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THE FARMERS' PICNIC

Held at Whitmore Lake on Saturday Last.

WENLEY & HINSDALE

Divided Time With Sawyer, Allen and Goldrick.

The Speeches Listened to With Attention and the American Eagle Screams.—Attendance Not So Large as Usual.

Saturday was the day for the farmers picnic at Whitmore Lake. It is needless to say that it was a hot day, and this greatly affected the attendance. It was a pleasant day nevertheless, a hot breeze stirring and the dust which kept so many from driving in blew towards the lake, thus keeping the grounds free from dust. It was an enjoyable occasion and those who were there are going again next year. Better attention was paid to the speaking than usual. The ladies of the M. E. church at Whitmore Lake served a good dinner to a large number of the guests, while the hotels had their share of diners, and picnic parties were scattered all over the grounds sampling the content of the generous lunch baskets which the farmers' wives in Washtenaw know so well how to temptingly fill. Old friends greeted each other on every hand. The office seekers were on hand as usual, extending the glad hand and smiling as if their calling and election was sure. Pinguettes and anti-Pinguettes were there, but our reporter noticed that the Pinguettes of Livingstone were louder than those of Washtenaw. The office seekers as a rule didn't listen to the speeches. They were there to make hay while the sun shone. Some made hay and some didn't, but all denied any motive for being on the ground excepting pure friendliness and perhaps they were correct. Fakirs were on hand as usual attempting to get the unwilling shelds from the hands of the unwary, begging the passers-by to purchase a little "momento." The merry-go-round did a merry business. The dancers filled the hotels and the young people swarmed over the grounds. President William Ball, of Hamburg, called a good sized audience together to listen to the speeches at the grove at 2 o'clock and the Lombard quartet opened with a "Soldiers' Chorus." Rev. Mr. Pierce, of Whitmore Lake, pronounced the invocation and the quartet followed with "Where Would I Be." President Ball said they had so many speakers to make drafts upon that he would omit the president's address. In times past they had had politicians and men from the Agricultural College present, but today they had two professors from the University of Michigan. He called upon Prof. Wenley.

Prof. Wenley made a witty speech which took well. He said the contest today was that of one sort of wind against another sort of wind. Some speakers have no sense of time but an exceedingly strong sense of eternity. He would be tempted today if he owned Michigan and a certain place mentioned in the scriptures as a little warm, to rent out Michigan and live in his other province. He told a story of a minister whom he met on an Atlantic liner which ran into a dense fog and was surrounded with icebergs. The minister was very nervous and finally went up to the captain and asked him what he thought of their chances. The captain replied, "Put your trust in Providence." "Good God," exclaimed the minister, "has it come to that." There are several important problems of legislation pressing for settlement. One is legislation against women who insist on wearing high hats in theaters. Perhaps this could be settled by posting notices like this: "Only elderly and middle aged ladies permitted to wear hats in this theater." Another problem is that of Sunday observance. One thing the Scotchman always says to the American, you don't go to church, you walk about too much on Sunday. But if you will not go to church make it a point to know what the text is. This was illustrated by an apt story. After discussing co-education, blue stockings and long skirts, the professor spoke of the insolence of magistrates, especially sheriffs. There was once a poet whose name was Longfellow arrested and brought before a sheriff, who treated him with insolence. Finally the sheriff said to him, "I have a brother who is a poet." "Have you," said Longfellow, "then we are quits, for I have a brother who is a fool."

The Lombard Quartet sang the "Sword of Bunker Hill" and President Ball introduced Prof. B. A. Hinsdale who delivered a pleasant address on picnics and the advantages of sociability. He thought farmers' picnics were just the same as any other picnics. The agricultural class do not have to work so hard physically as they formerly did. The farmer's life is sometimes said to be unsocial. But the best farmers, the most successful farmers are

those that are the quickest witted, who have the greatest number of and the quickest ideas. This quick wittedness is best attained by the friction of one mind against another. His address was an able one and closed with an appeal to guard with quick intelligence and zealous care our educational institutions.

The quartet rendered a "Flag Without One Stain" and Hon. A. J. Sawyer was called out. He commenced with telling a story on Prof. Wenley, of how a farmer had sold him a cord of pure red oak at \$6 in preference to a cord of second growth hickory at \$4.50. He deplored the absence of the American flag from the grove. We are no longer an infant nation. We are standing erect today in the family of nations.

Hon. E. P. Allen delivered one of his patriotic addresses on the war and the triumphs and the responsibilities it had placed upon the American people. He believed that providence had selected this country to teach the world lessons in humanity and liberal government. On Jan. 1, 1898, this country was regarded as a second rate nation by the people of Europe. Today it stands forth as one of the leading powers of the world.

After the audience had sung "America," all standing, Rev. Fr. Goldrick was called out and as a representative of the Catholic church he endorsed on behalf of that church every patriotic sentiment that had been uttered that day. The church always taught obedience to civil authority. If the Philippine islands should come under the jurisdiction of the United States the church would instruct its priests to teach strict obedience to American laws. It was not sordid motives which sent the American army and navy to Cuba and the Philippines. It was a desire to better the conditions of humanity.

Mr. Lombard and Mr. Moss sang "Old Shady" and the election of officers was proceeded with. Mr. Ball declining a re-election, Philip Duffy, of Northfield, was unanimously elected president and Cyrus M. Starks, of Webster, secretary. The old board of directors was re-elected as follows: George M. Veal, Green Oak; A. T. Walker, Salem; George Merrill, Webster; E. A. Nordman, Scio; E. E. Lealand, Emory; Cyrus M. Starks, Webster; W. H. Glenn, Dexter; John W. Naary, Superior; Hiram Fair, Plymouth; Andrew Campbell, Pittsfield, and L. D. Lovewell, South Lyon.

DEATH FROM MORPHINE.

A 15 Years Old Girl Took an Overdose of the Drug.

A sad case of death from taking morphine by a young girl who evidently did not know the powerful nature of the drug, occurred on the Northside at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. The victim was Miss Millie Bucklin, the 15 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Bucklin, who lives at 1667 Broadway, near the north eastern limits of the city.

Mr. Bucklin has had one of his legs amputated and has suffered great pain with it at different times. In order to ease the pain he has taken morphine in small doses and always kept some of the drug in the house.

On Monday evening Millie was out bicycle riding. As she was entering the yard she fell from the wheel and bruised her leg somewhat. She did not complain much of its hurting her and at 8:30 o'clock went to bed with her younger sister. About midnight Mrs. Bucklin heard her daughter groaning and on going into the girl's bedroom found Millie in a state of semi-unconsciousness. She at once sent for Dr. John Boylan who on his arrival at the house saw that the girl was suffering from morphine poisoning. He worked over her assisted by others until 7 o'clock in the morning when she died. The empty envelope which had contained the morphine was found between the sheets of the bed. The quantity of morphine that it had contained was 10 grains, of which Mr. Bucklin had taken two grains, so the unfortunate girl must have taken eight grains of the deadly stuff.

Coroner Ball has decided not to hold an inquest, being fully satisfied that the girl took the morphine without having any knowledge of its effects. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

WANT RECOGNITION.

Colored Republicans Chafing at Their Position in the Party.

Harrington E. Johnson, a leading colored man of this city, asks that a place be given the colored man on the republican county ticket in the following open letter: "Ever since the birth of the republican party we have always been true to its principles and never failed to support its candidates. Now we see no impropriety in asking the republicans this fall to recognize our race by nominating some worthy colored man for county treasurer. We have some men here and Ypsilant has some that would fill the bill. John A. Freeman, John C. West and Stephen Adams could be nominated and our people would be pleased to see any one of them on the ticket this fall. We are not asking for any favor, only for what is just and right, and I feel confident that the party of Fremont and Lincoln will do what is right."

SAWYER AND JUDSON

The Olive Branch Not to Be Accepted.

SAWYER IS FOR PING

At Least For His Bill, But Judson Says "Nit."

Moran Says Judson Is Downed and that 50 Out of 70 Delegates Elected Are Anti-Judson. Judson for Wheeler.

The Detroit Tribune of Tuesday morning contains the following interview:

"I have about made up my mind to be a candidate for another term in the legislature," said Representative A. J. Sawyer, of Ann Arbor, in reply to questions. "I have been able to be of some service to the university in the legislature, and the university people are anxious that I shall be a candidate again. I said that I would not be a candidate if Gov. Pingree did not want me to go back, or if Judson intended to oppose me. I have not seen the governor, but I met Judson, and he intimated that there would be no opposition to my candidacy as far as he is concerned. If that proves to be the case, I have little doubt that I shall make the run."

"Do you mean that you shall support the Atkinson bill if you go back?" he was asked.

"Why I have always supported the Atkinson bill. There were certain amendments that I wanted made to the bill, and I worked hard to get those amendments made. When they were made, I supported the bill and voted for it. Yes, sir, I am very much in favor of the Atkinson bill."

Sawyer has been suggested as one of the best men Gov. Pingree could find to succeed Col. Atkinson as floor leader of the fight for equal taxation, and a good many politicians are inclined to look upon his present attitude as an indication that the Judson and anti-Judson fight in Washtenaw county is about to be settled up, and that Sawyer is about to climb into the Pingree wagon.

The Detroit Evening News of Tuesday evening apropos of this interview says:

Sheriff Judson was seen in regard to the A. J. Sawyer interview in this morning's Tribune, in which the state representative from this district said that he would probably stand for a re-nomination on the strength of Mr. Judson intimating that he would not oppose his candidacy. Said the Pingree leader:

"I want it understood that I am in favor of the nomination of Hon. George S. Wheeler, of Salem, first, last and all the time. The fight waged against me by Mr. Sawyer and the Moran crowd has been a personal one against my honor. It has been exceedingly bitter, and the only way they can patch peace with me is a full retraction of the lies they have tried to ruin me with. I have precipitated no fight. They have made the war and they must end it. I am pleased to see that Mr. Sawyer is experiencing a change of heart and is willing to support Gov. Pingree's measures, but I prefer to see Mr. Wheeler in the legislature. He is a man that Gov. Pingree can depend on fully, and we are not taking any chances this year."

A News man met Editor S. A. Moran, of the Ann Arbor Register, today. Moran is leader of the red-hot fight begun in Washtenaw last spring against Sheriff Judson's rule of local republican affairs. Judson carried the county in the convention to choose delegates to the congressional convention, but his opponents said the Pingree boom was what enabled him to do it. Moran said today that anti-Judson feeling has been growing rapidly, and that the sheriff will be downed in the coming county convention. "Out of 70 delegates elected so far, we have 49 or 50," said he. "I believe Sawyer can go back to the legislature if he wants to, not because he has made peace with Judson, but because Judson can't defeat him."

The Ann Arbor Register this week claims that of 76 delegates elected 18 are for Judson and 63 are against him and that only 50 more delegates out of the 148 to be elected are needed to award victory to the Moransites and takes great credit to itself for the fight against Judson. The Evening Times has a table of delegates elected showing 17 Judsonites, 51 Moransites and 12 doubtful. It says of the delegates to be elected that Judson will have 58 sure and 26 will be against him surely while 60 more votes are in dispute.

The Scio delegates elected are: Arthur Lyons, Walter Tubbs, William Seyfried, William Gunther, Peter Reider, Frank Smith, Lewis Boyden, William Allison and Homer Phelps. The delegates from Dexter are Chas. Bell, Emerson Howard, Charles Schultz and Richard Whalen. The Pittsfield delegates are A. F. Smith, George Wilsey, Alfred Hutzel, John Harwood, Frank Tiehnor. The Scio caucus instructed for Sawyer.

ELKS' DAY IN JACKSON.

Ann Arbor Boys Well Received and Declared to Be "All Right."

The visit of the Ann Arbor Elks, accompanied by a number of their friends, to Jackson, on Monday, Labor Day, when they took part in the great Elks' field day, will not soon be forgotten by those who went on the trip, which was replete with good natured fun and merriment from start to finish. The party which left Ann Arbor on the 9:18 Michigan Central train that morning numbered about 50 people including the Washtenaw Evening Times Band, but this number was increased to 60 before Jackson was reached.

