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From the Boston Courier.

THE GROWL OF A PESSIMIST.

The world is growing better every day
This fact is plain, so hopeful people say.

It may be, but the keen observer sees
That peper still is largely made of peas.

The pump still aids to swell the milk supply
And "prime old port" we get from logwood dye.

The bottom of the strawberry box draws near,
And nearer to the top each passing year.

The finest apples, cherry-cheek and round
Still at the top of apple bar'l's are found.

(Ah, who would dream beholding such a show,
So many rotten ones were hid below!)

"Pure dairy butter;" much of this, I ween,
Is still composed of oleomargarine.

The world is growing better people say—
New rogueries are developed every day.

The world is as 't has been since it began:
Man studies to cheat his fellow man.

COUNTY ITEMS.

A new coat of paint is to improve the St. James church edifice at Dexter.

John J Schaufele and Miss Eliza Vogt, both of Lima, were married on the 7th.

The next meeting of the county pioneer society is to be held Wednesday, June 10th, at Saline.

The Manchester creamery has had to put in steam power because of increase of business.

At Wampler's Lake, the summer resort near Manchester, a large hotel and skating rink is being built.

And now the botany classes in our schools meander in the woodlands after flowers for dissection.

There is to be a grand May festival at the M. E. Church, Ypsilanti, May 27, under direction of Mr. Walter Hewitt.

The Washtenaw flouring mills, of Manchester, changed hands last week, and machinery for roller process, will now be put in.

H.W. Holcomb, who bought out W. H. Davenport & Son, at Saline, some time since, proposes to move his stock of goods to Northville to close them out.

We are informed that the Post of the G. A. R. at Chelsea will decorate the soldiers' graves in our cemeteries, on the 30th, Decoration Day.—Dexter Leader.

The prospect for even a fair crop of oats in the county is said to be very poor. The cold, backward spring has prevented the sowing and starting of the crop. But the wheat prospects are fine.

Jerome J. Wood, of Hudson, Mich., and Miss M. Fanchett Yost, daughter of Mr and Mrs Lee Yost, of Ypsilanti, were married on the evening of May 12th, at the residence of the bride's parents.

Mr Overacker, of the Saline Observer, gives an account of his connection with that paper, in the purchasing of which he claims to have been mercilessly swindled by Orin Stair, its former owner.

The history of the Washtenaw Baptist association, by Ebenezer Smith, is to be published with the minutes of the anniversary of that body, May 6-7, in pamphlet and book form.—Dexter Leader.

Capt. E P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, is to deliver the address on Memorial Day at Adrian, and on the following day he will deliver an address at the State prison, at Jackson, by invitation of the warden.

It is with sincere regret we record the death of Prof. J. C. Magill, for years a successful superintendent of our city schools immediately preceding Prof. Putnam. He was residing at Clay Village, Ky., and died April 15th.—Ypsilanti Commercial.

Another old centennarian is gone—Henry Green of our village and a Mexican war pensioner, died Monday morning last, in the 92d year of his age. The old soldier was laid to rest in the village cemetery, on Tuesday, afternoon.—Saline Observer.

John Tate sheared on the 28th of April, sixteen grade rams, the fleeces averaged 20¼ pounds One of these rams sheared 25¾ pounds, On the the 3d of May Mr. Tate sheared seven two year old grade ewes, averaging 17 pounds and 2 ounces.—Saline Observer.

A Washington dispatch announces an expected visit of "seventeen year locusts," this year, and says, the injury they will inflict will probably be confined to fruit trees. In a visit of these creatures in some of the western states several years ago, their injury was chiefly to oak trees; and that consisted merely in the killing by their stings the small twigs at the ends of the branches—if we except the damage to human nerves caused by the stridulous vibrations of their strange vocal organ. The beast is not a locust at all.—Ypsilantian.

It seems probable that at no distant day, the shores of the Dead Sea will become the site of various important industries. The waters of the sea abound in chemical salt of great variety—they are seven or eight times more salt than those of the ocean. These salts are chlorides of sodium, magnesium, calcium and potassium All of them much used in the arts and some of them having special value. With the prospective opening up of the East, consequent upon the Berlin treaty, we may rationally expect a multiplication of facilities for travel and transportation. With these facilities established, that wonderful region of which the Dead Sea is the centre, offers opportunities for profitable investment of capital that are already attracting notice.

Playing Euchre with a Woman.

"Whose play is it?"
"Who took that trick?"
"What's trumps?"
"What was the lead?"
"Whose ace is that?"
"Did I take that?"
"What's trumps?"
"Is it my play?"
"That's the left bower, ain't it?"
"Is that mine?"
"Ain't you got a club?"
"What's trumps?"
"Did they euchre us?"
"How many did we make?"
"Whose deal is it?"

—Chicago Leader.

In the year 2400, Joseph Cook says, the population of this country will be 3,200,000,000. Those who contemplate going to the circus that year will do well to purchase their tickets at the downtown office and avoid the rush at the wagon.

