

FINE PARADE AT SALINE

Jackson Turned Out in Full Force.

MAKES A STRONG BID

To Have The Celebration Held There Next Year.

Saline, Aug. 17.—Special to Daily Argus.—The village is alive today and everybody is celebrating the 10th annual German-American Day. The streets are crowded and jammed with people. It is a grand reunion of the Germans and their descendants. Old friends who have not met in years are meeting and telling of their family welfare. It is an ideal day or a celebration. All dampness is from within. The business streets are prettily decorated with green before the stores and streamers are floating on every avenue with the word, that in its language expresses more nearly its heartfelt meaning, "Wilkommen." The real friendliness of the old homily word, must be felt to be fully understood. That the people of Saline meant it, there cannot be any question, when the visitor mixed in with the great crowd and received the warm hand shake from his old friends.

The town commenced to fill up with people about 10 o'clock when the special excursion train from Jackson, via Manchester arrived. The former city was represented by 350 people and the latter with 200. The Jackson societies consisted of Arbeiter Verein No. 1 and 2, Landwehr, Schiller Lodge, No. 43, A. O. U. W., Concordia Gesang Verein, Schwaebeschen Unterstuetzungs Verein and the Jackson Harmonie. Among their members were Mayor Martin Loennecker, William Caldwell, city recorder, Fred J. Keebler, city treasurer, Dr. C. R. end, city physician, Ald. Fred G. Adler, of the bloody seventh, James Falihee, police commissioner, Fred Casey, cemetery board, Edward Goecker, Carl Eberle, fire commissioner and ex-Justice and Attorney Rudolph Worch, the gifted editor of the Jackson Volkeblatt. Among the Manchester people Nathaniel Schmid greeted his many friends. The Ypsilanti Arbeiter were represented both by members and also a band. Their trip to Saline was attended with difficulties as the trolley road stopped four miles out and the busses on hand were not sufficient for the crowd. A number of scattering people from Ann Arbor could be seen, but no society was represented in a body. The people that came to the town with teams could not be counted. After there was a general settling down the third occasion by the hot day was quenched most satisfactorily to everyone. Old friendships were renewed and new ones made. It was fully 11:30 o'clock before the procession moved. It started on the square and passed through the principal streets, under the marshaling of Mathias Rentschler aided by Charles Rentschler. It was headed by the Jackson band, which was followed by the other societies interspersed with the Ann Arbor Y. M. C. A. Band Ypsilanti Bands. Then came very tastefully gotten up floats. There were D. Nissley, boots and shoes; A. M. Humphrey, dry goods; Bixby & Son, flour; York represented by a wagon load of children; Andrew Lindenschmitt, wholesale butcher; a picture of he olden time. In carriages rode John Frank president of the day, Hon. Henry C. Smith and Editor Eugene Helber.

More than casual mention should be made of the float representing the olden time. There was a large spinning wheel. A man cutting sour kraut and another packing it into a barrel with his bare feet. An old woman was cooking sour kraut on a stove she occasionally sawing some wood to replenish the stove. The procession as a whole was a great success. During the morning the Jackson people assisted by their Manchester friends quietly circulated among the crowd and worked towards the end that the next German-American Day should be held in Jackson. They were very reasonable, however in that they smilingly said that if they did not capture it this year, they hoped it would be another year. They promised the people a warm welcome if they came to Jackson. FREAUFF.

HEADQUARTERS ANN ARBOR ELKS

The Elks arrangement committee, on visiting Detroit during the Elks' Carnival, Thursday, Aug 24, have secured exceedingly low rates from the proprietors, Clements & Smith, of the Hotel Metropole—European plan. The hotel is most centrally located on Woodward ave., nearly opposite the city hall and next door south of the Russell house. It is thoroughly first class in every detail and is a most fashionably resort for gentlemen.

MEINSELF UND HEINRICK.

Dedicated to the Plain and Humble Editor.

Who makes dere boeples pend dere knees,
Und go "ker-chou" when ve do sneeze?
Who gedts de honey like pumble-pees?
Meinself und Heinrich.

Who's got der peoples on der rack?
I'm der King, und Hank's der Jack.
Und Pili Shudson dakes von seat pack,
For Meinself—dot's Heiber.

Who'll make Pili Shudson like dirty cents,
When he pullds dose bolltishuns' fence,
Undil he almost does rebents?
Meinself und Heinrich.

Who has got such lodt of prains,
Dot ve come in when lidt rains,
Und are in dis peensess for der gains?
Meinself und Heinrich.

In dose civil war, where vere ve?
Hank vos a poy on his fader's knee,
Und I shust stumped to Ghermanee.
Meinself und Heinrich.

Who gedts der "P. O." when Pond goes out,
Und lives on fat so I gedt der gout?
I doud't hear dose G. A. R. shout
For Meinself—dot's Heiber.

Who dammed McMillan yesterday,
Pefore der "P. O." vos come mein way,
But shanged mein mind to make lidt bay?
Meinself—nicht Heinrich.

Who's zodd der Shermans in der pocket vest?
Der Irish, Yanks und all der rest?
Hank drinks me—but dots a jest.
Meinself—Ach, Heinrich!

Who shoudts "McMillan, hoch, hoch, hoch"?
I know idt vas von liddle folk,
Ach! How I can fool dose Yankee folk.
(Good-bye, Heiber.)

WE MUST WAIT THIRTY DAYS

Ypsilanti Comes First for Free Rural Mail Delivery.

SPECIAL AGENT IS HERE.

He is Inspecting a Route Out of the City of Ypsilanti Today.

Ypsilanti, Mich., Aug. 15.—(From a staff correspondent).—Congressman Henry Smith is in the city today and is in company with the special post office agent from Washington, who is in the city to inspect the proposed rural mail delivery routes. It is expected that two will be granted and it is quite certain that at least one will be established. Today they are inspecting the route southwest from the city.

Ypsilanti's petition was received by the postmaster-general July 24, the same date Ann Arbor's was received, but the former was opened first, and therefore takes precedence. The department ordered the agent to Grand Rapids last night but as he was in Ypsilanti he remains to conclude his work there. Ann Arbor must wait 30 days before he can go over the proposed route, but he does not hesitate to say that if the system is wanted it will be granted. He has recommended free rural mail delivery for Grass Lake.

TURNED OFF THE WATER

BECAUSE EIGHT HOURS USE WAS ENOUGH

A BIG FISH STORY FROM CHEESA—THAT GLAZIER OPTION.

Chelsea, Mich., Aug. 16.—Chelsea has been enjoying quite a building boom and is livelier and more business-like than ever.

The Bell telephone linemen have been repairing the line between this village and Grass Lake.

George Dengler, of Ann Arbor, Burt TurnBull and Ed. Tichenor went fishing at Crooked Lake and caught seven nice pickerel and a dozen bass. The largest pickerel weighed 11 pounds.

It is said that the option of the trust on the Glazier Stove Works has expired and that Mr. Glazier has refused to renew the option. The works are booming along in good shape.

The village authorities are striving to enforce an observance of the hours for lawn sprinkling. These hours are from 5 to 9 a. m. and from 5 to 9 p. m. That makes eight hours a day but evidently some think more hours are needed. Several citizens have had their water supply turned off and it will cost them \$1 to have it turned on again.

The Bell Telephone Co. has 13 phones in use in Chelsea.

Constable Jacob Staffan has been an officer for over 20 years, much of the time being deputy sheriff. He has made numerous arrests in that time.

Much complaint is heard about the village of the extreme boldness of the tramps this year.

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A DIAMOND RING STOLEN

And A Chelsea Watch Was Missed.

BOLD HOBOS BLAMED.

The Ring Still Missing but the Watch was Never Stolen.

Chelsea, Mich., Aug. 16.—Mrs. August Mensing had a diamond ring valued at \$35 stolen from a kitchen table Monday forenoon. She had removed the diamond ring, which was a highly prized gift, from her hand together with a band ring, and laid them on the table, while she did some work. She stepped for a few minutes out into the yard and while there saw a tall, dark complexioned tramp dressed in black with a slouched hat, going through an adjoining yard, putting something in his pocket. When she went back to the house, the diamond ring was gone and the band ring, which was with it was left untouched. The officers were notified and tracked the tramp a little west of the village out there trace of him was lost. The question is asked, what would a tramp do with a diamond ring. The officers, however, say that a tramp usually has a pretty good idea of the value of a diamond and that they manage to dispose of them for a pretty good price.

Last evening, a hobo was arrested in Chelsea suspicion of having snatched a lady's watch from her dress at the depot about 8 o'clock last evening. A hobo traveling as an umbrella mender and imbibing freely, in sporting parlance a "mush-fakir" who while in Chelsea tried to fit a lady's hand into a gentleman's umbrella, was snoring on a truck in front of the depot when Mrs. Anna Gilbert rode up on her wheel. They engaged in conversation a few moments and afterwards Mrs. Gilbert missed her gold watch which she usually wore in her belt with a gold chain around her neck. She notified the officers and while she and Constable Jacob Staffan were at the telephone office sending word to Dexter, the umbrella man, who had disappeared, leaving his traps at the depot, returned for them and was nabbed by the village marshal. The boys who stood around said he showed every evidence of guilt. An hour later Mrs. Gilbert found her watch at home, where it had been all the time and the hobo was released.

THE ESTATE WAS SETTLED

MRS. JOBSON HAS RECEIVED WORD TO THAT EFFECT.

SHE WILL NOW BUILD A FINE COTTAGE OF ENGLISH ARCHITECTURE.

Dexter, Mich., Aug. 16.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Mrs. John D. Jobson has received the pleasant news from England that the settlement of her husband's estate has been consummated. Mrs. Jobson will now build a cottage of English architecture on a lot recently purchased from Dr. Lee. She will leave today on a visit with her son in Lansing.

HEADACHE cured in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN EXPELLER. "One cent a dose." At druggists.

GOOD SPEECHES AFTER DINNER

Promises of Free Rural Mail Delivery if Possible.

CONGRESSMAN SMITH.

But Editor Helber Forgets That Part of His Great Speech.

Saline, Aug. 17.—(Special to Daily Argus).—The Arbeiter park has been specially prepared for the occasion. Merry-go-rounds, a large dance floor and numerous refreshment stands, offered young and old an opportunity to spend their time agreeably. The most pleasant feature, however, was the social reunions of old friends. That one day in the year, old friends meet is of more value than everything else. At 3 o'clock the crowd gathered around the speakers stand. The respected, venerable John Frank, president of the Saline Arbeiter society, made the welcoming speech. Everyone felt that his greeting came from his heart, and were not mere formal words. He meant everything he said. He bid everyone welcome and wished that they might fully enjoy the beautiful day. After the cheers died out he introduced Congressman Henry C. Smith, of Adrian. Everybody knows or is learning to know the genial hearted "Hank" Smith. Mr. Smith was in his happiest vein. He expressed his pleasure at being present at the gathering. He recalled the German settlement in Washtenaw county and what they had done for the county with their thrift, uprightness of character, and progressiveness. He spoke of the German virtues, that above all things they were descendants from German forefathers. He presented the expansion problem in a general way, calling attention to the great increase to American trade thereby. He spoke of rural mail delivery and promised his best efforts in securing this for the farmers. Mr. Smith's speech was interspersed with his usual inexhaustible fund of good stories. He was most heartily cheered.

Ezgene Helber the versatile, but humble editor of the Neue Washtenaw Post, of Ann Arbor, with his most captivating smile, proceeded to give a carefully prepared speech replete with evidences of wise and statesmanlike thought. It was a most able effort delivered with immense oratorical effect. At this late hour a full report cannot be given in today's paper. After the speaking a meeting of the delegates of all the German societies will be held and the next place of meeting will be decided upon. FREAUFF.

SERIOUSLY HURT ON A FARM

A MILAN MAN HAD HIS HEAD SMASHED.

AND A NUMBER OF RIBS BROKEN BY BEING CAUGHT BETWEEN A SEPARATOR AND ENGINE.

Milan, Mich., Aug. 16.—While at Frank Goodings' farm, six miles north, James Masters, an old resident of this village was caught between an engine and separator and received injuries that may prove fatal. The machine was being pushed into the barn when the coupling slipped and Masters was caught between the separator and the engine. Several ribs were broken, his head was smashed and he was hurt internally.

ANOTHER PIONEER IS GONE

MRS. REUBEN QUEAL OF WEBSTER DIED THIS MORNING.

THE FIVE YEAR OLD SON OF C. B. ALLEY DIED LAST NIGHT.

Dexter, Mich., Aug. 17.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Mrs. Laura Queal wife of Reuben Queal, of Webster township, died at an early hour this morning. Mrs. Queal was married to Reuben Queal in 1856, her maiden name being Laura Kinney. She was a native of Vermont, where she was born in April, 1827. Her parents were among the first settlers of the county, coming here in 1819. She was the mother of four children, Nellie, Henry M., Katie and Dor. Mrs. Queal was a consistent member of the M. E. church.

The little son of C. B. Alley, a prominent merchant here, died last night, aged five years.

What's In a Name. Ask those who use the Ann Arbor Brewing Company's beer.



MEN'S SUITS

A lot of \$10.00 Suits, medium in weight, for summer or fall wear. Some light colors but plenty of medium shades—Also Blue and Black Serges—Cheap at the above price but in order to make business we have crowded down the price to

\$7.50

You can buy them by paying \$1.00 per week if it is more convenient for your purse.

Noble's Star Clothing House

209 SOUTH MAIN ST.

Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

OF TAN AND BLACK SHOES

The following is a small List of our Deep Out Prices:

Men's \$5.00 Tan Shoes going at.....	\$4.25
Men's \$3.50 Tan Shoes going at.....	2.85
Men's \$3.00 Tan Shoes going at.....	2.39
Ladies' \$4.00 Tan Shoes going at.....	2.85
Ladies' \$3.00 Tan Shoes going at.....	2.39
Ladies' \$2.50 Tan Shoes going at.....	1.98

On our Bargain Counter we have Ladies' Oxfords at 49c and Misses Tan and Black Shoes at 69c; also a few small sizes in Ladies' Tan Shoes—only 98c.

WAHR & MILLER

THE SHOE MEN,
218 S. MAIN ST., ANN ARBOR.

Bargain Giving Sale

AT THE BUSY STORE OF SCHAIRER & MILLEN.

READ THE LIST AT 5 CENTS.

25 Pieces White India Linen at.....	5c a yard
15 Pieces White Plaid Muslin at.....	5c a yard
50 Pieces Best 6c and 7c Prints all.....	5c a yard
10 Pieces Stripe Shirtings at.....	5c a yard
500 Yards Ginghams—Closing out at.....	5c a yard
50 Pieces Wide Embroideries at.....	5c a yard
Rubber Stockinet Dress Shields.....	5c a pair
Large Cotton Huck Towels.....	5c each
Stevens Linen Toweling.....	5c a yard
Check Toweling.....	5c a yard
Fine, Yard Wide, Bleached Cotton.....	5c a yard
25 Pieces Dimities and Lawns.....	5c a yard
Fine, Yard Wide, Sheetting at.....	5c a yard
10 Dozen Infant's White Muslin Bonnets at.....	5c each
Big Lot Laces at.....	5c a yard
500 Yards White Curtain Muslin at.....	5c a yard

A Big Umbrella Purchase.

