

## Easter Sunday April 10

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## A DEMOCRATIC GAIN

### Of One in the County Board of Supervisors.

## HOT TIME IN CHELSEA

### Which Resulted in Hi Light-hall's Return.

### Politics Did Not Cut Much Figure in the Ann Arbor Ward Elections. —A Light Vote Polled All Over the County.

The election Monday in this county failed to see many changes, but as a rule the democrats did slightly better than last year. They gained one member of the board of supervisors. Of the townships thirteen elected democratic supervisors and seven republican. If the township returns furnish any indication as to how the county stands, it would seem as if the democrats had a little the best of it. The Argus has taken some pains to gather complete returns and flatters itself with being the only paper to contain the number of votes cast for every candidate who ran for office in this county last Monday, the vote on each defeated constable even being included. It will be seen that our returns are absolutely complete. They are given without much comment but will bear study by all the politicians. In all cases names of the democratic candidates are placed first and republicans second, so that all may know on what ticket each candidate was and the loss of space through repeating the words democrats and republican is avoided.

### ANN ARBOR CITY.

The democrats gained two aldermen in Ann Arbor city and materially reduced the republican majorities in the first and seventh wards. The democratic ticket in the fifth went through with flying colors. The new council stands: 9 republicans to 6 democrats as against 11 to 4 last year. Of the seven new aldermen elected Monday six have never seen service on the council before, which carried out a prediction frequently heard that the people would change the council as soon as they got a chance at it. The vote in this city was as follows:

### FIRST WARD.

Supervisor—Eugene G. Mann 164, Henry S. Dean 138. Dean's majority 29.

Alderman—Harry W. Douglas 165, Henry Richards 191. Richards' majority 26.

Constable—William Eldert (republican) 214. There was no opposition to Mr. Eldert.

### SECOND WARD.

Supervisor—Sid W. Millard 280, Arthur E. Mumfery 91. Millard's majority 189.

Alderman—Emanuel L. Schneider 162, Simon Dieterle 213. Dieterle's majority 51.

Constable—Paul Schall 208, Fred J. Huhn 168. Schall's majority 40.

### THIRD WARD.

Supervisor—John J. Fischer, republican, 176 (no opposition.)

Alderman—Henry C. Exinger 180, Jesse A. Dell 141. Exinger's majority 39.

Constable—Otto Schroeder 141, W. H. Bowen 176. Bowen's majority 35.

### FOURTH WARD.

Supervisor—William Walsh 151, Herman Krapf 174. Krapf's majority 23.

Alderman—Arthur Brown 176, William N. Brown 146. Arthur Brown's majority 30.

Constable—Henry C. Meuth 140, John Laughlin 177. Laughlin's majority 37.

### FIFTH WARD.

Supervisor—James Boyle 88, Newton Felch 69. Boyle's majority 19.

Alderman—George W. Weeks 90, Lorenzo D. Grose 68. Weeks' majority 22.

Constable—Asa Allen 106, Sam Taylor 50. Allen's majority 56.

### SIXTH WARD.

Supervisor—Bradley M. Thompson 47, Arthur J. Kitson 130. Kitson's majority 83.

Alderman—Martin J. Cavanaugh 48, Dr. Charles Howell 130. Howell's majority 82.

Constable—Wm. Jolly 44, Fred Cleaver 131. Cleaver's majority 87.

### SEVENTH WARD.

Supervisor—Charles A. Ward 109, G. Frank Allmendinger 136. Allmendinger's majority 27.

Alderman—Lewis T. Limpert 95, A. B. Stevens 148. Stevens' majority 53.

Constable—William Zebbs 103, A. H. Gage 139. Gage's majority 36.

### THE NEW COUNCIL.

The new council of Ann Arbor is composed as follows, new members being marked with a star:

President, Gottlob Luick.

First ward, Francis M. Hamilton, Henry Richards.\*

Second ward, John Koch, Simon Dieterle.\*

Third ward, George W. Sweet, Henry Exinger.\*

Fourth ward, Frank Vandawacker, Arthur Brown.\*

Fifth ward, George Spathelf, jr., George W. Weeks.\*

Sixth ward, Emmett Coon, Charles Howell.\*

Seventh ward, C. Homer Cady, Alonzo B. Stevens.\*

### YPSILANTI CITY.

Ypsilanti city elected a democratic mayor by 77 majority and three out of five democratic aldermen, causing the new council to stand 6 democrats and 4 republicans. One democratic and

one republican supervisor was elected a democratic gain of one supervisor, being the only change made in the political complexion of the board in the county. The vote on mayor was: D. L. Davis 704, Dr. L. M. James 627. Davis' majority in the fourth ward was 122 and in the fifth 95, while James' majority in the first was 60, second 50, third 30. For justice of the peace in the first district, composed of the first, second and third wards Geo. W. Gill had 258, H. W. Childs 567. In the second district for justice Frank Joslyn received 329, William L. Beardsley 155. For supervisor, first district, the vote was: Elisha Loomis 281, Sumner Damon 539. In the second district the vote on supervisor resulted; Elmer McCullough 247, Daniel L. Ostrander 238. The vote on constables was: First district, Edward H. Jackson 361, Exum Johnson 446; second district, Millard R. Fletcher 263, James B. Arms 214. On alderman the vote was as follows, First ward, Martin Dawson 195, Frank E. Stowell 143; second ward, Claude Pearsall 76, J. F. Ferguson 132; third ward, John F. Lamb 268, George S. Barnes 115; fourth ward, Milo B. Scaffer 124, John N. Howland 60; fifth ward, Milo E. Gage 149, Ike Davis 151. Milo E. Gage, the defeated candidate for alderman in the fifth ward, filed a petition for a recount of the ballot yesterday morning, and deposited \$10 to pay the expense if he was beaten. The recount was held in the afternoon and resulted in giving Mr. Davis two more votes than he had before.

### BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Democrats carried the board of supervisors again this year, gaining one in Ypsilanti city. The other towns and wards went as last year. The board therefore stands democrats 16, republicans 13. There is however some change in the personnel of the board. There will be eight men on the board this year who were not there last year, and of these only two, Supervisors Tuomey and Van Sickle, have seen previous service on the board. Of the remaining six, three are republicans, and three democrats. They are marked with stars in the table given below. The two new men from Ann Arbor city, Col. Dean and G. Frank Allmendinger, will be heard from on the board as they are both astute men and good talkers. It has been stated that they were not put upon the board to promote republican harmony, although they are both strong republicans. The following constitute the new board of supervisors:

### Ann Arbor City:

First ward—Henry S. Dean, R.\*

Second ward—Sid W. Millard, D.

Third ward—John J. Fischer, R.

Fourth ward—Herman Krapf, R.

Fifth ward—James Boyle, D.

Sixth ward—Arthur H. Kitson, R.

Seventh ward—G. Frank Allmendinger, R.\*

Ann Arbor town—Cornelius L. Tuomey, D.\*

Augusta—Samuel S. Bibbins, R.

Bridgewater—George L. Walter, D.

Dexter—John D. Clark, D.

Lima—Edward Beach, D.

Lodi—Daniel Seyler, D.\*

Lyndon—James Howlett, D.

Freedom—Frank Dettling, D.

Manchester—William Butters, R.

Northfield—William Donagan, D.

Pittsfield—Morton F. Case, R.

Salem—Arthur Van Sickle, R.\*

Saline—William M. Fowler, R.\*

Scio—Byron C. Whittaker, D.

Sharon—William F. Hall, D.

Superior—Walter H. Voorheis, D.

Sylvan—Hiram Lighthall, D.

Webster—Bert Kenny, R.

York—Archibald McIntyre, D.\*

Ypsilanti town—John L. Hunter, R.

Ypsilanti city:

First district—Sumner Damon, R.

Second district—Elmer McCullough, D.\*

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## STILL AT WORK.

### The Directors are Pushing the Dexter, Lansing & Ann Arbor Road.

The meeting of the directors of the L., D. & A. A. Wednesday of last week was the most important one held yet. The preliminary survey was ordered to be made and the engineers started out Monday for the purpose of measuring the distance accurately and determining whether the best route has been selected. The altitude, levels, etc., will be taken.

One hundred thousand dollars is all the aid that will be asked of Lansing, Ann Arbor and the intermediate country, which is less than one-seventh the cost of the proposed line.

Secretary Taylor will push subscriptions along from now on. He is going right at it and it remains with the people now to say whether they want the road or not. The sooner the subscriptions are ready the earlier the road will be built. If subscriptions are ready in sixty days the road will be running Sept. 1.

The breaking out of war is the only thing now that can interfere with the building of the road, if the aid is forthcoming from this city and other points. —Dexter Leader.

Speaking of the Lansing, Dexter & Ann Arbor Railroad, the Lansing Journal says: "A milk train, painted white, will be one of the features of the proposed Lansing, Dexter & Ann Arbor electric railway. Regular trains will run every hour and a half, equipped with double-trucked, vestibuled cars that will be daisies. Every other car will be an all passenger coach and the alternate coach a combination passenger, mail and express. Open excursion cars will be run for the excursion business. Even the freight cars will be "beauts." Farmers can have a side track run right to their barn doors and can have a steam car from any part of the steam railway system of the country switched off into their barnyards. Farmers' homes and premises lighted by electricity is one of the many conveniences made possible and contemplated by the directors of the southern electric line.

## TO WRECK THE TRAIN

### Three Ties Placed on the A. & Y. Track.

## A LOADED SHOTGUN

### In the Hands of an Excited, Irresponsible Man

### Was the Cause of Judge Newkirk Rescinding a Probate Court Order. —The Merits of Brick vs. Asphalt for Pavement.

A dastardly attempt to wreck the electric car on the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti line was made on the 7:50 run between Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor Wednesday night, and only for the careflessness and presence of mind of Motorman Vail and the fact that the small car was in use would have resulted seriously. The car was running at its usual good rate of speed when near the stone schoolhouse in Pittsfield Mr. Vail discovered an obstruction on the track. He promptly turned off the current and put on the brakes. The car reached the obstruction before it stopped, but luckily pushed it forward along the track. On examination the obstruction was found to be a railroad tie and further along two more ties were found on the track. The villain had intended to make his work sure, but failed. There were five or six passengers on the car at the time.

Yesterday Mr. Vail swore out a complaint before justice Duffy against Aaron Canine, of York, charging him with the crime. The sheriff's officers are going after him today.

## WENT GUNNING FOR A JUDGE.

### George Morton With a Shotgun Persuaded Judge Newkirk to Rescind an Order.

Yesterday Judge Newkirk issued an order to send the three sons of George Morton to the state school at Coldwater as they are growing up on the streets. He was cautioned by Mrs. Morton that if the children were removed from their home his life would be in danger as her husband was a man of violent temper and irresponsible. The boys, however, were taken to the jail preparatory to being sent away.

Shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon the judge was standing at the window in his office, when he saw Morton rush out of the door of his house, which is directly opposite the court house, with a double barreled shotgun in his hand. He tried each of the doors of the court house, but as it was after hours they were all locked.

Among other things that Mrs. Morton had told the judge that afternoon was the fact that her husband had threatened to shoot on sight the men who should be instrumental in sending away the children. After reaching home the judge thought the matter over and arrived at the conclusion that the taking of the children to Coldwater just at that time was worth less than his life and rescinded the order. The children are still here.

### Will Own Its Own Plants.

The question of whether the village of Chelsea should own the waterworks and electric light systems at present in use there was effectually decided Friday when a vote of the property owners taken to see whether the village should borrow \$43,000 for the purchase of them carried by nearly five to one. The election was a quiet one, but 414 votes were cast, however, of which 341 were for the purchase of the waterworks plant and 73 against it. The vote on purchasing the electric light plant stood 333 for and 81 against. Thus the warm fight between the Glazier and anti-Glazier factions is ended, peace reigns in Chelsea, and the village owns its waterworks and electric lighting systems. A good point gained.

### Nearly Lost an Ear.

A freshman law student named Henry B. Cole, whose home is in Pontiac, was riding a bicycle about three miles out on the Ypsilanti road at a rapid rate on Sunday afternoon when he ran over a stone and the rim of his front wheel broke. The fork dropped to the ground and bent back and he went flying through the air. He was rendered unconscious by the force of his fall on the hard ground and his left ear was almost torn from his head, it only hanging by a small piece of the skin at the upper edge of the ear. He was taken into a farm house near by and Dr. J. G. Lynds was sent for, who attended to his injuries.

### Doubled the Judgment.

In the circuit court Saturday morning a motion to double the judgment of \$465 rendered in the case of William Bell vs. Charles Rinehardt was heard by Judge Kinne. M. J. Lehman and A. J. Sawyer appeared in behalf of the complainant and D. C. Griffen and Captain E. P. Allen represented the defendant. Judge Kinne sustained the motion and at the same time granted the defendant 10 days in which to move for a new trial. Capt. Allen says this motion will be argued in a few days. The grounds on which a new trial will be asked are principally "the excessive judgment."

## BRICK VS. ASPHALT.

### President Smith Visits Two Eastern Cities and Reports on It.

President W. B. Smith, of the Board of Public Works, has recently paid a visit to the cities of Buffalo and Rochester, N. Y., for the purpose of investigating the cost and durability of the different pavements in use in those cities. His investigations, which were made in most careful and systematic manner, should have great weight with our people in deciding the question of brick or asphalt paving for Main st.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 25, 1898. I find in Buffalo, that they have some 220 miles of asphalt pavement. That some 205 miles of the asphalt pavement all complete cost some three dollars per square yard. They commenced building asphalt pavement in 1885. Last year, '97, they built 138,320 square yards of the asphalt, at a cost of \$305,525, which would be \$2.21 per square yard, which covers everything complete. Up to '96 the repairs had been very little. But in '97, on 205 miles they laid out \$100,000 in repairs. That would make it \$487.87 per mile for repairs. They had some old cobble stone pavements which was in good shape, which they covered with about two inches of asphalt, which is to-day the best asphalt pavement they have in the city.

They have six miles of brick pavement built of the Canton, Ohio, brick, which has cost them all complete \$2.60 per square yard. Some of it is on heavy traffic streets, and some on residence streets, and some has been down six and eight years, without costing a cent for repairs, and some of that brick pavement was as fine as any I ever saw.

They have 113 miles of the Medina sandstone blocks, on the heavy traffic street, which cost all complete \$3 per square yard. This is wearing well, and costs practically nothing for repairs.

They have 1 1/2 miles of macadam street, which cost all complete \$1.30 per square yard. But the stone used are limestone and sandstone chips from the quarries, which can be produced at a very low figure.

And the engineers all say here, by all means put in surface water drainage, and in addition to that here, they put in a small drain tile underneath each gutter, as they have a great deal of trouble to get rid of the water.

I think you will see by this, that the cheapness and durability is in the brick. They now require a ten-year guarantee on all contracts for asphalt paving.

Very Resp'y, W. B. SMITH.

Rochester, N. Y., March 26, 1898.

In 1893 they built brick pavement all complete at \$2.40 per square yard, of the Canton and Melborne brick of Ohio. On another street in 1895, they built with the same brick all complete at \$1.95 per square yard. On another street in 1895 with the same brick all complete, at \$1.84 per square yard. And on still another street in 1895, they built of the same brick all complete, at \$1.78 per square yard. In 1896 they built four miles of brick pavement with the same material all complete, at \$2.24 per square yard.

They have 2 1/2 miles of stone block which cost all complete, \$2.75 to \$3. per square yard.

In 1897 they put in Medina sandstone block, 25 miles, at \$1.70 per square yard.