Arrived at Jackson a delegation from the lodge of B. P. O. Elks in that city met and escorted them to the Hibbard house where they established their headquarters and adjourned for dinner. At 1:30 the great grotesque parade was formed and headed by the Washtenaw Times Band and Ann Arbor contingent each member of which wore a distinguishing badge and carried a yellow and blue umbrella marched through the principal streets of the city and out to the fair grounds where the sports were held. Almost every feature was a burlesque designed for purely fun making purposes, in which they were eminently successful. An immense concourse of people was present, the grand stand being so packed with spectators that at times it was feared it would not stand the strain put upon it. About 5 o'clock the sports ended and the people returned to the city, only to return to the fair grounds in the evening to listen to the concert by Boos' Band and witness the grand display of fireworks. By 10 o'clock the doings were over and a return to the city was made, and at 11:30 the Ann Arborites boarded their special train for home which was reached at 1:30, the Jacksonians declaring that the Ann Arbor Elks were "all right" and that everybody said so.

SUNDAY MORNING'S STORM

Wrought Havoc Among the Farmers of Southwest Washtenaw.

A terrible electrical and rain storm swept Manchester and vicinity between 2 and 3 o'clock Sunday morning, in fact the storm was very general all through this county. The storm spread terror among the inhabitants of the southwestern part of the county laying low many shade trees and unstable buildings, and washing out roads. The lightning was one continual flash, rain fell in torrents and the wind was fairly a hurricane.

Lightning struck several trees and barns with no particular damage, but the barn of Jacob Walz, in Bridge-water, two miles east of Manchester, was burned with about 700 bushels of wheat, 1,000 bushels of oats, hay, tools, etc. The insurance was \$900, but the loss was \$2,000.

Mrs. Edmund Lockwood, of Sharon, lost two valuable farm horses that were lying against a wire fence along which lightning ran from a tree.

At Saline on Sunday morning the first rain fell since June 12. Rain had fallen all around Saline during the summer, but that village had been skipped. During the storm lightning struck and destroyed the large barn of the George A. Shaw, estate in York, occupied by O. G. McBride, together with 90 tons of hay, and several hundred bushels of oats and a quantity of wheat. Loss \$1,500. Insurance \$600.

During the storm James Halladay's barn, a half mile north of Clinton was struck by lightning in four places. No fire resulted. Three barns are reported to have been burned northeast of Clinton.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

The Old Trustees Re-elected Without Opposition.

The annual school meeting of School District No. 1, Ann Arbor, was held Monday and there being only one ticket in the field a light vote was cast, only 109 voters participating in the election. The polls were closed at 2 o'clock, the votes counted and the result partially declared, when it was found that the notice of election called for the polls to be open until 3 o'clock. The polls were reopened and a dozen more votes cast, the final result being as follows: Junius E. Beal, 105; Anna B. Bach, 104; Christian Maack, 102; John V. Sheehan (to fill vacancy) 95; J. C. Finney, 2; H. J. Brown, 2; J. K. Hamilton, 1; F. Pistorius, 1; W. D. Harriman, 1; Mrs. B. A. Hinsdale, 1; John Lawrence, 1.

Mr. Sheehan was elected to fill a vacancy which did not exist at the time of the election, Mr. J. T. Jacobs not having filed his resignation. Still it is not probable that there will be any objection to Mr. Sheehan's acting as a member of the board.

The uniform system of text books was voted down by a vote of 99 to 3.

At the business meeting after the voting, only 18 were present. The meeting authorized the spreading of \$36,000 upon the tax rolls and also authorized the board to float \$5,000 worth of four per cent bonds for improvements in the buildings and for janitors, houses at the Bach, Tappan and Fourth ward schools. The sum of \$500 was voted for the public school library.

Work Goes On

When Hood's Sarsaparilla Gives Strength and Vigor

Backache and That Tired Feeling Promptly Cured.

"I was feeling very miserable. I was tired all the time, had no appetite and felt sore all over my body. I had backache so that when I stooped down it was hard to raise myself up. I was hardly able to work and was just making up my mind to give up my work when I read an advertisement of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I determined to try this medicine. When I had finished one bottle I felt a great deal better. I did not stop my work, and after I had taken the third bottle I felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life. Since then I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla when my blood was impure and I recommend it to everyone who does not feel well." JOHN J. EICHMANER, 928 Meldrum Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

WASHTENAWISMS

The Catholic picnic in Augusta cleared \$135.

Thomas Gots, of near Ypsilanti, died last Thursday aged 86 years.

Mrs. George Kaercher, of Lodi, died week before last aged 81 years.

Mrs. D. J. VanDyke died in Bridgewater last week after a long illness.

Whitmore Lake has never before had so many summer resorters as this year.

The Manchester school children bought and paid for a piano in nine months.

Mrs. McCarthy died at her home 315 Prospect st., Ypsilanti, on Thursday morning.

Nathan Jewett who died at Eagle's Nest, Miss., Aug. 24, was born in Lima 51 years ago.

Miss Bethlea Ellis, Ypsilanti's famous soprano, will sing in the Trumbull ave. Presbyterian church, Detroit, the coming year.

Elmer Bassett, who taught in the Chelsea schools last year, was one of the sick 34th Michigan soldiers to return from Cuba.

Mr. Roy T. Smith, of Northville, and Miss Angelette Johnson, of Ypsilanti, were married at the home of the bride's mother on Friday.

Rev. Hutchins has preached his fare well sermon at the Manchester Baptist church and has gone to Massachusetts to finish his collegiate studies.

Miss Kathleen Baird has resigned her position in the Manchester grammar school and the position has been offered to Miss Nellie Richmond, of Paw Paw.

Mrs. Sally Poncher, of Bridgewater, was 90 years old on Wednesday of last week and her relatives assembled at her home at William Gadd's to celebrate the event.

The Dixboro creamery was closed some time ago on account of a shortage in its number of patrons, it is now to be leased by the Ypsilanti Creamery Co. who will open it up for business.

A new company with \$20,000 capital has been organized to boom the Ypsilanti mineral waters. They will make the Occidental hotel over into a modern sanitarium and will attempt to put Ypsilanti in the front rank of bathing and resort cities.

Mrs. Elinn McCarthy, of Ypsilanti, died Thursday morning. She formerly resided in Ann Arbor and her husband died in Ypsilanti three years ago. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Tom Whalen, Mrs. John Ryan, and Miss Eliza McCarthy and two sons Jerry and Edward McCarthy.

The following are the teachers in the Chelsea schools which opened last Monday: Superintendent, W. W. Gifford; preceptress, Carrie McClaskie; English assistant, Florence N. Bachman; science assistant, Idalene Webb; eighth grade, Dora Harrington; seventh grade, Mame Fletcher; sixth grade, Anna Beissel; fifth grade, Elizabeth Depew; fourth grade, Mary VanTyne; third grade, Clara Hemans; second grade, Marie Bacon; first grade, Louella Townsend.

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The Milan schools open next Monday. The Ypsilanti schools opened Tuesday.

The Manchester high school has 26 foreign pupils.

Miss Nellie Copeland, of Dexter, is teaching in Ovid.

Miss Eva Mains, of Dexter, is teaching in Oakdale, Neb.

James Killam is teaching in District No. 5, of Sharon.

Wm. Burtless is building a new barn on his premises in Manchester.

Ed Kief, the Manchester taxidermist, has mounted a four-legged chicken.

Fred G. Snideor, of Ypsilanti, teaches in the Stockbridge high school.

The Congregational church in Ypsilanti will be ready for occupancy Dec. 1.

About 100 bushels of apples are being dried at the South Lyon evaporator.

Mr. Shannahan, of Lyndon, has 200 plum trees loaded with Lombard plums.

The Ypsilanti water supply got pretty low before the rains of the first of the week.

Miss Anna Greenman, of Whittaker, had the misfortune to run a nail in her foot recently.

James W. Abbott, who died in Delray, Aug. 18, aged 71, was a former resident of Whittaker.

The farmers of Augusta held their annual picnic in Thorn's grove near Willis, last week Wednesday.

The missionary contributions at Emanuel church in Manchester Sunday before last amounted to \$15.

Mrs. Rosa Cannon died of heart trouble at her home in Ypsilanti last Thursday afternoon aged 21 years.

The Manchester post office is now open on Sundays from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m., instead of at noon as formerly.

The Michigan Mfg. Co., of Ypsilanti, has a contract for making five gas engines of 25 horse power each.

The Dexter creamery made its first shipment last Thursday, some 800 pounds of butter going to Boston and Philadelphia.

Thieves broke into the churches at Rogers' Corners recently and took a small quantity of money from the Lutheran church.

Mrs. Andrew VanRiper died in Chicago, Aug. 29, after an illness of several months. She was for many years a resident of Dexter.

The Stockbridge fair has been running since 1877, the smallest receipts for any one year being \$130 and the largest \$3,127.42 in 1884.

Rat snakes have again been found within the limits of Stockbridge. It is about time for the Stockbridge Sun to come out with a flaming prohibition editorial.

Mrs. Sarah Appleton died in Detroit on Wednesday of last week, aged 85 years. She was a resident of this county for about 50 years but had lived in Detroit for the past 18 years. Her husband died over 30 years ago.

The school house in the Lowden district Ypsilanti town, is being repaired. The old siding has been replaced by new, a belfry and bell has been added, also new doors, chimney, and the walls will be newly plastered. The building was built more than 50 years ago by David Gardner.

Last week the Argus made mention of the death of John Fullerton, of Ypsilanti, at the insane asylum in Pontiac. It now turns out that it was not John Fullerton who died, but another fellow. It was all a mistake on the part of the asylum authorities which was not discovered until all arrangements for the funeral had been made.

The Misses Edith Foster, Mary Gorman, Stella Conlan, Nellie Walsh, Helen Wade, Anna McKue, Winifred Cassidy, Mary Heatley, Mary McKernan, Katherine McGuire, Anna Znlke, Matilda Hummel, of Chelsea; Rose Murray, of Dexter, and Cora Sheehan, of Pinckney, are attending St. Joseph's Academy in Adrian, which opened Wednesday.

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There are 430 children of school age in the Chelsea district.

An artificial lake is being built in Prospect park, Ypsilanti.

Peaches were sold in Manchester last week at 40 cents a bushel.

George Webb, of North Lake, had 1,500 bushels of wheat this year.

The Eastern Stars, of Manchester, visit the Grass Lake lodge Sept. 28.

Arnold H. Kuhl, of Sharon, raised 460 bushels of wheat on a 10 acre field.

The roadbed of the Ypsilanti branch of the Lake Shore road is being repaired.

Mrs. Mary Brown, of Milan, has been granted a widow's pension of \$8 a month.

Rev. J. I. Nickerson preaches his farewell sermon in the Lima church next Sunday.

Miss Nellie Lowery began the fall term of school in District No. 4, of Sharon, last Monday.

The democrats of Saline will caucus at the engine house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A forty hours' devotion will commence at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Dexter, on Sunday next.

The Saline Arbeiter Verein had a picnic in the park at that village yesterday afternoon and evening.

The Saline Observer says: "The station building at Pittsfield Junction has turned green." What with? Envy.

Rev. J. S. Edmunds has resigned the pastorate of the Chelsea Baptist church, his resignation to take effect next month.

The Detroit Free Press says "Around Milan the corn is so dry that the farmers have to cut it at night, while the dew is upon it."

Arrange to make an exhibit at the Washtenaw fair Sept. 27-30. Entry blanks can be obtained of F. E. Mills secretary, Ann Arbor.

The Ypsilanti public schools cost \$19,074.09 last year, of which \$13,150 was for teachers' salaries. The estimated expenses for next year are \$18,860.

James Harper died at the home of his daughter Mrs. William Harris, in Dexter, on Wednesday of last week, aged 87 years. He was born in England and spent most of his life in Canada.

Earl Van Dyke, 10 years old, of Milan township, lost part of the index finger of his right hand while handling a windmill pump. Gangrene set in and the finger had to be amputated at the last joint.

The Southern Washtenaw Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co. has ordered an assessment of 50 cents on the \$1,000. This is to pay for the burning of the barn of Noah Zimmerman, of Manchester, on Aug. 13.