For this Sale 200 Fast Black, Silk Warp Gloria 26-inch Umbrellas, a \$1.50 quality for.....	98c
300 Boys' and Girls' Umbrellas, at.....	35c
100 Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, \$2.50 quality for.....	\$1.49
75 Fast Black English Gloria Umbrellas, the \$1.00 kind for.....	79c

Cleaning Up the Linen Stock.
Hundreds of Remnants, Odds and Ends, Table Linens, consisting of Cream Damask, Bleached Linens, Turkey Reds and Napkins selling at nearly

ONE-HALF PRICE TO CLOSE.

75 pieces Silver Bleached and Satin Damask Table Linens from 25c to.....	\$2.50 a yard
200 dozen Pure Linen Napkins at 59c, 75c, 98c to.....	\$5 a dozen
50 dozen Damask and Huck Linen Towels at.....	10c each
100 White Bed Spreads at 39c, 59c and.....	75c each
25 Large Turkish Bath Towels at.....	2 for 25c
One case of \$1.25 Bed Spreads at.....	.89c
30 pieces Fancy Silkoline, the 12c quality for.....	.8c a yard
20 pieces White Curtain Muslin at.....	10c a yard
300 Ladies' Print Lawn and Percale Wrappers for this sale, 49, 75 & 98c and.....	\$1.00

SCHAIRER & MILLEN,

ANN ARBOR'S BUSY BARGAIN STORE.

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Ann Arbor gave away a franchise for water works. Now, if municipal ownership should be decided upon, it will have to pay roundly for what it gave away.

According to the report of Commissioner of Pensions Evans, the total disbursements for this purpose the past year amount to \$138,263,923. It also shows that 34,345 names were dropped from the rolls because of death.

Attorney-General Griggs appears to be a mighty handy member of the cabinet just now when a presidential election is in the near future. He advises the president that there are no objections to office holders doing service on the stump, in fact it is their duty to do so.

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SHE KEEPS 'EM STIRRED UP

An Insane Woman in the County House.

EVERY THING IS CLEAN

The State Asylums Are Full and a Detention Hospital is Necessary.

Yesterday, by invitation, of County Physician W. B. Hinsdale the Argus visited the Wahstenaw county house. The first thing which attracts the attention of the visitor on entering the premises is the scrupulously neat and clean appearance of everything.

There are 41 inmates of the county house at present. Among these there are six insane people, one imbecile child, one idiotic woman and one idiotic man and a half dozen imbecile adults. The insane inmates are mildly insane with a single exception, a woman from this city who was taken there last month, July 27.

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IN PROBATE COURT.

Final Accounting of the Elizabeth Fryer Estate.

The final account of Elizabeth S. Fryer, administrator of the estate of John C. Fryer, deceased, of Ypsilanti, was heard and allowed. The estate was assigned to the widow and three minor children, Maggie May, Cora Olive and Mitchell Walker.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HELD

THE FARMERSON GRAVEL ROAD WANT RURAL MAIL DELIVERY.

THEY WILL MEET THE SPECIAL POSTOFFICE AGENT HERE TOMORROW.

A very enthusiastic meeting was held at Mills' school house on the gravel road Saturday evening in the interest of rural free mail delivery. Everyone present was a property owner and a representative citizen.

SCARLET FEVER IN DEXTER

TWO CHILDREN HAVE IT AND PEOPLE ARE ALARMED.

THE M. E. CHURCH BEING RE-PAIRED.—PEOPLE ARE ON THE GO.

Dexter, Mich., Aug. 14.—(Special to Daily Argus).—The people of this village are much alarmed over the outbreak of scarlet fever here.

Extensive repairs are to be begun on the M. E. church this week. There will be no services there next Sunday.

Miss Claudia Stanley is visiting friends in Dexter.

Miss Alma Chase has returned from a trip to Niagara Falls.

W. J. Keal is in Detroit today on business.

A LARGE RIB ROAST STOLEN

AND SEVEN DOLLARS IN CASH FROM JOE ALGER.

IT WOULD MAKE A VERY FINE SUNDAY DINNER FOR HOBOS.

Dexter, Mich., Aug. 14.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Dexter is a good town but sometimes evil characters put in their appearance. Saturday night burglars broke into Joseph Alger's meat market and carried away with them \$7 in money and a large rib roast.

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley st., Saugerties, N. Y.

Simple Photography. A Houlton (Maine) man recently took a very good photograph with a simple pasteboard box and a dry plate.

The Wiser Way. "How fresh and rosy you look, Nora," exclaimed Isabel, who had just returned from the beach, and was greeting her friend.

"Yes, dear," replied Nora, "I am feeling splendidly, and mamma says I have an alarming appetite."

"Where in the world have you been since I saw you?" "I have remained at home," replied Nora, "and have worked hard every day. But I have been taking that wonderful medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has done me, oh, so much good. You see I always like to feel well when I go away, and I leave for the mountains next week."

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OIL INSPECTOR JUDSON THROUGH

He Thinks the Oil Co. Made the Mixture.

CAUSED SEVERAL DEATHS

The Oil and Gasoline Mixture Went All Over the State.

Oil Inspector Judson was in the city Monday morning and said to the Argus that he had got practically through with his investigation of the mixed oil and gasoline sent out from Detroit which has already caused several deaths.

He thinks the Standard Oil Co. made the mixture and it was sent about Detroit and to various places in the state. He claims that about 60 barrels of the stuff was sent out through the state and through his deputies he has been trying to locate it and thinks he has succeeded.

On looking up the law relative to the inspection of oil this query arises: How can any oil dealer in Michigan ship one or 40 barrels of oil without the inspector's brand on each barrel?

It looks to a man up a tree as though the oil inspectors have been derelict in the performance of their duty, or what is worse, passing oil below the legal grade, or else oil is being shipped and unloaded without the knowledge of the inspectors.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

YPSI'S DAILY UP THE SPOUT

LIVED FOR A WEEK AND QUIT WITHOUT WARNING.

NOTHING HAD BEEN HEARD OF EDITOR FRANCIS FOR TWO DAYS.

About a week ago the Argus chronicled the pleasant news that Ypsilanti would have a daily paper—the Daily Sentinel—and thereby Ypsilantians could read the daily local news of their town.

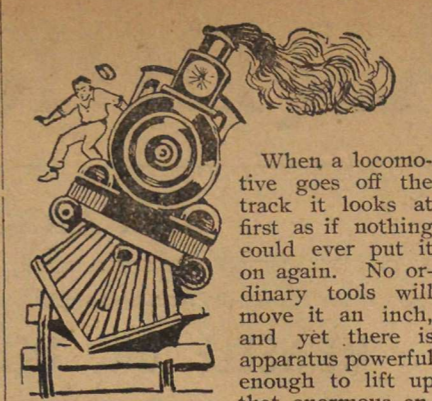
Later—Since the above was in type a staff reporter visited Ypsilanti and found that Mr. Francis had returned home. He was seen at his residence this afternoon and stated that he had not absconded. He had come up to Ann Arbor Friday and had had an attack of appendicitis, but had recovered and would be down at his office tomorrow.

A visit to the Sentinel office revealed the fact that Mr. Francis had said nothing to his employes about any intended absence and the weekly had not been issued because the patent insides could not be gotten out of the express office without the cash being put up.

Ninety Per Cent. Of the people are afflicted with some form of humor, and this causes a variety of diseases. The reason why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all other fail is found in the fact that it effectually expels the humor.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

The library of the late Congressman R. P. Bland of Missouri, numbering some 150 volumes of an estimated average cost of \$2.50 each, was lately sold at auction in Shelby, Mo., for \$11.



When a locomotive goes off the track it looks at first as if nothing could ever put it on again. No ordinary tools will move it an inch, and yet there is apparatus powerful enough to lift up that enormous engine and set it smoothly running again.

"It is my greatest desire," writes Mrs. Wm. S. Vollmer, of Concord, Cabarrus Co., North Carolina, in a grateful letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., "to have you publish my daughter's cure for it is the nearest to a miracle that I ever witnessed. She had St. Vitus's Dance so badly she could not hold her hands, feet or head still one moment, only when asleep. Mornings she could not dress herself; she would reel and often fall. Her shoulders and head were constantly jerking with great difficulty. Her tongue was often thrown out, and her face in different shapes.

"She could not take a dipper of water nor food, nor anything to her mouth. If she tried to put any food in her mouth she would sneeze it over her face and bosom. For several weeks she could not chew her food; all solid food I had to mash up fine. We could hardly understand anything she would try to say.

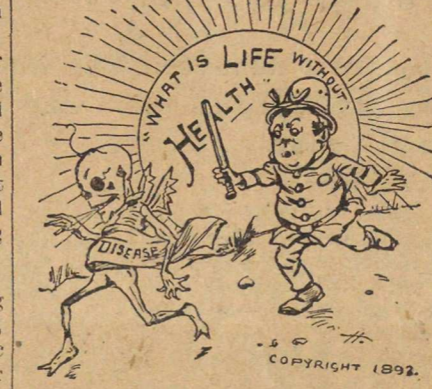
"I bought one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, one bottle of his 'Favorite Prescription' and one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets.' I wrote to Dr. Pierce and he answered promptly, giving advice how to give his medicines, and also how to keep her hygienic surroundings as near perfect as I could. "After taking the medicines three weeks, I noticed the symptoms gradually leaving. I continued until the last dose of the two bottles (one of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the other of 'Favorite Prescription') was given, then she needed no more. Those two bottles, with a vial of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, made her perfectly well. I wish everybody knew the great virtue in Dr. Pierce's medicines. If persons wishing to know more will write, enclosing stamp, I will gladly answer."

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Within 100 miles of Chicago, we will send you this TOP BUGGY BY EXPRESS FREE OF CHARGE. SUBJECT TO EXAMINATION, you can examine it at your freight depot and if you are perfectly satisfied, we will deliver it to you at your door. If you are not satisfied, we will return it to us at once. We make this top buggy from the best material in Chicago. We make this top buggy from the best material in Chicago. We make this top buggy from the best material in Chicago.

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A BOTTLE OF SARSAPARILLA For 75 cents

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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 20th day of June A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Albert A. Marshall, 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 December next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 30th day of September and on the 20th day of December, 1899, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

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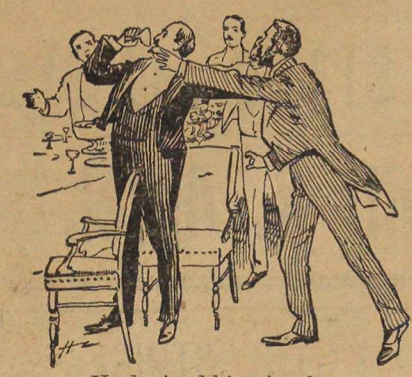
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AN ARTIST IN CRIME

BY RODRIGUES OTTOLENGUI

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"The button which I had was imperfect. This was my starting point. Through letters of introduction which Mr. Mitchell gave me I succeeded in obtaining the assistance of the jewelers. They gave me the name of the man who had carved the cameos for them, but they knew nothing of the imperfect button. They had also lost track of the cameo cutter. It took me over a month to trace that man, even with the aid of the Paris police. Finally I found him, and he told me that he had sold the



He drained his wineglass.

button to a friend. This friend I found after some delay, and he admitted that he had once had the button, but that he had given it to a woman. More time was lost in discovering this woman, but when I did she, too, recognized the button and said that it had been stolen from her by another woman, whom she described as a creole. Thus at last I got on the track of the Montalbon, for that was the name which she used in France. Under this name it was easier to follow her. I soon learned that she had a companion, of the name of Jean Molltaire. I then easily found that Molltaire had been in the employ of the Paris jewelers as shipping clerk. It was he who had written the two descriptions of the jewels, one of which I found among the woman's effects and the other in Mr. Mitchell's possession. This was a suspicious circumstance, but we know now how it was that the handwriting matched, a fact which had puzzled me greatly. It seems that Mr. Mitchell at one time had bought some valuable papers from the Montalbon woman, paying her with diamonds and recommending her to his Paris jewelers to dispose of them.

"That," said Mr. Mitchell, "was partly to get her out of this country and partly to recover the diamonds, which I did, through the dealer." "So he told me. It was when she received the money from them that she noticed Molltaire. It was not long after that the second set of jewels were sold to Mr. Mitchell. This clerk, of course, knew of the transaction, because he packed them for shipment. Then he must have persuaded the woman to accompany him across the Atlantic, with the design of stealing the gems from Mr. Mitchell as soon as he should take them from the custom house. This is seen from the fact that three days after the shipment this man resigned his position, and from that time all trace of both the man and the woman in Paris is lost."

"From which you deduce that they followed the jewels?" said Mr. Mitchell. "Of course. The man and woman separated here to avoid suspicion. By a trick the woman obtained possession of apartments in the very house where your intended lived, while Molltaire stopped at the Hoffman, which, of course, is very near your own hotel. As soon as you went to Boston they followed and registered at the same hotel. You obtained the jewels from the custom house, and they entered your room and robbed you during your absence. Your theory of the murderer's actions after the jewels were recovered by you is probably correct. He went back to hunt for them, hoping that she had not placed them in the satchel or rather that she had taken them out of it, since you yourself placed them there. I think there is no point left unexplained."

"Pardon me," said Mr. Thaurer, "I think you are wrong. You have not to my mind quite connected this man—what did you call him? Jean Molltaire, was it not? Well, I do not see that you have traced his hand to the crime."

"I think that I have," said Mr. Barnes. "You do not make it clear to me," said Mr. Thaurer, as coolly as though discussing some question in which he had but a passing interest. "You say that your Montalbon woman noticed this Molltaire when she sold her diamonds. Later that both were missing from Paris. The woman turned up in New York, but how do you prove that Molltaire did not go to—let us say Russia?"

"No," said Mr. Barnes, "he did not go to Russia. Suppose that I should tell you that I ferreted out the fact that this name Molltaire was but an alias, and that the man's true name was Montalbon? Then, when we remember that the woman's name had been cut from all her garments, is that not significant?" This speech made a mild sensation, but Mr. Thaurer remained unmoved. He replied calmly:

"All things are significant—how do you interpret this fact, supposing that you could prove it?" "This Molltaire was really the dead woman's husband. They quarreled many years ago, and she went to New Orleans, where she kept a gambling house, having learned the trade from him. When they met again in Paris, she recognized him. Then, when the fellow conceived the idea of following the jewels, it suited his purpose to effect a reconciliation so that he might use the woman as a tool. After the murder it would be to his interest to

hide the name of Montalbon by cutting out the marks on the woman's clothing."

"Pardon my pursuing the argument," said Mr. Thaurer, "but I find it entertaining. You surprise me, Mr. Barnes, at the ready way in which you read men's actions. Only are you sure you are right? Suppose, for instance, that the woman had cut out the marks herself long before, at some time, when she was using an alias, then your fact would lose some of its significance, would it not? Circumstantial evidence is so difficult to read, you see! Then, having lost that link, where do you prove Molltaire or Montalbon guilty? Being the woman's husband is no crime in itself."

"No," said Mr. Barnes, deciding that the time had come for an end of the controversy. "Being the woman's husband does not count in itself. But when I procure in Paris the photograph of Molltaire, left by accident in his room at his lodgings, and when I recognize that as the same man whom Mr. Mitchell suspected and trapped into stealing the ruby, and when upon my return to New York I find that ruby upon that very man and recover it, then we have some facts that do count."