In 1885 they began to build the asphalt pavement, and up to '96 it had practically cost nothing for repairs. But in '97 there were 10350 yards, which cost them \$1,200 for repairs.

In 1897 they built sixteen and twenty-one one hundredths miles Trinidad Lake asphalt. Also six and eighty hundredths miles of the vulcanite asphalt, thirty and sixty hundredths miles in all. Required a ten-year guarantee. Retain ten per cent of the total cost of asphalt pavement for ten years, allowing the contractor to have the back interest on the same, provided it was not needed to keep up repairs. And in addition to this a bond of 30 to 40 per cent was required as additional security in case the ten per cent was not sufficient to keep up any or all repairs. This bond is required to be issued by some good responsible Trust Company which is allowed to do business in the state.

In building the asphalt pavement, they use six inches of cement foundation, with the curbing of Medina sandstone, and one inch binder with two inches of asphalt.

The brick pavement is on the same foundation, and they have found that the large Melborne or Canton brick, ten and one-half inches long, make the best and most durable pavement for heavy or residence streets.

The engineer says, by all means put in surface water drainage or your pavement will be thrown away, as water is a great destroyer of pavement.

A contractor took me out onto some asphalt pavement, went to the gutter where it showed a little moisture, took up his knife, cut into the pavement, taking up a little of it between his fingers just as you would a piece of rotten stone; and he says the greatest objection to asphalt pavement is its rotting down and crumbling up so.

Very Resp'y, W. B. SMITH.

### High School Junior Ex.

The annual exhibition of the junior class of the Ann Arbor high school will take place this evening at 8 o'clock in High School hall. The program of exercises is as follows:

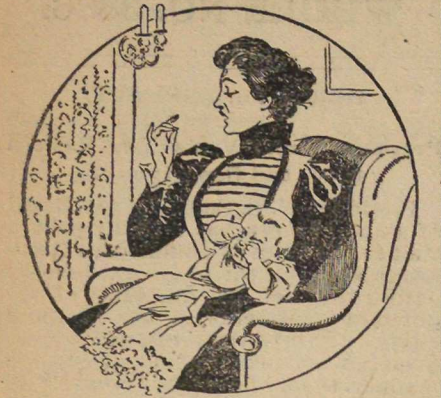
- Music.....Prayer.....Music.
- Cuba.....Edwin R. Braun, Dixboro.
- Learning a Foreign Language.....Bessie J. Carson, Ann Arbor.
- Character.....Albert S. Bennan, Chilson, Music.
- Is it Anybody's Business?.....Or. Harmon, Ann Arbor.
- Lieutenant Cushing.....Thurlow E. Coon, Ann Arbor.
- University Settlements.....Louise H. Tatlock, Ann Arbor, Music.
- History's Help.....Harlow D. Grose, Ann Arbor.
- The Monroe Doctrine.....Elmer R. McPhee, Newberry.
- The Chinese as They Are.....Eva M. Wood, Ann Arbor, Music.
- Benediction.....Music.

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"The end of one of my fingers began to itch and soon there was a collection of watery blisters under the skin, which broke and discharged a watery substance, and the flesh became inflamed around my finger nail. It kept getting worse and spread toward the knuckle. Then I began doctoring for poison, using carbolic acid for a wash and putting on poultices. The sore did not get any better, however, and soon it appeared on the next finger and continued to spread. It pained me so much I could not do my housework. I was given a prescription for salt rheum, but found it hurt my nursing baby and I stopped taking it. The disease then appeared around the nails on every one of my fingers and my suffering was terrible. I could not attend to my boy and was advised to wean him, but I hesitated about this as he was puny and his digestion was poor. At this time I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. Before I had finished the first bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla I could see a difference in my boy; he was more

quiet and getting better. When I had taken two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and a box of Hood's Pills I found my hands getting better. I kept on with



Hood's Sarsaparilla and my hands continued to improve and now they are perfectly healed. My little boy is strong and healthy. Hood's Sarsaparilla has given me strength to do my housework. My husband has taken Hood's and says it is as essential in the family as flour." Mrs. PROSPER ANTOINE, Box 23, Justus, Pa. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

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## WASHTENAWISMS

William E. Stocking is moving on his farm in Lima.

A Mr. Wilson has rented H. W. Bassett's farm in Augusta.

Geo. Nixon has purchased Mrs. Frances Beach's farm in Lima.

L. T. Hoover has rented nine acres of land in Augusta from Charles M. Smart.

Ernest Hill, of Saline, is at the hospital in Ann Arbor to undergo an operation.

The junior exhibition in connection with the Saline high school takes place this evening.

Jacob Kline, sr., of Lima, is failing in health so seriously as to be confined to his bed.

J. A. Doty has bought the J. Everett farm in Augusta and now owns 120 acres of land there.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fowler died at her home in Saline, March 27, aged 7 years, after a long illness.

Wm. and Cal Bird, of Augusta, with their families have gone to northern Michigan. They made the journey in a covered wagon.

Mr. Leonard Embury and Miss Minnie Schweikert were married Tuesday, March 21, by Rev. J. S. Edmunds at the Congregational parsonage, Chelsea.

A pie social was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin in Sylvan, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Sylvan Christian Union, which was well attended and much enjoyed.

Lafayette Grange will meet with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt, of Chelsea, today. The questions discussed will be "Every day cooking in the farm kitchen," and "Should the U. S. acknowledge the Independence of Cuba?" There will also be music and recitations.

An "illustrated evening of song" was given at the Delhi school house last Saturday evening, and the same entertainment was given at the Webster Congregational church, Monday evening, for the benefit of the Sunday schools of each place. The entertainments were well attended and were successes both pleasurably and financially.



Behind every great man you will find a great mother. Behind every great man you will find a healthy mother. A child's physical and mental welfare depend to a tremendous degree upon the mother's condition during the period of gestation. If, during these critical months, the mother suffers from weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that bear the burdens of maternity, the chances are that her child will be weak, puny and sickly, with the seeds of serious disease already implanted in its little body at birth. If the mother, during the interesting period, suffers from the abnormal mental states which recur periodically with women who are weak in a womanly way, these conditions will impress themselves upon the mind of the child. Every woman wants children who are both physically and mentally healthy. Every woman may have that kind of children if she will take proper care of herself in a womanly way. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best of all medicines for prospective mothers. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs that bear the burdens of maternity. It makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and tones and builds up the shattered nerves. It banishes the usual discomforts of the critical period, and makes baby's introduction to the world easy and almost painless. It insures the little new comer's health and a bountiful supply of nourishment. A book about keeping well. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. For paper-covered copy send 21 one-cent stamps to cover mailing only. Cloth binding, 31 stamps. Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

E. H. Linden is constructing a fine barn on his farm in Bridgewater.

Joseph Kyte, of Saline, has rented the Kraus farm in Ann Arbor town.

"Auntie" Davis, the only colored resident of Manchester, is seriously ill.

Nowlin Bros. have removed their sawmill from Dearborn to Whitmore Lake.

Michael Alber, of Freedom, will build a large dwelling house this spring.

Miss Agnes Obersmith is teaching the spring term of school in district No. 3, Freedom.

Mrs. Magdalena Renau, widow of Henry Renau, died in Freedom, March 26, aged 75 years.

Miss Corrine Seeger will teach the spring term of school in fractional district No. 12, Lyndon.

David Rockwell and family, of Chelsea, moved to Ithaca, Monday, which will be their future home.

Amos Ketcheson has sold his farm in Augusta to Wm. Webster, of Ypsilanti, and thinks of going to Dakota.

J. J. Raffrey and A. W. Wilkinson will erect a two story brick building 23x30 in Chelsea this spring.

Charles McCorkle, son of Rev. McCorkle, formerly of Ypsilanti, died at his home in Detroit Wednesday of last week of typhoid fever.

The roads in some parts of Freedom, where clay predominates, have been so bad this spring that at one funeral which was held there it took four horses to draw the hearse in order to get through.

The Whittaker Young People's Association has been reorganized with the following officers: President, W. D. Simonds; vice president, Mary Scholts; recording secretary, Muri Bordine; corresponding secretary, W. A. Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Hammond; organist, Ethel Bordine; chorister, W. A. Anderson.

Moses Woods, father of ex-Deputy Sheriff Jay M. Woods of Chelsea, died at the home of his son at Burlington, Kans., Sunday, March 27. He was born in Clarendon, N. Y., June 6, 1811, and lived there until he was 30 years of age when he was married to Miss Lydia M. Preston, and moved to Sylvan Center. In 1868 he moved to Kansas.

The Western Washtenaw Union Farmers' Club will hold its next meeting Thursday, April 21, at the home of Emil Zenke, in Freedom. The topics for discussion will be "What relation should we sustain to our schools?" and "If the U. S. should adopt the postal savings bank system, how could the funds be safely utilized so as to bring the greatest good to the greatest number of people?"

On Tuesday of last week the supreme court handed down a decision in the case of William Lewick et al vs. Frank P. Glazier et al. in the matter of the validity of the defendant's contract with the village of Chelsea for a supply of water from the waterworks system owned by them. Last summer the case was decided against the defendants in the circuit court, Judge Kinne deciding that the contract was void. The supreme court decided that the meeting of the village council at which the contract was made with the Glaziers was a legal one and the contract one that the council had the power to make. The decree reversed the decision of the circuit court with costs to the defendants against the village.

A farmer near Niles was swindled recently by a new scheme which has just been put into practice. A couple of men drove on his premises and presented papers purporting to give state authority for examination of wells and cisterns under the pure food law. They inspected the water through a microscope and found all kinds of microbes, bacteria, cholera germs and typhoid fever bugs. They permitted the farmer and his other half to look through the microscope they carried. Of course they saw a menagerie that always was and always will be contained in a drop of water. The thoroughly frightened farm folks were advised to apply certain remedies, which the fakirs sold to them at a high figure, and then went on their way. An analysis of the remedy proved to be plain soda and nothing more.

John J. Marvin, of Ypsilanti, has been granted an \$8 original pension.

The Lancaster Sunday school in Bridgewater organized for the summer last Sunday.

One of the twin children of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ballou, of Hudson's Mills, died March 23, aged about two months.

The machinery of the Manchester creamery has been removed to Brooklyn, the farmers having ceased to support it.

The Ypsilanti Township Sunday School Association will hold an institute at the Baptist church, Ypsilanti, April 29.

Augustus E. Runyan died in the town of Columbia, Jackson county, March 24, aged 48 years. He was born in Bridgewater.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Stony Creek M. E. church now has 21 members, seven new ones having been recently added to it.

Dr. C. E. Sheldon, of Dexter, contemplates opening a dental office at Hamburg and will spend a portion of each week at that place.

The northern part of Webster township has purchased a road making machine and will make an endeavor to have good roads in that section.

Rev. E. W. Ryan, presiding elder, will conduct quarterly meeting at the Webster M. E. church next Sunday and will preach at Hamburg in the evening.

Prof. C. H. Carrick, superintendent of the Milan schools, was offered a like position at Alma but has declined. The Milan school board has raised his salary.

Miss Rose Scully, who has taught the school in district No. 7, Manchester, for three years past, will teach for the spring term in the Nichols district of that town.

The Brooklyn Exponent has been sold by its former proprietor, Mrs. Clough, to J. B. Stephenson, formerly principal of the Brooklyn schools. He will take possession July 1.

Walter Scott and family, who have been residents of Salem for the past 11 years, have bought the Frank Abrams farm in Brighton township, Livingston county, and have moved there.

Miss Verna Pratt, of Holly, and Mr. Louis A. Rice, of Ypsilanti, were married at Holly Wednesday evening of last week. They will be at home at the Rice farm on the motor line after May 1.

Mrs. J. S. Dickerson, of Dundee, injured a foot last January and it was placed in a cast. Since then both arms have become paralyzed, and she is in a bad condition, being unable to go around on crutches.

A Sharon farmer left a row of potatoes in his garden undug, last fall, and a few days since he dug them and had some cooked, which he found all right, and is preparing ground to plant the balance.—Manchester Enterprise.

Wurster Bros. & Co., of Manchester had a procession of 27 teams loaded with McCormick machinery the other day, which they had sold this spring. They gave the purchasers a dinner at the Freeman house.

Gust Wuerthner, of Manchester, was examined in Detroit last week for admission to the naval department of the government. If he passes inspection he hopes for a position as cook or baker on board some man of war.—Manchester Enterprise.

William Tont, son-in-law of A. G. Willsey, of Dexter, died in Detroit, March 24, aged 37 years. His remains were brought to Dexter March 26 and interred in Forest Lawn cemetery. The funeral services were held in St. James' church Rev. H. Stonex officiating.

The Northfield Sunday school convention at its recent meeting elected as its officers George J. Darkens president, Ida Deyle secretary, and Miss Leland treasurer. The officers were chosen as a delegation to attend the county convention which meets in Ann Arbor next week.

The North Sharon Sunday school has organized, with the following officers: Superintendent, Hector Cooper; assistant superintendent, John Lemm; secretary, Mabel Ordaway; treasurer, Max Irwin; librarian, Agnes M. Obersmith; assistant librarian, Pearl Cooper.

Ypsilanti township farmers are plowing for oats.

Strawberries at 45 cents a quart were a "feature" in the Ypsilanti market last week.

Mrs. Bridget Morris died at her home in Ypsilanti Friday night at the great age of 95 years.

Many Superior farmers will hire their men by the day instead of by the month this year.

H. D. Platt has been elected manager of the butter factory for the Ypsilanti Dairy Association.

Chester B. Gregory died in Ypsilanti Tuesday of last week, of paralysis, aged 66 years and 9 months.

Mrs. McCone, of Mason, a sister of Mrs. P. W. Ross, of Ypsilanti, suffered a stroke of paralysis last week.

A Jackson club has been formed in Northfield which numbers nearly all the democrats in the township on its rolls.

Henry N. Willard, of Bay City, has commenced a suit for divorce against his wife Mrs. Mary J. Willard of Ypsilanti.

The Dundee post office has been raised to the third class and Postmaster Pulver's salary is now \$1,000 per year, with allowance for clerk hire, rent, fuel, lights, etc.

Mrs. L. E. Bissel died at her home in Ypsilanti Monday evening of pneumonia. She had been an invalid for 20 years. Her husband and one daughter survive her.

Mrs. Thomas Morse, of Lima, died Thursday evening of last week of cancer of the stomach, aged 59 years. The funeral was held Sunday at the house, and the remains were interred in the Lodi Plains cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband and three children.

Leads All Others. "I was troubled with boils and sores for a long time and tried many kinds of medicine without much benefit. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and a few bottles of it cured me. I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla leads all others and recommend it for the blood." CLAUDE YOUNG, Millbrook, Michigan.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills. Mailed for 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Real Estate Transfers. Cathrina Haas to John G. Bauer, Lima, \$6,600.

John F. Eisele to David E. Hoey, Scio, \$900.

Mary E. Stewart to James and Mary Kelso, Ypsilanti, \$700.

Andrew Allison to Mark A. Lowery, Chelsea, \$250.

Patrik Brannock to Richard Green, Manchester, \$514.71.

Frank E. Holcombe to Etta Culver, York, \$624.99.

Bert E. Dunn to Edward L. Dunn, York, \$500.

Michael E. Sage to Christian Lambarth, Lodi, \$6,400.

Jas L. Rose to Hugh Shields, Scio, \$4,000.

Louisa A. Cooper to Elvira Clough, Ypsilanti, \$50.

Matilda A. Clark to Job A. Marshall, Ann Arbor, \$1,000.