Rev. Frank Heiler, of Grass Lake, has received a call to become president of Sheridan college, Sheridan, Wyo. He is a young man of marked ability and a broad education. He has been serving the church of Caledonia, Ill.

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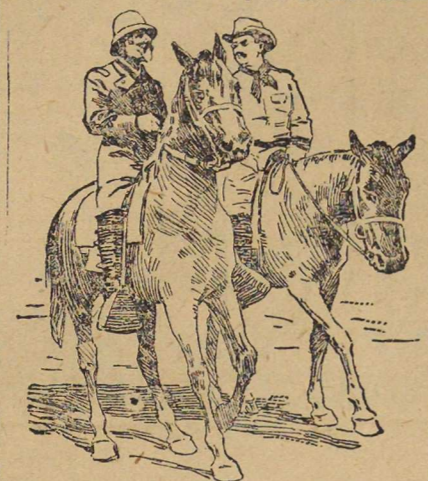
PRESIDENT AT CAMP.

He is Accompanied by Secretary of War Alger.

A SALUTE OF TWENTY-ONE GUNS.

The Presidential Party Met at the Railway Station by General Wheeler, General Shafter Still Being in Detention and Ill—President Goes to the General's Tent and Gives Him Greeting—Shafter Preparing a Report.

Camp Wikoff, L. I., Sept. 5.—The president and secretary of war arrived at Camp Wikoff at a quarter of 9. Major General Wheeler and his staff, Colonel Roosevelt and other officers greeted Mr. McKinley, Mr. Alger and their party on the station platform. Outside a thousand smart troopers of the Third



GENERAL WHEELER AND COLONEL ROOSEVELT AT CAMP WIKOFF.

cavalry were drawn up, and the converted yacht Eileen in the roadstead slowly boomed forth the president's salute of twenty-one guns. General Wheeler met the president because General Shafter has a touch of fever and does not feel able to move from his cot. Besides General Shafter is still in detention and it would hardly comport with the discipline of the camp for the commanding general to disregard the detention rules. General Wheeler arranged for the inspection party to go through the detention camp, past General Shafter's tent, where the president greeted the commander of the Santiago forces.

A Most Beautiful Camp.

The carriages, preceded by the cavalry, first wound up the hill to General Wheeler's headquarters. There the president took a long view of the wide, treeless expanse, checked with regimental camps and hospitals, great parterres of canvas amid stretches of grass. "This is beautiful," Mr. McKinley said, and then later: "I think I never saw a handsomer camp."

After a two minutes' wait the president drove through the detention camp to Major General Shafter's tent. The general was in full uniform, but his face was flushed with fever. He endeavored to rise from the chair in which he sat as the president entered this tent.

"Don't get up general," said Mr. McKinley, as they shook hands. "You are entitled to rest. How are you?" "A little achy," replied the general, "but otherwise all right."

Mrs. Alger remained in General Shafter's tent while the president, Secretary Alger, Mr. Griggs and others went to the general hospital.

Shafter Preparing a Report.

General Shafter and his staff spent the day in the hills of the detention quarters. The general is busily engaged in preparing a long report, which will cover the entire Cuban campaign and will answer his critics by blows straight from the shoulder.

"In that document," said Lieutenant Miley, senior aide, who took the opportunity of creeping out of the detention lines, "we will tell some facts, and the critics may say what they please."

On all sides are heard praises of the work of the Red Cross society. "They just kept this army from starving to death," asserted a soldier. The first Illinois was released from quarantine and will not be compelled to spend the usual five days in detention. This, however, will make no change in the time set for starting home.

Troops to Be Sent Away.

President McKinley was in camp but a few hours when he decided that the best thing to do was to get the troops away from Montauk Point as soon as possible. The volunteers will be sent home on furlough and some of the regulars will be disposed of as follows: Third cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., and Jefferson barracks, Mo.; Sixth cavalry, to Fort Myer, Va., and Fort Wadsworth, N. Y.; Third infantry, to Fort Snelling, Minn.; Fourth infantry, to Fort Sheridan, Ill.; Ninth infantry, to Madison barracks, N. Y.; Thirteenth infantry, to Forts Columbus, Porter and Niagara, N. Y.; Seventh infantry, to Niagara barracks, O.; Twentieth infantry, to Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; Twenty-first infantry, to Plattsburg barracks, N. Y. General Wheeler and General Ames, while they favored sending the troops home as rapidly as possible, told the president that they did not believe the sanitary conditions of the camp were as bad as had been represented.

Michigan Troops Go Home.

New York, Sept. 3.—The Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Michigan volunteers have left Camp Wikoff, homeward bound, on a sixty-day furlough. They will travel by the West Shore line. The trains carrying the Michigan volunteers had been arranged for by Governor Pingree. They are made up of Pullman coaches for both the sick and the well men. The governor's son, H. S. Pingree, is in charge and with him are the sixteen volunteer nurses that came from Detroit on Wednesday to care for the invalids of the regiments. In the Thirty-third are eighty sick men and in the Thirty-fourth forty. A few men not fit to travel are left in the general hospital.

More Sick Leave Santiago.

Santiago de Cuba, Sept. 6.—The hospital ship Missouri sailed for Montauk Point with 250 sick and convalescent members of various regiments. There was a big crowd on the wharf when the steamer weighed anchor, and they gave the departing men a cheer. The prospect of going home brightened up the sick men greatly. The surgeons said that the change would speedily start them on the road to recovery. Less than one hundred sick men of General Shafter's command now remain in Santiago. The Segurancía is being equipped to take them home.

Mustering Out Iowa Troops.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 6.—Two batteries of light artillery, composed of men from Burlington and Cedar Rapids, have been mustered out of service by Lieutenant Howell.

Michigan Regiments Going Home.

New York, Sept. 2.—The Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Michigan volunteers will leave Camp Wikoff at once for home, having been granted furloughs.

General Miles Leaves Porto Rico.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The war department is advised that General Miles has departed for this country from Ponce on the transport Auckland.

Justice White Will Not Serve.

Cooperstown, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Justice White has stated positively he had declined a peace commissionership. His reasons are not made public.

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REFUSED TO FUSE.

Wisconsin Democrats and Populists Nominate Separate Tickets.

Milwaukee, Sept. 3.—Fusion between the Democrats and Populists, which seemed so absolutely certain, received a death blow at the Democratic state convention, a resolution to make the Populist nominee for secretary of state the candidate for the same office on the Democratic ticket having been rejected by a vote of 361 to 294. Following is the full ticket named by the Democrats: Governor, Judge Hiram W. Sawyer; lieutenant governor, P. V. Deuster, Milwaukee; secretary of state, T. O. Stromme, Madison; state treasurer, S. J. M. Malek, Milwaukee; attorney general, H. H. Grace, West Superior; insurance commissioner, John F. Schindler, Milwaukee; railroad commissioner, C. G. Wilcox, Depere; state superintendent of schools, W. M. Schultz, Sauk.

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Notice to Dog Owners.

Notice is hereby given that the licenses expire September 1st, 1898, on all dogs harbored in the city of Ann Arbor, according to an Ordinance Relative to the Licensing of Dogs and Regulating the Running at Large and the Slaying of Dogs, (Passed September 17, 1894; Approved September 18, 1894.)

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to own, possess or harbor, or have the care or keeping of any dog, male or female, over the age of three months, within the city of Ann Arbor, without first obtaining a license therefor from the said city of Ann Arbor. The fee for said license shall be: For a male dog and a spayed female dog, one dollar; for a female dog, two dollars. No license shall be granted for a period exceeding one year, and all licenses shall expire on the first day of September succeeding their issue.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of every person owning or having possession or care of any dog, male or female, to cause such dog to be registered in the office of the city clerk, in a register kept by said clerk for that purpose, and to pay the license fee provided in Section 1 of this ordinance into the city treasury; and also to pay a fee of twenty-five cents to the clerk of said city for the issuing and recording such license; also to obtain the city clerk's receipt of said license so paid and the metallic plate or check hereinafter described, under the penalties herein provided.

Section 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars and costs of prosecution, and in the imposition of any such fine and costs, the court may impose a further sentence that the offender be and remain imprisoned in the common jail of Washtenaw county until such fine and costs have been paid: Provided, That such imprisonment shall not exceed thirty days. GLEN V. MILLS, City Clerk.

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DISEASE FEARED AT PANAMA.

Colored Men at Springside Mine Are Stricken with Malaria.

Pana, Ills., Sept. 6.—Guarded by four deputy sheriffs, Operators David J. Overholt and Louis Overholt went to Taylorville to attend the injunction proceedings against mine operators. The Springside negroes are sickening. Half a dozen are ill, several with malarial fever. It is said all the sewage from Pana runs into the pond near the mines, and it is believed the negro quarters will be a pest hole in a few days. An attorney for the miners thinks the further importation of negroes can be prevented by law. Efforts at compromise are not proving successful.

A petition is being circulated for citizens' signatures for Governor Taner to make a visit here and investigate the situation before sending the Galesburg battery to protect life and property. Owing to the prospect of contagious disease originating in the negro camp and spreading to the city, efforts will probably be made to have the state board of health investigate conditions at Springside and break up the camp. Sheriff Coburn began swearing in 100 extra deputies for city patrol duty, with consent of Mayor Newell. It is reported that the sheriff will take charge of the city.

Jeweled Sword for Schley.

New York, Sept. 3.—Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley is a member of the Royal Arcanum, and a project has been inaugurated among its friends in that order in Brooklyn to present a jeweled sword to him. Grand Regent H. C. Wiggins has endorsed the movement, and the various councils in the state will be asked to subscribe to the fund. The sword will cost about \$1,000, and the presentation will be made at the Masonic temple in this borough.

Baptists' Anniversary.

Baptists have already accepted an invitation for their May anniversaries of next year. This invitation came from the First church of San Francisco. This will be the first time these anniversaries have gone beyond the Rocky mountains. They bring together about 2,000 of the active workers in Baptist benevolences. The reason for going to San Francisco, apart from the stimulus given to Baptist interests on the Pacific coast, is the fact that it is just fifty years since Baptist work was undertaken in California. The occasion next year is to be made a great one in Baptist circles of the Pacific coast.

It Is Just as Important

That you enrich and purify your blood in the Fall as in the Spring. At this time, owing to decaying vegetation, a low water level, and other causes, there are disease germs all about us, and a weak and debilitated system quickly yields to attacks of malaria, fevers, etc. By purifying and enriching your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla you may build up your system to resist these dangers, as well as coughs, colds, pneumonia and the grip, which come with colder weather. To be on the safe side, take Hood's Sarsaparilla now, and always be sure it is Hood's and not something else represented to be "just as good."

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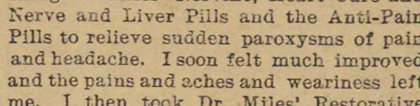
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DISEASE FEARED AT PANAMA.

Colored Men at Springside Mine Are Stricken with Malaria.

Pana, Ills., Sept. 6.—Guarded by four deputy sheriffs, Operators David J. Overholt and Louis Overholt went to Taylorville to attend the injunction proceedings against mine operators. The Springside negroes are sickening. Half a dozen are ill, several with malarial fever. It is said all the sewage from Pana runs into the pond near the mines, and it is believed the negro quarters will be a pest hole in a few days. An attorney for the miners thinks the further importation of negroes can be prevented by law. Efforts at compromise are not proving successful.

A petition is being circulated for citizens' signatures for Governor Taner to make a visit here and investigate the situation before sending the Galesburg battery to protect life and property. Owing to the prospect of contagious disease originating in the negro camp and spreading to the city, efforts will probably be made to have the state board of health investigate conditions at Springside and break up the camp. Sheriff Coburn began swearing in 100 extra deputies for city patrol duty, with consent of Mayor Newell. It is reported that the sheriff will take charge of the city.

Jeweled Sword for Schley.

New York, Sept. 3.—Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley is a member of the Royal Arcanum, and a project has been inaugurated among its friends in that order in Brooklyn to present a jeweled sword to him. Grand Regent H. C. Wiggins has endorsed the movement, and the various councils in the state will be asked to subscribe to the fund. The sword will cost about \$1,000, and the presentation will be made at the Masonic temple in this borough.