H. B. Cochran, druggist, Lancaster, Pa. has guaranteed over 300 bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for dyspepsia, bilious attacks, liver and kidneys.

Liquor and Cholera.

In view of the dreaded approach of the cholera scourge to our shores perhaps the following evidence on the manner in which the use of spirits predisposes the person using them to the attacks of the dread disease may prove a warning to even the so-called moderate drinkers.

The Messenger des Chambres gives the following extract from a letter of a Warsaw physician: "It is a positive fact that the cholera does not seize on its victims at hazard, as many say. This contagion up to the present period has respected all persons who lead a regular life and live in healthy places, and has struck without pity every man worn out by excess and dissipation. It has been ascertained that out of every hundred individuals who die of this disease ninety are in the habit of drinking ardent spirits to excess. Women rarely addict themselves to strong liquors, and, accordingly, few of them are attacked by the cholera"

Prof. Mackintosh, of Edinburg, who ranks high in the medical profession, and who was physician to an extensive cholera hospital, states that drunkards were the persons generally attacked. In contrasting the causes predisposing to cholera he also remarks: "And above all, the dissipated, particularly those addicted to the habitual use of ardent spirits. It has been computed that five-sixths of all who have fallen by this disease in England were taken from the ranks of the intemperate and dissolute."

Dr. Bronson, of Montreal, says: "The habitual use of ardent spirits, in the smallest quantity, seldom fails to invite the cholera, and to render it incurable when it takes place.

Dr. Rhinelander, who visited Montreal during the prevalence of the cholera there, in the summer of 1832, says that the victims of the disease are intemperate. In that city, after there had been 1,200 cases of the malady, a Montreal journal states that "not a drunkard who had been attacked has recovered, and almost all the victims have at least been moderate drinkers."

Dr. Sewell, who visited the cholera hospitals of New York, states that of 204 cases in the Park Hospital there were only six temperate persons, and that these had recovered; while 122 of the others had died when he wrote, and that the facts were similar in all the other hospitals.

Mr. Huber, who saw 2,160 perish in in one town of Russia, says: "It is a most remarkable circumstance that persons given to drink have been swept away like flies. In Tiflis, containing 20,000 inhabitants, every drunkard has fallen; all are dead, not one remaining."

Dr. Adams, of Dublin, affirms: "Our foreign reports testify that drunkards are carried off at once by this dire disease; but those who, by daily use, debilitate the tone of their stomachs and biliary organs, become easy victims to the cholera."

G. Hamilton Bell. F. R. C. S. E., in his publication on cholera, says: "Above all, intoxication and dissipated habits have been found, whenever the disease prevailed, powerfully to predispose to cholera."

George K Paterson, surgeon, Dundee, says: "There cannot be a doubt held for a moment on the subject, that low and intemperate habits are strong inducements in favor of the disease at any time, but far more to an epidemic that is prevalent. For example: in Dundee, more individuals, on an average, have been attacked in the beginning of the week, and this has been ascribed, with much apparent truth, to the drinking habits and irregular modes of living of such on the previous Saturday night.

Dr. Mussey, U. S., says: "Upon boats on the river the increase of brandy drinking, consequent upon the approach of cholera, has been frightful, and the mortality and on board of those vessels has been terrible and unprecedented. One boat lost 43, another 47, and a third 59 of its passengers and crew. Brandy is not a prophylactic in any case. To the temperate it is an active-exciting cause. To the drinker it is not advisable to drop off the use suddenly; but the quantity should be diminished rather than increased. In 1832, in Albany, where 336 cases of cholera occurred in a community of 26,000 inhabitants, one-third of whom were members of temperance societies, only two of the members died. Last winter this dreadful scourge was raging in New Orleans, and the papers of that place disclose the same fact. Among the hundreds that were swept off by the disease only two were Sons of Temperance, and among the 1,200 in the city, only three were attacked.—Irish World.

A Bad Spell in Maine.

"Horatius," said the schoolmaster to a nine-year-old boy with two imposing freckles on his nose and two equally imposing freckles on the knees of his pants. "Horatius, please form a sentence with the word toward in it, and write the sentence on the board"

Horatius went to the blackboard and after much scratching of head and friction of brain printed with the crayon in letters that looked like a lot of half-feathered Shanghai chickens running after a piece of dough, the following sentence:

"I toward my trousers."—Lewiston Journal.

Nothing makes a man so in love with purity as purity. Many a man has been lifted out of debasing sins against which he has vainly struggled, by coming to know and love a pure, sweet woman. It is the sight of embodied goodness that makes us want to be good. Many a mother by the quiet usefulness of her life, fills her children with a desire to be like her that makes them in their turn unselfish. There are obscure men and women who hardly in their lives utter a word of conscious teaching, who, by their example do more to make people around them gentle and truthful and Christianlike, than any preacher can do. It is not those who talk about goodness, but those who are good that are the light of the world.