Philip Henne to Christian Bohnett, Lodi, \$1,500.

Christian Bohnett to Lydia Honning, Lodi, \$1,600.

August Jahn to Lydia Leitz, Lodi, \$1,100.

Jay Everett to E. J. Kulenkamp, Sharon, \$3,000.

Joshua Cox to Naomi Darling, Augusta, \$1,175.

Clarence G. Taylor to Lydia Morrison, Augusta, \$2,500.

Anton Latarguski to A. Maciegowski, Augusta, \$1,200.

City of Ypsilanti to M. C. R. Co., Ypsilanti, \$1.

Theron Goodspeed to M. D. Prindle, Ann Arbor, \$2,560.

Frederick Schmid to John Burgardt, Ann Arbor and Scio, \$3,450.

John Schauffele to J. J. Schauffele, Dexter, \$2,000.

John Wheeler to Stearns Wheeler, Webster, \$1.

Jean V. Wheeler to Stearns Wheeler, Webster, \$1.

Levi Carr to Ellen Alley, Dexter, \$100.

Ellen T. Alley to Henry Booth, Dexter, \$1.

Ernest Elsassner to Catherine Leoffler, Dexter, \$1,600.

Lucy Childs to Mary Hoover, Augusta, \$425.

Henry Cornwell to Ann Arbor Water Co., Ann Arbor, \$1.

A. K. Hale to Ann Arbor Water Co., Ann Arbor, \$1.

William Asquith to Ann Taylor, Dexter and Webster, \$1.

Mary J. Maynard to City of Ann Arbor, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Daniel Reeves to John Gates, Saline, \$800.

Minnie Salisbury to Martha N. Alban, Augusta, \$500.

Harry Matthews to John Rose, Ann Arbor, \$2,642.49.

James L. Babcock to George Huss, Dexter, \$6,500.

W. J. Wallace to James H. K. Taylor, Ypsilanti, \$425.

James H. Taylor to Martha L. E. Duncan, Ypsilanti, \$2,028.

John Podewits to Helena Podewits, Northfield, \$1.

Elizabeth Pray to William Winans, Northfield, \$100.

Helena Podewits (guardian) to John Podewits, Northfield, \$1.

George W. Thomas to Hugh Montgomery, Ann Arbor, \$4,500.

## VILLAGE DOINGS

Sharon.

Morey A. Pierce is much improved this spring.

Little Linda Steinegeweg is suffering with whooping cough.

Floyd Pardee and Mr. Rowe were in Grass Lake last week.

Miss Leda Trolz, of Norvel, spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Anna Kuhl commenced work at M. A. Pierce's on Monday.

Louis Bruntz died at his home on Sunday morning after a long illness.

Election went off very quietly with the election of the entire Democratic-Union-Silver ticket with the exception of treasurer. The ticket is as follows: Supervisor, William F. Hall; clerk, Ashley Parks; treasurer, Louis Dresselhouse; justice, Bert D. Rose; highway commissioner, Charles Fish; member of board of review, William B. Meyer; school inspector, Bert Gieske.

Pittsfield.

Wedding bells are continually ringing. Mr. Lewis Rice and Miss Pratt, of Holly, were married at the bride's home Wednesday, March 30. Mr. Garrison Price and Miss Olive Day were married in Ypsilanti, Wednesday afternoon, March 30. Mr. Ed Hutzel and Miss Julia Chalmers were married at the home of the bride's parents last evening. Congratulations are extended to all.

The Pittsfield Union Sabbath school opened its 20th year last Sunday with 64 in attendance. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent, W. J. Canfield; assistant, Henry Blair; secretary, Delia Harwood; assistant, Mabel Carpenter; treasurer, Evan Webb; assistant, Elmer Harris; librarian, Alice Begole; assistant, Bert J. Bray; organist, Minor White; chorister, Sara Parsons.

How to Look Good. Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach be disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at the Drug Store of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, of Manchester. 50 cents per bottle.

Lima.

Mike Sobantz spent Thursday and Friday in Jackson.

Gus Sott, from Ann Arbor, called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Bertha Spencer spent part of last week in Ann Arbor.

George Mitchell, from Detroit, called on friends here Saturday.

Will Stocking, from Lansing, spent Sunday and Monday here.

Several from here attended confirmation at Rogers' Corners Sunday.

Town meeting was very lively this year. Each party secured a part of the offices.

Mrs. Hattie Bradley, who has been helping to care for Mrs. Morse, returned to her home at Battle Creek Monday.

Died—Thursday, March 31, 1898, at her home in Lima township, Mrs. T. F. Morse, aged 59 years. The deceased had been a resident of Lima for 33 years, removing there from Lodi. She was well known to the people in this part of the county. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Klingmann, of Scio, officiating. The interment took place at Lodi Plains. She leaves a husband, and three children, May, Amy and Charles.

Webster.

Miss Victoria Fobey closed a very successful five months' term of school in district No. 6 last Saturday.

O. A. Kenney, who has been in California the past two months, has returned to his home in Webster.

Mrs. A. R. Lowe entertained her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Green, of Green Oak, last Saturday.

Miss Chamberlain has returned to her home in Battle Creek after spending the winter with relatives in this vicinity.

Messrs. Thomas and Lewis gave an "illustrated song service," in the Congregational church, Monday evening, which was highly spoken of.

Miss H. Anna Quinby, of Edenton, Ohio, and Miss Alice Nash, of Detroit, will give a recital in the M. E. church Friday evening next, April 15. As these ladies are highly spoken of as elocutionists the people of this vicinity may expect a treat.

The third quarterly meeting service will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday, April 10. Love feast at 9:30 a. m., followed by preaching by Dr. E. W. Ryan, of Ypsilanti. After the sermon Dr. Ryan and the pastor, Rev. Pearce, will administer the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Moses Fifield's Wives.

Moses Fifield of Brookfield, Mass., has been married for the fourth time. He is eighty years old, and the last three marriages have been within the last six years. His first wife died of paralysis seven years ago; his second wife fell out of a cherry tree; his third wife was killed in a runaway, and Mr. Fifield is so sturdy and stout as to be likely to outlive the fourth, even should no accident occur.

# The Kidneys

are the seat or the starting point of many maladies, all of them serious, all more or less painful, and all of them tending, unless cured, to a fatal end. No organs of the body are more delicate or more sensitive than the kidneys. When symptoms of disease appear in them not a moment is to be lost if health is to be restored. The best way to treat the kidneys is through the blood, cleansing it from the poisonous matter which is usually at the bottom of kidney complaints. For this purpose there is no remedy equal to

# Ayer's Sarsaparilla

"For many years I have been a constant sufferer from kidney trouble, and have tried a number of largely advertised kidney cures without benefit. At last a friend advised me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The use of eight bottles of this remedy entirely cured my malady."—MARY MILLER, 1238 Hancock Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Church Buried in the Sand. Engineering Magazine: There are several instances where lighthouses have been increased in height because of the sand which has engulfed them.

In one place on the New Jersey coast I once stumbled upon the corner of an old rail fence which had been buried and exposed again on the ocean side. It marked the site of an old field. On the North Carolina dunes, chimneys projecting above the sand belong to the houses of an old fishing village. In France and other parts of Europe villages have been buried. At Soulae in Gascony a cross was discovered projecting above the sand. Further investigation showed that it was attached to a steeple, and later a well-preserved church of the thirteenth century was excavated. The church is now in use.

Dig down to the cause of your sickness, if you want to get well and stay well. Most likely it's indigestion. The irritating poisons of fermenting, putrid food, left in the stomach by indigestion, cause headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizziness, stomach ache, nausea, irritability, and all the other well-known symptoms of indigestion. They also cause many pains and disorders which are often laid to other causes and hence are not easily cured. But as soon as the poisons are removed all these symptoms and disorders disappear, because there is nothing left to cause them. Nothing succeeds in this like Shaker Digestive Cordial, because it prevents the undigested food from fermenting in the stomach and helps the stomach to digest its food. Sold by druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

## The Gender of the Moon.

In English, French, Italian, Latin and Greek the moon is feminine, but in all the Teutonic tongues the moon is masculine. Which of the twin is its true gender? We go back to the Sanskrit for an answer. Prof. Max Muller says: "It is no longer denied that for throwing light on some of the darkest problems that have to be solved by the student of language nothing is so useful as a critical study of Sanskrit." Here the word for the moon is mas, which is masculine. Mark how even what Hamlet calls "words, words, words," lend their weight and value to the adjustment of this great argument. The very moon is masculine, and like Wordsworth's child, is "father of the man."—Moon Lore.

## MRS. PINKHAM'S VICTORY

Mrs. Sidney Hamlet.

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Red House, Va.—To Mrs. Pinkham: "My heart goes out in sympathy to all who are suffering with troubles peculiar to the female sex.

"I would like to express my gratitude for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. I have been a sufferer since girlhood; did not then know the cause of dreadful sick headaches and other troubles. I could not take long walks, lift or carry anything heavy, and was very nervous.

"Last summer I was almost an invalid; could not walk across my room without pain. I sent for our physician. He pronounced my case a bad one of 'Prolapsus Uteri,' congestion and ulceration of the womb, and said I was to lie abed. I was so distressed to find myself so helpless and useless to my family; I saw your Compound advertised and thought I would try it. I took several bottles, and used the Sanative Wash and Pills as directed, and now I am as strong as I ever was, and do all my own housework. I can walk more than a mile without any inconvenience. Oh! I am truly grateful. I cannot write the good you have done me. Words are inadequate to express it. May God bless you for the good you are doing."—MRS. SIDNEY HAMLET, Red House, Va.



DON'T GO IT BLIND.

There's No Need to in Ann Arbor - The Way is Almost Hedged with Guide Posts.

Have you ever read a newspaper article, a glowing account of some incident; told in elusive words to lead you on, and found it ended with a proprietary medicine advertisement?

Mrs. Jno. Kuebler, of 212 Miller Ave., says: "Some time ago I caught a severe cold which settled in my back and kidneys and brought on an attack of lumbago or backache. There was a constant, heavy, dull, aching pain across my loins. It was painful for me to stoop or lift anything. I could not rest comfortably at night and always felt tired and unrefreshed in the mornings. I was generally run down and languid. Having seen Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and recommended so highly I went to Eberbach & Son's drug store and got a box. I did not take all of them before I was cured and I have had no return of the trouble since. I gladly recommend their use to others."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

A DEMOCRATIC GAIN

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ANN ARBOR TOWN.

The Ann Arbor town democracy elected their supervisor again this year, in spite of a hot fight, by a majority of 7. They also elected clerk, treasurer, school inspector and constables, while the republicans elected highway commissioner, justice and member of the board of review. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Cornelius L. Tuomy 108, Smith Botsford 101; clerk, Charles F. Staebler 128, Edward T. Blake 77; treasurer, John H. Cowan 117, George Green 89; highway commissioner, James J. Parshall 89, John Schenk 118; school inspector, John J. Jetter 122, Charles J. Mowerson 82; justice, O. R. L. Crozier 84, Foster Brown 117; member board of review, Andrew Smith 95, Fred B. Braun 112; constables, Fred Kraus 114, Thomas Downs 114, Frank Smith 112, Adolph Bunge 113, Benjamin Blewitt 87, Frank Robinson 88, Milton Keppler 90, John Campbell 98.

AUGUSTA.

The straight republican ticket was elected in Augusta by majorities of from 26 to 77. Supervisor Bibbins is returned by the largest majority of any one on the ticket, being only 8 less than his majority last year. The vote was about 40 less than last year. There were 10 straight Liberalist party tickets polled and a few splits which do not appear in the vote below. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Wm. A. Russel 137, S S Bibbins 214; clerk, Frank J. Hammond 153, John Lawson 195; treasurer, Walter R. Mason 152, James B. Bunton 191; justice, J H Rosendorth 147, James A. Blackmar 193; highway commissioner, Thomas Gots 161, J Frank Towler 187; school inspector, John Hitchingham 142, John E Herrins 199; board of review, Chris Henning 136, Charles H Greenman 202; constables, John Henning 143, Charles Gots 142, Joseph Harris 146, John Dawson 143, Edwin S Butts 199, James E Albright 197, Wm Kline 195, Fred G Norman 198.

BRIDGEWATER.

Good old reliable Bridgewater elects the entire democratic ticket from 54 to 67 majority and is represented again on the board by Supervisor Walter. The vote by which this victory was won was: Supervisor, George Walter 94, Philip F Blum 27; clerk, W H Every 85, H D Walter 31; treasurer, A B Shutes 85, Win Springer 31; justice, Franklin Johnson 85, Thomas Van Gieson 33; justice (vacancy) James Benham 86, Frank Jenkins 31; highway commissioner, O F Blum 84, W C Rogers 33; board of review, Charles M Greene 85, A Bartlett 31; constables, C L Gadd 82, A Mitchell 83, Henry Dewey 83, Fred Vetter 82, Clyde Knight 32, Fred Crosby 33, A Dickerson 33, Theodore Westphal 33.

DENTER.

This township elected the entire democratic ticket by majorities ranging from 8 to 47, Supervisor Clark leading his ticket. Two members of the board of review were elected, both democrats, without opposition. There was no opposition to the democratic candidate for highway commissioner. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, John D Clark 111, Richard S Whalian 64; clerk, James E Guinan 110, John Spiegelberg 58; treasurer, John E Hall 91, Henry

Schieffert 83; justice, Chas A Jewell 106, K H Wheeler 66; highway commissioner, John Ledwidge 112; school inspector, Emanuel Andros 109, Edward W Daniels 59; members of the board of review, Thos Dolan 109; James Walsh 108; constables, John Hughes 103, Sidney Thurston 108, Wm. Engel 101, Peter Madden 109, Ralph McNeil 65, Charles Voorheis 62, Max Robbins 68, George Reade 60.

LIMA.

The democrats of Lima did well on Monday electing their supervisor by 27, treasurer by 62, school inspector by 10, member of the board of review by 27, and two constables. The republicans elected clerk by 56, justice by 36, highway commissioner by 18 and two constables. Cutting was freely done on all the offices, even constables coming in for liberal cutting.

Exactly the same number of votes were cast for supervisor as last year, the vote was as follows: Supervisor, David E Beach 132, Theodore Wedemeyer 105; clerk, Jacob J Kline, jr, 91, Otto D Luick 147; treasurer, John Gran 147, Edward Weiss 85; justice, Albert Widmayer 97, Herman Fletcher 133; highway commissioner, Daniel Wacker 107, Russell T Wheelock 125; school inspector, Fred Wenk 120, Sam Smith 110; board of review, Edward J Parker 129, Samuel Tucker 120; constables, John Grau, jr, 130, Frank Leach 123, Charles Paul 103, Alfred Kaercher 97, Edward Weiss 101, William Tuttle 107, Arlington Guerin 127, Leroy Leach 133.

Lodi.

Lodi swings into line with 98 democratic majority, electing the entire ticket, the lowest democratic majority being 79. The vote by which this victory was won was as follows: Supervisor, Daniel Seyler 140, Roland Finch 42; clerk, Jacob Bierkle 140, Avery Downer 42; treasurer, Julius Wahr 129, George Boudet 50; justice, George J Mann 135, Gideon Hoyt 46; highway commissioner, Jacob Luckhardt 137, William Clements 44; school inspector, William Rentschler 136, Alfred Humphrey 45; board of review, Godfrey Zahn 137, Arthur A Wood 43; constables, Jacob Hanes 136, Charles Lambarth 135, John Meyer 137, Michael Greening 136, Flavius D Ford 45, Abram Deible 45, Jedidiah Cornell 44, Gottlieb Kuebler 45.