Baptists' Anniversary.

Baptists have already accepted an invitation for their May anniversaries of next year. This invitation came from the First church of San Francisco. This will be the first time these anniversaries have gone beyond the Rocky mountains. They bring together about 2,000 of the active workers in Baptist benevolences. The reason for going to San Francisco, apart from the stimulus given to Baptist interests on the Pacific coast, is the fact that it is just fifty years since Baptist work was undertaken in California. The occasion next year is to be made a great one in Baptist circles of the Pacific coast.

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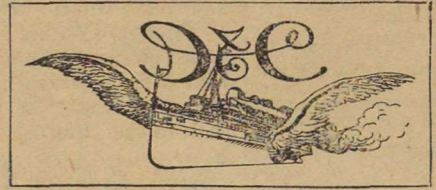
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Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, etc.

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. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, L. Gruner, Directors

Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$150,000. Resources, \$1,000,000.

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OFFICERS.—Christian Mack, President; W. D. Harriman, Vice-President; Chas. E. Hiscock, Cashier, M. J. Fritz, Asst-Cashier.

VILLAGE DOINGS

Lima.

Mrs. H. Paige is on the sick list.

Miss Nina Fisk spent last week in Dexter.

Miss Bertha Spencer will teach the Lima Center school.

Next Sunday will be Rev. J. N. Nickerson's last Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Waters, from Wayne, have been visiting Mrs. Ella Eaton.

Mrs. A. Strieter has gone to Chicago to spend a few weeks with her brother.

I Storms and daughter Mrs. Fannie Ward are visiting relatives at Adrian.

Mrs. Hill, from Chelsea, has been spending a week with Miss Nettie Storms.

Pears are so plentiful and prices so low in this vicinity that they are being made into cider.

Misses Mattie Hammond, Eva Luick, Vernie Hawley and Charles and Earl Finkbner are attending school at Chelsea.

Milan.

William Layton is visiting friends in Indiana.

Milton Crane has purchased the Palmer house on Tolen st.

Dr. Chapin has returned from his Petoskey visit much refreshed by the trip.

Mrs. F. S. Bray and daughter, of Delray, are the guests of J. Bray and family on Wabash st.

Milton Clark has opened a store in Delta, Ohio. Good wishes follow him in this business venture.

A bright day was Sunday, Sept. 4, in the life of William Laxton, one of the brave 18 who volunteered to draw the fire of the Spanish battery, at Santiago de Cuba, when he stepped off the train at Milan, and was greeted by a hearty cheer from hundreds of people who had gathered to show their appreciation of true bravery. Truly Will was the hero of the hour. He was escorted to a beautifully decorated carriage drawn by a fine span of horses who wore the national colors. Dr. Laxton and family were seated inside and as soon as Will was seated the procession headed by the Milan Cornet Band, started and hundreds followed in line to the Laxton residence on Maunsee st., where cheers and congratulations were repeated. William Laxton is home on a 60 days' furlough but thinks he will not be called back for active service.

Hundreds of the Milan people witnessed a sad home coming Tuesday morning when Roscoe Allen brought the remains of his son Clayton L. Allen of Co. F, 34th Michigan Volunteers, after reaching New York. He was an exemplary young man in every way. His parents are heart broken and his host of friends mourn deeply his loss. The funeral services were held at the house Tuesday afternoon, Rev. F. O. Jones officiating. The Island Lake drum corps was in attendance. The remains were laid to rest in a grave in Marble Park cemetery beautifully decorated by loving hands. He was buried with military honors. The floral offerings were beautiful beyond description presented by relatives, the Christian Endeavor the M. E. church and the citizens of Milan. The family have the sympathy of the whole community.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1893.

DEMOCRATIC UNION SILVER TICKET.

- For Governor—JUSTIN H. WHITING, of St. Clair. For Lieutenant Governor—MICHAEL F. McDONALD, of Sault Ste. Marie. For Secretary of State—L. E. LOCKWOOD, of Coldwater. For Auditor General—JOHN L. FRISBIE, of Hillsdale. For State Treasurer—DR. EDGAR B. SMITH, of Detroit. For Attorney General—ROYAL A. HAWLRY, of Ionia. For Land Commissioner—CARLTON PECK, of Lapeer. For Superintendent of Public Instruction—MRS. FLORENCE B. RENKES, of Hastings. For Member of State Board of Education—GEORGE R. WILLETS, of Calhoun.

Democratic County Convention.

The Democrats of Washtenaw County will meet in county convention in the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 20th day of September A. D. 1893 at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of putting in nomination candidates for the following offices, to wit: County Clerk, sheriff, register of deeds, county treasurer, prosecuting attorney, two circuit court commissioners, two coroners and one county surveyor and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The different townships and wards in the county are entitled to representation as follows:

Table listing townships and wards with their respective representation counts. Includes Ann Arbor City, Northfield, Pittsfield, Salem, Saline, Scio, Sharon, Superior, Sylvan, Webster, York, Ypsilanti City, 1st ward, 2d ward, 3d ward, 4th ward, 5th ward, 6th ward, 7th ward, 8th ward, 9th ward, 10th ward, 11th ward, 12th ward, 13th ward, 14th ward, 15th ward, 16th ward, 17th ward, 18th ward, 19th ward, 20th ward, 21st ward, 22nd ward, 23rd ward, 24th ward, 25th ward, 26th ward, 27th ward, 28th ward, 29th ward, 30th ward, 31st ward, 32nd ward, 33rd ward, 34th ward, 35th ward, 36th ward, 37th ward, 38th ward, 39th ward, 40th ward, 41st ward, 42nd ward, 43rd ward, 44th ward, 45th ward, 46th ward, 47th ward, 48th ward, 49th ward, 50th ward.

MARTIN J. CAVANAUGH, Chairman. CHARLES A. WARD, Secretary.

Democratic Senatorial Convention, Tenth District of Michigan.

The democrats of the Tenth Senatorial District will meet in convention in the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 30th day of September, 1893, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of state senator and transacting such other business as may come before the convention.

By Order of the Committee. W. L. WATKINS, Chairman.

Ann Arbor Town Caucus.

The Ann Arbor township democratic caucus to elect delegates to the county convention will be held at the court house in Ann Arbor on Saturday, September 10, 1893, at 3 p. m. CHAS. BRALEY, Chairman.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats of Pittsfield Township are requested to meet Saturday, September 10, 1893, at 2 o'clock p. m. in the town hall, to elect six delegates to the coming county convention at Ann Arbor. A. J. PAUL, Chairman.

John Sherman is after Secretary Alger's scalp. But there are others after the same scalp.

We want a good, solid, substantial, clean-cut and honest business man in congress. That is the reason Pierce was nominated.

Pingree was hissed at the Grand Army meeting at Cincinnati and in consequence of the disapproval shown had to cut his speech short.

The Morantites have thrown away all pretense of non-interference with the plans of the Judsonites to control the republican convention next week and a battle royal is on. The Morantites hoped to catch the Judsonites napping.

Pingree claims to stand for equal taxation. We know that he stands for higher taxation. In fact he is the most extravagant governor Michigan has ever had. Read the figures given on our second page to find out a few of his extravagances. Whiting stands for equal taxation and lower taxation.

The commissary and the medical departments of the war department badly need investigation. Thousand of lives have been lost needlessly through lack of food and medicines. Somebody has blundered and the American people want to know who that somebody is. The independent press of the east says that it is Secretary Alger. We doubt if his is all the blame. Put turn on the search light of publicity.

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"I suppose your wife missed you a great deal?" inquired the Boston woman of the man from Chicago who was waiting for her husband. "Well, no, mum. For a woman she has a remarkably straight aim, mum," was the reply.

BRICKS FOR THE CHURCH.

How the Bricks for the Old Baptist Church Were Furnished.

On Tuesday, Eugene K. Frueauff, of W. Huron st., had a delightful short call from his friend, ex-Ald. Gilbert Lyon, of Owosso. Mr. Lyon was on his way home from a visit with an aged aunt at Delhi. He is one of the oldest and best known attorneys in Shiawassee county. His opinion is always recognized by his brother attorneys as of great value. He is a great lover of nature, being an expert fisherman and hunter. He has an excellent memory which is replete with interesting reminiscences of people and local history. He is a son of the late Daniel Lyon, who lived on the old Captain Houston farm on the Dexter road just west of the city. Here Mr. Lyon spent his boyhood days. An interesting story is told of his father, Daniel Lyon, who was a member of the Ann Arbor Baptist church. When the first Baptist church was to be built, the question of the purchase of brick came up. William Maynard offered to supply the bricks to the society at cost price. The elder Mr. Lyon wanted to know what this was, and upon hearing he declared it was too high, he would make the brick himself. He cleared off an old brickyard on his farm and hired a brick maker. Some other people wanted brick which he sold at a profit. The result was that he furnished the brick to the Baptist society free of cost.

Gilbert Lyon is a graduate of the University of Michigan. He was very much pleased with the paving being done on Main st. Among the people of Mr. Lyon's day there are now only a few left, such as Dudley Loomis and Daniel B. Brown.

Marriage Licenses.

- Perry Dodge, 21, Milan; Nora Woodmansee, 18, same. Fred Wellhoff, 25, Sylvan; Emma Messner, 26, Chelsea. F. Aloysius Doetsch, 28, Detroit; Helen Macks, 23, Ypsilanti. William Brudette Coppennoll, 26, Grass Lake; Nina L. Isham, 21, Ypsilanti. Frank Joseph Bitsch, 30, Webster; Nellie Wisheoff, 20, same. Frank J. Sloat, 26, Manchester; Emma L. Widmayer, 21, same. Louis W. Schnierle, 28, Ann Arbor; Clara Stabler, 26, same. Adelbert C. Riggs, 22, Dexter; Mabel G. Northard, 16, same. Gordon F. Day, 28, Canada; Ethel N. Lewis, 21, Salem.

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Manchester.

Miss Ida Silkworth began teaching at Bridgewater Center Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hagaman and little daughter Gladys visited Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Bertha Lehn is clerking in the post office during the absence of Miss Annette Kingsley.

Herman Schoettle left the first of the week for Elmhurst, Ill., where he will attend college.

Rev. McLean, who has recently been settled as pastor of the Baptist church at Clinton, preached here Sunday afternoon.

A large number took advantage of the excursion rates Monday and went to Toledo to join in the Labor Day celebration.

Miss Nellie Richmond, of Paw Paw, has been engaged to teach the grammar grades the coming year. She came here Saturday.

Mr. Schwab, an aged man, was driving near the depot Monday when his horse ran away, throwing him out and injuring him severely.

Miss Nettie Gillett, who has for some time occupied a position in the school went to Ypsilanti Tuesday, where she will take a course in the Normal.

Rev. D. N. McPhail, a student in the theological university at Upland, Ind., stopped over here from Monday until Tuesday, while en route to Canada to visit relatives.

T. B. Bailey's family have returned from their trip up the lakes. They stopped at Duluth where they visited Dr. A. C. Taylor and family who formerly lived in Manchester.

Mrs. Dennis Van Durne, who has for a long time been a sufferer from tumor, died Thursday morning of last week. She leaves a husband and one daughter, Mrs. Elmer Logan, of Sharon.

Mrs. Harvey Blaisdell returned last Thursday from Grand Travers county, where she has been visiting relatives. Her little daughter Florence, who has been there most of the past year, returned with her in order to attend school again.

The most popular person on the streets the first of the week was David Haschle who came from Detroit Monday forenoon. He is the only one of the boys from here who has seen actual service having been with the 34th Michigan in Cuba and participated in the battle of Santiago.

We are glad to learn that Allie J. Hough, one of our boys who is now in the 31st Michigan, has lately been promoted from the rank of a private to that of corporal. It is purely a matter of personal merit as reports have reached here from time to time of the good record he has been making since he joined the regiment.