It is impossible not to be struck by the originality and cleverness of the Spanish gipsies, even in their vices. A gipsey man was recently at a confession one day, and, whilst he was confessing, he spied in the pocket of the monk's habit a silver snuff-box, and stole it. "Father," he said immediately, "I accuse myself of having stolen a silver snuff box" "Then, my son you must certainly restore it." "Will you have it yourself, my father?" "I? Certainly not, my son!" "The fact is" proceeded the gipsey, "that I have offered it to its owner, and he has refused it." "Then you can keep it with a good conscience," answered the father.

Man perspires, aspires, conspires and expires.

From the Detroit Evening News.

Modern Ways in Japan.

Rev. C. E. Eby, a missionary to Japan of wide experience and observation, arrived in Detroit recently as is the guest of his brother, John F Eby. He is about 40 years of age, tall and erect, with dark complexion, bronzed by exposure to Oriental suns, a full beard, slightly mixed with gray, and the general appearance of a genial and intellectual man.

"About nine years ago," says Mr. Eby, "I returned from the German universities to Hamilton, Ont., and engaged in missionary work among the Germans throughout Canada. Being very successful, I was selected by the Methodist churches of Canada to undertake mission ary work in Japan. My headquarters were at Tokio, the capital, where the first year was spent in learning the language and customs of the people. From there trips were made throughout the country, giving popular lectures to the natives and doing general missionary work. During my nine years in the country, the advance of civilization, which commenced 25 years ago, has been remarkable. The army is now as thoroughly equipped and as effective as any in Europe. Young men must serve a certain time, similar to the conscription plan in Germany. Arms and ammunition are of the most approved pattern. The uniforms are similar to those of the French, and the evolutions as systematic as those of any civilized nation. The navy, too, is equally well-equipped with the most modern gun-boats, manned by skillful sailors, and supplied with the best Krupp and Armstrong guns. The postoffice system extends to all parts of the country, and is as efficiently conducted as that of any western country. Even those most cherished relics of barbarism, the gown and peculiar head-dress, are giving way to western ways. In Tokio there are numerous ready-made clothing stores, selling garments made in this country. Most of the business men wear our suits until in their houses, when the loose robe is again put on. The old form of wearing the hair was to wind it in a roll on top of the shaved head. Gradually the natives have begun to cut the hair like Europeans, until now most of the old "pig-tails" are gone, and in some provinces they are even prohibited by law.

"The condition of women was for a long time very low. The prevailing custom among fathers and husbands was to sell daughters and wives to a life of shame. A favorite way of liquidating a debt was by giving a daughter in payment. By recent laws, however, women may refuse the compact. It has had the effect of breaking up the depraved custom to a great extent. The women, also, are less secluded than formerly. They make calls with their husbands, are in the streets unveiled, and enjoy most of the liberties of civilized wives.

"Christianity, also, is making rapid progress. It is so identified with civilization that it is being accepted as one of the latter's progressive steps. Missionaries are no longer alone in building churches, but many of the young men of the best families are in the ministry and conducting energetic parishes.

"The country, of course, has many disadvantages. For instance, the sewers in Tokio are on the surface of the ground, emitting the foulest odors and breeding contagion. The young men, too, are very immoral. Houses of sin exist in great numbers. Taken as a whole, however, the country is making marvelous progress, and will soon be thoroughly Anglicized in custom, language and religion."

Mr. Eby is accompanied by a young Japanese, the son of a merchant of Tokio, who will enter one of the Canadian colleges.

The Young Husband's Problem.

"One thing I can't understand," said a young husband to-day, "is how quick a woman forgets some things. A year ago, when I was courting my wife, I had only to say music and she was ready to knock a spavined old piano her father owned clear off its legs; but now that she has a $600 article I bought her with a contribution taken up among the Cleveland boys, last fall, I can't get her to play even the simplest tune. She's 'so out of practice and can't remember a note.' She remembers all the fool things I used to say to her, and throws them at me pat enough when I don't happen to agree with her views of life, but when it comes to remembering the accomplishments which brought out the compliments, she can't be depended on. What a pity it is that young people can't go on courting always, resting satisfied with the assurance that their respective parents were married!"—Milwaukee Journal.

A Young Lawyer.

Bobby begged his mamma to buy him a drum.

"I am afraid, Bobby," she replied, "that if I were to buy a drum grandpa might not like it very well."

"That wouldn't make any difference, mamma," Bobby argued, "cos, you see, the drum ain't for grandpa; it's for me."

This conversation occurred a good many years ago, and Bobby, who is now a man, is practicing law successfully in Philadelphia.—Ex.

Real Estate Transfers.