"You recovered the ruby?" said Mr. Mitchell, amazed. "Here it is," said Mr. Barnes, handing it to Mr. Mitchell. Mr. Thaurer bit his lip, and by a strong endeavor retained his self control. "Mr. Barnes," said Mr. Mitchell, "I am sorry to disappoint you, but this is not my ruby."

"Are you sure?" asked the detective with a twinkle in his eye. "Yes, though you deserve credit, for, though not the ruby, it is the stolen stone. I have a complete set of duplicates of my jewels, and in making my little experiment I did not care to bait my trap with so valuable a gem. I therefore used the duplicate, which is this. But how have you recovered it?"

"I have been in New York for several days. I have devoted myself during that time to a personal watch upon Montalbon. Yesterday, to my surprise, he went to police headquarters and begged for a permit to inspect the stolen jewels, saying that through them he might throw some light upon the mystery. His request was granted. Suspecting treachery, I subsequently obtained a similar permit, and investigation with the aid of an expert showed that the bold scoundrel had handled the jewels, and so managed to change the imitation stone which he stole at the festival for the real one in the set which figured in the train robbery."

"By Jove," said Mr. Mitchell, "he is an artist. Then I am indebted to you after all for recovering the stone? But tell us how did you accomplish it?"

"I overheard Montalbon once say that a wise thief would keep a stolen article upon his person, so that it could not be discovered without his knowledge. Therefore I felt certain that he would himself adopt this method. When the conversation this evening reached a point where it was evident that all would be disclosed, the man, who is present, dropped the ruby into his glass of burgundy, where it would be out of sight and easily recovered or swallowed. Later he attempted to dispose of it in this way, but I quickly drank his glass of wine, the ruby thus passing into my mouth. And now, Mr. Montalbon, I arrest you in the name of the law." Saying which the detective put his hand upon Mr. Thaurer's arm. The other guests jumped up, excited and expecting a scene. To the astonishment of all, Thaurer remained quiet for a few moments, and then, speaking slowly and distinctly, said:

"Gentlemen, we have heard several stories here tonight. Will you listen to mine and suspend judgment for a few moments?" "We will hear you," said Mr. Mitchell, marveling at the man's nerve. The others resumed their seats, all except the detective, who stood just back of his prisoner.

"I will trouble you to fill my glass," said Thaurer to the waiter, and after being served he coolly sipped a mouthful. "How Andersonville Looks. A recent visitor to Andersonville, where the union soldiers were imprisoned thirty-five years ago, says that the earthworks and stockade are still preserved, and that the wells dug by the prisoners are in as good condition as if they had just been completed. "Providence spring," so named because it seemed to have suddenly burst from the ground just at the time when the soldiers were suffering for water, is still the same, having kept up a constant flow of pure, clear water ever since.

Dogs to Carry Mails. The Canadian government has purchased 140 Eskimo dogs for shipment to the Klondike region, where the canines will be used to carry the mails. The animals were imported from Greenland and Labrador at a cost of \$30 each, and were selected for their superiority in speed, training and weight.

Professions of American Women. The following statistics recently published by the United States government are interesting: In 1870 American actresses numbered 692; there are now 3,883. Women architects have grown from 1 to 50; painters and sculptors from 412 to 16,000; literary and scientific writers from 109 to 3,161; pastors from 67 to 1,522; dentists from 34 to 417; engineers from 9 to 201; journalists from 35 to 472; legal profession from 5 to 471; musicians from 6,753 to 47,309; officers from 414 to 6,712; doctors and surgeons from 527 to 6,882; directors of theaters from 100 to 943; accountants from 0 to 43,071; copyists and secretaries from 8,016 to 92,824; and stenographers typists from 7 to 50,633. These figures apply exclusively to women.

ISA GROWING HORROR

Havoc Wrought in Porto Rico by the Tornado That Swept the Island.

DEAD WILL NUMBER THOUSANDS.

Gen. Davis Says That Later Reports Confirm All Previous Statements and Show Them to Have Been Conservative—Reiterates His Estimate of 100,000 Destructive People and Hopes the People Over Here Will Bestir Themselves in Going to the Rescue.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Two dispatches from Governor General Davis, of Porto Rico, giving additional details of the fearful havoc wrought by the hurricane of last week were received at the war department yesterday. They were immediately sent to Secretary Root who already has taken measures for dispatching relief to the people of the island, and is being seconded by all the cities and many of the towns of the country. He thinks it is the duty of the government to make provision for feeding the people until the aid voluntarily given by the citizens of the country reaches them. The secretary will issue an appeal to the governors of the states with a view to arousing general interest in the relief work.

Twenty Per Cent. Is Desolation. The following is the first dispatch received from General Davis. It is dated at San Juan: "The true state of affairs throughout the island not yet known because of total destruction of all telegraphic connections and great destruction on all roads. Not more than one-fourth towns yet heard from, but enough is known to warrant the statement that one-fifth of the dwellings in the island are totally destroyed and their owners are without any shelter whatever, or any food beyond what has been saved from the debris. The coffee crop and most of the trees are ruined, and thus reliance for support is gone. Fully one-third of the people subsist entirely on fruit and a small degree on tubas. All the former is destroyed and much of the latter are rotting in the ground. * * *

May Be Thousands on the Death Roll. "The deaths from falling walls and drowning will number more than 1,000, and may be several times this number. * * * While I have not yet full data I repeat the estimate that at least 100,000 people are homeless and destitute. * * * I fear extensive issues of provisions will be necessary for several months. * * * I hope the charitable people of the states will contribute food, clothes, medicines and money." The second dispatch says that further but incomplete reports confirm previous reports as conservative.

Press dispatches show that in the city of Ponce alone 300 bodies have been buried and the total dead in the district is placed at 2,000. Arecibo is destroyed, 200 bodies are in the morgue and hundreds are missing. Yabucan, Adjuntas and Humacao are in ruins and scores are reported dead or missing.

SOLDIERS COMING HOME.

Men of Joliet, Ills., Who Went as Volunteers to the Philippines. Joliet, Ills., Aug. 14.—Joliet friends and relatives of the volunteers in the Philippines who enlisted a year ago were made happy Saturday by the receipt of the following telegram from Adjutant General Corbin, addressed to ex-Senator Munroe: "All soldiers now in the Philippines who enlisted for the war only are to be returned to the United States for discharge on the transport Pennsylvania, which is scheduled to leave Manila the latter part of the current month."

The soldiers expected home on the Pennsylvania are: Newton G. Cook, John Sherman, Elmer A. Bell, John Wright, Howard B. Randall, Ernest Johnson, Nels C. Bensen, August Eberhardt, Palmer Drury and William H. Sullivan, all of Joliet; Harry Martin, Petuzzo Innocent, of Lockport; Evard J. Brumbach, James E. Caine, Charles S. Upham, Arthur J. Fowle and Howard McCall, of Odell; Charles Nussbaum, of Seneca.

Iowa's Tax Levy Lowered.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 14.—The state executive council has fixed the state tax levy for the year of the biennial period, beginning July 1, at 2.09 mills. The new levy is three-tenths of a mill less than the levy fixed last year. In addition to this reduction there has been a reduction of about \$20,000,000 in the assessed valuation of the state. Every kind of property has been assessed at these rates, except one item, corporation stocks. The total reduction amounts to about 10 per cent. The entire reduction comes on land and on items of personal property, aside from live stock.

Would Be the Ruin of Rice Lake.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 14.—O. H. Ingram, president of the Rice Lake Lumber company, said Saturday that if men did not return to work immediately the company would close the mills permanently at Rice Lake. Two hundred and fifty men are involved in the strike. If Ingram carries out his threat it will kill the town. The employees struck for a ten-hour work day at a rate they were getting for eleven hours.

The Professor and the Moose.

St. Ignace, Mich., Aug. 14.—Professor Moore, of Missouri, and Eugene Kulther and Herbert Mann, of Chicago, tried a week ago for killing moose at Brevoort lake, when the jury disagreed, had a second trial Friday. Moore and Kulther were convicted and Mann discharged. Kulther, being but 13 years old, was let off on suspended sentence. Moore was fined \$50 and \$67 costs, which was paid.

Pigeon on an Engine Pilot.

Clinton, Ia., Aug. 14.—As the west-bound Colorado special of the Chicago and Northwestern arrived here Saturday a boy named Thomas Shepherd discovered a slightly injured carrier pigeon on the pilot of the engine, the right leg was tagged K 51065, and the left B 743.

FORTY MINUTES OF FIGHTING.

Gen. Young Has a Brush with the Filipinos and Loses Three Killed. Manila, Aug. 14, 8:40 a. m.—The insurgents have taken the aggressive in the neighborhood of the railroad. On Saturday night they unsuccessfully attacked San Luis, on the Rio Grande, near Calumpit, which is garrisoned by two companies of the Twenty-second infantry. The Americans had a sergeant killed and two privates wounded. Yesterday morning a similar affair took place at Gringua, four miles west of Malolos, where another small garrison is stationed as a safeguard against a possible attack upon the railway. A special train took reinforcements to Malolos and Guiguinto, just north of Bulacan.

Manila, Aug. 13, 3:10 p. m.—A reconnaissance yesterday by troops of General Samuel B. M. Young's brigade with the object of discovering the whereabouts of the enemy near San Mateo, about ten miles from Manila, resulted in the occupation of San Mateo. The American loss was three killed and thirteen wounded, including a lieutenant of the Twenty-first infantry. The Americans approached San Mateo in three columns. Major Cronin with fifteen men of the Twenty-fifth infantry advanced from Novaliches, five miles west of San Mateo. Captain Rivers, with 100 men of the Fourth cavalry, and Captain Parker, with 280 men of the Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth infantry and the Fourth cavalry, approached in two columns from the south.

Captain Rivers took an outpost of the enemy two miles southwest of San Mateo. He then encountered strong resistance among the hills, the enemy firing from excellent positions. Having failed to connect with Major Cronin, and seeing that the town was already occupied by the Americans, Captain Rivers withdrew, covering his withdrawal by a heavy volley. He lost a sergeant killed. Captain Parker found the enemy strongly entrenched on the far side of some rice fields about a mile wide and covered with deep mud. Pushing forward rapidly he routed the Filipinos after forty minutes' fighting, and then continued the march upon San Mateo, which he entered without serious resistance.

Twenty-three of the enemy are known to have been killed. This is the first action in which Colonel Burt's colored troops participated. They behaved well, their leaders having difficulty in holding them back. General Young accompanied Captain Parker's column and was under fire throughout the engagement. It is estimated that the enemy numbered between 300 and 400 men.

JUDGE WADE NOT IN THE RACE

Report That He Will Not Run for Governor of Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 14.—Judge Martin J. Wade, of Iowa City, who has been pushed vigorously for two or three days for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination at the state convention next Wednesday, is now considered out of the race. The announcement comes from his home that he does not desire his name to be presented to the convention. He has nearly a full term yet to serve on the bench, and prefers it to making a campaign for the governorship.

He was presented and urged as a compromise between Cato Sells and S. H. Bashor, who are left the only two prominent Democrats. Many politicians say Sells will also withdraw, as he has taken the position that he would not run unless practically unanimously nominated. Indications are that Bashor will be nominated, as he is considered much stronger than Sells with the delegates.

Drawn into a Wheat Bin.

Columbus, Ind., Aug. 14.—Robert Shatto, aged 17, met a horrible death here last week. He was working in a hopper-shaped wheat bin at Griffith's elevator, from which the wheat was being emptied. His legs became submerged in the wheat, and, drawn by the suction of receding wheat, he was unable to extricate himself. His screams for help brought workmen to his rescue, but they were unable to save him. For several minutes he struggled, but finally sank out of sight and was covered by 400 bushels of wheat, from which it required an hour to recover the body.

No Illinois Good-Roads Convention.

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 14.—The idea of holding a state good-roads convention here has been abandoned. The reason given by the promoters is that in view of other public enterprises that have demanded large popular contributions it would be bad policy to ask the citizens for financial aid for other objects at the present time. It is also believed that the farmers of the state are not sufficiently interested to take part in a movement that promises a costly experiment.

Not So Convenient for Tramps.

New York, Aug. 14.—A radical change is being made in the appearance of the baggage, mail, and express cars on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. The platforms and hoods are being removed to increase the element of safety and save weight. The favorite riding place of tramps is also eliminated when the platforms are removed.

Davenport Acts Promptly.

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 14.—Mayor Geo. T. Baker has issued a proclamation asking aid for the Porto Rican storm sufferers. The Business Men's association held a special session, and \$200 was subscribed and a committee appointed to canvass for funds. Banks and newspapers have opened lists.

High Prices Stop Building.

West Superior, Wis., Aug. 14.—On account of the high price of lumber and the scarcity of labor in the northwest the United States Flour Milling company has abandoned for this fall its intention of building a number of elevators.

DEXTER HEIFER

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Indignation Felt Over an Unfounded Report.

ARE LIVING IN HOPES

Electric Line Between Dexter, Ann Arbor and Jackson Will Be Built.

Dexter, Aug. 11.—"The Lansing electric line," said Thos. Binkert, "may not be dead, but it is certainly sleeping pretty soundly," and greatly to the regret of the Dexter people, excepting possibly the liveries who are doing a good business transporting passengers to Portage and Bass Lakes. Dexter has some very pretty lakes which would have been opened up to the general public had the Lansing line gone through. The people of Dexter, however, are very anxiously watching the news of the proposed line between Jackson and Ann Arbor, which would open a cheap communication with the outer world. While little is known here about the proposed line, the people are living in hopes that it will shortly be built.

Mrs. W. J. Keal is visiting in Hartford, Mich.

H. M. Calking, lately of the Leader staff, intends to start a laundry here.

Alonzo Olsaver and family went to Base Lake yesterday for a two weeks' outing.

Rev. J. J. Staley has resigned and accepted a call from the Congregational church, of Belding, Mich.

Gus Peters, of Scio, has raised and repaired his residence, building an addition to it. He has been working at it nearly all the summer.

Dexter is ready for a boom. Two or three new industries are about ready to start up and if the electric line is built, lively times in Dexter may be looked for.

There is not an empty house in the village, several new ones are being erected and these are already rented. Real estate has risen at least 25 per cent in the past year.

Charles Warner, of this village has an 18 month old heifer, which has adopted three pigs and evinces a motherly interest in them. The pigs deserted their own mother and draw all their nourishment from the udder of the heifer. If the heifer is on one side of a stream of water and the pigs on the other and the pigs begin to squeal, the heifer will rush across the stream to the pigs and appease their hunger. It is an odd adoption and is something that no other village of the county can boast of.

Idlers and Workers.

I do not know which is most wonderful and most sad—the sight of the idlers who do nothing, or of the workers who enjoy nothing but working for themselves. Both are enslaved. They have given their hearts away to the world, a sordid boon. Both have the world's reward—the idler his pleasure, the worker his success, and both have also the spiritual punishment—loss of the true use of life, and the inward joylessness which darkens their declining years.—Rev. Stanford Brooke.

Rapid Growth of London.

London now has a population of 5,650,000, and it is figured that, at the present rate of growth, it will have 13,000,000 in 1941.