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The school tax in Ypsilanti this year will be \$12,000.
 G. B. Dunlap, of Ypsilanti, had a bicycle stolen from him Tuesday evening.
 The Scio delegation to the republican convention, 10 in number, is solidly anti-Judson.
 J. T. Jacobs & Son will keep their shoe store open till 9 o'clock tonight and tomorrow night.
 Rev. T. W. Young and Profs. Chute and Montgomery are building a cottage at Portage Lake.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beuttler, of Saline, celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding on Wednesday.
 The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 2:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon will be led by Rev. W. M. Forrest, pastor of Christ church.
 A car on the Ann Arbor road was broken open Monday night and a dozen suits of fine underwear, flannel shirts and stockings were abstracted.
 Ann Arbor Lodge, No. 325, B. P. O. Elks, will meet in regular session next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A good class of candidates is in course of preparation for initiation Oct. 5.
 The University School of Music will hold its examination on Tuesday, Sept. 27, from 8 a. m. to 12 m. Owing to the large number of applications it is requested that all be there promptly at 8:30.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

There are 1,778 children of school age in Ypsilanti, of whom 155 are colored.
 Two buggies collided in front of Firemen's hall Tuesday evening but no damage was done except to the buggies.
 Miss Charlotte Buck, of Ypsilanti, and Superintendent Frank Sooy, of the Fremont schools, were married in Grand Rapids last week.
 Five blossoms of night blooming cereus opened at Mrs. Enoch Dieterle's on S. Fourth ave., last Friday night and were admired by a number of people.
 Corporal Oscar F. Barkhart and Privates Harry and Reilly, of Co. A, are sick in the hospital at Knoxville, but Capt. Granger says their condition is not serious.
 A night blooming cereus with five blossoms opened last Friday night at the residence of Mrs. Fritz, of W. Liberty st. The same plant blossomed once before this summer.
 The great finance auditors for the Ladies of the Maccabees made their quarterly audit of the books of Miss Emma E. Bower, Tuesday and found everything in first class condition.
 While Edward Werner, one of the boys who delivers the Evening Times, was looking through a drawer, he picked up a revolver which had not been touched for three years. It went off and a ball passed through his left hand.
 Rev. J. H. Crooker, of Troy, N. Y., preaches in this city at the Unitarian church Sept. 18 and 25. It is thought that he may become the pastor of the church. He is a graduate of the Ypsilanti Normal college and of Harvard University.
 Insurance Commissioner Campbell has addressed a notice to each member of the Michigan Mutual Protective association, of Detroit, notifying him that the association is insolvent, having no assets and liabilities much exceeding \$1,000; also that he has directed the association to cease doing business.
 Times: After an interval of 22 years, five sisters arrived and spent several days in happy reunion with Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, 1008 Hill st. Mrs. Walter and daughter and Mrs. Allen came from Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Beach, from Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Kendall and daughter from Phoenix, Arizona. Three of these sisters are wives of clergymen whose combined years of professional and active services stretch into a century and a quarter of continuous labor.

A. A. Pearson has been made secretary of the republican city committee.
 There are 2,984 children of school age in this district, a gain of 59 over last year.
 The Ann Arbor road earned \$118,633.55 during August, an increase of over \$6,000.
 George Bischoff, the florist, is building another green house adjoining his present one on Canpin st.
 The Ann Arbor mail carriers participated in the parade of the mail carriers of the country in Toledo Labor Day.
 John Williams, better known as "Bud," was sentenced to 15 days in jail Tuesday by Justice Duffy for assaulting his wife.
 The Congregationalists of Ypsilanti are holding their Sunday services in the opera house, while the Presbyterians hold their services in Cleary's hall.
 Justice Duffy on Tuesday sentenced a tramp named James Corwin to 65 days in the Detroit House of Correction for stealing a pair of shoes from Karl Kuhn.
 Charles Schneider was arrested Tuesday on complaint of his wife, for assault and battery. He pleaded not guilty and his trial was fixed for next Monday.
 S. C. Randall was elected president of the association of the 22nd Michigan at the reunion in St. Clair last week. The reunion next year will be held in this city.
 Emanuel Wagner, of Ann Arbor city, has thrown his political hat into the ring and announces himself a candidate for the county treasurership on the democratic ticket.
 Nicholas Miller wants \$2,000 damages from the city for breaking his leg on Jan. 23, 1897, by reason of a defective sidewalk on Miller ave., between Ashley and First sts.
 The electric railway will donate \$30 in gold for a cake walk on the fair grounds Thursday, Sept. 30, to be divided into three prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5. No entrance fee is charged and the contest will be open to the world.
 On the seventh page of this paper will be found the annual reports of the president of the Ann Arbor school board and of the principal of the high school for the year 1897-98, which contains much of interest to a large number of our readers.
 The Argus has received from Miss Nellie S. Loving, librarian of the public schools, a little booklet entitled "Finding List of English Prose Fiction." The library is being classified according to the Dewey-Cutler system and the catalogue is a list of the works of fiction which are now completely classified.
 The Adrian fair will be held in that city Sept. 19-23 inclusive. Adrian always has a good fair and it is a reasonable conclusion to arrive at that this one will be no exception to the general rule. One thing is certain and that is there will be more politicians to the square inch present this year than there were last, which may be an additional attraction.
 The annual festival services for foreign missions will be held in the Bethlehem church Sunday at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Jost, a missionary in the East Indies, Rev. Otto Haas, of Detroit, Rev. R. Schreiber, of Grand Rapids, Rev. J. B. Meister, of Freedom, Rev. L. Koelbing, of Dexter, Rev. J. Schweinfurth, of this city, and Dr. F. Meyer, of Detroit, and others will aid in conducting the services. The 25th anniversary of the Missionary Aid Society will also be celebrated in the forenoon.
 Adrian Telegram: Dr. Fred Palmer, who has been doing service at Camp Alger, returned to Brooklyn, Jackson county, Monday. The citizens prepared to give him a little reception on his arrival, but Dr. Fred, not caring for any demonstration, fooled the people by getting off the train at Manchester and getting into town another way. The doctor is looking well and healthy, weighing more than when he left. If his condition is an indication of the camp in which he has been, the camp must be well cared for. After a 15 days' furlough the doctor will return to Camp Alger, where he will assume the position of pathologist of the hospital.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Justin Bullis Tuesday.
 Mrs. Amanda Bidwell died at her home in Salem last Thursday night, aged 56 years.
 The best place to get your letter heads or your handbills printed is at the Argus office.
 Glen V. Mills is giving the same hustle for the republican nomination for county clerk that he gives to all fields he enters.
 Bradley Way, a Bridgewater farmer, was struck by a wagon tongue a few days ago and so badly injured that he died on Wednesday. He leaves a widow and several children.
 Editor A. B. Smith, of the Milan Leader, is a candidate for the republican nomination for representative in the second district. He would make an honest and capable legislator.
 Christian Zahn, who was arrested on complaint of his wife for non-support, plead guilty before Justice Duffy Saturday and was let off on paying costs and filing a bond for good behavior for three months.
 Henry C. Smith, the republican nominee for congress, has been nursing a boil on his shaking hand, just where the thumb of the man he shakes hands with would strike it. This is one of the penalties of a personal canvass.
 Jacob Volland has removed his harness shop to the Cook house block. He has occupied the same location on Huron st. for 56 years, having once been burned out in the great fire of 1852, which burned a number of business houses on Main and Huron sts.
 Rob Wagner, who had quite a reputation as an artist while in the university, has a very striking poster page in the last number of The Criterion, entitled "No Nurses, No Antiseptics, No Medicines, No Mattresses, No Fit Food, No Ice, No Pure Water and No Investigation."

Justice Duffy awarded Mrs. Mary J. Tabbs \$75.74 in her suit against John Croarkin, of Dexter, for back freight and cartage bills. She claimed \$270. This is the first of the suits to collect a large quantity of freight bills which Tabbs paid for Dexter merchants, but which he had never presented to them.
 Benjamin Culy, a Scio farmer living on the Dexter road, died Sunday aged 51 years. He was born in Scio where he died and was the last remaining member of a family of six children, none of whom left any children. He was never married. He was the son of Benjamin Culy who was born in England and came to this country in 1835, settling on the farm where his son just died.
 A lodge of Free, Accepted and Legitimate York Masons (colored) was organized in this city Monday night with the following officers: W. M., Samuel Baylis; S. W., John A. Freeman; J. W., Oscar L. Jackson; treasurer, Stephen Adams; secretary, John T. Porchue; S. D., John West; J. D., George W. Gough; stewards, Milton W. Guy and George A. Craig; Tyler, H. E. Johnson.
 Miss Lois A. McMahon died Saturday morning at 1839 Washtenaw ave. She was born in Manchester, graduated from the Ypsilanti Normal in 1876, and for 12 years held a position as instructor in the Normal college. For the past three years she had been taking advanced work in the university and received her master's degree last June. She was a sister of Mrs. F. S. Gaige, of this city.
 Miss Phoebe A. Wheslock, of Dixboro, died Sunday of malarial fever aged 64 years. She was the daughter of Robert T. Wheelock who settled in this county in 1826 and surveyed the townships of Salem, Ypsilanti and Superior. She was born in this county, was an only child and resided on the old homestead where her father lived. Her father died in 1848 and her mother in 1879. The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon.
 Andrew Smith, of Ann Arbor town, is the possessor of as fine a 15 acre orchard of young peach trees as any the Argus has seen in many a long day and a good deal of his success with it is due to his thorough cultivation of the land. Even in June last the orchard gave promise of a good yield of fine fruit and the samples Mr. Smith left at the Argus office Monday were a convincing fulfillment of that promise, so rich and juicy were they.

The 31st Michigan has earned the title of being one of the best regiments in the volunteer service, and the boys seem to appreciate the fact. Company A is composed almost wholly of men of the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor. They are thorough gentlemen.—Knoxville, Tenn., Times.
 Reports to the state board of health show that diarrhea, rheumatism, neuralgia, bronchitis and dysentery, in the order named caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Consumption was reported at 19 places; typhoid fever at 62, diphtheria at 17, scarlet fever at 17, whooping cough at 13 and measles at 12.
 Grass Lake News: A rumor is current here that Hank Smith is making the canvass over in southeast Washtenaw, wearing an old straw hat and a bob-tailed wampus, with a knot hole in the gable of his pants into which is stuffed a wad of straw. At one place he ran the wringer and helped a woman do two weeks' washing for her five months' old triplets.
 "Now, Tommy," said the Sunday school teacher to a member of the juvenile class, which would you rather be, the wheat or the tares?" "The tares," answered Tommy. "Why, how can you say that when you know the wheat represents the good and the tares the bad?" "Oh, that's all right," replied the precocious youngster, "the wheat gets threshed and the tares don't."

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Estate of Phoebe A. Wheelock.
 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 8th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight.
 Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate in the matter of the Estate of Phoebe A. Wheelock, deceased.
 On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of E. C. Lyke and Wm. A. Robinson, 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 themselves the executors in said will named or to some other suitable person.
 Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 3rd day of October 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.
 [A true copy.]
 R. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

Estate of Lois A. McMahon.
 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 7th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight.
 Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the estate of Lois A. McMahon, deceased.
 On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Louise Campbell and Anna Gaige, 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 Louise Campbell, Anna Gaige and Susie Lamb, the executors in said will named, or to some other suitable person.
 Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 3rd day of October 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.
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Murderers May Be "Nice."

At daybreak at Sakhalin—you could hardly see daybreak on account of the shutters—one of the ugliest-looking women I ever saw crept in with a cup of tea that is always given in Asia very early in the morning—and she was a murderer. I went to the little tent outside to have breakfast, and a man came up behind me and reached over my shoulder and he was a murderer. Then when we rode out after breakfast a man, with magnificent broad shoulders and splendid face, drove, and he was a murderer. The fact is, strange as it may seem, they (the governor and Russian officers at Sakhalin) have no choice; all the domestics must come from the material they have, and if you take a thief he is almost always sure to stay a thief, while a murderer may be a very nice kind of a person. They did that kind of thing among themselves, and I don't want any better men than some of those that were sent there for murder.—Bulletin of the American Geographical Society.

A little life may be sacrificed to a sudden attack of croup if you don't have Dr. Thomas Electric Oil on hand for the emergency.

Poisoned by Cold Chicken.

