Burlington and Missouri railroads, chartered by Henry J. Mayham, a Denver mining investment broker reached this city at 3:52 a. m. Tuesday, having run 1,026 miles in 18 hours and 52 minutes. This journey goes into history as the greatest railroad feat ever accomplished. The best previous railroad long distance record was 19 hours and 57 minutes for 964 miles over the New York Central and Lake Shore railroads, from New York

Mr. Mayham, who left New York Press.]-The Russian, French, British, Sunday on the Pennsylvania limited, chartered a special train at Chicago in order to reach the bedside of his dying agreed to take him to Denver in twenty-four hours. It was at first thought the trip might be made in twenty-one hours. Every resource of the Burlington system was brought into play and over two hours was clipped off from the best running time that was thought possible. On straight stretches of track the train covered more than 60 miles an to Denver, 118 miles, was made in 124 minutes, the train running an even mile a minute much of the distance. Mayham's son died a few hours before he arrived in Denver. Will Mayham, the son, was 21 years of age and was came ill and appendicitis in the most violent form quickly developed. The decedent was one of the most promis-

SHARP MOVE BY GOMEZ.

ing Weyler's Forces.

Chicago, Feb. 16.-The Record's Key West correspondent telegraphs as follows: A rumor is afloat in this city to the effect that private information has been received here regarding the whereabouts of General Gomez. This report says that Gomez has succeeded in passing General Weyler's forces in Santa not disdain to give economical hints, Clara province, and is now between to tell how the tailor around the corner Gomez commanded a general advance, giving strict orders that any man who struck a match or smoked a cigar should be court-martialed. Then he advanced on the old trocha at the west end of Puerto Principe with 500 cavalry and 10,000 infantry. The advance was made at midnight. The cavalry charged as soon as the Spanish soldiers discovered that the insurgents were upon them, and the trocha was passed and

the garrison captured. The whole army went through, and all arms and ammunition were taken from the Spanish forces which opposed it. The army continued on the march all night and encamped at Veguite. General Gomez' orders in taking the Spanish fort were to use the machete only. The cavalry made a gallant fight. The details which are added to the account of the action give a color of truth to the story, but Gomez has long been west of the trocha mentioned, crossing it would put him farther from Weyler. Any advance westward would bring him against General Weyler sevwhere between Santa Clara and Santo

Educators at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.-Five hundred tie incumbent also demand a "swallor members were present at the first session of the annual meeting of the department of superintendence of the National Educational association which was called to order Tuesday by President C. G. Gilbert of Newark, N. J., at Plymouth church. President Schurman of Cornell university; Edward M. Sham, dean of the School of Pedagogy, University of New York; Nathan O. Schaeffer, state superintendent of Pennsylvania; William T. Harris, United States commissioner of education, we spicuous among those who occupied

chairs in the auditorium. National senate and House.

bills, including one rearranging the judicial districts of Arkansas, listened to a long speech from Chandler in favor of bimetallism and of increased coinage of silver as a cure for the present depressed condition of business and indus-

The house by 115 to 79, not two-thirds, refused to pass over the president's veto a bill to increase to \$30 per month the pension of Nancy G Allabach, widow of Colonel Peter H. Allabach, One Hundred and Thirty-first Pennsylvania vol-

Actress Arrested for Shoplifting.

New York, Feb. 16.—Hattie Starr, formerly a members of Rice's "Evangeline" company, and who is the widow of Charles Harris, famous as 'Squire Tucker in "Alabama," is under arrest charged with shoplifting. She was arrested for stealing a few articles of trifling cost, and confesses that she took them, but says she must have been mentally unbalanced at the time, as drawing room, and holds this, with his she needed none of the articles and has stick and hat, in his left. The hat should ample means to supply any want.

Thousands are suffering excruciating misery from that plague of the night thing more than mere politeness is re-Itching Piles, and say nothing about it quired of the complete bachelor. His Northern Pacific Railway company, the purchaser, has been finally completed. will find an instant relief in the use of

County Teachers' Examinations.

Regular examination for all grades at Ann Arbor, the third Thursday and Friday of August, 1896, and the ast Thursday and Friday of March,

Special examination for third grades at Manchester, the third Friday of September, 1896. WM. W. WEDEMEYER, Commissioner Journal.