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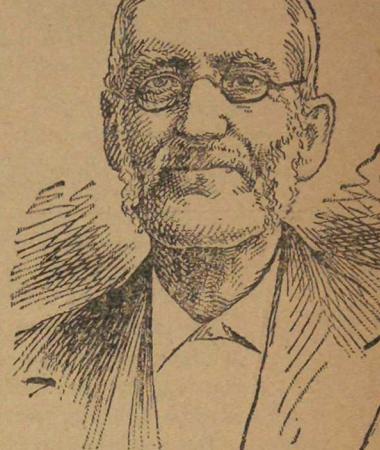
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Today it is expected a representative of the post office department will be here to look over proposed routes for free rural mail delivery. The Argus is pleased to note that at last its contention for free rural delivery is likely to bear fruit. But for its continued pushing of the question there probably would have been no step taken, and Ann Arbor would continue in the rear of various other places in the state relative to this important improvement. Ann Arbor is on the very verge of being a first class post office. It is desired to make it such. Free rural delivery will help to make it such yet, if it has aided the cause of free rural delivery in any way, it has hidden its light under a bushel. Nevertheless the improvement is coming.

The attempted assassination of Maitre Lobari, one of the Dreyfus counsel, at Rennes yesterday, was not a wholly unexpected event considering the passions which have been aroused and the threatening letters which Lobari had received. It is not as yet definitely known whether there is a plot back of this dastardly act or not, but those responsible for the persecution of Dreyfus would seem to be equal to any crime.

The lawyer is not dead but he is incapacitated for further work at the trial. What the result of the crime will be on the prosecution is hard to predict. Ordinarily such a crime would be considered favorable to the accused, but the French are a peculiar people and it may have the opposite effect. It has undoubtedly left Gen. Mercier with a better standing than he would have had had he been subjected to the cross-examination of the able counsel for the defense. His testimony was shown up in a very damaging way by the ex-president of the republic. But the doings of this arch conspirator would have been made to appear in much stronger coloring had Lobari been present to take him in hand. As it was, however, the evidence of Casimir-Perier, showed that he resinged the great office of president rather than to have his name mixed up in the effort of those high in authority to defeat as he believed the ends of justice.

TRUSTS.

And now comes ex-Secretary J. Sterling Morton, of Nebraska, and climbs into the wagon with Senator McMillan declaring that trusts are good for the people. While many citizens are crushed by them, he says, the great multitude receive a great advantage. He illustrates his assertion with his experience as a corn planter in Nebraska 45 years ago. There were no trusts then and corn had to be dropped by hand and covered with a hoe. Now there are 10,000,000 acres of corn in the state. If, he says, the man with the hoe who dropped the corn with his fingers, had never been supplanted by the double rowed, two-horse corn planter such a breadth of corn would have been impossible. But the man with the hoe and the blacksmith who made the hoe have been crushed out by the cruel combination of capital.

Now while there is some point in the ex-secretary's illustrative argument, it does not go to the root of the evils growing out of the great combinations of the present day known as trusts. It is true undoubtedly that every industrial advance works injury to some one for the time being, but these are slight indeed compared with the evil possibilities of the trusts. The evils resulting from the combinations of capital referred to by Secretary Morton were vastly over balanced by the almost immediate advantages. But it does not appear as yet at least that this is true of the trusts. The former combinations of capital were not sufficiently strong to influence and profit by political action. They did not depend upon the control of city councils, legislatures and congress for their profits. They were legitimate business organizations depending upon the legitimate gains of business for their profits. But this is not the case with the trusts. They are sufficiently powerful to corruptly control legislative action for gain and they do so control it. Thus the government instead of protecting the people from the ex-

tortions of these immense combines of capital, aids and abets them in their wrong doing. Then with these purchased advantages and immunities, they demand and obtain unjust and even illegal profits for their products. With these ill gotten gains they buy up at much more than cost prices the plants of other concerns in the same line of business and corner the market if possible on that product. They then fix prices to suit their own pleasure and the people are obliged to pay them, for there is no relief. These prices are kept as high as it is possible to keep them without engendering competition. And if competition does arise it is crushed with a merciless hand if possible. These combinations are absolutely unamenable to moral influences, they are soulless, and, exerting and controlling political power in proportion to their economic power, they trample upon the rights of the people. Controlling the product in their line, they not only fix the price of that product but control wages just as absolutely.

It is reasonable to believe that the cost of production of their product is cheapened by these combinations of producing agencies. The fact that the trusts throw many people out of employment, indicates that the demand for their products is being met at a less cost, but the evidence is wanting to prove that there is any advantage to the people in this lessened cost of production. The trust controls and keeps up the price. But it is certainly true that the purchasing power of the people is diminished by so many being thrown out of employment and they must therefore be detrimental to the masses. The fact is, as everyone knows, the trusts have as the principal object of their being increased profits. It matters little to them where these profits come from, if they are only forth coming.

That the trust is economic in character and a saving in human effort is undoubtedly true. That they assist materially in extending foreign trade is probably equally true. In time of panic they may tend, as their friends claim, to steady industrial matters, but their evil results, when allowed to run in the practically unrestricted manner they now are, over balance all these. If their good qualities can be retained and their evil ones avoided they might work much good. At any rate about all that is left for the people to do is to find some means of controlling these agencies in the public interest. There appears no way of rooting them out. They have apparently evaded or met all possible legal difficulties or prohibitions. But the people retain the right to control them and they will eventually be controlled in the interest of the public instead of against that interest as now.

BRICKETT AND SILVER LAKE

Birkett, Mich., Aug. 16.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Miss Mabel Streith, who has been in Grand Rapids and Muskegon and other points returned home the last of last week.

Mrs. Chas. Mole was in Ann Arbor the first of the week.

Farmers have nearly all done their threshing in this vicinity.

Miss Nellie Newkirk, of Ann Arbor, is visiting Grandpa Tom Birkett.

One of Mr. Birkett's fine goats got into the river last week and was drowned.

Mrs. Chas. Bell, who has been visiting in the northern part of the state, returned last week.

Mr. Birkett is having quite a string of Page fence put on the Conrad farm and Mr. Bierce is doing the work.

Lewis Streith and wife, of Ann Arbor, are making two or three weeks visit at his uncles, Andrew Streith.

A social was held at the home of Charles Carpenter on Tuesday evening of this week. It was well attended.

Mrs. Jimmie Roberts, of Dexter, visited her mother in this place on Saturday last. Mrs. Roberts brought along her new baby girl for the first time.

Mr. Cowden, of Ypsilanti, came to Cobb's cottage to camp with his family and just got nicely fixed when he got badly poisoned with poison ivy, and was obliged to go home. He was sent to the sanitarium.

Mr. Birkett brought home his nephew, a boy of 14 or 15 years, from Petoskey. He also had shipped to this place a quantity of camp rocking chairs and lawn swings, which his brother manufactures in Petoskey.

Obituary.

Ira B. Hitchcock, one of the early pioneers of Washtenaw county, died at his home in York township, Aug. 11, 1899. He was born in Madrid, N. Y., April 18, 1809. Mr. Hitchcock came to Michigan in 1835, settling on the farm where he died. The deceased leaves two sons and a daughter and a large circle of friends who deeply mourn his loss. The funeral services were held at the family residence Sunday at 2 p. m., Rev. E. M. Renner officiating.

ICE HOUSES WERE BURNED

With A Loss of \$15,000 at Hamburg.

A BIG CROP OF PEACHES

Is the Good Fortune of a Farmer Near Whitmore Lake.

Whitmore Lake, Aug. 17.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Stephen Dougllass, of Green Oak, was in town today and says his peach crop of 40 acres is excellent this year and the buyers are numerous around his place. Eight years ago Mr. Dougllass set out 1,500 peach trees, 80,000 black and red raspberries, 600 plum trees and 300 pear trees. This year his peaches are a total failure but he is very much elated with his peach crop.

S. Avis went out fishing and fell on the edge of the boat and broke two of his ribs.

Miss Louise Allmendinger, of Ann Arbor, left yesterday for her home at Ann Arbor after having a delightful time.

Miss Julia Mayer, stenographer for Freeman, Delamater & Co. of Detroit, is spending two weeks at Whitmore Lake and she says this is the jolliest place she ever visited.

Miss Dora M. Brown, of Detroit, stenographer for F. B. Stevens, is spending her two weeks vacation at Saratoga No. 2, and says she wishes she could remain a month.

The L. J. Seek Ice Co. are shipping their ice to Toledo as rapidly as possible and Wm. Roper the manager says the houses will be emptied by Sept. 20.

Miss Rosa Weurthner, of Manchester, Mich., after a week's frolic here, left last evening for her home looking blue at not being able to lengthen her vacation. She spent one week in Detroit before coming here with her cousin, Miss Mayer, and says she wishes she had come direct to Whitmore Lake.

The residence and summer resort of H. G. Beach, at Silver Lake, about 2 1/2 miles north of here, caught fire about 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon and was entirely consumed. In about an hour after the dwelling house was burned his large ice houses filled with 30,000 tons of ice also took fire and burned to the ground together with eight cars on the side track of the Ann Arbor railroad. Particulars tomorrow. The loss is estimated at \$15,000.

New guests at both hotels are arriving daily and the old inhabitants feel as though they were strangers in a strange land. MOSS.

BAD RUNAWAY IN SALINE

Saline, Mich., Aug. 16.—(Special to Daily Argus).—The managers of the electric road did not have cars running into Saline today. They run busses from the Ann Arbor crossing.

Carl Harmon, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday at home.

A party of young people of the Presbyterian church spent last Tuesday at Whitmore Lake.

A large number of carrier pigeons were released at the Lake Shore depot by the mail clerk on Thursday last.

Miss Vesta Mills has refused the position of director of the musical department of the Mt Pleasant normal school.

Preparations are being made for the laying of tile drains in front of J. A. Kline's place and also in front of Comstock Hill's and Fred Jerry's lots.

Helen Rose Lutz has started suit against Fred Koch and Jay Watson for damages for injuries caused by the discharge of a flobert rifle in the hands of Koch.

Last Saturday a man left one of Brenner's rigs at Kelsey's livery stable. The animal got loose and ran out of the yard toward the post office and fell into the gutter. The buggy was wrecked.

LIMA FOLK MOVEMENTS

Mrs. Amy McLaren, from Plymouth, is sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McLaren.

Miss Gusta Samp, from Ann Arbor, is visiting her parents.

Mrs. Wm. Brewer, from Saginaw, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McLaren.

Miss Libbie Wade is spending this week at Manchester.

Irving Storms will raise his barn this afternoon.

Ed. Beach visited Dr. Wm. Whitaker at Durand last week.

Miss Howe, from Chicago, spent last week with Libbie Wade.

Fannie Ward from Webster, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Adena Strieter has been spending a few days at home.

Jay Easton and family are camping at North Lake.

SHOT IN FACE AFTER PICNIC

Pinckney, Aug. 16.—At a dance held here last evening after the conclusion of the big picnic, there were among the visitors seven or eight young men from Hamburg. They filled up generously on booze, and soon got into a fighting mood. They announced that they were the whole thing, and they had made the trip to Pinckney for the sole purpose of cleaning out the town. They hunted about for trouble and finally found it. Guy Hinchey was their first victim. The entire gang set on him, but help was at hand. Guy's brother Roff came to his rescue, and a beautiful scrap ensued. The two brothers proved to be more than a match for the Hamburg bullies. The latter were being thrashed in a most approved manner, when suddenly a shot was fired, and Will Zebe, one of the Hamburg youths, fell to the ground. The bullet struck his left cheek bone and made a flesh wound. It is not serious.

The Hamburg men quickly scattered, leaving the Hinchey boys victors. It is not known who fired the shot, but it is believed one of Zebe's companions fired a revolver to scare the Hinchey boys. An officer has gone to Hamburg to arrest the young men.

HOW OIL IS INSPECTED

The Barrel Shipped to Chelsea was for Switches.

THE CHELSEA ACCIDENT

Of A Few Days Ago was Similar to the Detroit Accidents.

Chelsea, Mich., Aug. 17.—The barrel of oil which the various papers have stated as having been shipped to Chelsea, which contained part of the dangerous gasoline mixed with the kerosene, was not shipped here for general consumption. It was one of the 40 barrels of kerosene purchased by the Michigan Central for switch oil, and all of these 40 barrels have been recovered by the road.

The question has arisen why were not these barrels inspected. Deputy Oil Inspector Wilkinson, when asked about it, stated that when oil is put in barrels in this state, the oil in each barrel is not inspected but the oil in the whole tank. Each barrel of oil received from out the state is inspected. But oil shipped into the state in tanks is inspected in the tanks and the barrels filled from these inspected tanks ought to in all cases come up to the test.

In accordance with this custom, the tanks received in Detroit were properly inspected before being dumped into the receiving tank. But the state oil inspectors have no authority over gasoline and do not inspect it. The difficulty probably arose from a tank of gasoline having been by some carelessness, dumped into the big receiving tank and thus mixed with the kerosene.

The district in Detroit where the seven serious burning accidents occurred in which many were fatally injured is not nearly as large as the district where the bad oil was sold. One who is acquainted with the district says that it will be noted that in nearly every case the names are Polish. He says that they are more apt to kindle fire with kerosene. Many of them gather up cedar blocks, which are wet and soggy and will not burn without oil. In this way he accounts for the limiting of the accidents to the Polish district.

The accident in Chelsea by which Will Lehman was burned by the explosion of gasoline, Mr. Lehman states was incorrectly reported. He had no knowledge that the oil with which he saturated the refuse he was trying to turn in the open air was gasoline. He used the kerosene oil can but he found that the children had been fooling with the oil cans and thinks that they must have poured a little of the gasoline into the kerosene can. A very little gasoline will cause a terrific explosion. Mr. Lehman is fully recovering although his face is still scarred.

BIG K. OF P. DAY IN MILAN

K. of P. Day in Milan is a much talked of event in the social circles here. Aug. 22 is the day set for this grand event. Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Dundee and other lodges are invited to participate in the day's enjoyment. A fine program is being made up of field sports, a match game of baseball between the Knights of Pythias, of Dundee and Milan, bicycle races, foot races, a band and a colored male quartet from Detroit will render some fine selections. Tea will be served to the guests at 6 p. m. and in the evening after lodge meeting there will be a fine banquet and music.

Fall Trip to Philadelphia.

Excursion tickets to Philadelphia for G. A. R. National Encampment will be sold Sept. 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th, via Pennsylvania Short Lines, the through train route from Michigan. Details may be secured by applying to F. M. BUSHONG, T. P. Agt., 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich.

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THE WAY THEY DO IN MILAN

Frank Ross, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday in Milan.

Mrs. Housman has returned from her Toledo visit.

Chas. Gauntlett has returned from his Detroit trip.

Mrs. Koester has a fine class in French this summer.

Miss Susie Knight has returned from her outing near Detroit.

Miss Cecil Gauntlett is entertaining guests from the Ridge.

Mrs. Cook and children have returned from their Tecumseh visit.

Mrs. Green, of First st., entertained Miss Reeves from Azalia Tuesday.

Harry Ingersoll, of Durand, is the guest of Paul Newcomb this week.

Miss Althea Smith, of Azalia, gave her Milan friends a call Saturday.

Prof. and Mrs. Carrick are at Trenton enjoying the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Fuller are entertaining guests from Salem this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brummell have moved into one of the Dean cottages on Gay st.

Miss Lelia Kelly is at Zukey Lake this week with a party of Ann Arbor friends.

Mrs. A. Rack, of Cleveland, is the guest of her mother Mrs. Dunning for a few weeks.

A fine monument was erected on the Wilson lot in Marble Park cemetery the last of the week.