Mrs. J. J. Collier, Mrs. Martin, and Rutherford Collier, of North College street, who were badly poisoned by eating cold chicken which had stood open over night, were a good deal better Saturday and are now in no danger. There was violent vomiting by all persons poisoned. Dr. M. D. Pollock, who attended them, did not, for that reason, find it necessary to use a stomach pump.—Decatur (Ill.) Review.

Meaning of Doll Signs.

A traveler through Serbia will often notice dolls hung up inside the cottage windows. He learns that the dolls are put up as a sign to announce to wayfarers that a marriageable daughter dwells in the house.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Plurals of Nouns Ending in O.

In the formation of the plural of nouns with this ending, the general rule is that es is added to the singular; as in potatoes, cargoes, buffaloes; yet the following words add only s: Grotto, junco, canto, cenfo, quarto, portico, octavo, duodecimo, tyro, solo (all, by the by, foreign words), and also all nouns ending in io, as folio, folios; or, in fact, whenever o is immediately preceded by a vowel, as cameo, embryo, etc. A notable peculiarity is to be observed with regard to nouns substantive ending with the sound of o. If they be words of more than one syllable, they for the most part end simply in o; but, if only of one syllable, they take an e after the o, thus, canto, potato, quarto, hero, but doe, foe, roe, sloe, toe, woe, etc. Yet other monosyllables not nouns substantive, have no final e, as no, go, no.—Literature of Typography.

Bad blood and indigestion are deadly enemies to good health. Burdock Blood Bitters destroys them.

Somewhat Fishy.

Wonderful are the tales of travelers, and the proof is generally ready for purposes of substantiation, if their truth is called in question. A tourist who had returned from a trip to Seattle and Tacoma was describing to his eastern friends the glories of that region, its marvelous climate, and the rapid strides its people are making in the arts and sciences of civilization. "I tell you," he said, "they are away ahead of you people here. Even the animals are more sprightly, and have more go-aheadiveness about them than the animals in this part of the country." "I have heard," said a sarcastic listener, with a wink at the others, "that the fish out there can sing." "Well, they do have a kind of Puget Sound about them," rejoined the traveler.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pitcher*

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

CAMP WIKOFF NOTES.

Five More Deaths Added to the Long List.

EIGHTH OHIO STARTS FOR HOME.

Members of the First Illinois Regiment Disappointed in Not Getting Off When They Expected To—Secretary of War Alger Orders an Investigation of Neglect of Sick Soldiers—Hospital Ship Runs Aground.

New York, Sept. 6.—The following deaths occurred at Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Monday night and Tuesday morning: Alfred Gardner, Company I, Eighth Ohio volunteers, pneumonia; William H. Farley, Battery G, Fourth artillery, consumption; James C. Brown, band, Fourth infantry, typhoid fever; John C. Quinn, Company L, First Illinois volunteers, pneumonia; William Leininger, Company C, Eighth Ohio, convulsions. There are only 891 men in the general hospital, which is a low figure. There have been many furloughs and convalescents gone home. There are four convalescent wards without patients. One hundred and fifty men in the hospital are down with typhoid fever. One hundred men left camp on the morning train on furloughs.

Eighth Ohio Gets Off.

The larger body of the Eighth Ohio volunteer infantry, numbering 1,050 men, under Colonel Hard, left Camp Wikoff for home early in the morning carrying with them all their equipments except tents and a few articles of minor importance which belong to the government. They left 100 sick and convalescent behind in the hospitals. The men of the Eighth had been clamoring for leave to go home ever since their arrival on the transport Mohawk two weeks ago. When word came that the president would visit the camp they expressed a desire to remain here until his visit was over in order that they might participate in the general welcome which he received. Following the presidential visit came the order granting the sixty days' furlough.

First Illinois in Hard Luck.

Indications are that Colonel Turner and the First Illinois will be entangled in the meshes of red tape up to the moment of departure. Some of the disheartened men now believe that they will not get away before Thursday. Several prominent Chicagoans have asked President McKinley to use his authority to break the spell that keeps the boys here. Colonel Turner declared that more than 100 of his men are unaccounted for because the authorities have given him no lists of those on detached duty or those sent home on furlough.

Brief Hope Dispelled.

Monday afternoon the situation had looked bright for an early start and there were even hopes that the hospital train would be ready to receive troops at daybreak next day, but later word was received that not a man would be allowed to leave the hospital unless by order of the regimental surgeon, countersigned by his superiors, and that this course must be followed in the case of each individual. Colonel Turner is making desperate efforts to comply with these instructions, but it is doubtful if any troops can leave before Wednesday at the earliest.

Will Go Direct to Chicago.

There is a lively fear among the boys that they will after all have to comply with the order to go to Springfield first, but the officers declare that the troops will go directly to Chicago. The death of Private Matthew Tunneller, Company H, Aug. 31, is reported. It is claimed that the record of this was mislaid and that the neglect to announce the fact is another indication of the lamentable lack of system in the hospital service.

ALGER ORDERS AN INQUIRY.

Death of Private Parrett at Camp Wikoff To Be Investigated.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Secretary Alger sent the following order to Montauk Point: "Washington, Sept. 5.—The Commanding General, Montauk, N. Y.: The New York World of about 28th ultimo published a statement of the death of Private Hugh P. Parrett of the Eighth regulars, in which it charged that when he begged of Dr. — to take him to the hospital the doctor notified him that the hospital was for sick men, and it is reported that Parrett died that night. This account is sent me by Representative Grosvenor of Ohio, who says there is great indignation in his community over the case, and, if it is as reported, there should be.

"I wish an inquiry immediately instituted to find out about this matter and report made to me. I understand one Sergeant Rich of the same company or regiment is under arrest for having complained of this matter. I have heard much of the neglect of the men, much of which no doubt, is fictitious, but if there is any foundation for this statement, or if there are any men ill in the regulars in their tents that are not provided for, I wish to know the reason why and at once; also the names of the officers in command of the regiment and company in each case.

"R. A. ALGER, "Secretary of War."

CUBANS MUST WORK.

General Lawton to Issue Rations Only Upon That Condition.

Santiago de Cuba, Sept. 6.—Two hundred Cubans from General Cebreco's camp in the hills near Cebre, this province, have come to the city, surrendered their arms and asked for rations. General Lawton took the arms and put them to work on the water front to earn their rations. The Cubans say their forces in Santiago province are suffering for want of food and are on the point of breaking out. They have no provisions and cannot get forage. General Lawton has replied that he will ration all men who will come to town, give up their arms and work for their food, but that he will not supply any men who persist in keeping arms and skulking in the hills when they ought to be on the plantations helping to make harvest. He believes it will not be long before most Cubans have given up their fight for

recognition and have returned to their homes.

Hospital Ship Ashore.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 6.—The steamer City of Lewiston, chartered by the Massachusetts Aid association to bring sick soldiers of New England regiments from Montauk Point, went ashore at 9 o'clock at night at Point Judith in the heavy fog. The tugboat John F. Gaynor was near at hand with a lighter. After much tribulation and distress the 137 wretched soldiers aboard were safely transferred to the lighter. Several of the more feeble of these men are likely to die as a result of the extraordinary exposure. The lighter brought them all into this port.

Ordered to Samoa.

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—The United States gunboat Bennington has been ordered to Pago Pago bay, Samoa, according to Mare island reports, to make a survey for a coaling station. She is to sail Wednesday. Upon finishing the survey she will proceed to Manila and relieve the Concord, which will come to Mare island navy yard and go on dry dock, the English docks not being available. The Bennington will stop at Mare island to coal.

ESCAPE OF THE KHALIFA.

British Cavalry Horses Fall Exhausted from Hard Riding.

Cairo, Sept. 6.—Advices from Omdurman say that the Anglo-Egyptian cavalry, which went in pursuit of Khalifa Abdullah, after the fall of Omdurman, abandoned the pursuit about thirty miles beyond the city. The horses



KHALIFA ABDULLAHI.

were completely exhausted, having been ridden forty-eight hours, during fifteen of which they had been engaged in fighting.

The khalifa has gone to Kordofan, to the southeast of Omdurman. General Kitchener has organized Arab camel squads to follow him. The British and Egyptian forces with the sirdar participated in imposing service in memory of General Gordon.

GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT.

Regimental, Brigade and Other Reunions at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Sept. 6.—The thirty-second annual encampment of the G. A. R. is a success so far as attendance is concerned, even for these national events which are phenomenal for crowds. The decorations are unusually elaborate, the electric light designs in the public squares and at street intersections surpassing even the finest structures of expositions and the entertainment is equally lavish.

The features of the day were the regimental, brigade and other reunions, at which the old comrades got closer together than on any other occasion. There were demonstrations on the arrival of several department commanders and of governors and their staffs. The citizens also tendered receptions to Commander in Chief Gobin, Rear Admiral Kelley, Mrs. S. J. Martin, president of the W. R. C.; Mrs. Flora M. Davey, president of the Ladies of the G. A. R.; Mrs. Jennie Laird, president of the National Association of the Ladies of the Naval Veterans, and others. The W. R. C. auditing committee, the directors of Andersonville prison property, the directors of the national corps and the national council were in session on routine business.

Mistake Cost Three Lives.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Two lives were instantly crushed out and another will be lost, as the result of a switchman's mistake at the north end of Long bridge at midnight. The killed are Frederick Freeland, fireman, and Ben Cooper, brakeman. Engineer Darius Harman is at the hospital fatally scalded. An extra train of three freight cars was derailed at the intersection of the Pennsylvania and Southern railway tracks and the tracks of the Washington and Mount Vernon Electric railroad. The cause of the wreck was the opening of the switch for the electric cars, which cross Long bridge, instead of that of the steam railroad, which would have carried the train into the yards. Switchman Reynolds has been arrested.

Tried to Sink a Ship.

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—A letter to The Call dated Bering straits, June 27, states that the bark Northern Light, Captain Whiteside, from San Francisco for Kotzebue has arrived safely in port, her crew and 152 passengers, after a voyage during which it was discovered that four large auger holes had been bored in her bow. It was found that the vessel was leaking badly, and but for the timely discovery of the cause she would have gone to the bottom. There is apparently no clew to the men who tried to sink the ship.

Killed by an Outraged Husband.

Warrensburg, Mo., Sept. 6.—W. H. Hartman, senior member of the firm of Hartman & Markward, proprietors of the Magnolia mills, one of the wealthiest citizens of Johnson county, was shot and instantly killed by Adolph Lubrick, at the home of the latter in this city. Lubrick forced his way into a room occupied by Hartman and Mrs. Lubrick, and opened fire on the pair. Three shots took effect in Hartman's body, killing him instantly. Mrs. Lubrick was uninjured. Lubrick was arrested.

Murdered by a Burglar.

St. Paul, Sept. 6.—Arthur Middleton, proprietor of a tea store on West Seventh street in this city, died at 3:30 in the morning from a bullet wound in the left breast which he says he received at the hands of one of two burglars, who tried to break into his place at 2 o'clock. There is no clew to the murderer.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

Adopted at the Democratic State Convention Held at Grand Rapids, June 22, 1898.

"The Democracy of Michigan in state convention assembled hereby reaffirms its loyalty and devotion to the platform adopted at Chicago in 1896.

THE WAR WITH SPAIN.

"We favor a vigorous prosecution of the war with Spain, which was begun and is being waged in the interests of humanity, and for the extension of political freedom. We urge the most liberal supply of modern arms to our soldiers, and the utmost energy in their equipment. We declare our conviction that there should be no cessation of effort until every righteous purpose shall have been achieved.

"We congratulate the nation upon the skill and valor of its defenders and the prompt and effective response to the call for troops; especially do we feel just pride in the high character and earnestness of the brave men of Michigan who in the volunteer service have reflected such credit upon our commonwealth.

EQUALITY IN TAXATION.

"We are in favor of equality in taxation. We insist that corporations and accumulated wealth should pay their just share of the burden of taxation.

UNEQUALLED RECORD OF ECONOMY AND REFORM.