CASTORIA hat H. Fletchers wrapper.

AN IDEAL BACHELOR.

A WRITER WHO UNDERTAKES TO TELL ALL ABOUT HIM.

How He Must Dress and the Rules of Conduct He Must Observe to Be Classed as a "Complete Bachelor"-His Manner

With Ladies and Servants.

There are those who would say that a bachelor has no business to be complete: that it is the duty of every young man to marry at the earliest practicable moment and so give over the selfish joys of bachelorhood. But as long as young men in their lamentable desire to be comfortable refuse to look at the matter in that light there is need that they should be duly instructed in the properson, William B. Mayham, as quickly ties of their position, and what better as possible. The Burlington officials instructor could they have than the anonymous genius who writes of things "As Seen by Him" in that very fashionable publication, Vogue? It is he who tells them what "the complete bachelor" should be, and if they are wise they will listen to his words. All the contingencies which arise in the social life of the bachelor are duly considered. hour. The mountain climb from Akron, First, there is the matter of his public manners, in which many men who regard themselves as well bred are woefully deficient. They will smoke in the street, keep women standing on corners while they talk to them, sit while women are standing, carry sticks or umbrelmarried but a few months ago. Last las at offensive angles, stare women out Friday morning he appeared in the best of countenance at theaters or hotels, of health, but later in the day he be- and in general make nuisances of themselves. Now, a bachelor who will do any of these things is wretchedly incomplete.

Then comes the question of clothes.

Nothing more distinguishes the gentleman than what he wears. Nor is it enough, as many do, to be nice in the matter of gloves, shoes or cravats and owe large sums to the tailor. Dressing is not so much a matter of money as a matter of taste. After a man has put his wardrobe in proper condition he may get along remarkably well on a very small yearly sum. Our author does will do perfectly well some things for which the "swell" tailor would charge roundly, to explain how to get out of a suit the utmost possible service. Such things are beneath no man's attention, though he be a genius or a millionaire. Until the art of dressing properly is understood, the moral progress of society will remain an idle dream. We need not add that the man who wears a "made tie" belongs in the outer darkness of barbarism. It is gratifying also to note that the use of the Tuxedo, or house coat, is earnestly recommended. Since every complete bachelor will invariably dress for dinner, he will find in the Tuxedo an economical and easy substitute for the more rigorous full dress coat, and one that can be worn not only at home, but in informal companies of gentlemen and at the theater or in a public restaurant. We note that our author speaks a good word for the black tie with a Tuxedo, though he does not absolutely bar a white one. This is enty miles west of the trocha some- a question upon which no thoroughly satisfactory ruling has ever been made. For our own part, we think that those occasions whereon a man feels a white

tail" coat. The toilet is not less important than the dress. Scrupulous care in this respect is certainly the mark of a complete bachelor. That a man should take his tub every morning goes without saying. At the same time there is no need to insist upon the rigor of the game and say that the water shall be cold. Tepid water is best. "Every man should learn to shave himself." These are golden words. A barber is occasionally necessarv no doubt, but there is something offensive to refined sensibilities in the picture of a long row of men in chairs Washington, Feb. 16.—The senate having a part of their toilet performed. Tuesday after passing several minor Our author says nothing of the habit of having boots blacked in the street, justly regarding it as one so bad as to be unspeakable. Patent tooth powders, washes, pomatums and nostrums of every kind are condemned without reserve. This, too, shows good sense. The care of toilet articles is rightly insisted upon. A man cannot be a complete bachelor unless he is welling to take some trouble. The custom of wearing the hair long is disapproved.