LYNDON.

Lyndon had but one ticket in the field, the democratic, which was elected as follows: Supervisor, James Howlett 54; clerk, John Young 5; treasurer, Nathan Howe 54; justice, A J Boyce 48; highway commissioner, Mathew Hankard 54; school inspectors, Hersbell Watts 54, George May 54; board of review, Orson Beeman 54.

FREEDOM.

That Freedom is democratic goes without saying and Supervisor Detling deservedly comes back to the board. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Frank Detling 123, Gottlieb C Mann 55; clerk, Edwin Koebe 120, John Gru 57; treasurer, Charles F Alber 127, Lambert Reno 49; justice, Frederick Gross 124, Wm Haessler 52; highway commissioner, Frank Reisch 124, Henry Breitenwischer 52; school inspector, Fred L Feldkamp 124, Bernhard Huehl 52; board of review, Charles Stierle 124, John Staebler 52; constables, Paul Kress 124, Charles F Feigl 125, Sam Feldkamp 124, Charles F Alber 124, Adam Schneider 52, Andrew Braun 51, Frederick Kuehner 52, Daniel Heiber 53.

MANCHESTER.

The entire republican ticket was elected in Manchester by from 26 to 109, the big majority being of course that of Supervisor William Burtless, probably the best runner the republicans have in their ranks in the county. The democratic ticket bore the heading, "Democratic Union - Silver - Ticket." The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Edgar S Hagaman 205, William Burtless 314; clerk, Jacob E Blum 243, Samuel H Perkins 269; treasurer, Howard B Clark 234, Frederick Kurfess 281; justice, Matthew T Prout 242; Benjamin G English 269; highway commissioner, William Hensy 218, James Wallace 295; school inspector, Ambrose Kirk 228, Earl F Chase 290; board of review, Thomas Holmes 228, Franklin Hall 282; constables, Robert Hildinger 234, Charles Kirk 232, William Sloat 231, Charles Kreitner 228, John Schaffer 279, Adam J Schaible 280, Homer Hall 283, Edwin S Blythe 284.

NORTHFIELD.

Northfield had but one ticket in the field, the democratic and it received 62 votes, excepting justice and constables who received 61. The following township officers were elected: Supervisor, William H. Donegan; clerk, Theodore F Prochnow; treasurer, Michael Kennedy; justice, Michael Duffy; highway commissioner, Fred M Zeeb; school inspector, Frank Taylor; board of review, John O'Connor, constables, Michael Hays, John Danner.

PITTSFIELD.

Pittsfield is republican as ever on a very light vote as follows: Supervisor, Charles W Rose 28, Morton F Case 81; clerk, Alfred J Paul 32, James H Webb 78; treasurer, Charles Mills 31, George C Wiley 78; school inspector, Valmore C Nichols 30, Christopher C Sherwood 79; highway commissioner, John E Fiegel 33, Austin F Smith 76; justice, Herman Rayer 33, Amos Lohr 76; board of review, Charles Roberts 30, Ralph Rice 79; constables, Charles W Kempf 31, Gustave Schenk 29, Joseph S Cady 78, Frank H Ticknor 80.

SALEM.

Salem remained in the republican column by majorities of from 65 to 91. The vote on the town ticket was as follows: Supervisor, Herbert Smith 73, Arthur VanSickle 156; clerk, Roy Waterman 81, C L Bussey 146; treasurer, Lewis Hagan 73, Frank Rider 144; justice, P H Murray 77, J B Herick 150; highway commissioner, Wil-

liam Murray 67, Benjamin Atobinson 158; school inspector, W I Savary 158; board of review, Daniel E Smith 74; Wm Naylor 154; constables, Fred Rider 154, Frank Rider 154, Charles P Mason 152, Martin Boyle 154.

SALINE.

The republican ticket carried Saline by from 11 to 81. Matthew Seeger gets the big majority, while George J Nissly made a great run for supervisor, cutting the republican majority in the township down to 11, a gain of 103 over the republican majority for supervisor last year. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, George J Nissly 201, Willis M Fowler 212; clerk, David Sears 165, Ashley B Van Duzen 212; treasurer, Andrew Lindenschmidt 192, William F Walker 219; school inspector, E Everett Russell 164, Henry Lindenschmidt 242; highway commissioner, Charles G Alber, 192, Fred Moehn 215; justice, Charles M Fellows 163, Matthew Seeger 244; constables, Charles Carven 182, William Clough 174, Mathias Rentschler 170, William Stierle 171, Sela Fitzgerald 232, Fred Jery 232, Charles Graf 233, Wilber Cornish 232.

SCIO.

The vote for a spring election was fairly well out in Scio being 23 larger than last year and the democrats made a clean sweep by majorities from 17 to 110, Supervisor Whitaker, as usual leading his ticket. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, B C Whittaker 267, Fred Jedele 17; clerk, J W Barley 248, no opposition; treasurer, William Andros 222, R Dennis Walker 197; justice, Marons S Cook 224, John L Smith 191; highway commissioner, Charles Knight 228, Arthur Lyon 192; school inspector, C W Stebbins 225, C Walter Tubbs 194; board of review, George A Peters 218, Jacob Reichert 201; constables, Fred Lathrop 241, Pat McCabe 219, Chauncey Crytz 216, Dan Hoye 212, Byron McCauley 164, Benjamin Foster 194, C W Walker 197, Clifford Parker 197.

SHARON.

Sharon went democratic by good majorities, Supervisor Hall having double the vote of his opponent. The majorities were from 7 to 60 and the vote was: Supervisor, William F Hall 114, Lyman S Hulbert 57; clerk, Ashley Parks 116, Elmer E Bowers 56; treasurer, William J Schlicht 82, Lewis Dresselhouse 89, justice, Bert D Rose 108, Conrad J Hesselshwerdt 61; highway commissioner, Charles Fish 107, John W Dresselhouse 63; school inspector, Bert Gieske 108, Henry Hesselshwerdt 61; board of review, William B Meyer 107, Frances W Smith 64; constables, William J Schlicht 103, Bert D Rose 108, Josiah R Sloat 107, Charles A Moch 107, George Alber 62, Clifford Kendall 62, Frank Rowe 62, Lewis Dresselhouse 64.

SUPERIOR.

Superior remained true to the democratic faith, electing the entire ticket by majorities from 18 to 60. The main fight was on treasurer where two old opponents met again, the democrat this year coming in ahead by 18. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Walter Voorheis 119, William Crippen 74; clerk, Enos Twist 127, Anson L Wilbur 63; treasurer, Justin A Gale 105, Edmund Shuart 87; justice, Robert Shankland 124, Linus Hiscock 70; highway commissioner, William Gots 123, Arthur Covert 71; school inspector, Daniel Nanry 127, Floyd Markham 67; board of review, John McDougall 123, Wm. Braun 69; constables, Samuel Russell 123, James Pinnell 126, Robert Clark 125, Charles Palmer 123, Albert Kimmel 70, Frank Lambie 68, Charles Goodspeed 68, Andrew Gale 70.

SYLVAN.

Supervisor Lighthall has again been re-elected in this township, winning a glorious victory, defeating James L. Gilbert, who by the way, is no spring chicken, by 47 majority. The democrats also elected William R. Lehman clerk by 24 and the rest of the ticket is republican by majorities ranging from 18 to 176. The total vote of the township was 692 and the republican majority of the tickets cast was 91. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Hiram Lighthall 360, James L Gilbert 313; clerk, William R Lehman 353, Orrin T Hoover 329; treasurer Nelson E Freer 252, George A BeGole 428; justice, Cyrus A Urdike 329, Bernard Parker 347; highway commissioner, James Geddes, sr., 312, Jacob Hummel 368; school inspector, Thomas G Spear 269, Henry Steinbach 408; board of review, James H Runciman 311, Stephen L Gage 368; constables, Edward Chandler 326, Martin Breitenbach 286, Adam G Faust 289, Michael J Howe 291, Jay M Woods 341, Jacob Staffan 331, Rush Green 357, Perry C Dewey 354.

WEBSTER.

Webster had a democratic ticket this year but the republicans carried the town as was expected by majorities of from 46 to 80. The vote was as follows: Supervisor, Henry Koch 24, Bert Kenny 100; clerk, George Kilts 22, Frank Preston 102; treasurer, George W. Merrill 26, Edgar A. Phelps 99; justice, Thomas Quigg 23, Ira C. Backus 101; highway commissioner, Levi R Lee 39, Corydon L Thurber 85; school inspector, Llewellyn Olsaver 24, William R Scadin 100; board of review, Alvin J Pratt 27, Charles Rogers 98; constables, John Dunlavy 24, Michael Haab 25, Thomas O'Brien 24, Roy Hicks 27, M Dor Queal 100, Harvey Freese 99, Peter Parsons 100, Oris W Cushing 98.

YORK.

The democrats made a clean sweep in York, electing their entire ticket with majorities ranging from 32 to 74. The vote by which this good deed was accomplished was: Supervisor, Archibald McIntyre 284, William H Hack 229; clerk, Alfred E Putnam 264, W Fitch Allen 238; treasurer, Edward P Warner 279, Sherman Cook 205; jus-

Chronic Dyspepsia Cured.



AFTER suffering for nearly thirty years from dyspepsia, Mrs. H. E. Durdale, wife of a prominent business man of Warsaw, N. Y., writes: "For 23 years, I was a constant sufferer from dyspepsia and a weak stomach. The lightest food produced distress, causing severe pain and the formation of gas. No matter how careful of my diet I suffered agonizing pain after eating. I was treated by many physicians and tried numerous remedies without permanent help. Two years ago I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills and Nerveine. Within a week I commenced improving, and persisting in the treatment I was soon able to eat what I liked, with no evil effects I keep them at hand and a single dose dispels any old symptoms."

Dr. Miles' Nerve Restores Health. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

As usual Ypsilanti town goes republican by good majorities from 69 to 83, the vote being as follows: Supervisor, James L Lowden 23, John L Hunter 106; clerk, Wallace S Draper 25, Perry Watling 104; treasurer, George E Roberts 25, Herbert K Burrell 104; justice, Andrew J Murry 27, Edgar D Holmes 102; school inspector, Charles L Begole 30, George T Sootney 99; board of review, Martin G Moore 103; constable, Willis B Draper 27, Jay S Gridley 27, Walter Sprague 28, John Lamborn 27, Lewis P Kelly 102, Walter Wiard 103, Willard A Clawson 101, Joseph E Warner 102.

An Entertaining Druggist. There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than the Drug Store of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haessler, of Manchester, who spare no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all affections of the Throat, Chest and Lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Gov. Pingree's Prizes. The prizes offered by Governor Pingree for the best answers by students to his questions as to what difference it would have made to him had he been paid in gold or the "best money" during the war of the rebellion, he having received a bounty of \$50, pay of \$13 per month and having been in the army three years and fourteen days. The governor also wished to learn what difference it made to the whole army and how much it would take to pay the difference with 3 per cent interest payable semi-annually and compounded. Nine students sent in answers to the questions and Adjt.-Gen. M. Irish and Capt. Cornelius Gardner, U. S. A., awarded the prizes of \$50, \$25 and \$10 to M. J. Barry, Romanzo Adams and R. M. Watkins.

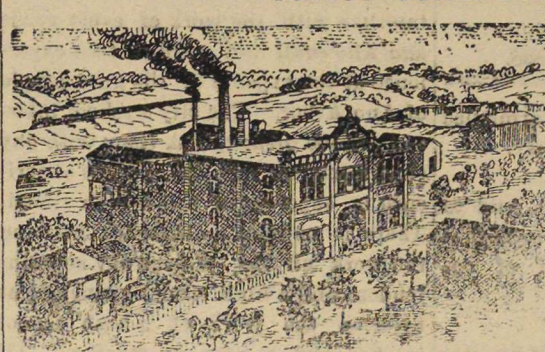
The answers of M. J. Barry to the questions were as follows: Question 1—"What difference did it make to me (i. e., Gov. Pingree?) Answer—\$181.47. Question 2—"What difference did it make to the whole Union Army?" Answer—\$566,224,855.51. Question 3—"How much would it take now to pay the difference with 3 per cent interest payable semi-annually and compounded?" Answer—To pay Gov. Pingree's difference, \$495.26. To pay the difference in the United States Army, \$1,388,408,074.47.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK. I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought and has the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK. Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities with their respective values.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw. I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of December, 1897. CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, L. Gruner, Directors. Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$150,000. Resources, \$1,000,000.

Advertisement for Dandruff is Disease. The beginning of baldness is dandruff. Keep the scalp clean and promote the growth of the hair by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor.



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FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 1898.

There are yet no signs of an armistice in the Judson-Moran controversy.

Procratination was, of old, said to be the thief of time. Let us hope that it will not also prove the thief of opportunity.

It is hoped that this country has not got to the pass when it must ask permission of foreign governments every time it wants to sneeze.

Supervisor Lighthall has again demonstrated his running qualities in carrying Sylvan by a good majority in a year when the republican ticket there had a good majority.

It has been hinted that the real reason President McKinley is not to send in his message until Monday is to permit the Ann Arbor Light Infantry to hold their grand military ball before being ordered to the front.

Gov. Pingree decidedly objects to ax-Gov. Rich, now collector of customs, appearing at Lansing to lobby against his pet railroad taxation scheme and has sent a dispatch to the president asking that he be recalled. This is all very well, but the governor was never known to recall his own appointees when lobbying for the governor's schemes.

The spring elections everywhere show democratic gains. The aggregate of the majorities in Chicago show that the democrats had 26,000 majority in that city which gave McKinley over 60,000 majority. Milwaukee elected a democratic mayor by 8,000, the largest democratic majority in its history. It gave McKinley 9,000. Grand Rapids went democratic, and there are democratic gains all along the line.

SUPERINTENDENCY OF SCHOOLS

There is a well defined rumor about to the effect that our school board has come within one vote of electing a superintendent of schools. It is to be hoped that when the matter is consummated the best man obtainable will be the winner. Also that he will be an experienced man in the work of supervision. What Ann Arbor needs is not a high school principal but a superintendent in all that term signifies in its modern acceptation. We already have an able high school principal and corps of assistants and that department of our schools would, no doubt, manage to go along very well if we had no superintendent at all. The grades below the high school, however, need careful supervision by one who is from experience familiar with every detail of grade work.

The opinion is quite general that the lower grades of our schools are weak in comparison with the high school; that the corps of teachers is made up too largely of graduates of our own high school, without technical preparation for their work and that this process of inbreeding has gone on until an endless chain of worn-out methods and mechanical routine has fastened itself upon our schools. A careful examination of the list of lower grade teachers shows that nearly one-half of them graduated from the high school, took no farther preparation and have done all their teaching here. Had such a process been followed in the make up of the high school faculty, the instruction there would be, no doubt, of no higher quality than the average in the grades. That there are some excellent teachers in our grades, no one will deny. That there will always be some weak ones in any large school system is to be expected. But that the average should be no higher, the Argus believes is just cause for complaint.

The educational interests of Ann Arbor are the city's greatest interests. The educational atmosphere here ought to be the best in the state. People who contemplate moving to our city to send their children to the university should understand that our public schools, also in every grade, offer instruction second to none. With the educational surroundings here, this could be easily brought about. But that such is not the condition now is well understood and remarked by many of our own citizens and by educators from other Michigan cities who have visited here.

The Argus does not make these criticisms because it desires to disparage any of the city's interests, but because it believes them to be true and that

they should be eliminated and that now, when a new superintendent is soon to be elected, is the time to call attention to these things.