Rev. J. W. McGregor, of Vermontville, is quite ill at Dr. Mesic's residence on E. Main st.

Miss Mae Robinson, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Milton Crane, of Tolen st., the last of the week.

J. H. Ferd has opened a book and school supply store in his block on the corner of Main and Edward sts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whaley and Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and others, are taking an outing at Lake Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Guiteau left the last of the week for the south after two weeks visit with Mrs. Mattie Newcomb.

Mrs. Chas. Allen returned to her home in Detroit Monday after a two weeks' visit with friends in Milan and vicinity.

The Christian Catholic society held a meeting at the Union church Tuesday evening, Rev. S. H. Stokes, of Detroit, preached afternoon and evening.

Friday evening the Milan Cornet Band gave an open air concert. The selections were fine and well played. The streets were crowded to listen to this first concert. Milan is justly proud of its band.

Tuesday evening the Eastern Star chapter had a fine banquet and a pleasant meeting. Grand Patron King, of Adrian, and Grand Matron Joslyn, of Northville were present. The work was gone through with in a most effective manner.

Chas. Sill, Homer Sill and family have returned from Crystal Lake near Frankfort, with trophies of a Piscatorial war on the great fresh water deeps of a northern lake. Their spoils denote a victory of over 500 beauties which were buried in salt for preservation and to treat their many friends who were not fortunate enough to indulge in an outing of this kind.

Farmers Downed Milan.

Milan, Mich., Aug. 16.—Today occurred the hottest ball game of the season, the home team being defeated by the Lake Ridge Farmers. Milan had the Farmers at their mercy, but they put in an Ypsilanti pitcher and a Grand Rapids catcher, winning in the eighth and ninth. Batteries—Milan, Moffit and Ten Eyck; Farmers, Owens and Booth. Struck out—by Moffit 7, by Owens 15.

Trains to G. A. R. Encampment.

Through trains for Philadelphia from Michigan over Pennsylvania Short Lines daily. Excursion tickets to G. A. R. National Encampment will be sold for them Sept. 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th. For information about low fare, etc., address F. M. BUSHONG, T. P. Agt., 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich.

THE STRIKE WAS SETTLED

The men who walked out of the Agricultural Works are all back again and everything is lovely. The company for years has given the profits to its men or at least it has declared no dividends. The strike is settled.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR SALE—On the Egan farm in Lodi, 12 choice grade yearling black top rams. 30-8

FOR RENT—A dwelling and farm of 50 acres, situated at Whitmore Lake, (coming spring), for a term of 5 years or longer. Money rent. Subject to sale. C. Marr. 32-44

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FOR SALE—Two farms, between Bridgewater Station and Manchester. Enquire of John Burg, Ann Arbor, or George Burg, Saline. 7-7

FOR SALE—Choice Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs for Setting. One Cockerel of the Hawkins Blue Strain, B. P. R. 410 North State Street, Ann Arbor, Mich. 7-7

FOR SALE—Lawn Fertilizer. Best ever put on market. Leave orders with Louis Rohde, 232 E. Huron st. 20-1

WANTED—Girl to do general house work, light washing and ironing in a summer cottage at Whitmore Lake. Address, stating wages expected, Mrs. C. J. Stein, Whitmore Lake, Mich. 14-16

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Estate of Daniel W. Amsdem.

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 1st day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Daniel W. Amsdem, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 28th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

From Tuesday's Daily Argus.

TO NORTHVILLE—The Detroit, Plymouth and Northville electric railway will be completed by Sept. 1.

NEW CONTRACT—O. O. Sorg has received contract for frescoing the new Presbyterian church at South Lyon. It will, when finished be a very fine building.

GOES TO HAWAII—It is now said that Representative Chamberlain of the university committee in the last legislature, better known as "the tall pine," is to go to Hawaii as U. S. attorney.

SOCIAL DANCE—The members of the Harugari Maennerchor are making special efforts to make their dance to be given in Germania hall, Aug. 24, a great success. The Chequamegon orchestra will furnish the music.

INJUNCTION ISSUED—An injunction was issued by Circuit Court Commissioner Tracy L. Towner, of Ypsilanti, in the divorce case of Ann Miller vs. Isaac Miller, to restrain Isaac from disposing of his property. An affidavit had been filed by the complainant that Circuit Judge Kinne was out of the city.

PIONEER DIED—The funeral services of Ira B. Hitchcock, one of the old pioneers of York township, was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Reimer officiating. Mr. Hitchcock was 91 years of age. He owned land in the county as early as 1835. His wife died some years ago. Three sons, Harvey, Lee, Alonzo and one daughter, Lovetta, survive him.

IS APPEALED—Attorneys Lehman Bros. & Stivers have appealed to the supreme court the chancery case of George W. Hayes vs. the Ypsilanti Business Men's Association. This is the case of a boy being run over by the sprinkling wagon and settled at the time. Judge Kinne decided there was no cause to disturb this settlement. The grounds for the appeal are fraud in the settlement and misrepresentation and claims that the father was over reached.

HORSE LOST—Julius Laneberg, of Scio post office, was in the city yesterday trying to get track of his horse that ran away Saturday evening. The horse was tied in front of John G. Fischer's meat market on W. Huron st. and in some way unsnapped the rope to which he was attached. The horse ran west to Rohde's sheds where the wagon was overturned and broken up. The horse with the shafts ran between two moving freight trains of the Ann Arbor road. The horse was seen three miles west of the city still running.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY—John Frederick Stierle, of Saline township, on Sunday celebrated his 66th birthday anniversary in the midst of his children and grandchildren and a few invited friends. The tables almost groaned with all the good things provided for the guests. Among the children present was his son Herman Stierle, of Ann Arbor. Julius Trojanowski, wife and daughter Ella, and John Trojanowski, of this city were also present. The day was greatly enjoyed by everyone. They all hoped that Mr. Stierle may long be preserved to his family and enjoy good health.

A GRAET SUFFERER—Samuel Laubengayer, of Lima, died this morning aged 45 years. The funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Salem Lutheran church at Weinsberg. The deceased was the son of Frederick Laubengayer, of Scio. He was a great invalid, having been confined to his bed for 19 years. For the last 18 years he was blind. He was very bright and always knew his friends and was grateful for the sympathy and attention shown him by everyone. He was very well known among the Germans, very many of whom tried to practically help the great sufferer. He will now rest from all his suffering.

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From Wednesday's Daily Argus.

NEW OFFICE—L. D. Carr can now be found with Lehman Bros. & Stivers where he has located his office.

UNION SERVICES—The Union Service next Sunday evening will be at the First M. E. church. Sermon by Rev. Dr. Young of the Baptist church.

PROBATED AN ESTATE—A petition has been filed in the probate court asking that an administrator be appointed for the estate of Elvina Waterbury, of Ypsilanti township.

QUARTER SAWED OAK—The Michigan Furniture Co. has received a very fine carload of quarter sawed oak from Ohio.

AN INDIAN BAND—An Indian Band of 19 pieces from Mt. Pleasant took the electric line here for Detroit this morning.

CARRIED UP—A bill of exceptions in the case of the Toledo Ice Co. vs. Frank Munger, has been filed in the county clerk's office.

THREE BICYCLES—The city police yesterday restored three bicycles to their owners, who had forgotten them and left them standing all night on the street. Cigars were in order.

CLOSED FOR THREE DAYS—The Michigan Furniture Co. shuts down tomorrow for the rest of the week in accordance with a petition of the hands who wished to attend the German Day exercises in Saline.

PRIVATE OFFICE—The increasing law business of Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer has made it necessary for each to have a private office. To this end the room formerly occupied by L. D. Carr is now fitted up and occupied as a private office by W. W. Wedemeyer.

A STAG PARTY—A stag party was held at the U. of M. boat house on the river last evening. It was a happy party and refreshments of all kinds were served, the party breaking up at an early hour. Those present were from all over the city, but the north side was liberally represented.

DEATH OF MRS. SPOONER—Mrs. Thomas Spooner, nee Smith, of Geddes, aged 84 years, died yesterday. Funeral Friday afternoon at late residence. She was born near Moulton, Lincolnshire, England. She with her husband came to Ann Arbor about 1850.

IS IT RAFFTREY—A man giving his name as Cole was arrested by Detective High in Detroit this morning for stealing eight bicycles. The sheriff went to Detroit to see if he could identify him as Rafftrey, the Zuky Lake engineer, who was released from jail here July 14.

HEARD AND ALLOWED—The final account of George Coe., administrator of the estate of Isaac Suddaby, deceased, of York, was heard by Judge of Probate Newkirk yesterday and allowed, all the heirs consenting. The estate consisting of real estate was assigned to the heirs who divided it up among themselves.

KNIGHTS COMING—Corunna Commandery have made arrangements to spend next Tuesday, Aug. 22, at Whitmore Lake. They will be accompanied by their ladies and friends. Their band will give a concert from 4 to 5 o'clock. Drill call will sound at 5:30 p. m. and assembly at 6 o'clock.

SHARON IS IN IT—Part of Sharon township enjoys the benefit of free rural delivery. A route has been established at Grass Lake running out on the Sharon road three miles into Sharon, south a mile to the Hasel-schwerdt church and back to Grass Lake. The route is 22 miles long and James O. Raymond has been appointed carrier at \$400 a year.

A DISPUTED MARRIAGE—The examination into the sanity of Alfonso Markham, of Ypsilanti, was yesterday adjourned by Judge Newkirk for one week. Markham is the man who claims to be married to a woman who denies the fact, and does not want to be annoyed by his following her. The parents of Markham live in Augusta.

PLYMOUTH FAIR—H. J. Baker, secretary of the Plymouth Fair Association, evidently means business. He has sent an invitation to the Argus to attend the 15th annual fair to be held Sept. 19, 20, 21, 22. There is nothing small about the initiation either as it includes the grand stand, which will give the sporting editor of the Argus a good chance to report the races and make his bet.

From Thursday's Daily Argus.

A NEW ARRIVAL—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stoll, of W. Washington st., greeted a little girl at their house yesterday morning.

THE MEDICAL CLUB—The Ann Arbor Medical club held a very enthusiastic meeting in Dr. Breakey's office last evening.

HAD \$3,000 INSURANCE—John R. Miner's agency had \$3,000 of the insurance on the Silver Lake Ice Co.'s houses which burned at Hamburg yesterday.

EXTRA PAY—The Yosemite boys, some of whom were from Ann Arbor, will get two months' extra pay. The claims have just been approved by the war department.

OUT OF TOWN—Many people are out of the city today owing to the Bethlehem church excursion, German Day at Saline and the band tournament in Detroit.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral services of Freeman Galpin, of Superior, will be held tomorrow, Friday, at 2 o'clock p. m. His remains will be interred in the family burial cemetery.

TURNED HIS ANKLE—J. D. Ryan limps today, having turned his ankle by stepping into a hole.

ABSENT FROM THE OFFICE—County Clerk Schuh has not been seen at his office in the court house since Monday. As he is capable of looking out for himself no alarm is felt.

A BIG YEARLING—John G. Fischer, the butcher on W. Huron st., killed a year old sheep which dressed 88 pounds. It was a full blooded Shropshire sheep. He considers this pretty good for a yearling.

ANOTHER DIVORCE—Mrs. Grace Koernig has filed a suit for divorce from her husband Charles Koernig. She sets up that she is of the age of 19 years and upward, that they were married at Clinton, Sept. 27, 1898, and lived together until Aug. 10, 1899, and that they have one son now eight months old. She charges him with extreme cruelty, striking her, being out late nights, and leaving her alone with her child all night while he took a girl to a dance in Tipton.

GOING DOWN A STEEP HILL

HOW THE ACCIDENT TO PROF. HENCH OCCURED.

HIS COMPANION FOUND HIM UNCONSCIOUS BY THE ROADSIDE.

The Associate Press dispatches give the following details of the death of the late Prof. Hench:

"Boston, Aug. 16.—Prof. Geo. A. Hench, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who was injured by a fall from a bicycle at Franconia, N. H., Saturday, and who was brought to the Boston city hospital yesterday suffering from a fractured skull, died at that institution just before noon today. Prof. Hench was professor in the University of Michigan and was passing his vacation in the White mountain region.

"The accident to Prof. Hench occurred while he was going down a steep hill. A companion who was riding with him missed the professor and, returning, found him lying in the road with his face and body badly out and bruised, and unconscious. He was taken to the hotel, where the local physicians found a fracture of the skull. They advised his removal to Boston, where he could receive expert treatment and the patient was brought here yesterday afternoon.

"After examination, the hospital physicians decided to perform an operation for the fracture of the skull. This was done with apparently successful results. The condition of the patient was reported as comfortable both immediately after the operation and this morning. Unfavorable symptoms developed during the forenoon, and death resulted. Prof. Hench did not recover sufficiently to tell how the accident happened.

"Prof. Hench was unmarried and 32 years old. He was a native of Pennsylvania and his remains will be shipped to Carlisle, Pa., tomorrow."

SHE WAS SHOT IN THE LEG

THE CASE WILL BE BROUGHT INTO COURT.

THE SHOOTING WAS ACCIDENTALLY DONE BY TWO BOYS IN SALINE.

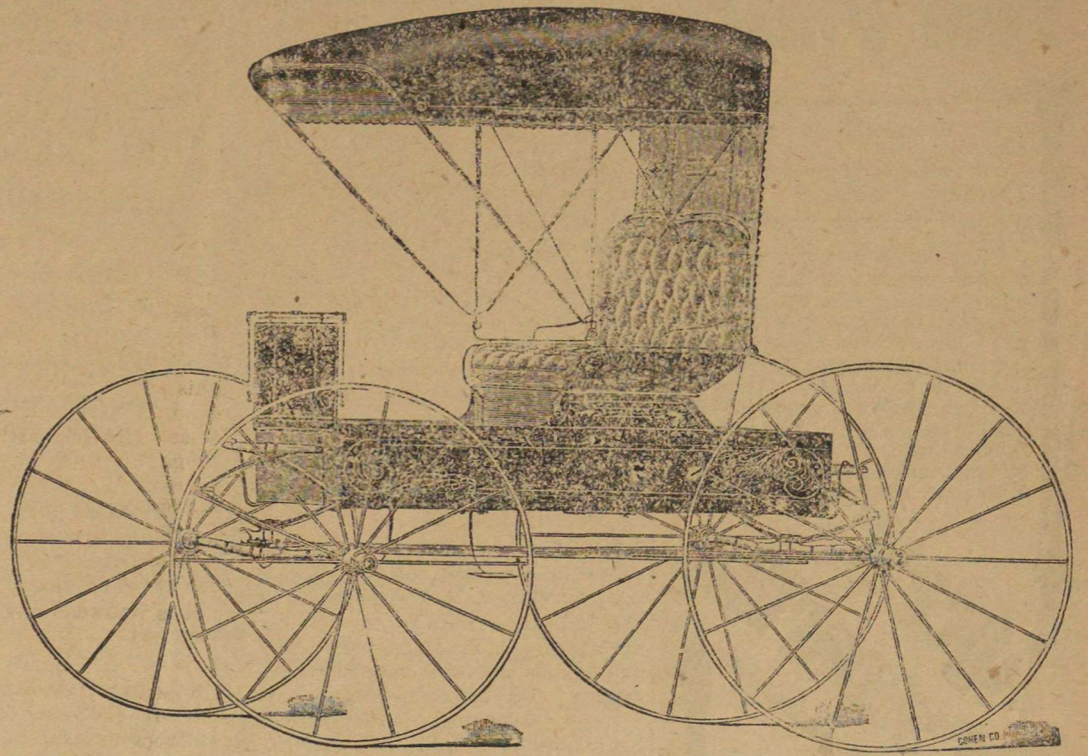
Last December, Helen Rose Lutz, the 15 year old daughter of Ulrich Lutz, of Saline, while passing Unterkircher's drug store in that village, was shot in the fleshy part of the leg above the knee. The bullet is charged to have come from a target rifle in the hands of Jay R. Watson and Fred Koch, two boys. The case has been placed in the hands of Lehman Bros. and Stivers, attorneys. An appointment of Ulrich Lutz as next friend was filed in the clerk's office today preparatory to commencing suit. It is understood that the defense will attempt to show that the boys were in the store examining the Christmas goods. They did not know this rifle was loaded.