No point is too minute for the consid eration of this thoughtful writer. The etiquette of cards is a matter upon which lamentable ignorance is often displayed, and in calling and dining out there are those who show the lack of breeding. The practice of grasping or squeezing the hand of a lady is (barring exceptional circumstances) unadvisable. "A man removes his glove from his right hand on entering the be at an angle, the top about level with his nose." This is important. But somegoodness of heart will come out in his must "exercise an iron will," he must also "encourage them now and then by Headache stopped in 20 minutes by Dr. a kind word." And once in awhile they Miles' PAIN PILLS. "Once cent a dose." must have a holiday or some cast off clothing. They, in their turn, should be "noiseless and automatic." Such The examinations of teachers for things too many young men forget. With this book however, they cannot with this book however, they cannot with this book however. With this book, however, they cannot go very far astray. They can learn how to behave at dances and at country houses and at clubs. If it be objected that on these subjects gentlemen do not Regular examinations for second need instruction, the retort is obvious. and third grades, at Ann Arbor, the third Thursday and Friday of October, 1896, and the third Thursday and Friday of June, 1897.

Heet institution, the recture is obvious. Persons who are not gentlemen have their ambitions and frequently try to become complete bachelors. And since this is so, let us be grateful for the this is so, let us be grateful for the mentor who is able to give them so much excellent advice. - Providence

> The father of biography was Plutarch. Critics are generally agreed that the model biography is that of Johnson, by Boswell.

THE ORIENTAL PEDDLER.

The Rawker of the East Adopts the Gambling System.

The hawker of the east is picturesque in costume and of many nationalities. His sunny smile and white, gleaming teeth are of the very essence of the blue sky overhead. He does not stand still in the street and appeal to passersby to buy his wares. He flits from cafe to cafe and interviews loungers smoking their nargiles in the open air. He adopts the gambling system as being a more direct appeal to human passions. In his hand he carries a lucky bag. When he enters a cafe, he invites you to dip your hand in the bag and try your luck for a pair of live turkeys, a beautiful Egyptian shawl shimmering with gold or silver embroidery, or some other of the many ornaments peculiar to the east. It is diffi-

cult to resist his persuasive eloquence. The method of procedure is this: In his lucky bag the hawker carries 200 numbers. The figures are neatly inscribed on small slips of stiff paper. These are rolled and curled up in the lucky bag, which resembles a pillow case more than anything else. When the peddler enters the cafe, his quick eye soon detects a likely customer. To start by doing a trade will greatly enhance his chances with others. Terms are arranged, say three tries for a half franc. Then you guess, perhaps three times, at the lucky number, say between 100 and 120, as arranged.

On drawing the first number you pay down your half franc. Of course the odds are very much against you. The hawkers in Cairo and Alexandria make a very fair harvest when these cities are full. As much as 15 to 18 francs for a turkey which costs 5 francs is pretty good profit. Somebody, of course, wins it in the long run.

The articles disposed of in this way comprise boxes of splendid peaches and other fruits, soap, flowers in great variety, plants and the beautiful poinsettia, turkeys and other live stock, game in season, fish, dates, a great variety of ornaments, cunning devices in

clocks, furniture, etc. There is another side to the picture. The eastern hawker would not be content with the mere gamble for a lucky number without exercising his natural ingenuity. While he is talking to a would be "flutterer" he drops his hand into the bag and begins shaking up the numbers. These, it should be explained, are made up in batches of tens and twenties, which are composed of a slightly different qualities of paper. In the bag is a false bottom. So delicate is Hassan or Abdul's touch that he can distinguish one batch from the other with his hand. Instantly you select your numbers he switches them off into the reserved compartment. You may easily be tricked half a dozen times in this way without knowing it. The face of the hawker on such occasions is a study.

Never for a moment does he relax his attention to you. His smile is sunny as the eastern morn. His respectful graciousness never leaves him. - Pearson's

A Monster Musical Instrument.

Magazine.

The most gigantic harp ever constructed, as far as the record goes, was that made by Veritan, the provost of

Burkli, near Basel, Switzerland, in That was a long while ago, but the fame of M. Veritan's gigantio harp was such that it is still occasionally mentioned by writers on the rare and the wonderful, just as the sea serpent, bloody rain, live mastadons, etc., are. M. Veritan's colossal musical instrument was 320 feet in length, and, on that account, was constructed in an open lot instead of in a harp factory. It was of ea most simple in construction, consisting of 15 wires strung tightly between two poles. These wires were of different sizes, the largest being one-sixth of an inch in diameter and the smallest onetwelfth of an inch. They were stretched north and south and inclined in such a manner as to form an angle of from 20 to 30 degrees with the horizon. This queer instrument was not intended as an exaggerated toy, but was constructed for the express purpose of foretelling changes in the weather, which were calculated by Professor Veritan according to the different tones the instrument made when the wind was blowing

A Royal Rider.

through it. -St. Louis Republic.