To the end that the instruction in the lower grades of our schools shall be improved, it is essential that the new superintendent be, not a man whose experience is limited to high school work alone, but one who is thoroughly familiar with the work of every grade and who shall not acquire that experience at the expense of the good people of Ann Arbor. The city's school interests are too great to risk them with any superintendent who has had no experience in supervision below high school. There is as wide a difference between the work of the present day superintendent and a high school principal as between the work of a high school teacher and a primary teacher. Of course a man whose experience is limited to high school work may develop into a fine superintendent, but the salary paid the superintendent of our schools is sufficient to make the trying of such an experiment wholly unnecessary.

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.

DETROIT SCHEMERS

Would Like to Have the University Moved to That City.

The Detroit Tribune and News came out from under their masks on Sunday when in the columns of the News-Tribune was advocated the proposition to remove the university as a whole to that city. The long line of agitation and petitioning the legislature to remove the homeopathic department to Detroit and also the oft-quoted idea of removing the other medical department to that city thus acquires double significance and only shows that it is another of the News-Tribune combination's cunning schemes to ultimately dismember the university or else absorb it as one of the annexes to that city's poor excuses for law and medical colleges, which only exist to gratify the overweening pride and hostility of some of Detroit's professional men to those departments of the university. Below is given the article:

"There is still another enterprise, possibly better than any, whereby the city of Detroit may immortalize itself. The University of Michigan is housed perhaps in the poorest lot of buildings of any large university in the world. Its campus is already overcrowded. The university is perennially ineffectual. There is not the wealth in Washtenaw county to endow it. In the present day the tendencies of the great universities are toward the large cities. Sooner or later the University of Michigan will be hampered by its locality in Ann Arbor.

"Now, suppose, as a bi-centennial memorial Detroit raises a fund of \$5,000,000 to secure the removal of the university to this city. With the affiliation of our existing law, medical and art schools, and their valuable libraries and collections, and with the impetus which would be given it by a splendid equipment of buildings for all purposes, Michigan University would spring at once to the very first position among the universities of the country.

"We have been agitating of late the encouragement of manufactories in Detroit. Here is a manufactory of the highest value. It never shuts down on account of over production. It distributes probably from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 a year to the place of its location. Simply as a commercial matter it would be a most desirable acquisition to our city. But in the world-wide prestige it would give us its value would be inestimable. And the advantage would be reciprocal. Detroit would add lustre to the university in its beauty of situation, its metropolitan advantages, its facilities for boating (as important a consideration to Oxford and Cambridge as any of their chairs of Greek or Hebrew), and in the kindly enthusiasm of a rich and cultured people. And Detroit has as yet no state institution of any kind for her citizens to feel pride in and to cherish. Let us have the university."

Scripps' schemes are numerous, but when they include a proposition to remove the U. of M. to Detroit or any other large city it is time a halt was called on them.

Cheap Rates to the West and Northwest.

On April 19, the North-Western Line (Chicago & North-Western R'y) will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets at exceptionally low rates to a large number of points in Northern Wisconsin, Michigan, Northern Iowa, Western Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota, including the famous Black Hills district. Better own a farm! Start now! Apply to nearest ticket agent or address W. H. Guerin, 67 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich., or W. B. Kaiskern, 22 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.

The Good Roads Question.

In Washtenaw county there are about fourteen hundred miles of roads composed of clay and muck and sand. The aim and object of those who have the care and supervision of our highways should be to make them good at that time of year when the conditions of the weather tend to make them bad. Farmers are apt to look with a great deal of suspicion on all who advocate better roads and conclude that our roads are good enough and nobody outside of the district have any right to interfere or complain. In other words, everybody gets the benefit of good roads and is wronged by bad roads.—Times.

SHAWNEETOWN'S WOE

Survivors of the Deluge in Destitute Condition.

DEATHS WILL NUMBER OVER 100.

List of Some of Those Who Were Drowned or Killed by the Awful Rush of Waters—Hundreds Being Sheltered in the Large Buildings—Many Pathetic Scenes Witnessed in the Flood-Swept Town—Property Loss Will Exceed \$500,000.

Ridgeway, Ills., April 5.—Hundreds of destitute survivors of the Shawneetown flood are suffering for lack of food and shelter. They are camped on housetops and along the water's edge on the hills back of the destroyed town. It is impossible to estimate the number of dead, and it is predicted by conservative persons that the list will number more than 100 victims.

Following are the names of some of those who were drowned or killed: Mrs. C. R. Galloway, Mary Galloway, Dora Galloway, Mrs. Charles Clayton, Charles Clayton, Milton Clayton, Jessie Clayton, Myrtle Clayton, Gertie Clayton, Brownie Clayton, Mrs. Paul Phelan and five children; Mary Phelan, Washington Callcott, Mrs. Washington Callcott, Colonel John Callcott, Mary McCallister, Ellen McCallister, Noah Welch, Mrs. Noah Welch, Mrs. McLean, Tillie McLean, Frank Morrison and family, Mrs. John Holly, Mrs. Edward Fletck and adopted daughter, John Fletck, Richard Fletcher and family, Jane Fletcher (colored), Mrs. Tally, Cora Sherwood, Mrs. Charles Kopf and five children, Mrs. A. A. Hathaway, Miss Florence Evans, M. Sanelly and wife, Mrs. Webb, Fred Rineholt, Mrs. Fred Rineholt and three children, Henry King and four children, six colored children, Mrs. Black, Walsh Calhoun and family of six, John Flick, Mrs. Matilda Greer, John Halley, F. Reinbill and family of four, C. Spalding and family of three, William Thompson and family of three.

Rescuers are doing all in their power to relieve the survivors, and many have already been taken from tree and housetops to places of safety on the mainland. A cold rain, accompanied by a heavy wind, adds to the discomfort and peril of those who are homeless and destitute. Many have found shelter in the upper stories of Shawneetown's larger buildings, which have withstood the flood, and are unsubmerged. Carloads of food and provisions and boats well supplied with blankets and meat are on their way to the ill-fated little town from numerous neighboring cities.

The first of the relief excursions reached the sufferers during the morning, and others arrived before night. Rowboats are kept busy carrying the unfortunates from places of temporary shelter to buildings, where they are being cared for by the hundreds. Little can be accomplished by the rescuers during the night, as there is no light except that furnished by the boat lanterns. The property loss, to say nothing of the damage to the levees and crops, will reach more than \$500,000. Property in two blocks on both sides of Mill street is utterly ruined and the damage to goods is enormous.

Many Pathetic Scenes.

Many pathetic scenes are witnessed in the flood-swept town. Mothers are looking for lost children, children for their parents, and wives for their husbands. Few have survived the flood who did not lose some relative, and many families were divided, never to be joined again. In addition to the many who are known to have perished, hundreds are missing, and it is feared the list of lost will go far above the present estimate. Systematic work of recovering the drowned cannot be commenced until the water has somewhat subsided, and the bodies of many who met death when the first rush of water came will never be recovered.

Shawneetown is a wilderness of turbulent water, which lacks but two feet of reaching the top of the levee. The terrific wind which is blowing over the place sends ten foot waves dashing against the dike, and drenching many persons who are seeking safety on the top of it. Boats are removing them as fast as possible, but the work is necessarily slow, as the wind and waves prevent quick trips to the larger buildings of the town, where the survivors are being taken.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

LOST—A Fur Collar on the Chelsea road, between Ann Arbor and Joe Staebler's. Finder will please leave it at Geo. Wahr's book store and receive reward. 11-13

Pabst Beer on draught. Choice Wines and Liquors for family use at the Arlington Place, N. Fourth ave. JOHN C. BURNS, Proprietor.

Paving and Storm Sewers.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by Glen V. Mills, City Clerk of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich., until 5 o'clock p.m. Wednesday, April 23d, 1898, for laying approximately eleven thousand square yards of vitrified brick or asphalt pavement upon concrete foundation. Also for about one mile of 24 in. vitrified crock sewer with thirty catch basins. Specifications on file in the City Engineer's office on and after March 22, 1898.

Bidders will be required to furnish with their bid a certified check payable to Glen V. Mills, City Clerk, for the sum of \$500.00 for the acceptance of the contract if awarded. The contractor will be required to furnish a certified check or bond as required by the Board of Public Works equal to the amount of his bid for the faithful performance of the contract and payment of labor and material used in the construction of the improvements. No bid will be received unless upon blanks furnished by the City Clerk. The City of Ann Arbor reserves the right to reject any and all bids. GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk. Ann Arbor, March 30th, 1898.

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ATHENS THEATER

"The Geisha" will be produced at the Athens Theater this evening, and comes from Daly's Theater, New York, where it has enjoyed a most successful run and it has been appreciated by large and fashionable audiences. Its daintiness and absolute freshness from coarseness are its great charms. The stage settings are pleasing to the eye, and the lyrics entertaining and well rendered by a strong and efficient cast who were personally selected by Mr. Smith for this production. O. Mimosa San, by Miss Laura Millard, is the greatest success of her artistic career. Miss Linda Da Costa as Mollie Seamour, sings and dances charmingly and has made a decided hit. All of the songs and choruses are well received. The story is simple and captivating and presented in an artistic and elevating character. Its successful run at Daly's Theater in New York, as well as his theater in London, is convincing evidence that it will be well received in this city, having been endorsed by all with enthusiasm who witnessed it before. It is a pleasing and harmonious performance and has been conceded to be the naggiest and jauntiest musical comedy that has been presented for many a year.

If you are troubled with your hair falling out give Schumacher & Miller's Hair Restorer a trial. This we are convinced will prove beneficial. It promotes the growth and leaves the hair in a soft, smooth condition. We do not mean to say that it will do this in every case, as that is nonsense, but we do mean to say that it will prevent the hair from falling out in the majority of cases. We allow you to use one-fourth of the bottle, which if used according to directions will be a treatment for about one month. If at that time you receive no benefit we will gladly refund you the money paid for the preparation. SCHUMACHER & MILLER, 12-14 Druggists, 219 S. Main st.

Granite State Provident Stock.

Parties from Chicago are in the state endeavoring to buy up the shares of Michigan stockholders in the Granite State Provident association, now in the hands of receivers. They are offering 10 cents on the dollar. Deputy Atty-Gen. Chase advises the Michigan people not to sell, as their claims are worth more than 10 per cent in any event. Furthermore there is now pending in the United States court of appeals a case, which is being carried on at the expense of the state, to establish the right of Michigan stockholders to the Michigan assets. If the Michigan law is upheld the shareholders in this state will get nearly 100 per cent.

In the Ladies' Home Journal for April among its pages of illustrations of handsome residence interiors are shown the reception room in Judge Kinne's residence and a room in one of the fraternity houses in this city.

NOT ALWAYS UNDERSTOOD.

A fact often overlooked, or not always understood, is that women suffer as much from distressing kidney and bladder troubles as the men. The womb is situated back of and very close to the bladder, and for that reason any distress, disease or inconvenience in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort.

The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided by setting urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need doctoring. If you have pain or dull aching in the back, pass water too frequently, or scanty supply, with smarting or burning—these are also convincing proofs of kidney trouble. If you have doctored without benefit, try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. The mild and extraordinary effect will surprise you. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures. If you take a medicine you should take the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail, upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention The Ann Arbor Argus, and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

THE MARKET REPORT

Table with market prices for various commodities like Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, Corn, etc. Columns include item name and price per bushel or ton.

County Union C. E. Convention.

A convention of the Washtenaw County Union Christian Endeavor is announced to be held Friday, April 15, in Trinity Lutheran church, Ann Arbor, and the following is the program for the three sessions which will be held during the day:

- 9:30 Informal Reception. 10:00 Devotional and Song Service, conducted by Mr. Howard Bartlett, Saline. 10:30 Address of Welcome, Mrs. R. E. Staebler, Ann Arbor. 10:40 Response. 10:45 Roll Call and Minute Reports from the Societies. 11:00 President's Address. 11:20 Discussion of Reorganization. 11:40 Appointment of Committees. 12:00 Noon Adjournment. 1:30 Song Service, conducted by Mr. E. B. Caldwell, Secretary Y. M. C. A., Ann Arbor. 2:00 Junior Hour, conducted by Mr. Howard Augustine, Ypsilanti. Open Parliament and Discussion. 2:55 Music. 3:00 Good Citizenship Half Hour, conducted by Mr. J. Stuart Lathers, assisted by the Good Government Club, and others. 3:30 Solo. 3:35 Missionary Hour, conducted by Miss Shirley Smith, of the Student Volunteers. Open Parliament. 4:35 Singing. 4:40 Pastors' Half-hour. 5:15 Business. 5:30 Adjournment.

Our Easter Opening

Begins Tuesday, April 5, and continues the rest of the week. We have the finest line of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats we have ever shown. You are most cordially invited to examine them.

MRS. J. M. MORTON, 120 E. Washington st. Aid for the Cubans.

Up to date I have received in cash from the citizens of Ann Arbor and vicinity in aid of the starving people of Cuba the sum of \$142.09; I have also received a quantity of clothing. Of this amount I have remitted to the Hon. Allen Sheldon, of Detroit, the commissioner for this state, as follows: February 5, \$50; March 5, \$60; yet on hand in cash \$32.09, and a quantity of clothing.

Of this amount there was contributed by the Bethlehem church, \$32.39; German M. E. church, \$5; Junior Endeavor society of Christ Church, \$20; balance by private contributions.

More than three-fourths of these sums have been contributed by Germans. We are, therefore, naturally led to the thought: Are the German people more charitably disposed than Americans? This is a cause worthy of the earnest support of all our respected fellow citizens, Americans as well as Germans, but most especially should this appeal enlist the full support of all the Christian pastors and Christian people of this favored city. E. J. HELBER, Commissioner. Ann Arbor, Mich., April 6, 1898.

British Boat Fired Upon.

St. Johns, N. F., April 5.—The British brigantine Bella Rosa, from Cadiz, March 4, via Oporto, for St. Johns, just arrived, reports having been chased and fired upon by a Spanish vessel shortly after leaving the harbor of Oporto.

The Greshman Leaves Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, April 5.—The United States revenue cutter Greshman has left Milwaukee for Cleveland en route to the coast, at 2:15 p. m. in the afternoon. A great demonstration attended her departure.

PRIZES FOR TEACHERS

Will be Awarded at the Washtenaw Fair Sept. 27-30.

At the coming fall fair to be held by the Washtenaw Fair Society, at Ann Arbor, Sept. 27-30, prizes will be given to the teachers in the city and district schools of the county as follows: To the lady teacher in country district school receiving the highest number of votes a \$3 package of perfume. To the lady teacher in city school receiving the highest number of votes a like prize is offered. To the lady teacher receiving the highest number of votes a set of books valued at \$5. The prizes will be awarded according to the number of votes given for each teacher whose name is entered in the contest. The price of the votes is one cent each. The ballot boxes for voting will be stationed at Schumacher & Miller's drug store, 219 S. Main st., Ann Arbor, until the time of the fair, when they will be removed to the school exhibit at the fair. The proceeds for the voting contest will go towards buying books for the libraries in the school districts in which the winners teach. The result of the voting will be announced in the columns of the Argus each week. The vote up to March 23 stood as follows:

- Miss W. L. Bender..... 4 Miss Emily Gundert..... 5 Miss Emily Marshock..... 4 Miss Anna Shannon..... 18 Miss Sarah O'Brien..... 18 Miss Anna Clinton..... 5 Miss Carrie Reed..... 5 Miss Mabel Root..... 18 Miss Lena Mallory..... 18 Miss Laura I. Mills..... 15

CASTORIA. In every wrapper.