M. J. Lehman to Mary Broderick, Chelsea	$ 350
Augustus Boos to Lucy Boos, Sylvan	300
Wm. A. Tisch to John B. Lee, Lyndon,	4,500
Mary E. Foster to George J. Schniearle, Pittsfield	350
M. A. Ballard to C. F. Reinhart, Ypsilanti	1,000
Joh A Walting to Austin George, Ypsilanti	700
Wm. Malenkamp to Wm. Beaverle, Freedom	5,500
Roana Adams to German Evangelical Church, Dexter	200
Alice Cooper to John Conaty, Chelsea,	100
A. A. McCollum to Monirula McCollum, Manchester	400
John Mann to Amos Wilbur, Superior,	2,400
William Bacon to G. Helleman, Chelsea	1,000
Thomas Wilkinson to William Bacon, Chelsea	410
William Judson to Wm. Bacon, Chelsea	125
Wm. Bacon to Kempf & Bacon, Chelsea	175
Margaret A. Durand to Wm. Bacon, Chelsea	100
Timothy McKone to William Judson, Chelsea	100
Artemus Glover to R. Glover, Saline	6,400
Helen M. Whedon to Laurena Curtis, Ann Arbor	550
John Schafer to Henry A. Martin, Saline	400
Josephine M. Cutcheon to Jas. H. Wilson, Ypsilanti	10

A good cook never loses sight of the fact that DeLand's Saleratus and Soda are the best.

Good Rules to Observe.

Keep all promises.
Scolding is ill bred.
Never point at another.
Be punctual in all engagements.
Mind chiefly your own business.
Do not wantonly frighten others.
Never read other people's letters.
Never laugh at others' misfortunes.
Do not neglect calling upon friends.
Never leave home with unkind words.
Avoid excitement and anger upon accidents.
Never write your own remarks in a borrowed book.
When you borrow by measure, return with interest.
In granting a favor, insist that it is a pleasure to you.
The man who will insult his inferiors is a boor at heart.
Always endeavor to return all favors and hospitalities
It is unlady like to stand with arms akimbo or folded.
Gentlemen should never allude to conquests over the other sex.
It is impolite to assume a lazy, lounging attitude in company.
Never examine the cards in the card receiver where you are calling.
Loud laughing, and talking by ladies, is at all times out of place.
Keep your own performance or achievements in the background.
Never speak disrespectfully of another gentleman in the presence of a lady.
Never pass in front of another person, or between two people, without an apology.
It is a breach of etiquette to intrude upon a business man during business hours.
To answer a civil question rudely, or even impatiently, is a gross breach of etiquette.
The lady should always enter the carriage first, when taking a ride with a gentleman.
Avoid entering a room noisily, slamming the door, or stamping heavily upon the floor.
Never lend a borrowed book, unless you have the special permission of the owner to do so.
It is better to live alone than in low company. If you cannot keep good company, keep alone.

She Sat Down on the Dudine.

There is a class of those female dudes in Washington who esteem it the proper performance to chatter in bad French at all times and upon all occasions. A bevy of these young women approached Mme. de Struve at a reception in the White House and began chattering in more or less broken French, and she replied, in her rather lame English.

"Why," said one of the party, "do you not speak French, madame? I am sure you must be able to speak it."

The baroness gave them a keen glance and replied: "Yes, I speak French, but not in the house of the American President. Though I speak English poorly, I speak it here of course as well as I can."

The party were not dull enough to miss the rebuke in the calm and ladylike remark, and the baroness continued: "I do not like to speak French anywhere. It is a foolish and frivolous language and I dislike it. Why should one use it when one can express herself in English, which is the noblest and best language in the world, as America is the greatest and grandest nation in the world. I am proud to speak the language of the Americans"

The giddy young misses began to converse in English, at least while in Mme. de Struve's presence. Some of them told the story, and its circulation caused the young lady who wondered that the baroness did not speak French some mortification.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Literary Notes.

The "Bad Boy," of whom we have all heard and some of us know, has at last arrived "at home;" and a record of his humorous experiences is found in a new book just issued, entitled "The Bad Boy at Home," and it contains much fun between two covers. It is handsomely illustrated, and his experiences in trying to become an editor are particularly funny. Bound in paper covers. Price 25 cents, and it is sold by all dealers, or it will be mailed on receipt of that amount by J. S. Ogilvie & Co, the publishers, 31 Rose st., New York.

Electricity is the most interesting and instructive study do-day. Its field is continually widening. Its subtle, mysterious power is made use of in channels that ten years ago had never been dreamed or by the most fertile imagination. No one can be found rash enough to predict what electricity will be doing for us ten years hence. The telegraph, the telephone, the electric light came in rapid succession, each attaining a success unrivalled in the history of inventions. The Electrical Review, an illustrated weekly journal, published at 23 Park Row, New York city, is the acknowledged leader in the world of electrical science. It embraces all that is of value and of interest to the worker and and the student in this field, and is the medium through which is obtained the most comprehensive and latest information concerning all electrical matters. Edited with care, its editorial opinion is reliable and its news columns bright and instructive. In typographical beauty the paper is second to none. The subscription price is $3 per year; single copy 10 cents.