Queen Henriette of Belgium, by birth an Austrian archduchess, continues, in spite of her snow white hair and rank as a grandmother, to occupy her time with circus riding. A year ago she gave in the riding school of the royal palace at Brussels a semipublic performance, in which she and her daughter Clementine put their horses through all kinds of fancy paces and trick riding with the skill of professionals. They leaped their horses through burning hoops and over flaming hedges, and her majesty jumped a pet horse over a dinner table covered with flowers and lighted candelabra. Then she drove a team of 20-inhand herself, mounted on her favorite

10 cents a week (delivered).

\$1.25 for 3 months (by mail).

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of deaths from

Heart Failure ,.....

Of course

the heart fails to act when a man dies,

but "Heart Failure," so called, nine times out of ten is caused by Uric Acid in the blood which the Kidneys fail to remove, and which corrodes the heart until it becomes unable to perform its functions.

Health Officers in many cities very properly refuse to accept "Heart Failure," as a cause of death. It is frequently a sign of ignorance in the physician, or may be given to cover up the real cause.



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will remove the poisonous Uric Acid by putting the Kidneys in a healthy condition so that they will naturally eliminate it.

Estate of Thomas O'Brien.

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 Saturday, the 6th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

Fresent, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Thomas O'Brien.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas O'Brien, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Catherine O'Brien, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the Sth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, arc required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arhor, 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy]

P. J. Lehman. Probate Register.

[A true copy] Judge of Probate.
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Prohate 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 April, 1897, and on Friday the 16th day of July, A. D. 1847, 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.

Commissioners

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, sa. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1897, six mouths 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 46th day of April, and on the 26th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

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

Dated Aan Arbor, January 25, A. D. 1897. H. WIRT NEWKIRK Judge of Probace

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.

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, 1887, at ten o'clock in the forenoor 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 ince thains and forty-six links east from the south-west corner thereof and running thence north and parallel with the west line of said section the rehains and fifty-four links; thence east and parallel with the west line of said section than parallel with the west line of said section to seventeen chains and eighty-six links to a stake; thence east three chains and sixty-six links; thence south line of said section fourteen chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing th'rty-seven and one-eighth acres of land, more or less.

O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD,

Circuit Court Commissioner.

ng thry so, and, more or less.
O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD,
Circuit Court Commiss

E. B NORRIS, Solicitor for the Complainants.

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PERSONAL.

L. C. Weinmann is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. S. W. Clarkson is making a brief visit at Lansing.

Prof. and Mrs. E. D. Campbell are visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Flemming Carrow returned home from Bay City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Dibble are visiting Detroit friends for a week.

Mrs. J. E. Reighard and son have gone to Indianapolis on a visit.

Capt. C. H. Manly was in Detroit on business yesterday and Wednesday. Mrs. J. W. Drake is the guest of her

daughter, Mrs. A. J. McMillen, in

Mrs. Mark W. Harrington, of Seattle, Wash., will visit friends in the city next month.

Mrs. Snow and daughter, Miss R. Mae Campbell, are visiting friends in Milan and vicintiy.

There was a "faculty function" at Nickels' hall last evening, participated in by the Fifty Club.

her home on Packcard st.

guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, and family.

Miss Minnie Partridge entertained a party of young friends Saturday afternoon from 3 to 7 o'clock.

Miss Carrie Weitbrecht, of Howell, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Binder, jr., and other relatives.

ed the Whist Club, Tuesday evening, at their pleasant home on Huron st.

Mrs. Willard Holcomb and two children, of Pontiac, have been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Godfrey.

Mrs. Black, of Detroit, are guests of products, \$29,429.55. Mrs. E. A. Keith, of S. Thayer st.