Manchester. Pupils and teachers have returned to their work after a vacation of a week.

Miss Nellie Clark commenced work Monday for Miss Matie Swift, the milliner.

The election Monday resulted in a complete victory for the republican party.

Miss Julia Kirchhofer began the spring term of school in the Short district Monday.

A large class of boys and girls were confirmed at Emanuel's church last Sunday, about 30 in number.

Herbert Teeter visited his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Witherell, of Jackson, from Wednesday to Friday of last week.

Mrs. Henry Townsend was called to Adrian the last of the week on account of a death in the family of his daughter, Mrs. F. Cantrick.

During the vacation Prof. Essery visited the Normal College at Ypsilanti and attended a meeting of the Schoolmasters' Club in Ann Arbor.

Mark Hinckley moved his household goods to Brooklyn, Monday. Mrs. Hinckley, with the children, stayed in town until the last of the week.

General Debility and Loss of Flesh

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## LOCAL BREVITIES

On Monday, April 11 at 4:30 a pupils recital will be given at Frieze Memorial hall. The public is invited.

Ann Arbor Commandery, K. T., will attend divine service at St. Luke's church, Ypsilanti, Sunday evening.

The Ann Arbor High School base ball team will play a game at Orchard Lake, with the Military Academy boys, May 14.

An entertainment will be given in the Northside chapel tomorrow evening by one of the Sunday school classes which meet there.

Lizzie B. West, colored, died Friday aged 29 years, 4 months and 19 days. The funeral services were held at her late home on Gott st. Sunday afternoon.

The store on E. Ann st., formerly occupied by H. F. Frost & Co., is being fixed up and will be occupied as soon as completed by Herman O. Walters as a grocery store.

F. M. Zwemer, a returned missionary from Arabia, delivered a fine address before the Young People's Christian Union of this city at the First M. E. church last Sunday evening.

Monday was election night and no quorum of the council being present at the regular meeting which should have been held that evening, the session was adjourned until last evening.

"Under the Dome" at the Athens Theater Monday evening was good only as far as the scenery was concerned. As a play it is of a very mediocre nature.

Interesting confirmation services were held in the Zion Lutheran church last Sunday morning. A class of 11 boys and 18 girls received the rite of confirmation at the hands of the pastor Rev. A. L. Nicklas.

At the meeting of the Michigan Epworth Leaguers held in Jackson, Saturday, Dr. R. S. Copeland, of this city, was elected state president for the ensuing year. There are 681 chapters in the state with 38,583 members.

The Church of Christ commenced a series of revival meetings on Sunday. They will continue throughout this month and will be conducted by Rev. H. D. Clark, one of the ablest and best known ministers of the Disciples' church.

The beautiful cantata of "King David" is to be given at the Zion Lutheran church, on Wednesday evening, April 20. A mixed chorus of 71 voices and children's chorus of 30 voices will take part. Great preparations for the event are being made.

The circuit court stands adjourned until April 25.

Ernest Hill, of Saline, is a patient in the U. of M. hospital.

Bon—March 29, to Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Steffy, a son. Weight 12 pounds.

The Young People's Religious Union of the Unitarian church have arranged to hold a social and dance at the Elks' hall this evening.

Hon. J. R. Burton, of Kansas, will deliver the closing lecture of the S. L. A. course at University hall, this evening.

The ladies of the A. M. E. church are to give their annual spring fair at the church on N. Fourth ave., commencing April 18.

A drunken farmer fell from his wagon just north of the Michigan Central depot Monday night and was rendered unconscious for a time by the fall.

J. Nelson Lewis, formerly of this city, is now first vice president and general manager of the Pan-American Dredging Co., with headquarters at Boston, Mass.

The University Comedy Club netted \$400 by its recent entertainment at the Athens Theater. It was divided between the Fruit and Flower Mission and the Athletic Association.

The building committee of the board of supervisors visited the county house on Tuesday and decided to have the buildings resingled, repainted and other minor improvements made.

Cyclists who desire to contribute to repairing the bicycle path to Whitmore Lake, are requested to leave their subscriptions with Miss Goodrich at Secretary Wade's office at the university.

Mrs. F. E. Johnson died Monday afternoon after a short illness. Mr. Johnson is a liegman for the New State Telephone Co. The remains were taken to her old home at Morris, Ill., for interment.

Dr. W. B. Smith and daughter Mrs. Boutwell, J. Q. A. Sessions and Q. A. Turner left Monday night for Cincinnati, to perfect the arrangements for Welch Post at the coming national encampment of the G. A. R.

Mann Bros.' drug store is to be entirely made over this summer. The arched ceiling of the store is to be done away with, a new plate glass front is to be put in and the building will be built up so as to form three stories.

Those of our citizens who do not dance and would enjoy visiting the armory during the inspection and reception next Monday night are cordially invited to do so, and will certainly be heartily welcomed. R. Granger, Captain Co. A.

Emery Keppler, George Keppler, John Reimold, Herman Atmbruster and Phil O'Hara left Monday morning for the Klondike gold fields. They carry a year's provisions with them and want to begin work at the gold fields by next fall.

Baoh & Butler's advertisement of the advantages of Ann Arbor as a residence city, which is printed on the backs of their business envelopes, has been productive of some good already. One gentleman saw the notice, came to the city, looked it over and is now one of our citizens. Good.

The Easter Day services at St. Andrew's church will be as follows: 7:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 9 a. m., Second Celebration of Holy Communion; 10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon with Third Celebration of Holy Communion; 4 p. m., Evening Prayer and Children's Festival.

J. F. Schuh, M. J. Cavanaugh, Charles A. Ward, W. C. Mack, Arthur Brown, Capt. C. H. Manly, T. D. Kearney, J. L. Duffy, Titus F. Hutzel, B. F. Schumacher, F. E. Mills, W. H. Butler, M. C. Peterson, Judge H. Wirt Newkirk and others of this city, and Daniel Barry, of Northfield, attended the Mohawk club banquet in Detroit Tuesday evening.

Handsomely engraved invitations have been received which read: Mr. and Mrs. John C. Chalmers request your presence at the marriage of their daughter Julia

to Mr. Edward T. Hutzel, Thursday evening, April seventh, Eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, at half after seven, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Both Miss Chalmers and Mr. Hutzel are well and favorably known, and a host of friends will wish them a long life of happiness.

The Webb will case will come up again in the probate court on Monday.

The Modern Woodmen will give their last dance of the season at their hall, Monday evening, April 20.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, April 11, at 3 p. m., in the rooms of the association.

The Argus has received from Indian Commissioner J. T. Jacobs a copy of the 29th annual report of the board of Indian commissioners for the year 1897.

Mrs. Naomi D. Seelye, widow of the late Rev. Thomas Seelye, is lying seriously ill at her home 821 E. Wabington st. She had a paralytic stroke Wednesday of last week.

Schnyler Heywood on Friday afternoon gave a bond for \$500 in Justice Duffy's court for his appearance at the hearing of the assault case charged against him by Jacob Maurer.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co. will build its new hotel at Frankfort during the coming summer, but it will not be ready for occupancy before the season of 1899.

The Star of Bethlehem will give a social and dance at the United Friends' hall over B. St. James' store next Thursday evening, April 14. A good time is expected.

The Binder store, corner of Main and E. Liberty sts., will again be occupied. It has been leased by C. A. Hendricks and Cousins & Hall, and will be used as a millinery store and floral establishment.

The Ann Arbor railroad company is about to award the contract for the construction of another car ferry steamer. When completed and launched this will make three boats of this character in the service of the Ann Arbor road on Lake Michigan.

Muehlig & Schmid, the hardware merchants, have purchased Hutzel & Co.'s paints and oils business and will hereafter carry in stock a complete line of all goods in that line. Hutzel & Co. will devote themselves to their plumbing, steam fitting and heating business.

The A. A. L. I. will be here on Monday next, all rumors to the contrary notwithstanding, and the great military inspection, reception and ball will come off in the evening, war or no war. Citizens are respectfully requested to hang out their national flags in honor of the day and the distinguished guests who will be here.

A lodge of 50 Elks was instituted at Adrian Wednesday night by Jackson officers of the order. There was a delegation of 175 from that city, together with Boos's band and orchestra. Visitors were also there from Lansing and other places. The procession was headed by a real elk obtained from the Page Wire Fence Co.'s park.

The University School of Music Building Association at its annual meeting Monday evening elected the following directors: J. D. Ryan, Moses Seabolt, H. W. Douglas, H. S. Dean, Ottmar Eberbach, J. V. Sheehan and H. J. Brown. The board organized with J. D. Ryan as president, Moses Seabolt, vice president; H. W. Douglas, secretary; Ottmar Eberbach, treasurer.

Supervisor Braun, of Ann Arbor town, was in the city Saturday looking up those who are interested in keeping up the bicycle path to Whitmore Lake. In view of the way in which the path has been cut up by the people driving over it in wet weather he suggests that the wheelmen draw up a resolution to put a stop to it if possible. Such a resolution, properly worded, if presented to the town board, would, he says, be unanimously passed.

The 63d birthday of Mrs. Angelina M. Darling, of Ypsilanti, occurring April 1st, her daughter, Mrs. P. W. Moore, of Ann Arbor, planned a complete surprise by writing to about 20 relatives to be present at the home of her mother on that day. Sons and daughters, and nieces and nephews came at the appointed time, taking Mrs. Darling by surprise. At first she thought that all had come to visit with two cousins, Mrs. Doak and Mrs. Wentworth, of Eaton Rapids, but when she found that it was to celebrate her birthday she remembered that it was April 1st. A fine memento was given her and after a very enjoyable time which will long be remembered the friends took their departure.—Times.

The Y. M. C. A. is arranging for a banquet in the future.

Miss Clara Avery, of Detroit, has given \$50 to the women's building of the University of Michigan.

The number of people traveling on the motor line between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti averages 500 per day.

Emanuel Stadel, who was with E. F. Mills & Co. for several years past now occupies a position as clerk in Noble's Star Clothing House.

Rev. Dr. Ort, president of Wittenberg College, will preach at Trinity Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening. On Monday evening he will deliver a lecture on "Gustavus Adolphus." This will be the last lecture of the series offered by the church this season.

At the annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Congregational church, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Wm. Biggs, president; Mrs. J. D. Williams, vice president; Mrs. Emma F. Preston, treasurer; and Mrs. Mary V. Torrans, secretary.

Titus F. Hutzel is making extensive improvements to the store occupied by Hutzel & Co. on S. Main st. The ceilings are being raised, hardwood floors laid, plate glass fronts put in on both the first and second floors, and the whole store fitted up in a manner commensurate with the rapidly increasing business of the firm.

The sick children in the homeopathic hospital have been presented with a fine scrapbook of pictures which was made and presented to them by the school children in Mrs. Litchfield's room in the Dexter school. It was a kind and thoughtful act and the book will help the little sufferers pass away many a weary hour of pain.

The Ypsilanti editor of the Washtenaw Evening Times says: "In case of war and Company G is called out it will devolve on Governor Pingree to appoint a prosecuting attorney to take Captain Kirk's place during his absence. This will make a berth for some good Pingree lawyer. Seth Randall, did we hear somebody remark?"

"The Army and Navy" serves as the caption under which two extremely important subjects are dealt with in the North American Review for April, the first, "The Great Lakes and the Modern Navy," by Lieut. J. H. Gibbons, U. S. N., and the second on "Reasons for Increasing the Regular Army" by Lieut. George B. Duncan, U. S. A.

Ann Arbor Typographical Union, No. 154, held its annual meeting Tuesday evening and elected officers as follows: George R. Cooper, president; A. C. Schairer, vice president; Sid Bangs, corresponding secretary; Adam Goetz, secretary-treasurer; Clyde C. Kerr, sergeant-at-arms; H. E. Parr, Robert Stevenson and George Cole, auditing committee.

In the chancery case of Sarah A. Cross and Estella Cross Fisk against Stephen H. Dodge & Son, asking for the setting aside of a chattel mortgage which the complainants charged had been obtained under duress, Judge Kinn decided for the defense. His decision ordered the amount of the mortgage, \$180, to be paid within 10 days or the mortgage foreclosed.

Miss Elsa Von Grave, teacher of piano playing at the School of Music, has been engaged as soloist of the Boston Festival orchestra. She will appear with that organization in concerts at Madison, Wis., Milwaukee, Wis., Saginaw, Mich., Ogdensburg, N. Y., Pittsburg, Pa., and other large cities. Ann Arbor's reputation as a musical center is greatly enhanced by having in her school of music such superb artists as Prof. Alberto Jonas and Miss Von Grave have shown themselves to be.

Superintendent Bradley, of the Ann Arbor road, has notified employees that on and after May 4, all ticket agents, telegraph operators, freight and passenger conductors, passenger brakemen and the first, second and third officers of the company's steamers shall wear, while on duty, such uniforms as the management designates. The uniforms are to be of dark blue material, those of the conductors and steamboat officers being provided with gilt or gold buttons, and those of the other employees with silver buttons. The lady ticket agents will wear a uniform consisting of dark blue blouse and skirt.

The system of ventilation in the new building of the university will be superior to that used elsewhere on the campus. By the use of blowers the air in the various lecture rooms will be changed from eight to twelve times per hour, the allowance for each student being thirty cubic feet of air per minute. The greater the number of students in the room the oftener the air will be changed. This is an important matter, especially in the largest lecture room, which is 67 by 52 feet and holds 400 persons, and in the library, which is 64 feet by 82 feet. The supervision of the putting in of the system is in the hands of the architects, Spiers & Rohn, of Detroit, and Prof. M. E. Cooley.

Ann Arbor Commandery, No. 13, K. T., held its annual meeting Tuesday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Wm. A. Moore, E. C.; J. F. Hoelzle, generalissimo; Ross Granger, captain general; M. M. Read, prelate; W. H. Guerin, S. W.; E. H. Eberbach, J. W.; C. E. Hiseock, treasurer; J. W. Bennett, recorder; N. D. Gates, standard bearer; W. S. Carpenter, sword bearer; H. F. Miller, warder; Thomas Taylor, sentinel; O. M. Martin, trustee. A committee consisting of C. E. Hiseock, J. B. Colvan and W. W. Watts was appointed to visit Pittsburg and see what arrangements can be made for the approaching conclave. The commandery also voted to recommend L. C. Goodrich for grand warden in the grand commandery.