Jay R. Watson pulled up the trigger while Fred Koch was also holding the rifle. It went off, the bullet going through the door striking Helen Lutz. The guardian of Watson had the girl brought over to the University hospital and by means of the Roentgen X ray the bullet was located and found back of the bone. He paid the cost of the operation and the nurse that was provided.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Eberbach & Son's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haessler, Manchester, drug stores. Only 50 cents and \$1.00, every bottle guaranteed.

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NEW STATE PHONE.

DETROIT STREET, ANN ARBOR.

MUCH SICKNESS IN RAWSONVILLE

Rawsonville, Mich., Aug. 15.—(Special to Daily Argus).—Mrs. W. McCullough, of Detroit, spent a day with each of her relatives in and around Ypsilanti during last week.

Mrs. Austin was suddenly taken very sick on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Arthur Cross is with her mother Mrs. Wilcox, of Otisville, who is very sick.

Plums are about ready for market but the reports are there will be a great scarcity.

A good many farmers attended the farmer's annual Grange picnic near Willis Thursday.

In all the country round there seems to be an epidemic of sickness, severe colds, fevers, typhoid and bowel complaint are the ruling complaints.

Will and Don Fenwick, of Detroit, who have been visiting among the Eaton families, returned to their home Friday where they left immediately for Niagara Falls.

Miss Ida Covert, who has been teaching the past six years in Traverse City and has been engaged for next year, has sent in her resignation on account of her father's poor health.

Chas. Andrews, of Canton, well known in this vicinity, is very sick with fever, which attacked him immediately after the funeral of his only son, Tracy Andrews, who died in northern Michigan. Mr. Andrews brought him home for burial, the last member of his family. Two months ago he buried his wife. He is a man who is very highly esteemed and has the sympathy of the community at large.

Mrs. Elvira Waterbury, who has been an invalid for a number of years died at her home in Ypsilanti town, Aug. 7, at 9 a. m. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, conducted by Rev. A. Ebling. There were many beautiful floral gifts from friends and from the societies of the Helping Hand and the King's Daughters. She leaves two immediate relatives, a brother, John Waterbury, residing near and a sister, Janet, with whom she lived.

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Wilson had Fox arrested and there will be a hearing before Justice Duffy. A GROWING SCHOOL—The annual report of Sept. Austin George, of the Ypsilanti schools shows that the attendance at the high school has increased from 179 to 262 in the past three years.

From Saturday's Daily Argus. MOVED TO YPSILANTI—Frank Ross moves from Milan to Ypsilanti and has purchased the laundry of Herbert Tenney near the depot.

FLOWING WELL CELERY—Prof. J. B. Steers reports his crop extra fine this year, and he has an unusually large acreage planted. The celery he supplies the grocers of the city will compare with the finest of Kalamazoo.

ST. MARY'S PICNIC—The annual picnic of St. Mary's church, Chelsea, will be held at Cavanaugh Lake and speeches will be made by Congressman H. C. Smith, Hon. James McNamara, of Detroit and Rev. Dr. Charles O'Reilly, of Adrian.

Mrs. Jacob Lutz, of Saline, was in the city yesterday afternoon to take the Ann Arbor train for Byron to visit her son Louis F. Lutz. Mr. Lutz is one of the successful merchants of his village. He has recently been enlarging and beautifying his residence and his mother is going to Byron to inspect his improvements.

FIRE FROM LIGHTNING—Lightning struck the barn of Jacob Staebler a quarter of a mile north of the Salem church at Weinsberg in Scio last evening. It burned to the ground with its contents consisting of farming implements and lumber from a house recently torn down by Mr. Staebler. The loss is estimated at \$1,500. It was insured in the Washtenaw German Farmers Insurance Co. The barn was so far away from the house and Mr. Staebler's new barn that no damage was done to either building.

From Monday's Daily Argus. REMOVED—L. D. Carr has removed his office across the hall from Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer.

PROFITABLE—The Bethlehem society report at their last week's lawn social the gross receipts were \$83 and the net \$48.90.

RAISING TRACK—The Ann Arbor side track at the freight house is being raised so that freight can be handled more easily.

MEANEST THIEF—A thief stole the poor box from St. Thomas' church yesterday afternoon. There was probably not to exceed 15 cents in it.

NORTHFIELD PICNIC—The Harugari Society will hold a picnic Aug. 20 at Northfield in Kempf's woods. The train leaves here in the morning at 8:30.

WANTS A DIVORCE—Mrs. Marriam Richardson has applied for a divorce from her husband Geo. W. Richardson, through her solicitors Randall & Jones.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral services of the nine months old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Sachs were held yesterday afternoon, Rev. John Neumann officiating.

BAY CITY—A large excursion party in six Michigan Central cars passed through here yesterday on the Ann Arbor road for Bay City. They took the Michigan Central track at Owosso Junction.

GOOD JOB—Edward Pierce, a compositor of the Inland Press has accepted an excellent position with the Ellis Publishing Co., of Battle Creek, of which W. B. Phillips is manager. He left at noon for his new field of labor.

WHIPPING POST SUBJECT—Erastus Brooks, of Milan, was brought before Justice Duffy this morning on a warrant sworn out by Chas. Bishop, charging him with indecent exposure before three little girls aged eight, five and three years respectively. His examination was set for the 18th.

FINE POLES—The Ann Arbor Electric Light Co. has received seven beautiful poles from Detroit. They are said to be the finest lot of poles ever brought to the city. They longest is 70 feet and six inches. They are as straight as an arrow. They have been peeled with a drawing knife at the station and today they have received the first of their two coats of paint.

BUSINESS FOR SOMEBODY—The streets of Ann Arbor Saturday evening, presented the best argument showing the mistaken idea of some merchants, who say it is not worth while, and money thrown away, to advertise for summer trade because of everybody being out of town. Main st. and the adjoining side streets, until a late hour, were so crowded with people it was difficult to pass. The majority of these people were doing their trading. The merchants offering their special bargains would get that trade.

A DIPLOMA OF VALUE—As an evidence that the graduates of the University School of Music are doing well the call for a director of the conservatory of music at the Mt. Pleasant Normal school may be instanced. A letter was received asking that a teacher be recommended for the position. Miss Bassett was suggested and an offer made to her. She was doing so well that she did not want to accept and it was given Miss Emma Fischer, of Ann Arbor, who in turn refused for the same reason and Miss Vesta Mills asked. She in like turn also refused. A graduate of the school receives a diploma of great value.

OLD PIONEER DEAD—Robert W. Munson, who died in Howell township, Sunday, Aug. 6, was the father of Mrs. George Crocker, of Ann Arbor.

He was born in Timbland, Lincolnshire, England, May 8, 1831. He was married to Miss Mary A. Thompson in 1852. He came to America in 1857, settling in Howell township. Eight children were born to them: Lizzie, who is now Mrs. Waldo Whipple, of South Lyon; Jennie, now Mrs. George Crocker, of Ann Arbor; Thomas and Willie, two eldest boys, deceased; Frank and George, Grace, who was Mrs. Jas. E. Brewer, deceased, and Maud, who is now at home. He was a successful farmer and much respected.

THEY SERVE VERY NICE DINNERS

MANY PEOPLE AT WHITMORE STOPPING AT HOTELS.

ALLMENDINGER HAS HIS FIRST VACATION IN 25 YEARS—PERSONAL MENTION.

Whitmore Lake, Aug. 14.—(Special to Daily Argus).—We were pleased to see Michael Duffy in the city Saturday as spry and hearty as ever. Mr. Duffy is 74 years old and says he feels like a boy yet.

Jas. E. Burke and Wm. Clancy went to Silver Lake on Wednesday and fished shallow, deep and hard, and after languishing for six hours under the scorching rays of a sun, they never got a bite. This is sad but Mr. Burke should have had experience enough to know that to catch good fish he must tackle Whitmore Lake.

R. Kern and L. F. Roberts went fishing on Horse Shoe Lake and caught four pickerel and 35 black bass. The pickerel averaged four pounds each and Kern says it is the best luck he ever had.

Maurice O'Conner, of Northfield, had a runaway on Wednesday, badly injuring Mr. O'Conner, who is now at the Ann Arbor hospital.

H. P. Dodge was hauling a load of salt from the depot to his store and his little three year old boy who was with him, accidentally fell off and one of the wheels ran over his foot smashing it quite badly, but not as bad as would be expected.

The new phonograph in George Rauschenberger's is a beauty to draw and entertain a crowd. Friday night his place of business was packed listening to it sing and talk.

Will Lowery is hauling lumber with which to erect a residence and you may expect to hear something pretty soon.

D. F. Allmendinger, of the Ann Arbor Organ Co., was in the village yesterday and with his family will remain a week. Mr. Allmendinger has been superintendent of the Ann Arbor Organ Co. for 25 years and he says with the exception of running out here over Sunday once in a while this is the first vacation he has had in all these years.

Yesterday we had the pleasure of meeting Carl Wood, of Green Oak, and a more genial and accomplished gentleman it is hard to find. Mr. Wood owns 515 acres of land on which he says by economy and hard labor, he manages to raise enough of this world's goods to sustain his corpulent frame and everybody is welcome to Carl Woods' home where they will be hospitably entertained.

Mrs. Peter Peterson, of Ann Arbor, and who has been a resident of the Athens of America for the past 15 years is in our city in company with Mrs. Allmendinger. She says she had to come out to see her son Olef, of whom she is justly proud.

Mrs. Chas. L. Rane is convalescing, we are pleased to announce, but she is yet very weak.

Seventy-five guests sat down to the following menu at the Clifton house Sunday, Aug. 13: Roast beef, roast pork, boiled tongue, baked turkey, brown gravy, apple sauce, tomatoe sauce dressing, mashed potatoes, green corn, sliced tomatoes, salmon salad, olives, pickles, mixed nuts, assorted fruits, apple, lemon, cherry, pumpkin pie, snow pudding, ice cream, assorted cake, tea, coffee, ice tea, milk. Mr. Manly, the proprietor of the Clifton house, stated that the next Sunday dinner will be equal to any in the past and that the dining room service is unexcelled, so said the guests.

Last evening the boarders at the Lake house gave an entertainment at Lake house hall for the benefit of the M. E. church and was attended by about 800 enthusiastic listeners. The following program as rendered: Piano solo, Miss Hayes; vocal solo, Miss O'Connor, entitled "Happy Days," she was encored and sang "Because I Love You Dear;" vocal solo, Miss Burkert, who was encored until she sang again; piano solo, Miss Bacon, banjo duet, Messrs York and Flynn; vocal solo, Prof. Taylor; vocal solo, Miss Kerr pantomimion, "Choosing a Wife." All the participants had to respond to hearty encores and it was a very enjoyable entertainment.

Capt. Manly leaves here for Jackson on Aug. 27, to take up his residence preparatory to entering on the duties of making Jackson county's abstract books but his family will remain here for the rest of the season and then join him. Whitmore Lake loses a genial companion, a thorough business man and a good citizen.

Three spectres that threaten baby's life. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry never fails to conquer them.

Silver Premiums. W. F. Lodholz, cor. Broadway and Canal, gives beautiful silverware premiums with \$5, \$15, \$25, \$50 and \$50 can trade.

CARS SMASHED INTO EACH OTHER

BILL JUDSON WAS A LIFE SAVER ON THE CAR.

ARCHIE WILKINSON AND EDWARD GROVES SWEEP UP THE PAVEMENT.

The people on Main st. on Saturday evening, were treated to the sensation of a railroad accident, in which no one was hurt, but much screaming was done and the front of two cars damaged. In the crowded condition of the streets with people and vehicles it seems a miracle that no one was run over as the heavy Detroit car came crashing down Main st.

When the 8:45 trolley car of the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor electric road from Detroit came up Packard st. and on to Main st., Motorman Updyke tried to reduce the speed of his car. To his astonishment the apparatus would not work and the car flew on with increasing speed. The air brake also would not work. In trying to stop the car Motorman Updyke received two shocks knocking him down. The conductor had the trolley off the wire but got on again. Opposite the post office the car ran into a city car coming up from the Michigan Central depot. The collision was accompanied with a loud noise and so much electric fire as to cause an alarm to be given and call out the fire department. The motor men of both cars jumped just before the cars met. The Detroit car being the heaviest it received the least damage. The front of the city car was a mass of splinters. It was forced around the curve to Ann st. where both cars stopped. The electrical apparatus, the lamp and heavy timbers of the Detroit car were smashed and bent, but not as bad as the city car.

The street from the post office to where the cars stopped was covered with splinters and glass.

There were no passengers in the city car. In the Detroit car were Oil Inspector Judson and his deputy Archie Wilkinson, of Chelsea and six women. The latter wanted to jump out as the car went tearing along at the rate of 30 miles an hour or more. Mr. Judson with great presence of mind held the door shut refusing to let them out and trying to pacify them. If they had jumped from the car it would have meant instant death or great bodily injury. When the jar of the collision came it was so easy, that no one was hurt.

With the clash of the collision, with the fire from the electric wires and the screaming of the people, the excitement on the street reached a high pitch. On Saturday evening the cause of the machinery of the Detroit car not working could not be ascertained. It was thought possible to have come from crossed wires.

Monday the car people state it was not moor man Updyke who ran the car Saturday evening, but no one about the Ann Arbor office seems to know the name of the motorman or conductor of the car. General Manager Merrill of the road said he had not yet been able to get enough facts to enable him to say who or what was to blame for the accident Saturday night. He had taken out car No. 21 on the track at Ypsilanti yesterday. It worked all right and everything was in place except one wire. He tried the brake of the car and that was also in good order. The accident so far seems to have been caused by some one losing his head. If the Westinghouse air brakes are no good, the sooner it is known the better, and better for the people who travel in the cars.

When the car came down Main st. Saturday night Archie Wilkinson jumped off and rolled along after it on the pavement, as did also Eugene Ed. Groves.

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Notice of Letting of Drain Contract.