Mrs. Henry Kyer, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. N. J. Kyer, for a few weeks. \$123,206.96. is visiting her husband's parents, Mr.

convention at Grand Rapids, Wednes-

C. E. Garwood has gone to Stanton, food and clothing, 8 cents; products, Va., to take charge of the repairing de- \$155,000. partment of the jewelry firm of Switzer & Gerbert.

Freddie Daly sung at the Colonial 091.38; no contracts. Dames reception in Detroit, Wednesday evening. He was accompanied by Prof. R. H. Kempf.

Mrs. Scott Firmin and Miss Flora Newell, of Finlay, O., are guests of their cousin, Miss Anna Bennett, of 52 S. Division st.

day evening to join her husband and him through the south.

Herbert C. Watts, of Syracuse, N. Y., has been visiting his father, J. C. Watts, since last Sunday. He will return home next Sunday.

Mrs. M. W. Howard, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Vaughan and other friends for several weeks, returned to Lansing yesterday.

Miss Anna A. Schriver went to description to the S3 counties. In many cases the serverted returns contained now expressed as a counties. she will read a paper before the Na- corrected returns contained new errors, tional Congress of Mothers.

W. M. Sturgeon has gone on a trip through central Ohio, and will afterwards locate in Tennessee. His family will follow him next summer.

The Bachelor's Club, in connection with the U. of M. faculty, will give a lessness and which should have been reception at Granger's academy, avoided. He will address a communi-Thursday evening next, Feb. 25.

at their residence 25 E. University ave.

Monday on his way home to Salt Lake says that had the November election istee, \$19.34; Bay City, \$19.28; Jack City from New York, where he had been attending to important legal bus-

Mrs. M. L. D'Ooge gave a reception at her home on Washtenaw ave., Saturday afternoon. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. and Miss Utterwick, her guests.

Association of that place.

mann, at Detroit, on Wednesday even-

Sister Mildred, accompanied by her Mother Superior and her father, Mr. Cosgrove, of Ypsilanti, called on her sister, Mrs. James Quinian, Friday morning, while on her way to Middletown, Ohio.

Alfred J. Paul has resigned the day will move onto his farm property in taken his position at the American. Mr. Paul's many friends will miss his smiling face from the hotel office.

PROBATE COURT NOTES.

Tuesday, Feb. 3-Hearing of final account of John Esch. Petition to sell real estate in Wm.

McMaster estate. Probate of will of Ann Brundage. In the Wm. P. Campbell estate, of

Manchester, which has been in contest for three years past, parties have stipulated for settlement.

The Master Masons' Party.

The Masonic dancing party at the temple Friday evening, was attended by about 110 couples. Excellent music was furnished by the Chequamegon and Minnis' orchestras, and dancing was kept up until 2:15 a. m. Bountiful refreshments were served by H. G. Prettyman in the dining room and red room during the evening. The drill room was used for round dances and the lodge room in which a canvas had been stretched on the floor, was used for square dances with an occasional waltz or two step thrown in. The rooms and hallways were all decorated with potted plants and bunting, the lodge room was amply decorated by the beautiful brilliancy of the 98 electric lights that have just been placed on the ceiling in artistic designs. Golden Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider, of Rule and Fraternity lodges treated Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with relatives their guests well and words of praise for the good management are heard on Mrs. Hadley and Miss Sager gave a all sides. The only thing that detractthimble party to a few friends Tuesday ed in any way from the perfect enjoyment of the party was the use of card programs. It was a decided nuisance and being made out for one room created considerable confusion, in that it could not possibly be made to conform to the dancing as carried on in the other.

Farmers' Institute "Round Up."

For the Michigan Farmers' Institute Round Up" at St. Louis, Mich., Miss Matie Tichnor gave a delightful March 2 to 5, the Ann Arbor railroad Valentine party Saturday evening, at will sell excursion tickets from all its stations to St. Louis and return at one Fred C. Wetmore, of Cadillac, is the and one-third fare for the round trip on the certificate plan.

Michigan Prison Statistics.