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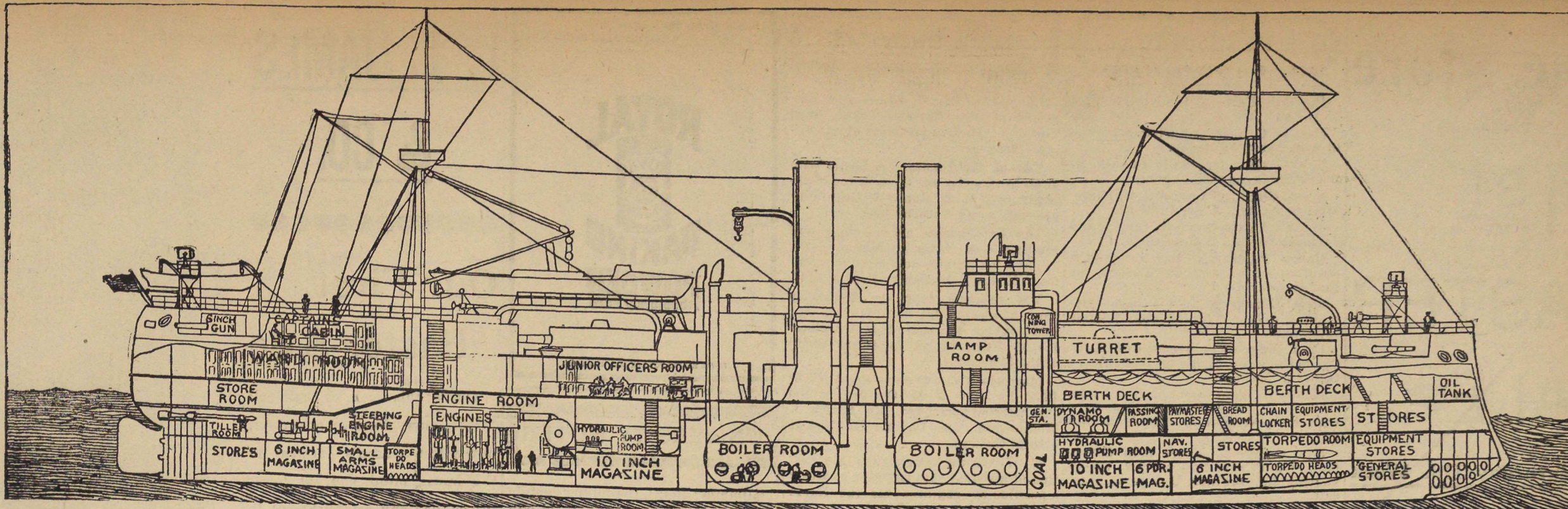
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**TO BRING LEE HOME.**

**United States Vessels Have Been Sent to Havana.**

**DISPATCH FROM CONSUL GENERAL.**

**Says in Case War Is Declared He Will Not Be Able to Get American Citizens Out of Cuba Before Next Sunday—Great Britain Refuses to Participate in the Proposed Mediation of Powers—War Talk in the Senate—The President's Message.**

Washington, April 5.—Members of the house have been informed that vessels have been dispatched to Havana to take off General Lee and our consular officers, as well as all Americans who desire to leave the island. The state department has received a dispatch from Consul General Lee saying that in case war is declared he will not be able to get the American citizens out of Cuba before next Sunday.

In response to representations received from General Lee the treasury department has telegraphed Dr. Brunner, the quarantine officer at Havana, directing him to permit all Americans without certificates or examination. On the arrival of the vessel at the Florida coast with Americans from Cuba an examination will be made and the vessel will be held until it is determined that there is no disease on board.

**The President's Message.**  
President McKinley's message will be given to congress at noon Wednesday. On the best of authority it can be stated that the president has harkened to the voice of the people, and that he will use vigorous language in describing the history of the Cuban question; that he will arraign Spain in unmeasured terms and has decided that the Maine disaster shall not be treated as a mere incident. On the contrary, he will make it a very important feature.

"He will recommend to congress," declared a member of the foreign relations committee of the senate, "a definite line of action, and this action will be largely justified by his views of the destruction of the Maine and the accompanying loss of 266 American lives."

**Sigsbee on Maine Explosion.**  
Captain Sigsbee, in the course of his examination before the house committee on foreign affairs, stated it to be his opinion that his vessel, the Maine, was blown up by a submarine mine located by the Spanish authorities. As to whether it was fired by the Spanish authorities or not he declined to express an opinion. He told the committee what he had testified to before the board of inquiry about the buoy to which the Maine was anchored being the most unfrequented buoy in the harbor. The position in which the ship was placed, he said, was such that he could have fired upon both forts at the same time. The committee is to meet again to prepare the text of the resolutions to be submitted to the house. The members of the committee from the information they have believe war is inevitable unless Spain makes a square back down.

**Archbishop Ireland Calls.**  
Archbishop Ireland came to the state department at 12:30 o'clock. He evidently had arranged for the call beforehand and was expected, for he was shown at once into Assistant Secretary Day's room. To reporters who asked him his mission Bishop Ireland was evasive, and said he came simply to pay his respects. Assistant Secretary Day said at noon that there had been no mediation or intervention of other powers, material or moral.

At 11 o'clock Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, drove to the French embassy and had a long conference with M. Cambon, the French ambassador, it is believed in regard to the suggested concert of the powers on the Cuban question. The nature of Sir Julian's representations are unknown, but it was the first official move in diplomatic circles here.

**MONEY FOR MILITIA.**  
**Bill to Put Michigan Guards on a War Footing.**

Lansing, Mich., April 5.—Two bills are now being prepared in the office of the adjutant general which will be introduced in the legislature, as soon as the governor, by special message, brings it within the scope of that body to legislate upon subjects other than those which were named in his call for a special session. The first will provide for an appropriation of \$500,000 to place the state on a war footing. It will be similar in terms to the law of 1861, by which an appropriation of \$1,000,000 was made for war purposes. The bill will provide for the issue of bonds for a term not exceeding twenty years probably at 5 per cent. interest, the bonds to be issued as the money is required.

**New Rifles for Militiamen.**  
Chicago, April 5.—Four thousand new Springfield rifles for the use of the National guard have arrived in Chicago.

The second bill will provide for increasing the membership of the Michigan National guard to 150 men per company, the present law limiting the membership to eighty men and three commissioned officers. The governor will, it is understood, pave the way for the action of the legislature upon these bills by a special message. Captain Gardner of the United States army has been in consultation with Adjutant General Cysb and several communications have been received from the governor bearing upon the subject under consideration. Arrangements were made for the equipment of the state naval reserves, the number of whom will at once be increased to 300.

**GIVEN A FATAL REBUFF.**  
**England Will Not Join Powers in Offering Mediation.**

London, April 5.—The movement of the powers of Europe for a joint offer of mediation between the United States and Spain has received a severe and probably fatal rebuff in the form of a definite refusal upon the part of Great Britain to participate in it.

Many conflicting and erroneous hints regarding this scheme to bring the Hispano-American quarrel under the jurisdiction of the "concert of Europe" have been telegraphed from the different European capitals. From the highest authorities the Associated Press has obtained an outline of the details of the movement, as learned by London diplomats. The project is distinctively of Spanish origin and was set on foot by two influences, official and personal, the former requesting the good offices of the chancellors to prevent war, while the queen regent attempted personally to influence the sovereigns.

A special dispatch from Rome says a telegram received at the Vatican from the United States has announced the failure of the pope's intervention. It says that President McKinley showed himself extremely sensitive of the initiative taken by the pontiff, but it was impossible for him to overcome the prejudice, even though it may be unjust, entertained by a majority of the American people against the Vatican's intervention in political affairs.

Rome, April 5.—It is authoritatively said that the pope's proposed terms are such as can be accepted by Spain and supported by the United States minister, General Woodford, in forwarding them to President McKinley. The pope's initiative is based wholly on the fact that Spain, when she asked for the good offices of the powers also asked for the pope's good offices. The interposition of the pontiff has thus far been confined to efforts to bring about an armistice between Spain and the insurgents.

Madrid, April 5.—The minister of foreign affairs, Senor Gullon, in an interview just obtained, said the Spanish government is expecting the speedy arrival of a note from the Vatican, in which the pope would indicate the plan by which he hopes to terminate the present situation.

**ORIGIN OF PAPAL MEDIATION.**  
**As Stated by a High Spanish Personage of Great Authority.**

Madrid, April 5.—The correspondent here of the Associated Press has just had an interview with a high personage of great authority, who cleared up many discrepancies in previous reports, showing just how the papal intervention occurred. This minister said:

"There is no papal telegram whatever. What happened was that the Spanish ambassador at the Vatican was approached by Cardinal Rampolla (the papal secretary of state), who told him that the president of the United States had allowed it to be understood that papal intervention would be acceptable. The Spanish ambassador wired here to that effect, and thereupon we indicated that though having sent a categorical reply to President McKinley—the terms having previously been conceded to the last point consistent with Spain's honor—we were certain the pope would respect the rights and honor of Spain, and agreed to his intervention. It was impossible for our regular army, fighting rebels, to agree to offer an armistice at the suggestion of a certain foreign power, but when the father of Christendom, without force but with vast moral power, offered intervention we could not refuse accepting, knowing well that reliance might be placed upon his independent judgment. So not an armistice, but a truce—a truce of God—has been agreed upon. This, however, requires action upon the part of the United States—consequential action to our concession. \* \* \* Spain has shown her willingness to secure peace by concessions to the last point consistent with her national honor. The future depends upon the power of the American government in controlling hostile public opinion."

**Chicago, April 5.**—Four thousand new Springfield rifles for the use of the National guard have arrived in Chicago.

And the members are rejoicing. Their happiness is increased by the knowledge that 75,000 rounds of ammunition also have reached the city and are now stored in the First Regiment armory. When the guns and ammunition are distributed, the militia will be ready for an emergency call. This was practically all that was lacking in the equipment. The troops were all armed with the old style Springfield rifles, which will now be stored away in reserve.

**FOR CUBAN LIBERTY.**  
**Some Warm Speeches Made in the United States Senate.**

Washington, April 5.—Turner of Washington, in the senate, made a vigorous speech in favor of Cuban freedom. He said the administration had not acted as it should or it would have freed Cuba before this. He laid great stress upon the destruction of the Maine, saying that Spain was responsible. He would cheerfully vote for a declaration of war. He said that Spain was a nation of cruelty, deceit and blood. The galleries were crowded despite a snow and sleet storm. Harris of Kansas followed Turner in a speech on the same question. The Cubans have earned liberty by blood and tears, he said. He charged the destruction of the Maine to official treachery on the part of Spain. That blackest crime of all nations, he declared, would not be allowed to become a mere incident. Harris was applauded by the galleries when he closed.

Chandler said: "The United States ought to immediately declare war against Spain and to maintain that war until the people of Cuba are made free from Spanish starvation and cruelty and the government of the island finally established as an independent republic. The reasons for declaring war are apparent to the world."

Turpie, member of the foreign relations committee, followed Chandler. He said it was the duty of the American congress to intervene for the Cuban republic. The United States had maintained a blockade for Spain at a great cost. The government of Cuba ought to be recognized, maintained and supported. Turpie said it had cost us millions to shut off the supply of ammunition which would have enabled the Cuban government to secure its freedom. Turpie said it was only the Spanish moloch which would say, "Suffer little children to come unto me and we will starve you to death."

**Maine Court of Inquiry.**  
Washington, April 5.—The last chapter in the history of the court of inquiry, which investigated the loss of the battleship Maine, was written at the navy department in the form of a letter to Captain Sampson, commanding the north Atlantic squadron, notifying him that the department had no further instructions to give in regard to the work devolving upon the court and authorizing him at his discretion to dissolve the court, and thus end its official existence.

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**Lung Troubles and Consumption Can be Cured.**

**An Eminent New York Chemist and Scientist Makes a Free Offer to Our Readers.**

The distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, of New York City, demonstrating his discovery of a reliable cure for Consumption (Pulmonary Tuberculosis), bronchial, lung and chest troubles, stubborn coughs, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh, and all conditions of wasting away, will send THREE FREE BOTTLES (all different) of his New Discoveries to any afflicted reader of this paper writing for them.

His "New Scientific Treatment" has cured thousands permanently by its timely use, and he considers it a simple professional duty to suffering humanity to donate a trial of his infallible cure.

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Sufferers should take instant advantage of his generous proposition. Please tell the Doctor that you saw this in the Ann Arbor Argus.

**CASTORIA.**  
The famous signature of *Dr. J. C. Hutchins* is on every wrapper.

**Thorough Work.**

It is to be regretted that the good work credited to a southern cyclone by the New York Tribune cannot be generally extended over the country, unhindered by any attempt to repair damages. So will think those who dislike to see landscapes and roadsides disfigured by flaring advertisements. A cyclone in a Georgia town recently blew away a big fence, on which the "after-taking" picture of a local farmer had been painted by a patent medicine firm. Soon afterward the old fellow received the following note from a neighbor: "I'm sorry the cyclone blowed yer pictur' so far, but I've got good news for you. Bill Jenkins found yer left leg, Mart Wilkins is got a hunk o' yer back, Dan Johns found yer right arm, an' I understand Sister Molly Brown is got t'other arm, likewise yer right leg. All the pieces I seen fit together good. What I wants to know now is, how much will yer give for yer head?"

**Men Who Travel.**

Hustling and hasty meals often play havoc with the traveling man's digestion. An experienced commercial man, who spends most of his time on the road, states that he never allows himself to be without a bottle of Carter's Cascara Pills. He always takes one pill after a hearty or hurried meal and finds them a mighty good thing. For all those ails that come from indigestion, dyspepsia and a torpid liver there is no remedy so certain as Carter's Cascara Pills. Price 25c. For sale by H. J. Brown.

**Frying Pan to Fire.**

It is a fact not generally known that the first and last stand of the confederates were made on land owned by the same man. A part of Bull Run battlefield was owned by Mr. McLean. After this famous battle he decided to move to a locality where there would be less fear from the ravages of war. By a strange coincidence he took up his abode at Appomattox, which subsequently proved to be the final battlefield of the civil war.

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Take Cascara Candy Cathartic, 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

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**MUZZLED DUCKS.**

**Not Because They Might Bite, but to Silence Their Quacking.**

A baggage man on the Santa Fe who runs into Kansas City from out in the western part of Kansas has lost lots of sleep. It is doubtful if he can ever catch up with it. He leaves Hutchinson at night and reaches Kansas City in the morning. Nearly every night he brings in his car two or three coops of live domestic ducks. During the night, when he has no baggage to deliver at small stations, it has been his habit and privilege to lie down on an improvised couch and doze. With the advent of the ducks the dozing stopped. The almost constant quacking of the ducks, who could not understand their strange environment, would not permit of sleep.

For many nights as he lay awake he planned relief. He thought of strangling the ducks or chloroforming them. But neither expedient seemed good. One night a bright idea came to him. After he had put it into execution the ducks were silent.

The next night he had two coops of unusually vociferous ducks. As soon as it came time for sleep he wrenched a slat from one of the coops, reached in and pulled out a duck. From his pocket he took a small rubber band, which he slipped over the duck's bill just back of the nostrils. The duck tried to quack, but the rubber band, while it stretched a little, would not permit the duck to open its bill far enough to use its tongue. Only a murmur came from it. One by one the ducks were muzzled, and the baggage man rested comfortably.

The commission men were surprised next morning when they received a lot of ducks with rubber bands around their bills, and when the bands were removed the shouts of protest from the ducks were deafening.—Kansas City Star.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

**His Objection.**

"But, George, if you would state the case to papa as fully as you have to me, I think he would consent to our union. He could help you, you know. With that patent dish cloth wringer of yours, the whole country for a field and papa at your back—" "It is your papa at my back that I'm afraid of, Laura." —Roxbury Gazette.

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Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

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easily and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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**TIME TABLE.**

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8:43 A. M.	7:30 A. M.
*12:15 P. M.	11:25 A. M.
4:46 P. M.	8:40 P. M.

\*Trains marked thus run between Ann Arbor and Toledo only.

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and wife should know about the preparation that for half a century has been helping expectant mothers bring little ones into the world without danger and the hundred and one discomforts and distractions incident to child-birth. It is applied externally, which is the only way to get relief. Medicines taken internally will not help and may result in harm.

**Mother's Friend**

fits and prepares every organ, muscle and part of the body for the critical hour. It robs child-birth of its tortures and pains. Baby's coming is made quick and easy. Its action is doubly beneficial if used during the whole period of pregnancy. \$1 per bottle at all drug stores, or sent by mail on receipt of price.