The North American Review concludes its seventieth year with its June number. It never had so large a circulation, nor greater influence, nor a more brilliant staff of contributors. This number discusses seven topics of vital public interest by no less than fourteen eminent writers, not including the short contributions in "Comments." "Shall Silver be Demonetized?" is answered, pro and con, by three distinguished economists, Sumner, Laughlin and Walker, representing Yale and Harvard Colleges, and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. "The Tardiness of Justice" is discussed by Judge W. L Learned, and "Prohibition in Politics" by Gail Hamilton; "The Swearing Habit" by E. P. Whipple, and "French Spoliation Claims" by Edward Everett. The policy of the Roman Catholic hierarchy toward our public schools is assailed in a learned essay by a new polemic, Mr. M C. O'Byrne, of North Carolina, and defended by Bishop Keane, of Virginia, with equal erudition. It is a most interesting double presentation of an impending issue. "How Shall Women Dress?" is answered by Charles Dudley Warner, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Dr. W. A. Hammond, Dr. Kate J. Jackson, and Mrs E. M. King, the English leader of the dress reform movement.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Foster got fifteen thousand dollars for writing "Old Folks at Home."—*N. Y. Graphic.*

—Mr. N. C. Barnett, the Georgia Secretary of State, is ninety years old, and has held his present office forty-two years.

—Mr. James Hitt, of Lodi, and Miss Alice Singleton, of Winona, both in Mississippi, were married recently, after an engagement of seventeen years.

—The average salary of the college professors in the United States is $1,530. Every member of the Boston Base-Ball Club receives more than this sum.—*Boston Globe.*

—Miss Emma Larson and her young sister, who rode on horseback from their home in Wisconsin to San Francisco, made the journey in safety without being once molested.—*Chicago Herald.*

—General Dan Macaulay says that the remains of John Wilkes Booth are buried in the family burying ground on the old Junius Brutus Booth farm, a few miles from Baltimore.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—Proprietor Singerly, of the Philadelphia Record, who is singularly fond of real estate investments, owns two hundred and fifty houses in the Quaker City, and proposes to build seven hundred and fifty more, at an average cost of six thousand dollars each.

—There is an old woman in Boston, the widow of a French Marshal, who now grinds a hand-organ, the top of which is decorated with her husband's medals. She is said to speak the purest French to be heard in the Hub, and her face resembles an English walnut.—*Boston Globe.*

—Carl Cauer, the sculptor of the Garfield memorial bust in St. Louis, is fifty-six years old, and has made statues of nearly all the sovereigns of Europe, as well as of other famous persons, those of Kaiser Wilhelm, Francis Joseph, Metternich and Bismarck being perhaps the best known. He has a son, aged twenty-two, who has executed a good statue of Count Moltke.—*St. Louis Post.*

—John Hill, of New Brun

The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1885

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines of Lost and Found, Houses for Sale or Rent, Wants, etc., inserted three weeks for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

FOR SALE—The three story brick store, corner of Washington and Fourth streets, and the frame store adjoining the same on Washington street. For terms, etc, enquire of G. F. Gwinner.

FOR SALE—25,000 GARDEN PLANTS. Early Cabbage (Jersey Wakefield), Tomato, (Livingston, rewest and best). Orders filled either at Grocery stores or delivered if ordered by mail. LeRoy N. Pattison, P. O. Box, 1034. Garden, 1½ mile south on State street.

HOUSE FOR RENT

and nearly new furniture stoves, etc., etc. for sale. Inquire at No. 12 South University Avenue.

I Have a few Colonies of **BEES** not in very good condition, which I will sell cheap as I am not able to care for them, also Hives and fixtures extra. No. 30 North State street, N. A. Prudden, Ann Arbor, May 1, '85.

HOUSE FOR SALE—No. 85 East Washington Street. Terms reasonable.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Office Furniture—Tables, Desks, etc. 58 Huron street.

WANTED---ROOMS.

I wish to secure either furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, for the college year of '85 and '86. Address box 326 Ann Arbor, giving location and description of rooms.

FOR SALE—House, lot and barn, 89 Washington Street, on easy terms. Apply to J. H. Peebles, on the premises.

FOR SALE—Ten acres of land on Miller Ave., good for gardening or small fruits. To be sold cheap. Apply to Jas. Kearns, Register of Deeds office.

LOANING—Money to loan on first-class Real Estate Mortgage at Current rates of Interest. Satisfactory arrangements made with capitalists desiring such investments. Every conveyance and transaction in abstracts of titles carefully examined as to legal effect. Z. P. KING, Ann Arbor.

LOGAN ELECTED.

One of the prettiest little political fights ever witnessed was brought to a termination yesterday in the Illinois legislature by the re-election of John A. Logan to the United States Senate. On a joint ballot of the two houses the republicans and democrats were evenly divided, and a dead-lock ensued. However, in the subsequent sharp figuring for advantage, the democrats had the advantage by being backed by the administration, hence by having patronage as an inducement both to hold and to gain votes.