"We call attention to the fact that when the Democratic party came into power in this state in 1891, for the first time in many years, it promptly inaugurated measures looking to the equal and just taxation of railroad and other corporations. It passed a law compelling railroads to carry passengers at two cents per mile, which has been sustained by the Supreme Court of the state; it established a franchise fee for corporations, which has produced large revenues; it restricted the right of consolidation of competing railroads; it inaugurated the first Australian ballot law ever enacted in the state, designed to prevent the coercion of the votes of workmen by corporate agents; it enacted the first practical and effective law for the protection of mechanics' liens; it repealed the law which practically exempted mining companies from taxation, and compelled them to pay their just share of taxes. It introduced business methods in all branches of the state government by which the people were better served at much less expense than any prior or subsequent administration.

TAXATION AND CORPORATIONS.

"We promise a continuance of this work. We believe and confidently assert that the record of the Republican party in this state precludes its support of any measures not satisfactory to the combinations of capital which have been the chief development of its policy. We demand the passage of state laws which shall keep the control of corporate action at all times in the hands of the people and place a limit to permissible extortion by fixing a maximum charge for freight and passenger service, and compel recognition of the public rights by the holder of every franchise. We demand a strict supervision of telegraph, telephone, express and other corporations using similar privileges, that their charges for service shall be held within reasonable limits, and the rights of patrons vigorously protected.

REPUBLICANISM ARRANGED.

"We condemn the Republican party of Michigan for its machine methods and its subservience to corporate wealth, by which, in the last Legislature, it controlled the state senate and through which it boasted that in the future all attempts to equalize taxes or impose just burdens upon corporations shall be defeated; we appeal to the people of the state to select a Democratic Legislature in both branches, and thus guarantee reforms on those important questions.

DIRECT LEGISLATION.

"We favor a constitutional provision by which the electors may initiate legislation—and at the polls pass upon such laws as effect the right of the citizen and the taxpayer.

OUR REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS.

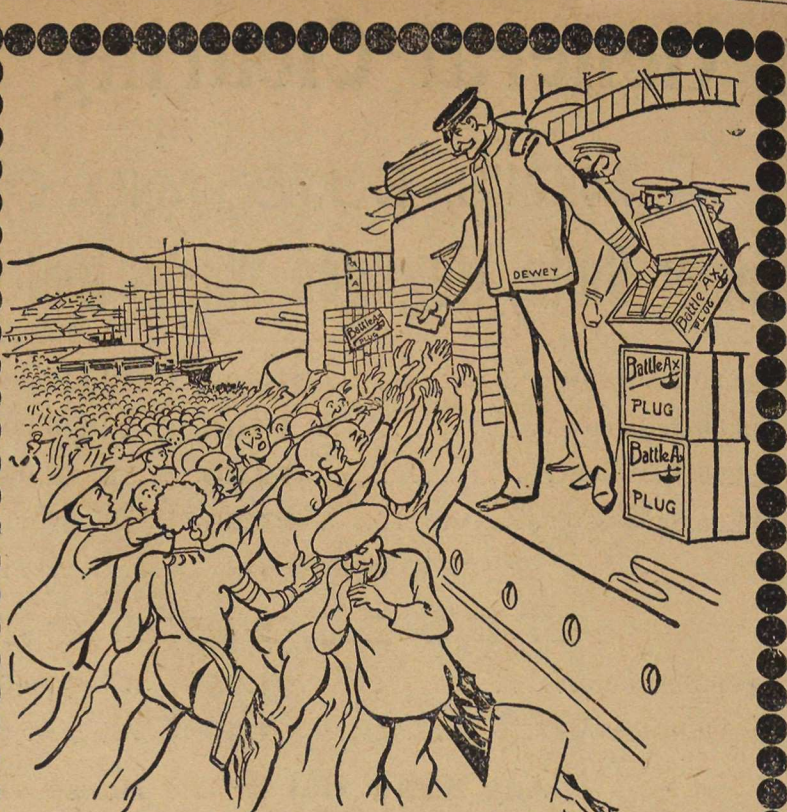
"We are especially pleased to congratulate the Democracy of Michigan that while our party delegation in Congress from this state is small in numbers, it is legion in ability and unswerving devotion to the people, and on this occasion it is eminently fitting that the unceasing zeal and aggressive efforts of Hon. Ferdinand Brucker and Hon. Albert M. Todd in behalf of the toiling millions be cordially commended."

Powers' Prattle.

Perry F. Powers as a private citizen confessing an honest opinion, says he does not think free silver has anything to do with the low condition of the people in Mexico. Perry as a politician charges everything to free silver. We are surprised that he has not charged yellow fever and other plagues to free silver. The fact is that Mexico has made more progress during the 25 years past under free coinage than during 400 years before. We will credit it to free silver; that we have as much or more reason for doing than he has for attributing the present conditions there to free silver.—Ithaca Journal.

A Prophecy.

The London Times said about American finances in 1865: If that mischievous financial policy which had its origin in the North American republic during the late war in that country, should become indurated down to a fixture, then that government will furnish its money without cost. It will have all the money that is necessary to carry on its trade and commerce. It will become prosperous beyond precedent in the history of the civilized nations of the world. The brain and wealth of all countries will go to North America. That government must be destroyed or it will destroy every monarchy on this globe."



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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 22d day of August, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Marinda McCallum, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 23d day of February next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 23d day of November, 1898, and on the 23d day of February, 1899, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 22, A. D. 1898.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Edward L. Walter, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 20th day of February next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 19th day of November, and on the 20th day of February 1899, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 19, A. D. 1898.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Estate of Edward H. Clark.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 30th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edward H. Clark, deceased.

Leonard Gruener, 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 September 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 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.

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

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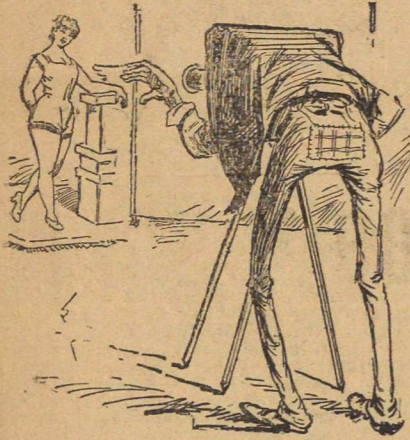
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A very good Lace Curtain for 55c per pair, a better one for 69c, and our best \$1.39 per pair. Curtain Poles and Shades, a good assortment at Racket prices.

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PERSONAL

Dr W J Herdman is back from the east.

Ald. Spathelf has returned from Temple.

Mrs W H Dorrance has returned from the east.

D Cramer is spending the week in Hastings.

Dr S M Hartley left for Battle Creek Saturday.

A C Schumacher has returned from Marquette.

City Treasurer Seyler spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Eliza Ladd has returned from Charlevoix.

Miss Clara Dean has returned from Sand Beach.

David Henning, of Chicago, was in the city Friday.

Orla B Taylor, of Detroit, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Bernice S Smith left for St Louis, Mich, Friday.

Mr and Mrs John Long have been visiting in Deerfield.

Mr and Mrs O E Butterfield have returned from Vermont.

Mrs William Wilcox has returned from her eastern trip.

Mrs J Q A Sessions has returned from Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Monna Tucker is teaching in the Howell high school.

Walter Maok is in New York purchasing goods for his stores.

J A Born has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Potoskey.

Prof T W Hughes and family left Tuesday for Champaign, Ill.

Mrs Victor C Vaughan returned from Jacksonville, Florida, last Friday.

Mrs Walter S Perry and daughter returned from Charlevoix Saturday.

Mrs James M Turner, of Lansing, will become a resident of this city.

Miss S Brown and niece have returned from Potoskey and Manistee.

J Q A Sessions is attending the G A R national encampment at Cincinnati.

Robert Gerner, of Detroit, terminated his three weeks' visit in this city Monday.

Miss Weibrecht has gone to Cleveland, to work in a wholesale millinery house.

Mrs Josephine Smith and daughter, Miss Nellie, have returned from Stockbridge.

Miss Anna D Robinson has returned from her vacation spent in Alpena and Detroit.

Mrs Harry Coleman, of Pontiac, has been visiting her mother Mrs Ann Richards.

Miss Florence Richards has gone to Three Rivers to teach English in the high school.

Mrs Fannie Fauselle and niece Miss Louise Hennequin returned Saturday from Potoskey.

Misses Carrie and Sophia Wooters, of Liberty, Ind, are visiting Mrs Addie Bell of Broadway.

Mrs George Sweet and children returned home yesterday from a two weeks' visit in Ohio.

Mrs Hallock and daughter Miss Mabel Hallock are in Battle Creek, where Miss Hallock is teaching.

Misses Carrie and Bertha Christmann have returned from an extended visit in Jackson and Grass Lake.

Master Fred Daley sang in a concert at Ypsilanti for the benefit of St John's church on Wednesday evening.

Mrs J F Henne and daughter Miss Anna have returned from their four weeks' visit in Jackson and Lansing.

Mrs Mary McClure and family have removed to this city from Pennsylvania and now reside at 502 E Jefferson st.

Mrs Fred Bridgeman, of Kansas City, Mo, and Mrs J E Cole, of Muscatine, Iowa, are visiting Mrs E B Bromhall.

Mrs W G Doty and son Ralph have been visiting her cousin Mrs J F Spafard and other relatives and friends in Manchester.

Miss Louise P Weinmann, lit '98, has secured a position to teach in the Constantine high school during the coming year.

Miss Anna Clark, who has been visiting her sister Mrs J E Clark, of 833 Washington st, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Miss Mabel Van Kleek and Miss Lula Van Valkenburg returned Saturday from a nine weeks' visit in Pennsylvania and New York.

Potoskey Resorter: Rev Mr Staley, of Dexter, in company with J V N Gregory, left for home Friday evening after a ten days' visit at Burr Lee's.

Rev and Mrs Robert Schreiber and son Waldemar, of Grand Rapids, will arrive in the city tomorrow to visit Mrs Schreiber's parents, Rev and Mrs John Neumann.

YPSILANTI PERSONALS.

Frank Ellis has gone to Grand Rapids.

Mrs F K Owen is visiting friends in Buffalo.

Walter Fuller has returned from Mackinac.

Prof F H Pease and wife are back from Europe.

Miss Mary Crombie teaches in Manistee this year.

Miss Cora Allen has gone to her school in Marshall.

Miss Helen May Hewett returned from Chicago Friday.

Miss Cora Cornwell will study physical training in Boston this year.

F M Beal has returned from Europe.

Prof Lodeman is on his way home from Germany.

Miss Carrie Crippen is teaching in Alma, Kansas.

Miss Florence Warner is teaching in Traverse City.

Prof D Ooge and family have returned from Charlevoix.

Miss Bernice Knapp is teaching in the Elgin, Ill, high school.

Miss Alice Babbitt left Saturday for Hartford where she is teaching.

Mrs George C Bradley and daughter have returned from Ore Hill, Conn.

Miss Winifred Childs has a position in the School for the Blind in Lausing.

Mr and Mrs George Bogardus and daughter have returned from Manistee.

William Lewis has gone to Grand Rapids to take a position with the Sears Baking Co.

Dr Mark Finley, of the weather bureau, of Washington, D C, visited his parents in Ypsilanti last week.

Not Their Fault.

It will not be Jacobs & Son's fault if people go barefooted this winter. If you do not believe this read their large adv. on the fourth page and see what they say on the subject of the sale of shoes.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

St. Andrew's church Sunday school held a picnic in Klager's grove in Pittsfield yesterday.

The committee on sidewalks has recommended that nine new crosswalks be built in different parts of the city.

Judge Kinne has denied a motion for a new trial in the famous Mollie Bennett will case which was argued before him Tuesday.

The Democrat Publishing Co., of this city, has filed articles of association with the secretary of state with a capital stock of \$6,500.

The common council will sit as a board of review on the paving assessments and the condemnation proceedings Tuesday, Sept. 27.

The democratic senatorial convention will be held in this city Sept. 30.

Washtenaw will present the name of Charles A. Ward for the nomination for senator.

Theodore, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. August Winter, of 628 S. First st., died of cholera infantum Sunday afternoon and was buried the next day in Fairview cemetery.

S. F. Angus, of Detroit, Charles E. King, J. B. Wortley, J. H. Lepper and Samuel Post, of Ypsilanti, have been elected directors of the new Ypsilanti Sanitarium Co.