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**GOING EAST.**

Detroit Night Ex.	5 50 a. m.
Atlantic Express	7 30
Grand Rapids Ex.	11 10
Mail and Express	3 47 p. m.
N. Y. & Boston Sp'l.	4 58
North Shore Limited	8 10
Fast Eastern	9 47

**GOING WEST.**

Boston, N. Y. & Ch.	8 12 a. m.
Mail & Express	9 18
Fast Western Ex.	1 38 p. m.
G. R. & Kal. Ex.	5 55
Chicago Night Ex.	9 47
Pacific Express	12 30

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115 S. Main St.

### PERSONAL

Rudolph Kern, of the Northside, is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. C. Reade, of Plymouth, was in Ann Arbor Thursday.

Geo. Alexander will remain in Battle Creek, as ticket agent.

Frank Glenn, of Ypsilanti, will hereafter be an Ann Arbor resident.

W. W. Alexander is in town, from Jackson, for two or three days.

Norris E. Marvin has accepted a position in Iowa, and left Tuesday for that state.

Miss Elizabeth Covert has been making a visit with Jackson friends this week.

Fred Wagner, of Pleasanton, Kansas, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Henry J. Mann.

Noble R. Waterman, of Salt Lake City, Utah, is spending a few days with his parents and friends in this city.

Mrs. George L. Moore is in Cleveland, Ohio, spending a few weeks visiting her brother, George C. Hascall.

Miss Annie Knowlton, who has seriously ill for the past two months, is now much improved and is able to be up.

Miss May Muma, of the Saginaw schools, visited her sister, Mrs. Rice A. Beal, of First st., during her vacation.

L. A. Pratt, of the Island Press, has gone to Washington and New York on a three weeks' combined business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bliss have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. Bliss' sister, Mrs. Dor Gasser, of Kenton, Ohio.

Miss Nina Doty, who teaches school at Vassar, is home spending her Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Doty.

Miss Matilda Mutschel, of Detroit, has been the guest of her brother, C. E. Mutschel. She was accompanied by Miss Pauline Maler, of Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Smith, of Sheridan, who has been here with her daughter while the latter underwent an operation on her eyes, returned home Monday morning.

Miss Louise Gaunt, of Chicago, is in the city to attend the governor's reception Monday night. She will be the guest of Mrs. D. F. Schairer during her stay.

An entertainment was given at the opera house, Chelsea, last evening in which Miss Claribel McMonagle, Miss Ellen Clarken, and Mr. D. A. Britten, of Ann Arbor, took part.

Mrs. White and daughter, Miss Hattie Luce, who have resided on Geddes ave. for the past 28 years are now at home in the residence which they lately purchased at No. 518 S. Main st.

### IS FOR PEACE.

But if It Cannot Be Had Honorably War Must Come.

On Monday evening the following telegram signed by President H. B. Hutchins, Profs. Prescott, Greene, Knowlton, Taylor, Hinsdale, Trueblood, Carhart, Cooley and over 75 other professors and instructors in the U. of M., was sent to Congressman George Spalding, and a copy of it was also sent to President McKinley:

"To Hon. George Spalding, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.:

Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned, members of the various faculties of the University of Michigan, feel that the country is now passing through hours that are weighted with the most solemn issues to the American people. We beg leave respectfully to represent with all earnestness that we most cordially approve of the course that the president is pursuing in regard to these questions with a view, if possible, of finding a peaceful solution of the difficulties that weigh down upon us and of saving the country and the world the awful horrors of war, if it can be done consistently with the national honor. We beg leave also to express the hope that you, as a representative of the people will second to the utmost the efforts of the president in this direction."

Wednesday the following telegram was received by President Hutchins from the congressman:

"President H. B. Hutchins and Faculties of the U. of M., Ann Arbor, Mich.:

"The momentous question of peace or war still hangs in the balance. I pray that war may be averted and an honorable peace maintained. If this nation cannot have an honorable and dignified peace, then war must come.

"GEORGE SPALDING."

### ANTICIPATIVELY.

The years may come and the years may go,

Geologically, And the planets keep on their whirl

Mathematically The clouds may frown and the winds may blow,

Periodically; And political Judsons and Morans twirl

Problematically. I think I know what I'll aim to do,

Theoretically, Ere the forces of nature swirl

Too emphatically, I'll mount my wheel and away I'll go,

Energetically For a spin with the bloomer girl—

Diplomatically And we'll pedal our way to the Racket

Perpendicularly Where everything is sold close

Infinitesimally. For though the trolley and the bike

Show a heap of skill, They ain't got nothing yet that goes

Past as money will. Unless you trade at THE RACKET

203 E. Washington st. We sell everything.

W. E. Howe now has a Michigan Bell telephone. Its number is 261.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Charles H. Baxter, editor and proprietor of the Review, Wayne, died Tuesday. He was president of the village last year.

Two of the handsomest Easter windows in this city are those in the clothing store of L. L. James & Co. They are well worth a second look.

The St. Thomas' church choir will render a new mass by Marzo at the 10:30 a. m. service next Sunday morning. Master Fred Daley will sing in it.

The supreme court on Wednesday handed down a decision denying the rehearing of the case of Mrs. Catherine M. Fillmore vs. the Great Camp of the Maccabees.

Married—Tuesday evening, April 5, 1898, by Rev. J. M. Gelston, at the Presbyterian parsonage, Mr. Claude J. Monroe and Miss Lavinia R. Conaty, both of Chelsea.

E. W. Groves has resigned his position of assistant city engineer to accept a position as engineer for the Rapid Railway which is building a monster bridge at Anchor Bay. It is understood that he is under contract for a term of nine months at \$150 a month.

Miss Ratie Cory through her father A. T. Cory, filed a claim last night with the common council for \$25,000, for damages received by falling on an icy sidewalk on E. William st. Miss Cory is still suffering from concussion of the brain, the result of her fall.

Hugh Johnson, the restaurant keeper, has sued J. H. Lepper, landlord of the Hawkins house, Ypsilanti, for \$100 damages for defamation of character. Johnson tried to buy a drink at the Hawkins house Wednesday night, when Lepper refused to sell it saying "We don't sell to coons." Hence the suit.

A meeting of the Washtenaw County Horticultural Society will be held at the pomological room in the basement of the court house Saturday, April 16, at 3 o'clock p. m. All persons interested are requested to be present. The annual reports of the State Horticultural Society for 1896 will be distributed at this meeting.

An agreement to drop the use of trading stamps, cash coupons, and other premium schemes as a means of securing trade, has been arrived at among the dry goods men of Ann Arbor. It is intimated that other business houses will soon fall in line and also discard the system. When they do so this great scheme for extorting money from the public will fall to the ground in this city as it has in others.

Mrs. Augustina Bethke, mother of Mrs. Charles Pardon and Mrs. William Pardon, died Tuesday evening at the home of William Pardon in this city, aged 64 years, 4 months and 24 days. The funeral services were held at Zion Lutheran church yesterday afternoon, Rev. A. L. Nicklas officiating. The remains were interred in Forest Hill cemetery. Mrs. Bethke was the mother of eight children, only three of whom are living.

A letter received by Fred H. Belsler from John R. Miner yesterday morning, contained the sad news of the death of Mrs. Miner which occurred in Pasadena, Cal., Saturday evening. Mrs. Miner had been ailing for a long time and the residence of the family in California was brought about by it. Her remains were interred in Fresno, Cal., where her son Clarence resides. Mr. Miner has the warm sympathy of a host of Ann Arbor friends in his loss.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's church was held at Harris hall Wednesday afternoon. The reports of the secretary showed that the average attendance at the meetings during the year had been very large and that a large amount of work had been accomplished. The result of the election of officers was as follows: President, Mrs. C. S. Millen; vice president, Mrs. F. G. Novy; secretary, Mrs. S. W. Beakes; treasurer, Mrs. W. G. Doty.

The Adrian Press says: Judge Newkirk has bought a peacock, that a Manchester taxidermist mounted, and will keep it as emblematic of Pingree politics, all strut, show and vanity. It is understood that the sheriff owns a half interest in the emblem, and goes in to see it 13 times a day. Moran of the Register, hints that if some one will present them with a mounted jackass, as typical of Judson's political management, it will fill their museum. Pat Hooligan says, "Faith, and its professors of stormical zarvatory who should give Billy Judson an asteroid, so they should."

### SCOTCH ENTERTAINMENT

At University Hall Tomorrow Evening Will Be a Good One.

Tomorrow evening the annual Caledonian entertainment to celebrate the Burns anniversary will be given in University hall under the auspices of the local Caledonian society and for the benefit of the Students' Christian Association.

As has already been mentioned it will consist of literary, musical and other numbers and will be equal to anything the society has undertaken heretofore.

The principal features will be bagpipe playing by Wm. Johnston, and also Farquhar Beaton, pipe major of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto, Ont., if he can get here. Scottish songs by Harold Jarvis; Scotch humor by Prof. R. M. Wenley; two Scotch characteristics by Prof. Craig; Scotch music on the Columbian organ by Prof. A. A. Stanley; dancing by Wm. Johnston and Miss Aggie Rankin, of Detroit; quartette singing by the Mozart Club; address by the president of the society, etc. It will be a fine entertainment at the popular price of 25 cents.

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### UNIVERSITY NOTES

"Jimmie" Baird, the former captain of the U. of M. football team, is now construction superintendent for a large firm in New York at a salary of \$4,800 a year.

T. A. Berkebile, D. W. Fishell and J. B. Campbell left Wednesday for Chicago, where they will represent Michigan Chapter of Delta Chi in the annual fraternity convention.

Sexton, Michigan's pitcher of three and four years ago and coach in '96, will play with the Baltimore National League team this season. He graduates from the University of Pennsylvania in June.

Joseph Ripley, a graduate of the class of '76 in civil engineering, has been appointed to the superintendency of the locks at the 'Soo,' to succeed E. V. Wheeler, of '76, who is now chief engineer of the Nicaragua canal.

The junior engineers in the University of Michigan will take a trip east in the spring recess under the guidance of Mr. Allen, and possibly also of Mr. Jones of the engineering department, to visit important works and plants connected with their studies.

Prof. F. N. Scott, university editor of the Michigan Alumnus, has made the offer to write up from the university for any local paper that so desires it an article on students from its own town and county. The article will tell what students are doing and what honors they are winning.

The annual election of the U. of M. Daily board was held Saturday and resulted in a victory for the slated ticket, editors being elected as follows: T. R. Woodrow, '98; C. H. Lund, 1900; J. F. Thomas, 1901; P. W. Jones, '99; O. H. Hans, 1901; E. L. Geisner, '98 L.; G. D. Hudnutt, 1900; H. B. Skillman, '98 L.; F. D. Eaman, 1900; F. Englehard, '98; A. H. McDougall, 1901 E.; R. Danforth, '98.

The Oratorical association elected officers Tuesday night and was a boisterous affair. The lites tried to have a scheme adopted whereby the officers would be divided in rotation, but the laws voted down all such propositions. The following were elected, all laws: President, F. H. Bowers, of Edon, O.; vice-president, C. W. Erick, of St. Johns, Mo.; secretary, R. W. Means, of Colorado; treasurer, A. W. Ganshow, of Saginaw; delegate to Northern Oratorical league, D. T. Jones, of Lansing.

### LATE COUNTY

John Wooley died at his home in Ypsilanti, Tuesday night, of paralysis, aged 77 years.

Calvin M. Lowe, an old resident of Whitaker, died at his home Wednesday at the age of 72 years. The funeral will be held today.

Mrs. C. N. Holmes, died at the home of her son, Edward Holmes, on Ypsilanti Plains Tuesday night, aged 79 years. Her husband died just about a year ago.

Henry Pelant, proprietor of the flouring mills at Belleville, committed suicide at his residence on Main st., by taking a dose of paris green Thursday morning. Mr. Pelant had been in ill health for several days but was thought to be improving.

Mrs. Absynia N. Kelsey, living near Milan, suffered from spinal trouble for nine years, being unconscious part of that time. She got Rev. John A. Dowie of the divine healing mission, Chicago, to pray for her, and she is well, attending to her household duties again. What next?

G. H. Scharf, of Ypsilanti, met with an accident at Owosso last week. He was on top of a boiler putting in one of his smoke consumers when he got hold of a live electric wire. It burned the flesh on his little finger to the bone. He fell over on the boiler and burned his head somewhat.

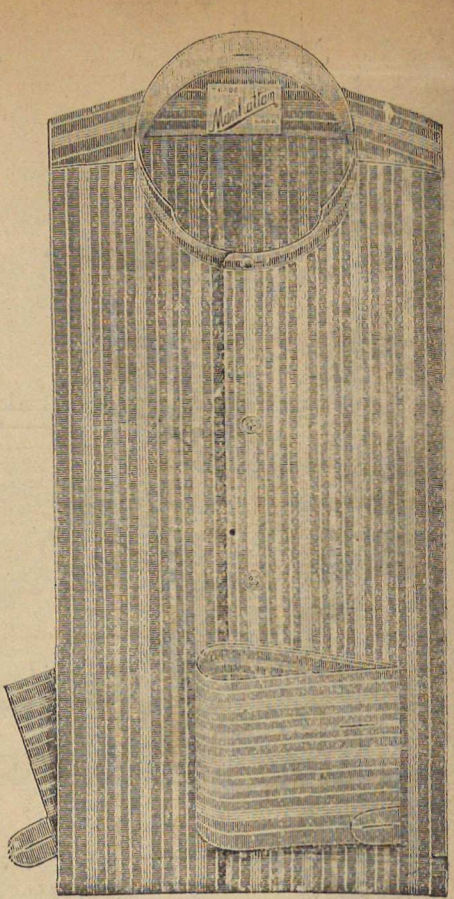
Fred Carter, the young man arrested for attempt at rape on his 14-year-old niece in Augusta, was to have had his examination Wednesday morning. The mother of the girl, however, refused to appear unless obliged to and Justice Childs got out a bench warrant for her and set the examination for Friday. The mother made the affidavit which supported the issuing of the complaint and warrant.

Win J. Wallace, of Ypsilanti, says he was in a theater in Boston recently during a performance of "Jack and the Beanstalk" and was nearly knocked off from his seat by a gag sprung by the comedian of the company. Little Jack Horner, Goody Two Shoes and all the rest of the Mother Goose characters were in a great quandary as to how to get into the Giant's house. Suddenly the fairy queen (a farcical impersonation by a man) appeared and to dispel their troubles waved the magic wand and shouted out the mystic words, "Ypsilanti, Michigan!" Such is fame.—Times.

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Estate of Isaac Suddeby.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 24th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Suddeby, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary Suddeby praying that administration of said estate may be granted to George Coe or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 18th day of April 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.

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

Estate of Isaac Dunn.

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 21st day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Dunn, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Mary Dunn, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to Johnson Backus the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

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

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

Estate of Julia E. Shankland.

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 Wednesday, the 16th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Julia E. Shankland, deceased, the administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 12th day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

Estate of Thomas Stewart.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 15th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Stewart, deceased.

Samuel Stewart, the administrator of said estate comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 25th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said 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 administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

AN ORDINANCE

To Repeal an Ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance Relative to Bicycles" Passed January 3rd, 1898.

The Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor Ordain:

Section 1. That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Relative to Bicycles" passed January 3rd, 1898, be and the same is hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after legal publication.

Passed in Common Council this 23rd day of March, 1898.

Glen V. Mills, City Clerk.

Approved this 30th day of March, A. D. 1898.

CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Mayor.

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