During the protracted struggle one republican died and a successor of the same faith took his place. Then a democrat died, and by an exceedingly neat *coup d'etat* the republicans elected their man by a good majority in a district which formerly had gone 2,000 democratic.

This gave them the necessary number to elect, provided all would stand together; but there was the rub. For two showed signs of surrendering to democratic blandishments. However, by hard work they were saved, and yesterday, amidst immense enthusiam, Senator Logan received the necessary number of votes and was declared elected.

The gallant general, who used to lead his troops to victory over the democrats on the field of battle, as usual has won again. The hero of the army at Vicksburg, Resaca and Atlanta is now the hero of the party not only in Illinois but in the country. We hope he may be spared to lead us to victory at the next presidential election.

AN UNJUST MEASURE.

A bill has been introduced, (very singularly, by a lawyer), cutting down the rates of legal advertising from 70 and 35 cents per folio to 50 and 25 cents per folio. Now if the established rates for lawyers' fees in foreclosing mortgages in chancery, etc., could be brought before the legislature and be subjected to a proportionate reduction, the country press would submit with far better grace.

Only two years ago a bill was worked through the legislature, which by reason of cutting down the lawyers' fees for foreclosing mortgages by statute, (wherein the notices must be published twelve successive weeks), greatly reduced the amount of legal advertising given the newspaper publishers throughout the state. For the reason that the lawyers could get so much better fees by foreclosing in chancery.

Now comes another bill to reduce legal rates upon the balance fully one-third. By and by, if this thing keeps up, newspaper publishers will be obliged to pay a certain amount per folio for the sake of advertising the closing up of estates, foreclosing of mortgages, etc.

If the country press, whose services are eagerly sought by members of the legislature when they are running for office, are to have their business continually injured and attacked in this manner, it might be well for them to unite and secure pledges from these men before supporting them.

If the rates now ruling were exorbitant the case would be different, but they are not. They are merely living rates, and any lowering of them will be a serious loss to publishers.

Mr. Sellers, in opposing the passage of this bill, made a neat reply to Mr. Watson, a lumber baron from Montcalm. The latter gentleman asked Mr. Sellers in an ironical manner if there was any profit in the rates proposed. He replied: "Not as much as in selling culls for uppers." Mr. Watson didn't interrupt Mr. Sellers with any more facetious questions.

SHALL ANN ARBOR BE HONORED?

At the last meeting of the Peninsular Saengerfest held at East Saginaw last year, it was voted to give the Ann Arbor member of the bund the opportunity of holding the seventh saengerfest at Ann Arbor. The society here, the Beethoven gesang verein, must make reply at once, whether they will take the responsibility or not, and desire to obtain an expression of feeling by the people in reference thereto.

The holding of this grand singing festival here would be an honor to this city, and give the musical interests an impetus that would be felt for years to come. If held here preparations will have to commence at once, as some of the very best talent in the world is secured for this festival.

The local society is willing to take upon itself the making of all arrangements, but desires to have the aid of the citizens in insuring success. Which it ought and undoubtedly will have.

The "Capt." Howard, who was reported to be an American army officer, and who saved the day for Gen. Middleton and his men at Batouche, routing the half-breed Reil and his few hundred followers, it seems was not a U. S. officer at all, but a wide-awake, zealous U. S. traveling man, who, as general agent for the Gatling guns, took that brave method of doing his advertising. He was cool and courageous, and to that fact alone, was due the victory won. Hip! hip! Hurrah for the American traveling man! Tiger!

THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

A. Vanderheydon, of Three Rivers, aged 62 years and a soldier for the Union for four years, writes to the Evening News that the proposed Michigan soldiers' home is not the form the provision for the disabled and aged veterans should take. He says:

In the first place the soldiers of the late war are from 40 to 70 years old and 20 years from now there will not be enough left to occupy one such institution in the United States. If our government will give three-fourths what these homes will cost, with expense of running them added, to the unpensioned and needy soldiers in pensions they will care for themselves, and would greatly prefer to do so.

A friend at our elbow suggests that the above plan would be a far more useful and practical help to the soldiers, as well as to the state. The Home, if built, would in a few years be without occupants, as the soldiers would all be dead. If any help is given, it will in many cases be so utilized as to become taxable property, and the state, instead of having to make an appropriation every session of the legislature to defray expenses of keeping the Home up will be receiving back in taxes a portion of the amount originally given.

Col. S. H. Dean, of this city, usually has a level head in respect to questions of public concern, and has always taken a deep interest in his late comrades in arms. Being asked his opinion of the Soldiers' Home proposition, replied that it was the only feasible method of benefitting the veterans. The proposition to give a bounty to each Michigan soldier would work injustice to many soldiers of other states residing here, and it would only be temporary, while a Home would keep them in comfort for the balance of their lives. By all means, the state should build a Home.