Notice is Hereby Given, That I, Daniel W. Barry, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1899, at the lower end of Drain in the township of Bridgewater, in said County of Washtenaw at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as 'The Joslin Lake Drain,' located and established in the Township of Bridgewater, in said County of Washtenaw and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 13, T. 4, S. R. 4 E., in Bridgewater Drain No. 1, and thence running as follows:

Table with columns: Sec., Course, Distance, Grad. ft., Cut, Surface Width. It lists various sections and courses for a drain project.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioner of the said County of Washtenaw, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is Further Hereby Given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Joslin Lake Drain Special Assessment District," and the apportionments thereof will be awarded by me and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz: the east half of southwest quarter of Section 2. West half of southeast quarter Section 2. East half of southeast quarter Section 2. West half of southwest quarter Section 1. 12 acres in southwest corner east half of southwest quarter Section 1. 68 acres in east half of southwest quarter Section 1. West half of northeast quarter Section 11. 12 acres in southeast corner of northeast quarter Section 11. 100 acres south fr. southeast quarter Section 11. 30 acres in north end southeast quarter Section 11. North fr. west half of northwest quarter Section 12. Northeast quarter of northeast quarter Section 11. Northwest quarter of northeast quarter Section 12. Southwest quarter of northeast quarter Section 12. Southeast quarter of southwest quarter Section 12. 30 acres in east side southeast quarter Section 11. 60 acres west side east half of southwest quarter Section 12. East half of northwest quarter Section 13. Northeast of southeast quarter Section 13. Northwest quarter of southeast quarter Section 13. West half of northeast quarter Section 13. East half of northeast Sec. 13. 17 acres in east side northeast quarter of southwest quarter Sec. 12. Southwest quarter of southeast quarter Sec. 12. 10 acres in east side of southeast quarter of southwest quarter Section 11. 74 acres in east of southeast quarter Section 12. East half of southwest quarter Section 1, except 12 acres in northwest corner. Also the Township of Bridgewater at large.

Now, Therefore, all unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you Jacob Blum, Frank Reiddle, E. Fillenberger, J. Besuder, M. Klager, Rosina Haug, Geo. Boettner, Mrs. L. J. Esslinger, Christian Haas, Jacob Graff, Carl Miller, A. Miller, Albert Wolf, John Sautter, Jacob Raiser, Jacob Schellenberger; also the Supervisor and Highway Commissioner of the Township of Bridgewater, are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said hearing may be adjourned, I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Joslin Lake Drain," in the manner hereinbefore stated; and, also, that at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, the assessment for benefits and the lands comprised within the Joslin Lake drain special assessment districts will be subject to review.

And You and Each of You, owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such letting as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Mich., this 7th day of August, A. D. 1899 DANIEL W. BARRY, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Washtenaw.

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AT DEXTER.

Lightning Scared the Timid Ones There.

There was something of a storm at Dexter last night and the lightning was sharp and vivid. A large tree at the home of Alex. Dancer, which was recently sold to Patrick Kearney, of Westber, was struck. The storm was a severe one.

Death of William Grossman.

Michael Grossman received a telegram last evening stating that his brother, Wm. Grossman, of Saginaw, had died. Mr. Grossman, who was born in Ann Arbor, was 45 years of age and has been in Saginaw for the past 20 years, engaged in the drug business, having graduated from the U. of M. in '74. He leaves a wife and two daughters besides many friends to mourn his loss. Michael Grossman left for Saginaw this morning.

Half the ills that man is heir to come from indigestion. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens and tones the stomach; mias indigestion impossible.

It's Sometimes That Way.

She was surprised when she heard of the engagement, and she showed it. "Why, I was perfectly satisfied in my own mind that you liked John better than Harry," she said. "Well, to tell the truth, I did," replied the engaged girl. "But you say you are engaged to Harry." "Yes; that's true." "Well, I don't understand it at all." "Why, it's very simple. You see, Harry was the one who proposed."—Chicago Post.

An American Railroad in China.

Moneyed men from the United States have secured a franchise for building a railroad from Hong Kong to Han Kow, China, a distance of nearly 700 miles. While railroads are necessary to a nation's prosperity, health is still more necessary. A sick man can't make money if there are a thousand railroads. One of the reasons why America is so progressive is the fact that in every drug store is sold Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, that celebrated tonic for the weak, appetizer for the dyspeptic and sedative for the nervous. It is taken, with great success by thousands of men and women who run down, pale and weak. It increases the weight, and the gain is permanent and substantial.

Bees For Sale.

I have a fine lot of Italian swarms which I will sell very reasonable. I also have a lot of first-class empty double-walled hives, standard size brood frames and sections for sale. Call on or address Henry T. Schulz, 733 Spring st., Ann Arbor.

Estate of Catherine Kuebler.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 1st day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Catherine Kuebler, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Louise Winegar 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 herself as administrator with will annexed in said will named or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 28th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petition give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and of the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, 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.] P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

A DETENTION HOSPITAL

Dr. Herdman Very Strongly Urges It Upon.

THE INSANE MANAGERS

His Able Paper Written on the Lines Judge Newkirk Advocated.

Judge Newkirk's recent letter published in the Argus, advocating a county detention hospital for the insane while they are waiting for admission to an asylum in order to keep them from contact with criminals in the jail, has attracted much attention not only throughout Washtenaw but through the state as well. It appears that the same thing has occurred to others also, especially with reference to the points in Judge Newkirk's second letter which appeared in the Argus a few days ago. Dr. Herdman is in hearty accordance with what the judge has said as is shown by the following paper which was written last November.

Some suggestions respectfully submitted to the joint board of asylum managers regarding the establishment of a detention ward at the University hospital for cases of mental disorder, Nov. 15, '98.

Gentlemen:—The managers and superintendents of our state hospitals for insane and the members of the faculty of the department of medicine and surgery of the university are in charge of institutions established and sustained by the benevolent spirit of the citizens of the state.

We are all working, to the best of our ability, to discover the causation, prevention, cure and best management of cases of mental diseases.

We have at each of these institutions gathered special knowledge and are prepared to contribute something of value to this end.

We are all disposed to mutual helpfulness in the work and desire to enter into closer and more effective relations in prosecuting it.

We have now at the university very creditable arrangements for dealing with the post mortem facts bearing upon insanity, its causes and consequences, and to this we all freely contribute our knowledge and our aid.

* * Ought we not, in the interests of those we are attempting to help, to have at the same place an opportunity to unite our experience in dealing with the ante-mortem facts so that, before it is too late, we may give our patients the benefit of all that medical science and art has taught us?

This could be accomplished by establishing on the hospital grounds at the university a detention ward where a limited number of cases of mental diseases could be sent. Provision for not more than thirty (30) at one time would, I think, be ample.

To this detention ward might be sent, from any part of the state where the transfer was practicable, such cases as, one, in the judgment of the judge of probate are doubtful cases of insanity and yet which present such features as render detention in a suitable hospital for a brief period advisable as a precautionary measure; and, two, such other cases as seem to require the services or examination of trained and well recognized specialists in the treatment of disorders outside of the nervous system.

The detention ward should be an additional ward to the present University hospital, under its management and rules, but especially fitted up for the proper care of this class of cases; and the superintendents of the state hospitals for the insane should be members of the clinical staff.

In the ward should be provision for special nurses and attendants and accommodations for the pathologist of the state hospital for the insane and his laboratory.

Briefly stated, the advantages of the establishment of such a detention ward would be:

- 1. To the patient. (a). He would have the benefit, if thought necessary or advisable, of an examination by specialists in any branch of medicine or surgery, who are responsible to the state for the performance of these duties, and among these, the experienced superintendents of the various asylums. (b). He would have the benefit of this examination at that stage in his disorder when it would be most likely to prove helpful. (c). Every means of investigation as to the nature and cause of this disorder which is afforded by modern laboratory methods could be brought to bear upon his case. (d). It would tend to eradicate from the public mind the misconception as to mental disorders and impress the fact that diseases of the mind are to be put in the same category as diseases of the body, and thus relieve the patient of the opprobrium which is now attached to asylum confinement. In other words it would bring forcibly home to the public mind the fact that our asylums for the insane are hospitals and not prisons. 2. To the asylum. (a). As the primary object of such a ward is to assist in an accurate diagnosis of the case—it would in no respect prove other than helpful to the after treatment of the patient in the asylum to which he may be subsequently sent and thus enable the members of the asylum staff to do their work more effectively.

(b). The pathologist of the asylums would have an opportunity to investigate the abnormalities of the blood, secretions and excretions in their relation to the clinical symptoms. (c). The addition of several experienced alienists would greatly strengthen the hospital clinical staff and their consultations could not but be broadening and helpful to all.

3. To the medical student. (a). The advantages that would be given him for the study of diseases of the mind would excel those anywhere now furnished. (b). The student would see cases in their beginning stage and have the opportunity to see them examined and the cases discussed by the most experienced alienists. 4. To the science of psychiatry. It would be the means of focusing at a germinal point all knowledge and experience bearing upon this important subject and of spreading abroad the results of its fruits in the most effectual way.

Many other considerations, pro and con, will no doubt present themselves to your minds, but it has appeared to me that you have already taken an important step forward, both wise and opportune, in dealing with the vital interests with which you are charged and which you have so faithfully and effectually managed, and that what is now proposed is but a further advance along the natural line of progress.

Very truly, W. J. HERDMAN, Professor of diseases of the Mind and Nervous System.

WERE NO BEANS BUT BARNS BURNED KEARNEY CLAIMS THERE WERE 400 BU. IN THE BARN. INSURANCE COMPANY CLAIMS ONLY A FEW WERE THERE. In February or March last Thomas P. Kearney lost his barns by fire. He was insured in the Washtenaw Fire Insurance Co. Kearney claimed there were 400 bushels of beans in the barn which were burned. The insurance company refused to allow the claim, holding that there were no beans there, or if there were any, there were not 400 bushels, in fact but very few bushels. As the parties were unable to come to any settlement of the matter resort was had to arbitrators. Kearney selected Peter Cook, the insurance company selected Andrew Campbell and these two selected Wm. Appill for the third arbitrator. The issue will be heard at the court house Aug. 17. A. J. Sawyer represents Mr. Kearney and Lawrence & Butterfield and Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer the insurance company.

HAD NO WATER. It is Claimed Four Sheep Died in Pasture. The firm of Blum & Awrey have filed a lengthy declaration in the case of Joseph Gauss, of Bridgewater, vs. John Hensler, of Freedom, pending before Justice Fish, of Saline. The declaration alleges that Gauss gave Hensler 50 sheep to pasture at 75 cents a week. Hensler guaranteed that he would take the best of care of the sheep and give them tame pasture. Gauss claims that four days later he looked at the sheep and found them in the woods with no water. Four sheep were dead, and after driving the sheep home three more died. The sheep looked emaciated and thin. The bill of particulars charges \$20 for dead sheep and \$80 for depreciation in value of 40 sheep. A. F. & F. M. Freeman, of Manchester, are the defendant's attorneys. The date for trial is set for Aug. 17. It will probably be adjourned.

A SPECIAL ACT OF CONGRESS NECESSARY TO GIVE TITLE TO FOUR MILE LAKE. LAND HAD BEEN WITHDRAWN FROM MARKET BEFORE MARL WAS FOUND. It has been a number of years since any government land was taken up in Washtenaw county and now that Nathan Pierce is endeavoring to get title from Uncle Sam to the land in Lima on which Four Mile Lake is situated, he is finding that it is not the easy task he had in mind when he set out to get it. He first thought he could get it from the state but on application found that the state didn't own it. Getting on the right track, he made application at the United States land office in proper form and believed the title cinched. Now, however, he has been informed by the authorities that it will be necessary to have a special act of congress to enable him to get title and there is an opportunity for "Meinself and Heinrich" to make themselves useful. The ground on which this decision is based is that the land was once offered for sale and no purchasers appearing, it was withdrawn from the market. It was formerly considered valueless and title to it is now wanted as it is found to contain extensive marl deposits and plans have been made for the erection of extensive Portland cement works. This decision would also apply to the reputed unentered sections of government land at Whitmore Lake.

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PROF. CAMPBELL ON CEMENT

He Is Making Tests as to Proper Heat.

TO MAKE STRONG CEMENT

One of the Practical Benefits of Original Research Here.

Apropos of the article in yesterday's Argus relative to the efforts Nathan Pierce is making to secure a title to Four Mile Lake because of the extensive marl deposits therein and the possible erection of Portland Cement works, it may be interesting to know that Prof. Edward D. Campbell, professor of analytical chemistry in the university, is doing research work having a direct bearing upon the manufacture of Portland Cement.

Many times the public gets the notion that the research work done in our educational institutions has no value in the ordinary affairs of business life, but no greater mistake could be made. Hundreds of discoveries which represent years of the most ardent labor in the laboratories are utilized in guarding the health and promoting business enterprises of all kinds. Said Prof. Campbell today: "I prefer to do research work the results of which have a direct bearing upon industrial matter rather than that which is of interest chiefly to the scientist." The work which he is doing now may be grouped under two divisions: First, the influence of the temperature, at which cement is burned, on the properties of the cement. The higher the temperature at which it is burned the stronger the cement is, until a certain maximum is reached when the cement becomes over burned and is then of little or no value.

Second, the relation between the chemical composition of the raw materials and the temperature at which they should be burned to produce the strongest cement. That is, the professor proposes to determine just what quantities of marl and clay of known quality are to be mixed and burned at a given temperature to produce cement of a given strength. These points which he is investigating, it will be seen, have a direct bearing upon the manufacture and cost of Portland Cement. In fact the manufacture is a problem in applied chemistry. Prof. Campbell thinks it will take him a year and a half to satisfactorily complete his investigations but he expects ultimately to establish a formula embodying the before mentioned points. To aid him in his investigation, Fairbanks, Morse & Co., of Chicago, recently sent him as a present to be the property of the laboratory, an automatic Cement Tester worth \$100. It is a fine piece of apparatus and the professor is delighted with it and is very grateful to the before mentioned firm for thus remembering him.

Professor Campbell says there is a large amount of marl in Washtenaw but the clay here is probably not the kind for manufacturing cement.

THEY ROASTED MARSH MELLOWS

LAST EVENING AND ATE TO THEIR HEARTS CONTENT.

CHARLES A. PRAY DISCOVERS AN HONEST MAN IN ANN ARBOR.

Whitmore Lake, Aug. 12.—(Special to Daily Argus).—The young people of Whitmore Lake were invited last evening to a marsh-mellow roast and 26 of them repaired to the dock where the little steamer Petrel was ready to take the party across the lake to Stilsonburg, where they disembarked and climbed the hills and at the extreme summit about 600 feet above lake level they lighted a fire and roasted and ate marsh-mellow to their hearts content. At 12 o'clock midnight they embarked for the city. This was one of Miss Nellie Stevens' popular parties and was very enjoyable.

Wm. Gerstner, chief of Ann Arbor's police, and family, are occupying the Shady Nook cottage for a few weeks.

Mr. Frey says his brother at Emery has sold to Jacob Rauschenberger a Deering corn harvester. It is now set up and Mr. Rauschenberger has already secured all the work he can do this season. This machine cuts and binds the corn nearly the same as wheat is cut and bound.

Miss Pearl Moss, of Detroit, is visiting her uncle and family, Jacob Zeeb, of the firm of Zeeb & Frey, who has been busy for the past 10 days on his farm taking care of his crops and says wheat is almost a failure, but his oats, potatoes and corn crops are very good and he says farmers cannot complain of any crops this year excepting wheat.