Willard Stearns, of the Adrian Press, has formally declined the populist nomination for congress, which was given him in anticipation of his nomination by the democrats.

Private William A. Murray, of Co. A, who was in Prosecuting Attorney John P. Kirk's office at the court house prior to his leaving here with his company, is a candidate for circuit court commissioner on the democratic ticket.

Floyd A. Wilson, of Co. D, 34th Mich., who was in the Santiago campaign, returned home Sunday. He is in a very debilitated condition but hopes to be able to resume his studies in the university when it opens. At present he is under the doctor's care.

Mr. Pattison, who has conducted the Ann Arbor art school for some months past, will not manage the school another year, but will return to Chicago. He is satisfied with the result of his work here and would continue it were the distance between the two cities not so great.

William Duncan was riding his bicycle Monday evening when he had a very narrow escape from serious injury.

In turning off Fourth ave. on Huron st. he came into collision with a dray team and fell under their feet. The horses commenced to kick and one of them fell down. When Mr. Duncan extricated himself from his unpleasant situation he found the only injury he had sustained was a sprain to his little finger.

Mathias Roser, of Ypsilanti, filed a notice with the city clerk, which was read at the council meeting Monday night, that he was about to start a suit against the city for \$10,000 for illegal arrest. He says he was arrested, put in jail over night and discharged in the morning without a trial on paying the jail fees. Patrolman Collins, who made the arrest, says that on the night Roser was arrested his attention was called to him and he roused him out of a stupor, whereupon Roser became so abusive that he put him under arrest. Next morning Roser said he was sorry and begged to be let off, saying that he was the only support of a widowed mother. Collins consented to this, Roser paying the jail fees. The police committee is looking into the matter.

A gang of workmen of the D., Y. & A. A. electric railway who were engaged in putting in a "Y" at the intersection of Cross and Washington sts., Ypsilanti, contrary to the terms of the company's franchise and who would not desist when ordered by the council, were treated to a shower bath by the firemen on Wednesday morning. The railway men threw sticks, stones and wrenches at their watery assailants, but finally had to desist. In the afternoon President Hawks and Attorney Thurber met a committee from the Ypsilanti council. The meeting was very harmonious, the railway company acknowledged that it had no rights in the premises and agreed to take up the rails, while the city agreed to find some other location for the proposed "Y."

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A petition has been received by Gov. Pingree signed by 1,004 enlisted men of the 81st Michigan asking to be mustered out now that the war is over.

R. J. Tick, chief clerk in the passenger department of the Ann Arbor railroad at Toledo, and well known in this city, has resigned his position to take effect next Monday.

John M. Hall, of Flint, has resigned the superintendency of the Bay View Assembly, which position he has held since he organized that assembly and summer university 13 years ago.

John Caywood, one of the famous Rough Riders, was in the city last week, on sick furlough, and rested at the home of Mrs. Hoffstetter on Washington st. He enlisted from Miles City, Montana.

The second annual session of the Civic-Philanthropic Conference will be held at Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 1 to 2, 1898, of which Rev. David J. Burdill, D. D., New York city, is president, and J. H. Kellogg, M. D., Battle Creek, Mich., is vice president. Philanthropists, educators, and ministers of all denominations will participate in the conference to consider economic, hygienic, sanitary, philanthropic, and patriotic questions, with the hope of evolving some practical methods of reform.

George and Nellie McDaniels, of Ypsilanti, have been married just about one year. Yet according to Mrs. McD.'s story as told in the bill of complaint filed in the circuit court asking for a divorce, her husband has piled enough cruelty on her in that time to make married life a failure so far as they were concerned. One part of the bill states that McDaniels "made her remove her clothes and then put her in the woodshed and kept her there for more than an hour." She says also that he has threatened her life on many occasions. According to that, George must be a brute.

Charles Rooney, Harry Saunders and Don Turner, of Co. L, 33d Michigan, arrived home Sunday. These boys were members of the Sons of Veterans company. Rooney had had a three weeks' siege of fever and was still weak in his legs, but is gradually regaining his strength. The other boys are two among the only eight in the company that remained well during the entire campaign. Rooney was in the next set of fours to Don Stark when his arm was cut off by the shell. Rooney's file leader was killed by the same shell that wounded Stark. Charley says it is a wonder that he escaped without a scratch as he did.

The Adrian Press condoles with Charles B. Davison on his recent loss of \$27 at the hands of a burglar in the following words: "Charley Davison is an Ann Arbor printer, whose parents formerly resided in our city. Last week a sneak thief entered his bedroom through a loose window, nipped a deposit of \$27 from Charley's pantaloons pocket and escaped. A whole week's stipend swiped in a moment! Well, a printer has no call to be a banker and rely on breeches pockets for safety vaults. Still, our sympathy goes out to him on general principles, for we hate to see any one 'do up' a good printer. Davison might have contributed it to the republican campaign fund. It would have been about as much of a theft, but he would have had the satisfaction of knowing what thieves had it."

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VALMORE C. NICHOLS MURDER.

Examination So Far Shows But Little Evidence Against Ascher.

The examination of Edward Ascher, alias Louis or Robert Lang as he is variously called, charged with the murder of Valmore C. Nichols, the Pittsfield farmer, began Thursday morning of last week before Police Justice Sellers, of Detroit. Nothing particularly new was brought out in the examination.

Samuel J. Pungs, who saw the body in the water; Richard Mason, janitor of the Detroit Boat Club, who found Nichol's body in the water; County Physician Henry George, who made the post mortem examination; George Walters, manager of the boat house on Belle Isle; Edwin F. Hurlbert, who remembered seeing a man of Nichols' appearance on the platform of the Belle Isle boat house in company with a man of lighter build who had a dark mustache, wore a dark suit of clothes and had a dark derby hat on the night of the murder, were all examined by Prosecuting Attorney Frazer and rigidly cross-examined by Ascher's attorney, George F. Robinson.

Dr. George testified that Nichols' body must have gone into the river with some life in it, as there was very little water in the lungs. He described the wound he had found on the right side of the head as having in his estimation, been made by a blow from a blunt instrument. The doctor was of the opinion that Nichols had been knocked insensible before he touched the water. On cross-examination by Attorney Robinson, he admitted that there was no clot of blood on the brain as the result of the blow and that the skull had not been fractured. He also stated that in the chemical examination he had made of the stomach he had found not the slightest trace of any kind of poisoning.

Mrs. Alice Nichols said that her husband had business with a man who went under the name of Louis Lang. She said that she had seen seven or eight letters signed with this name. On June 8, said Mrs. Nichols, her husband received two slates C. O. D. and a letter from Louis Lang. The letter advised Nichols to wear a belt filled with gold under his clothes and sewed not pinned. Later Nichols wrote Lang that he was not getting satisfactory results from the belt and that he would consult another medium unless the results showed up. What the results expected were, was not stated. Lang advised another belt.

Aug. 3 Nichols made another belt for himself and the following Saturday he visited Detroit. According to the statements of Mrs. Nichols, her husband arrived home dazed and unable to eat. Sunday Aug. 7, he wrote Lang a letter which Mrs. Nichols saw, saying that he would be in Detroit Wednesday and that he would bring all the correspondence that had passed between the two, as Lang had requested. Nichols took all but one of the letters with him that fatal Wednesday morning.

"We would like those letters," said the prosecutor turning to Robinson

"I don't know anything about them" returned Robinson.

"Ask your client for them," said

Frazer and after several other little exchanges the subject was dropped.

The cross-examination of the witness was postponed until the afternoon session of the court. The fact that Nichols had known and had dealings with other spiritualists beside Lang, namely Mrs. Kate Cleveland and "Prof." Donovan was brought forth. The witness also admitted that she had not seen any gold in the belt her husband wore when he left home for the last time.

Attorney Robinson was very anxious to find what became of the first belt, but Mrs. Nichols was unable to tell him. She said that when her husband left her the Wednesday of the murder, she thought he had \$28, which he had borrowed from Charles Roberts, \$115 which he had drawn from the bank, and \$28 from the cashing of a certificate of deposit.

"The Wednesday of his death I drove him to Ypsilanti and he took the 10 o'clock electric car for Detroit, telling me that he would let me know by telephone if he found he would not be home that night," she went on. "About 6 o'clock in the afternoon I received a telephone message from one of the men in the grocery, where we do our trading, saying that Mr. Nichols would not be back till the next day and asking me to meet him on the 10 o'clock car."

Charles Roberts, a farmer living near the Nichols', testified that he had given Nichols a check for \$380, Aug. 3. He said that he had begun looking for the murdered man, Aug. 12, when Mrs. Nichols came to him and told him of her husband's disappearance and that on Aug. 13 he had called on Ascher. Ascher admitted to him of having seen Nichols Aug. 6, and later he said that he had been with him for a short time on Aug. 10. Mr. Roberts said the medium looked anxious and flushed up when this subject was broached.

The examination was then adjourned until Tuesday, when the evidence was not of great importance. The examination was then adjourned until today.

SENSATIONAL DIVORCE SUIT.

A Former Minister of Washtenaw Defendant in a Divorce Suit.

The Detroit Tribune of last Saturday had the following article in its columns relative to divorces that were granted in Judge Donovan's court in that city to three several couples who were formerly residents of Washtenaw county, the proceedings in which up to that time had been carefully suppressed. At least one of the parties, Rev. James Lester Hudson, was well known to many around here:

"There was a decided sensation in Judge Donovan's court yesterday when Mrs. Jennie Scott Hudson, wife of Rev. James Lester Hudson, appeared in the role of complainant in a suit for divorce. The sensation was intensified when it became apparent that there was another woman in the case, and that the proceedings were likely to be spioy in character.

"Rev. Hudson was formerly among the most prominent Methodist Episcopal divines in this section, and eight or ten years ago was presiding elder of the Detroit district. He was also at one time pastor of a Detroit church.

"Mrs. Hudson was accompanied by her eldest son, now 25 years old, who is a student at the state university. The bill was filed on March 30 last.

"We were married at Manchester, Washtenaw county, in 1869," said Mrs. Hudson. "We lived together until Feb. 1, 1898. Our troubles began in 1893. That year, my husband was sent to Alpena, as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church there. We remained there until May 1, 1897, when my husband, after a trial by the church authorities, was removed.

"An unmarried woman, 25 years of age, was the cause of the trouble. The charge against him was maintaining clandestine and improper relations with this woman. My husband carried on a clandestine correspondence with her, under an assumed name. I first learned of the trouble about May 1, 1896, long after it had become common scandal. In January, 1897, I got hold of some letters which my husband had written to the girl. One day, he tried to make me give them up, and pushed me down on the public street. My husband made clandestine appointments with the girl in the evening and disguised himself in a slouched hat and old coat when he went out to meet her. They took long buggy rides into the country.

"My husband often promised me to do better, but did not keep his promises. He continued to lead a life of duplicity until Feb. 1, 1898, when he told me that he no longer had any affection for me or our children, and left us. He has remained away from us ever since. I have always gone in the best society and the shame and disgrace have completely ruined my health."

"A decree was granted, on the nominal ground of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Hudson said she owned a home in Detroit, but was forced to rent it and live in hired rooms on Greenwood ave., in order to support herself and family. Her husband, it is said, is now working for some insurance company in Detroit."

"Charles Yale Smith informed the court that he was married to Lena M. Bissell at Ypsilanti on Oct. 3, 1888. He removed to Detroit three years ago, but his wife positively refused to leave her parents and come with him. She has persisted in her refusal ever since. They have one child. Desertion."

"Phoebe J. Handley testified that she married Joseph Handley at Ann Arbor and that he deserted her on July 4, 1896. They have two children, 14 and 13 years of age. Alimony, \$3 per week for five years."

At the Ypsilanti city caucuses last night the Judson forces captured 26 out of 31 delegates to the republican county convention carrying four out of five wards.

Ann Arbor Chapter, No. 122, O. E. S., last Wednesday evening elected the following officers: W. M., Mrs. Tillie Granger; W. P., Charles E. Hiscock; Asso. M., Eva Goodrich; secretary, Dr. C. E. Fitzgerald; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Mingay; conductress, Mrs. Dora Vandawarker; assoc. conductress, Mrs. Cora Brown.