Capt. Chas. H. Manly, of this city, who has always felt a keen interest in any and everything pertaining to the welfare of the soldiers, thinks the Home the best method of taking care of the old and worn-out veterans. But few who are in straitened circumstances are capable of managing money if given them, and with a good Home the state would be doing its duty and placing them free from want and pauperism. While Capt. Manly is firm in his convictions, yet if another course should be thought best, he says that any funds given to the soldiers should be placed in the hands of some reliable person—the county treasurer, for instance—to be drawn out for the use of the soldier's family or for pressing needs; taking this precaution to save such aid from being foolishly squandered. His arguments are good ones, and his logic convincing.

SPECIAL CHINESE CORRESPONDENCE.

TIENTSIN, March 19, 1885.

EDITOR COURIER:—After enjoying a most pleasant winter here in Tientsin, we are now packing up for our journey to Shanse. Our voyage out and visit in Japan were both highly enjoyable, and while in Japan we had our eyes opened to heathendom, missionary enterprise, and the Oriental type of humanity, as they had never been opened before. Japan is cutting loose from everything ancient and tried in her own civilization, and taking in its place the first thing that comes along, whether it be good, bad, or indifferent. Now is the time for the "Soldiers of the Cross" to do their work in Japan, or we will be compelled to convert, by slow and tedious process, infidels, agnostics and atheists. But to pass on. Our stop in Shanghai was our introduction to China. We experienced unfavorable weather the three or four days of our stay there, but on the whole had a good time, and went on our journey to Tientsin with a good heart toward the Chinese, for we do like some of them, and find a few very sociable companions. Our prayer is that we may love the souls of all enough to overlook their repulsive exterior. Shanghai is more like a city at home than a Chinese city, so is the "foreign settlement" of Tientsin, where we have been living the past winter. Our home has been very pleasant, and we have met a most cordial reception from this cosmopolitan community. We have had any number of dinners, soirees and other entertainments, dramatic, etc., which we, of course, couldn't "take in." There is no end to formality here. A fellow has to, or is expected to wear his "spike-tail" every time he steps out. Made New Year's calls, and had a big time generally.

The climate here is delightful. Very much like our best November weather all winter long. Not cold, but the air is pure and bracing, and no storms; nearly every day being sunny. We have given our time to the study of the language, making fair progress, and to other reading and study. I have had the opportunity of visiting Dr. Mackenzie's hospital here, and getting many practical points for use in the immediate future. This hospital I speak of is supported by the government, and has a small medical school in connection with it. Dr. Mackenzie, an English missionary, having charge of the whole. This school has the patronage of Li Hung Chang, and enjoys the favor of the Chinese as perhaps no other foreign hospital and medical school in the Empire. Some of the present students are those returned American students who were recalled by the home gov't in '81. And they are "well up," not only in English, but in their medical studies also, as I had the opportunity of determining by examining the classes a few weeks ago. The officials are so suspicious of all foreigners that they cannot trust their own teachers to examine the students but must get some one outside or unconnected with the school.

China is certainly making progress now. We have telegraph and telephone lines here and will soon have railroads. The government has forbidden anyone saying aught against railroads and loans have already been made for the construction of the first line. One of these days I will tell you some true stories on the civil service of China—so good in theory but in practice the rottenest of the rotten.

War clouds are still frowning on us and we feel almost certain of a close blockade here soon but the natives seem friendly and are so selfish and disinterested that they don't care what happens so long as they are not personally molested. All our steamers coming here are stopped and searched by the French for contrabands of war, rice in particular.

The Chinese are so arrogant and conceited that they believe every engagement with the French a victory, and that the enemy have retreated in disgrace, for if any part of their forces get off the field alive that's a victory, and if all are killed the officials report victory just the same. To show you how absurd some of their reports are, circulated among the people and fully credited by the poorer and ignorant classes. A little time ago 'twas reported here, and I am told fully credited, that the Chinese had marched overland from Bachminh and taken Paris.

D. E. OSBORNE.

Let's see. It was Gen. Bragg, of Wisconsin, who arose in the Chicago democratic convention and said of Cleveland: "We love him for the enemies he has made." And now, Gen. Bragg being totally snubbed by this same Cleveland, loves him, of course he does, for the friends he hasn't made.

The Fifty-third Annual Convention of Alpha Delta Phi.

From sixteen of the principal colleges and universities of the country, delegates came together last week in this city of Ann Arbor, to hold the fifty-third annual convention of the Alpha Delta Phi college secret society. This fraternity, like really all the other Greek letter brotherhoods, is a national one, and is accustomed every May to hold national gatherings, at which delegates from all the chapters transact the business of the society, and together with the large number of alumni whom such an assemblage always attracts, renew their fraternal feeling with social and convivial entertainment and delights. This convention differed in no important respect from other meetings of the sort, but as such meetings are somewhat unusual here, it will doubtless, be not uninteresting for our readers to learn of the outside and visible manifestations which characterize this convention.