The flag pole with large gilt ball on top was placed on the cupulo of Geo. W. McCormick's new residence yesterday and the star spangled banner unfolded to the breeze. This is a fine residence of which Pray Bros., builders, are justly proud. MOSS.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, Dec. 1, 1898. RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts, \$487,953.26; Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, 659,911.59; United States and Mich. State Bonds, 24,700.00; Overdrafts, 3,490.98; Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, 14,964.16; Furniture and fixtures, 7,417.32; Other Real Estate, 45,751.43; CASH, 151,679.32. LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00; Surplus fund, 150,000.00; Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, 14,964.16; Dividends unpaid, 388.00. DEPOSITS. Commercial deposits, subject to check, 199,562.21; Savings Deposits, 838,610.79; Savings Certificates of Deposits, 101,204.29; Due to Banks and Bankers, 22,655.91. STATE OF MICHIGAN, 1898. County of Washtenaw, I, ss. 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 6th day of December, 1898. 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. Transacts a general banking business; buys and sells exchanges on New York, Detroit and Chicago; sells drafts on all the principal cities of Europe. This bank, already having a large business, invites merchants and others to open accounts with them with the assurance of the most liberal dealing consistent with safe banking. In the Savings Department interest at the rate of three per cent. is paid semi-annually, on the first days of January and July, on all sums that were deposited three months previous to those days, thus affording the people of this city and county a perfectly safe depository for their funds, together with a return in interest for the same. Money to loan on approved securities. DIRECTORS.—Christian Mack, Daniel Hiscock, Willard B. Smith, W. D. Harriman, William Deubel, David Rinsey, L. Gruner. OFFICERS.—Christian Mack, President; W. D. Harriman, Vice-President; Chas. E. Hiscock, Cashier; M. J. Fritz, Ass't-Cashier.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PROF. HENCH DIES IN BOSTON

He Was Professor of the Germanic Languages.

A COASTING ACCIDENT

In New Hampshire Terminate a Useful Life in Prime of Life.

A dispatch received this afternoon brings the sad intelligence of the death of Prof. George A. Hench, Ph. D., in Boston, the result of an accident while coasting down a hill in New Hampshire, as told in last evening's Argus. Dr. Hench was professor of Germanic Languages and Literature in the university. He was a scholar and was universally esteemed by his students and had the affection of the faculty of which he was a valuable member. The language department has sustained two severe losses now in the accidental deaths of Profs. Walter and Hench. Prof. Hench was unmarried. Most of his associates are out of the city and a biographical sketch must be postponed until a future issue.

DEATH OF FREEMAN GALPIN

THE WELL KNOWN EX-SUPERVISOR OF SUPERIOR.

HE DIED FROM THE EFFECTS OF AN ACCIDENT TWO WEEKS AGO.

The friends of Freeman P. Galpin, of Superior, were greatly shocked to learn that he died yesterday afternoon from the effects of an accident that he had in his barn two weeks ago. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon.

The deceased was the son of Philo and Jane (Townsend) Galpin and was born July 18, 1825, at Rush, Monroe county, N. Y. He with his parents immigrated to this county in 1832 and purchased the farm on which Mr. Galpin died. In 1845 he married Almira Pray, their union being blessed with three children, Philo, Norris and Frank. Mrs. Galpin died in 1853 and a year later Mr. Galpin married Mary Ruthroff, of Ann Arbor. Three children of this marriage, William, Elias and Minnie survive. He was very much respected by every one who knew him. He served as town clerk from 1845 to 1848 and later was elected supervisor.

WHAT HAPPENS AT CHERRYHILL

Little Ray Huston is under the doctors care.

A. G. Huston has been quite sick but is out again.

About 12 bushels of wheat per acre is the average hereabouts.

Corn and late potatoes need rain.

Mrs. Rueben Huston is confined to her daughter's house with a sprained ankle.

Some miscreant under a non-deplume is keeping the school meeting trouble stirred up by articles in the Detroit Courier.

A well attended meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Geo. Conner last Friday. The ladies spent the time in quilting. A fine repast was served and a pleasant afternoon was passed. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. L. Jones, Friday, Sept. 1.

Subscriptions are being secured to place a furnace under the church. The undertaking will not be easily accomplished.

Charles Barlow is doing some fine work on the inside of the school house in the way of kalsomining, graining, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Stillyman Cobb have both been indisposed, but are able to ride out again.

As an evidence of the scarcity of fruit this season, Geo. Comer received an offer by telephone from a party in Ann Arbor of \$1.50 a bushel for his crop of pears.

The Cherryhill baseball club lost a game at Clinton with the Lake Ridge club last Saturday by a score of 5 to 2. This week Saturday they play the Clinton club at Ypsilanti.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a Godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester, druggists.

DEATH OF REV. S. D. BREED

Rev. Samuel D. Breed, after an illness of about four months, died at his home, No. 317 E. Ann st., this morning at 10:30 o'clock. He had been long identified with Michigan and the Congregational churches of the state. He was born in 1820 at Volney, New York. In 1838, when but 18 years of age, he came to Michigan alone. For three years he worked as a farm hand summers and attended Leoni and Grass Lake academies in the winter. Before he was of age he took up land in Ingham county which he cleared and brought under cultivation. After 10 years there he moved to the present site of the village of Chelsea and built the third dwelling house there. Here he opened the first shoe shop and for several years conducted a large business successfully. During the years of his residence in Chelsea he was identified with the whole life of the place, religious, civic and business.

He was an ardent abolitionist and his home was a station on the famous underground railway from slavery to freedom. He was present at the birth of the republican party under the "oaks at Jackson."

Having acquired some property, he determined to gratify his life long ambition to preach the gospel and in 1859 he became a member of the first class in the newly established theological seminary at Chicago. He was ordained in 1861 and his first pastorate was over the Congregational church in the Child's neighborhood, Augusta, this county. He remained in this field for five years. Later he held pastorates at Grand Blanc, New Haven, Napoleon and Rochester. Desiring to give his children educational advantages he moved to Ypsilanti in 1875 and in 1885 to Ann Arbor where he has since resided.

He was married in 1841 to Miss Orpha Fenn, of Sylvan, who died in 1843. She left one child Reuben O. Breed, who while a student in the university in 1862 enlisted in the army and soon died. In 1848 he was married to Amelia E. Bosworth, of Smithville, New York, with whom he lived until her death in Ann Arbor in 1873. She was the mother of four children who now mourn the loss of a faithful and loving father. The children are Rev. Dwight P. Breed, Ph. D., for 20 years a Congregational minister in this state, but now of Creston, Iowa; Miss Amelia M. Breed, who has been her father's home maker; Rev. Merle A. Breed, pastor of the First Congregational church in Westboro, Mass.; and Miss Gertrude T. Breed a teacher in the Ann Arbor high school.

The funeral will be held from the house on Friday at 1 o'clock and the interment will be in the Vermont Settlement cemetery, four miles north of Chelsea, among the friends of his early manhood, the pioneers of the county.

WILL MEET OPPOSITION

Editor Argus:—In last week's Argus-Democrat we read a proposed electric line from Ann Arbor to Jackson, Manchester, Saline, Ridgeway, Britton, Tecumseh, Adrian, etc. It seems, indeed, that the farmers are to be highly blessed or badly cursed, just as he feels about it. Some people think the cars a great convenience. Others think them a great curse. There are advantages and disadvantages in having an electric railroad passing one's house. When it is hot weather or bad roads a farmer can go to town on the cars much cheaper than he can go with a team and wagon thus saving time and the wear and tare of team and wagon, besides the freight car can take his produce to the larger cities often securing better prices than at the home market. Some horses may take fright, but no more so, we think, than at steam threshers, which are so common at this season of the year. Horses soon become accustomed to these things. In last week's Free Press we read of a proposed line from Ann Arbor out State st. to the Ypsilanti and Saline track thence to Adrian through Clinton and Tecumseh. We thought this a favorable route, thus following the present line out of Detroit over the old "Detroit and Chicago Pike," which is wider than most highways, with an easy grade which was sought out by the state officials in its construction. This route passes through the townships of Saline and Bridge-water which have Ann Arbor as the county seat and many people would find it more convenient to go to court or conventions by rail than with teams. Clinton is just over the line in Lenawee county, has a population of 1,000 or 1,500, and their court and conventions meet at Adrian. It passes through Tecumseh. It secures good accommodations for travel to both county seats, passing through an excellent farming country, this route is only one and a half or two miles farther to Tecumseh or Adrian from Saline than by Macon, but we think Clinton with its 1,000 inhabitants will more than make up the difference of Macon with 150 or 200 people, besides Manchester is only seven miles from Clinton and is easy of access and will furnish many passengers. Mr. Rockwell's idea of keeping out of the highway and going through the farmers' fields or yards will meet with much opposition and would lead to more litigation than is met with along the highway.

SALINE FARMER.

C. F. Staebler, township clerk of Ann Arbor town, will be at the county treasurers office Saturday, Aug. 26, to receive woodchuck scalps and sparrow heads. 35-36

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

Chelsea Owns Her Water-works and Electric Lights.

MAKES THEM BOTH PAY

Getting Her Street Lighting Free—Rates Charged Private Citizens.

The question of municipal ownership of water works, which when raised in Ann Arbor the other day seemed to meet the approval of public sentiment, is having a practical illustration in Chelsea. Chelsea owns her water works and her electric lights and President Staffan and Secretary McEwen when seen by an Argus staff correspondent stated that the revenue from private consumers of water and electricity paid for all running expenses, interest on the investment and furnished the village with its street lights free.

The village bought its plant of F. P. Glazier, who had established as a private corporation a water company and electric lighting plant. They paid \$43,000 for the plants and it is said by some that they paid more than the physical value of the plant, part of the purchase price being for the franchise. Be this as it may, they at once had to buy a new boiler at an expense of \$2,000 and also a new dynamo and make many extensions. The extensions and new machinery cost \$10,000. Last year \$1,500 was borrowed for extensions.

The labor employed consists of an electrician at \$60 a month, an engineer and a fireman at \$40 each. The electrician is also an engineer. About 50,000 gallons of water are pumped daily. Users of water are allowed to sprinkle their lawns from 5 a. m. to 9 a. m., and from 5 p. m. to 9 p. m. A street wash costs \$4.80 a year. This sprinkles a lawn and the streets. A hydrant costs \$1.20 a year. This sprinkles the lawn and permits water to be used for domestic purposes. Water inside and outside a house is furnished for \$9 a year. The question of water for bath rooms has not yet been raised.

The prices for electric lights are \$5 a month for one arc light or \$9 for two. Sixteen candle power incandescent lights are furnished stores at 50 cents a 16 candle power light a month. Lights in dwelling houses differ according to number and location. On the first floor the cost per month is 50 cents for one light, \$1.45 for three, \$1.65 for four, \$1.85 for five, \$2.54 for 10 and 10 cents for each additional light. On the second floor 25 cents for one light, 40 cents for two and 70 cents for five. A light in a cellar or barn costs 10 cents a month.

Wells are the source of the village water supply and the two plants are run together thus greatly economizing power. Yet the main expense is the fuel used, that greatly exceeding the labor in cost. While protesting that they paid a big price, village officials express their belief that village ownership of water works and electric lights is a success.

JAKE BROWN APPOINTED

"Wait till we hear from Freedom," was the time-honored democratic election cry. We have heard from Freedom and Jackie Braun will begin tomorrow morning as a clerk in the tax commissioner's office at Lansing. The salary attached to the office is \$1,000 per annum.

Said "Mysterious" Bill Judson: "Well, Jackie is a nice fellow and a good clerk, am't he?" (approval from the audience). Well I always pick out good men and see that the people's business is well taken care of."

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PICK POCKETS AT SALINE

Saline, Aug. 17.—(Special to Daily Argus).—A number of ladies claim to have had their pockets picked. Vigilant Sheriff John Gillen is on the ground and has spotted the gang. There may be arrests.

G. A. R. National Encampment.

Low rate tickets to Philadelphia for G. A. R. National Encampment will be sold Sept. 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th, via Pennsylvania Short Lines, the short route from Michigan. Ask F. M. BUSHONG, T. P. Agent, 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich., about fares and fast through trains.

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SALEM SOLDIERS REUNION

THE VETERANS ENJOYED A FINE TIME.

AND LISTENED TO MANY GOOD SPEECHES FROM VETERAN MEMBERS.

Last Saturday at the home of Comrade Butler on the base line in Salem occurred the annual reunion of the Salem Soldiers' Association. There were 31 old soldiers present with their wives and children, also many friends. There were at least 250 people in attendance.

The veterans began to arrive about 9 o'clock and from that time until noon the old boys told reminiscences of the comradeship, 35 to 38 years ago. The other people present were interested listeners to the tales of civil war experiences related by the old soldiers. Many of their stories would make interesting reading. The Salem brass band discoursed patriotic music throughout the entire morning social session.

Promptly a 12 o'clock the ladies announced dinner was ready, and such a dinner as they put up! Well, it simply left nothing else in the food line to be desired. Full justice was done by each and every one present. After dinner a program of music and literary entertainment was had. The afternoon exercises opened with music followed by prayer by the Rev. Coffin. President Geo. S. Wheeler presided and called on J. Q. A. Sessions, of Ann Arbor, for a speech. Comrade Sessions spoke of the mission of the United States and made the modest claim that it was destined eventually to include the whole earth, including the Philippines. The Salem choir sang a patriotic piece of music in a very pleasing manner after which Judge Newkirk was introduced. He spoke of his memories as a child, of war events, and the duty of every American to appreciate his government and the sacrifices that have been made for its maintenance. Although the civil war is now in the distant past it should not be forgotten. As Bunker Hill monument commemorated an important event in our history so the great principles of the civil conflict should be remembered, so that knowing what our liberties and institutions have cost their value may be the better appreciated.

The choir here sang again and then Rev. C. T. Allen was introduced. A large number of his company were residents of the vicinity. He was well received and his words greatly pleased his old comrades. The band then played "The Star Spangled Banner," after which W. K. Childs, of Ann Arbor was called for. He addressed his remarks to the ladies and pleased them as he always does. He rejoiced them on their good cooking, their good looks and assured them that none understood better than themselves how to entertain such a gathering.

An invitation was read from H. J. Pinckney, of Superior, for the association to meet at his home next August, 1900. It was accepted with alacrity. Then all joined in singing "America," with a will, after which social intercourse was renewed until the time arrived for saying adieu. All voted the meeting one of the most successful the association has had.

THE ORIGIN OF GERMAN DAY

Celebrated First German Settlers in Washtenaw.

WHO THE MEN WERE

And Why So Many Wuertembergers Settled in Washtenaw

Many unacquainted with the origin of the German American Day may not understand its object. Ten years ago the annual celebration was organized in Ann Arbor. It was meant to celebrate the first settlement of the Germans in Washtenaw county. It was to be a reunion of the descendants. In this connection it will be of interest to know that the first German family that settled in Ann Arbor was the late Henry Mann and wife, and their son Hon. Emanuel Mann and daughters and daughters Mrs. Frederick Schmid and Mrs. August Hutzler, the latter being the only surviving member of the family. This was in May 1830. The special cause of the large immigration of Wuertembergers to the county, was a letter that Heury Mann wrote to his uncle in Stuttgart, describing the country. This was published in that county's household paper called the Schwaebischen Mercur. From that time thousands of good sturdy, honest people left their homes for "Ann Arbor" the new El Dorado. That they made no mistake is best evidenced by their prosperous descendants. They settled not only in Washtenaw county but spread over the state. Two years before Mr. Mann came to Ann Arbor a young German by the name of Schilling settled in Scio. He is still living at Sebawaing, in Huron county. He came from Weinsberg, from which the name of the present post office is taken. Ann Arbor can well be called "Schwaebische Stadt" on account of the numerous descendants of the Schwaebians who are settled there.



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