The annual reports of the state penal and reformatory institutions for 1896, have been sent to the legislature. From them the following statistics of the number of prisoners and employees, the and the value of the products of each have been gathered.

were 850 prisoners; 58 employees; sal- ular merit of entire authenticity. Capt. aries \$45,085.33; food and clothing Steele was sent to Cuba in 1873 by Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hazard and per diem per capita, 9 cents; value of

> Ionia reformatory—518 prisoners; 55 employees; salaries, \$37,207 68; food signed. and clothing, 81-7 cents; products,

Industrial school for boys-564 inmates; 50 employees; salaries, \$20,-

Industrial school for girls-304 inmates: 36 employees; salaries, \$10, 622.97; no contracts.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there Mrs. Fred Showerman left Wednes. Friday, February 26, 1897, from 10 struction of a lateral sewer district No. 6, otherwise known as the Ann and Sta e streets district.

GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk.

Defective Election Returns.

Secretary of State Gardner says that it was necessary last fall to send back for correction the returns from 54 of making it necessary to send for correcthen, despite the most strenuous efforts der Co., Chicago, Ill. of the board, the vote of many precincts, and in several instances of the entire county, was lost by reason of errors which resulted from someone's carecation to boards of election commission-Mrs. B. M. and Miss Ethel Thomp- ers, inspectors, county canvassers, and son gave an At Home to their friends county clerks, to use such care that no yesterday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock individual, precinct or county shall \$21.83; Ypsilanti, \$21.70; Ann Arbor, lose its vote because of errors in the \$21.30; Menominee, \$21.14; Pontiac, F. H. Holzheimer was in the city canvass or returns. Secretary Gardner \$19.90; Grand Rapids, \$19.88; Manbeen close the result would in many son No. 17, \$18.93; Battle Creek, cases have been entirely changed by errors. -Lansing Journal.

Feed Your Poultry Regularly.

An experienced raiser of poultry says there is one essential thing that must receive attention to insure success-the chickens and hens must be fed at regu-Rev. E. D. Kelly will give his lec- lar hours every day. Without this there ture on "The Greatest American" at can be no such thing as rapid growth. the opera house, Pinckney, this even- Of course, if the hens have the range of ing, under the auspices of the Lecture the farm they will get the bulk of their rate of (forty) 40 cents per yard. No food, but the flocks confined need at-Mrs. Adam Dieterle, Mrs. Enoch tention. It may seem of little import-Dieterle and Miss Anna Dieterle at- ance to pass a meal or to feed when tended the wedding of Mr. Samuel convenient, but these things tell Linsenmann and Miss Lillian Hoff- against the man who is after dollars.

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY.

Program of the Scottish Entertainment Next Friday Evening.

The program for the Scottish entertainment to be given next Friday even- mon council lasted just 30 minutes. ing, Feb. 26, at University hall for the All the aldermen were present except benefit of the woman's gym, is almost Ald. Maynard, Laubengayer and Coon. entirely arranged and the Argus is Very little business and that of a minor clerkship of the American house and able to present it to its readers this nature was transacted. week. The object the concert is for, Pittsfield about March 1. Ed. Lohr has the novelty of the entertainment, the pointed Silas P. Hill as special policebirth of one of the world's greatest university grounds, said services to be poets-Robert Burns, and the low price performed without expense to the city. the best attended entertainments that 19 others for the removal of the stone has been given in Ann Arbor this season. Below is given the program:

Bagpipe selection-Alexander Gray. Introductory-Robert Campbell. Song-"Scots Wha Hae," Harold

Highland Fling—Miss Aggie Rankin.
Paper—Prof. R. M. Wenley.
Song—"The Bonnie Briar Bush,"

Mrs. W. F. Haystead

Scotch Reel-The Misses Nettie Mc-Connell, Euphemia Clark, Maggie Mc-Ewen, Master Robbie Clark. Duett-"Huntingtower," by request.

Fantasia of Scottish Airs-Prof. A. A. Stanley, on Columbia organ.

Sword Dance-Miss Aggie Rankin. Song-"Here's Health Bonnie Scotland to Thee, ''Harold Jarvis.

Reel of Tulloch-The Misses Nettie McConnell, Euphemia Clark, Maggie McEwen, Master Robbie Clark. Duett-"The Crookit Bawbie," Mrs.

W. F. Haystead, R. S. Rankin. Irish Reel-Miss Aggie Rankin. Song-"Standard on the Braes o'

Mar," Harold Jarvis. Finale-"Auld Lang Syne," which the audience will join.

Ann Arbor Art School.

Mr. Paulus having given up the that purpose." management of the Art School, it has been decided to keep the studio and cangenents can be made.

The sketch class, which has been made to secure a good teacher for out wood to the north side kindergarten. of door sketching. For the present, Both recommendations were adopted. Miss Douglas will teach a class in drawing from still-life in charcoal, pencil, pen and ink, or water-colors.

The pupils will also be taught the

principles of perspective, preparatory tion at the Grand opera house on Monto out-door work. Terms \$5, payable day, Feb. 22. in advance, for the remainder of the year. This class will work every Saturday from 9:30 until 12 o'clock.

Saturday afternoon Miss Wetmore will teach a class in water-colors on the belle, despite the ardent courtship of same terms.

call at the studio, in the Savings Bank of Dixon's Bank, but betrays his trust, Block, on Saturday, or on Miss Douglas, at 62 E. Huron st., any time during the week.

Cuban and Spaniard.

The lecture "The Spaniard in Cuba, amount paid for salaries, the amount and the Cuban at Home," announced in Mr. and Mrs. John Travis entertain. it costs for food and clothing per day, another column to be delivered Feb. 23 and 24, under the auspices of the Students' Christian Association, at Newber-In the state prison at Jackson, there ry hall, has, for these times, the sing-Gen. Grant, and served there as consul at Matanzas, then the great sugar port of the world, until 1881, when he re-

This was during the nine years' war precisely like the present except that it Marquette prison—25 prisoners; 44 was less successful. The experience Stephen Craddock, are assignmed to her M. J. Cavanaugh and Charles A. employees; salaries, \$18,763.32; food was a strange one. Since the present as a butler and coachman. The men and clothing, 12% cents; no contracts, conflict began no one has succeeded in Detroit house of correction-477 pris- actually penetrating the lines and winners; 45 employees; salaries, \$36,000; ning out again without arrest. Capt. Steele's entire story is one of actual experience in life in Cuba. By his now has a fuller knowledge of the quarrel follows and Robert strikes his fighting Cuban and his enemies.

A Cook Book Free.

"Table and Kitchen" is the title of a new cook book published by the Price wife turns on her husband and says: Baking Powder Company, Chicago. Just at this time it will be sent free if will be a meeting of the committee on you write a postal mentioning the Arsewers, at the office of the city clerk, gus. This book has been tried by ourselves and is one of the very best of its a. m. to 4 p. m., for the purpose of kind. Besides containing over 400 retake a trip of 10 days' duration with hearing persons interested in the con- ceipts for all kinds of pastry and home cookery, there are many hints for the table and kitchen, showing how to set a table, how to enter the dining room, etc; a bundred and one bints in every branch of the culinary art. Cookery of the very finest and richest as well as of the most economical and home like, is provided for. Remember "Table and Kitchen" will be sent, postage prepaid, to any lady sending her address (name, town and state) plainly given. A copy in German or Scandinavian will be to places is legally engaged to her, ac-

Cost of Public School Instruction.

Kalamazoo, \$22.50; Jackson No. 1, \$18.86; Muskegon, \$18.65; Lansing, \$18.63. Of the cities Bay City, East Saginaw and Muskegon furnish free text books and supplies to the pupils.

Wanted-1,000 Yards of Stone. The City of Ann Arbor will purchase 1,000 yards of stone for the crusher, to be delivered at the city yard located on S. Main street, at the Ann Arbor rail-

road crossing. The city will pay at the

stone will be received of greater diameter than seven inches. GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk.

ANN ARBOR COMMON COUNCIL

Indulged in a 30-Minute Session Monday Evening.

Monday night's meeting of the com-

Mayor Walker reported having apfact that it is the anniversary of the man to act on and in the vicinity of the of admission, should make this one of A petition signed by J. Fred Bross and crusher, was presented to the council and on motion referred to a committee of three, consisting of Ald. Koch, Shadford and Burke.

The committee on sewers, to whom was referred the subject of a sewer in sewer district No. 5, recommended that Friday, February 26, from 10 a.m. to 4 p. m., at the office of the city clerk, be set as the time and place for hearing all persons interested. Adopted. The street committee asked for longer time on the subject of the bridge over the Michigan Central railroad and it was granted.

The special committee on charter re vision reported "that in their opinon no change in the charter is advisable at this session of the legislature." Adopt-

Ald. Burke presented the following resolution which was adopted:

"Resolved, That the board of public works be and are hereby instructed to purchase and set out in the city parks not more than 25 trees, that the work be done at once under the direction of the street commissioner, and that as large trees as the commissioner thinks can be made to live be used by him and that the sum of \$10 be appropriated for

The commtttee on fire department reported that in the matter of the bill continue the work until permanent ar- of C. L. Yost, for the new fire department team of horses the board of fire commissioners acted in good faith and working on Friday, will continue to do that the bill should be paid. They so. In the spring an effort will be farther reported against furnishing

A Strong Play.

"The Defaulter," Lincoln J. Carter's standard production, will be the attrac-

The story is laid in England and Australia. Robert Halm, a smooth, designing villain, succeeeds in gaining the hand of Millicent Little, the village Christie Bailey and Sir Gordon, the Anyone desiring lessons will please baronet. Halm is the trusted employe secretes valuable securities and ruins the bank. He is tried and sentenced to transportation for life. The blow is a terriable one to the wife, but her former suitors bravely and honorably belp her to bear it. Twelve years elapse before she gets word from her husband in his Australian prison. He directs her to come to him and bring a tin box whose secret contents are the ill-gotten gains of the bank robbery. Mother and a daughter, in the first blush of womanhood are united with the father, whom they still believe to be innocent. Halm directs his wife to establish herself in a luxurious mansion and ask the prison authorities to permit her the use of two convict servants. By her request, her husband and his accomplice, use the bank's funds in leading a riotous life Craddock asks the hand of his partner's daughter Halm yields to his friend, but Millicent spurns the idea of a convict husabnd for her daughter. A The woman's courage rises, her abiding love of years being blighted in an in stant, and the play climaxes when the "You are my convict servant; I discharge you." The ingrate husband goes back to his drudgery in the mines. Mr. Carter has secured an excellent cast for "The Defaulter," and the play is set with rich and appropriate

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth, Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle

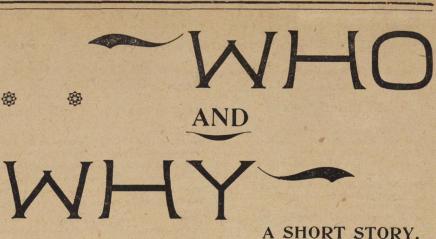
A Legal Engagement.

The following is taken from an exchange and the Argus publishes it for what it is worth: "A man who goes to see a girl twice a week and takes her sent if desired. Postal card is as good cording to a recent decision, whether tions the second and third time. Even as letter. Address Price Baking Pow- he says anything to her about marriage or not, and she could recover suit for breach of promise. It is hoped that the girls will take advantage of this From statistics as to the cost per decision and force the young men to capita of instruction in the public marry them. Young men have a habit schools, gathered by Robert E. Bunker, of loafing about a girl's house for years of Muskegon, the following figures are and then drifting away without saying obtained: East Saginaw, \$29.98; De- a word about marriage, and while a troit, \$25.58; West Bay City, \$23.01; young man is loafing about a girl's house he probably keeps some one away who would talk business."

"Lessons From Lincoln."

Luther Laflin Mills, the eminent criminal lawyer, of Chicago, who spoke on "Lessons from Lincoln's life," at University hall last Friday evening, was greeted with a large and appreciative audience in spite of the numerous other attractions. Mr. Mills in the course of his lecture, paid an eloquent tribute to the martyred president and was frequently applauded. Several members of the legislative committee, who were visiting the university, were among the audience.

F. KRAUS, general auctioneer, Ann Arbor, Mich., will attend to all sales in city or county on short notice. Charges reasonable. Residence two miles from court house on Dixboro Baltimore Oysters at BESIMER'S.



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