The delegates began to arrive on Tuesday, and by Wednesday morning the hotels were filled with Alpha Delts, ranging from the gay and enthusiastic undergraduate, to the less gay, but equally enthusiastic, gray-headed alumnus, in whom a renewal of youthful associations had revived youthful sensations.

On Wednesday morning and afternoon, business sessions of the convention were held in the court room at the court house, from which the public were rigidly excluded — this exclusion being, indeed, about the only element of secresy visible to the outer world.

On Wednesday evening occurred what was perhaps the most generally enjoyed feature of the convention — the public exercises of the fraternity, at University Hall. These exercises are a regular feature of conventions of this and most other first-class societies, and furnish to the world an evidence that the influence and aims of these fraternities are not the worst. On this occasion University Hall was crowded, probably over two thousand people being in attendance. The stage was handsomely fitted up and decorated by Messrs. Randall & Burnham, and presented a pleasant contrast to the ordinarily cheerless aspect of the great, bare hall. The colors of the fraternity and of the University, were skillfully worked into the decorations, which were also still further beautified by an abundance of flowers.

The exercises consisted, after prayer by Rev D. Blanchard, in an opening address by Judge Thomas M. Cooley, in which he gracefully defended the secret element of the fraternity, comparing it to the secrecy which surrounds the family circle. This was followed by a discussion of "The Relation between Public and Private Morality," by Bishop S. S. Harris, Hon. B. M. Cutcheon and Hon. Andrew Shuman. Other speakers were expected, but failed from various urgent reasons to appear. The discussion was not only very scholarly, but also exceedingly practical and widely varying phases of the subject from "Realism and Nominalism" to "Prohibition" were touched upon. We cannot review the speeches at length, but can only give them a broad and general commendation. The programme was varied by fraternity songs, and music by Speil's Orchestra.

After the public exercises, a large number of invited guests repaired to the new stone chapter house, of the Peninsular Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi, where a reception was given. The house was beautifully decorated by the numerous feminine friends of "the boys," flowers especially being a leading feature of the decorations.

The good feeling existing among the fraternities was very happily shown by handsome floral offerings sent by the local chapters of Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon.

The ladies who received were:

Mrs. J. B. Angell,
Mrs. T. M. Cooley,
Mrs. Herdman,
Mrs. Morris,
Mrs. De Pont,
Mrs. Hutchins,
Mrs. Rogers,
Mrs. J. G Pattengill and
Mrs. Mann.

Dancing was kept up till a late hour.

On Thursday morning another business session was held, after which the members of the fraternity took a special train for Detroit. On arriving there, they all at once embarked on the steam yacht Sigma, owned by M. S. Smith and Gov. Alger, and enjoyed a delightful ride of some forty miles on the river.

Returning to the city in the early evening, a banquet was served at the Russell House, beginning at 9 p. m., and ending considerably later.

Among the prominent alumni present were W. E. Quinby, who acted as toastmaster, Judge T. M. Cooley, Gen. L. S. Trowbridge, Prof. J. M. B. Sill, Hon. E. C. Walker, Bishop S. S. Harris, and many others.

On Friday, the visiting brothers scattered to their lodges with pleasant recollections of the 53rd convention and pleasant anticipations of the 54th.

THINKS IT COMMENDABLE.

The following letter explains itself:

DETROIT, Mich., May 13th, 1885.

MR. J. E. BEAL: Dear Sir—Your letter and COURIER in answer to my communication about water-works was received and I called upon you when in Ann Arbor, but got there too late. I was glad to know that I was able to help you in your fight against what certainly seemed strange haste in binding the city for a generation to come in such an important matter as its water supply.

I have made something of a study of the question in the last two years, and I feel certain that the city will be very much dissatisfied with the practical workings of their contract. Yet, a supply of water is a matter of great importance, even if the price is extortionate and the conditions hard and exacting. The city ought to feel grateful for the public service of the COURIER in the matter.

Yours truly,
JAS. H. MCDONALD.

"Turn the rascals out," yes do, please. For twenty-four years the republican party held power, and had charge of the finances of the government. They found not a cent in the treasury. The "turn the rascals out" howlers took possession of the government a few days since. They found not only millions of money in the treasury, but they also found that in all these years *not even one cent* of money was missing. They counted all the gold, silver and paper money in the treasury vaults, and it was all there. We will see if the rascals that have just been turned in will produce as honest a record four years from now.

For Earache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Swelled Neck, and the results of colds and Inflammation, use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

A Happy Excursion Party.

Friday last about 60 pupils of the manual training school, of Toledo, O., visited this city, together with their teachers and many of their parents. The Toledo & Ann Arbor R. R. authorities gave the invitation, and through them the excursion was managed. The day was a beautiful one and everything passed off grandly. The University was the point of interest, and the mechanical laboratory was given the most attention by the pupils, that being the department nearest related to the manual training course. The chemical laboratory, the library, the museum, and art department were visited. President Angell and Professors Green and Taylor gave the visitors especial attention.

The Toledo Commercial of Saturday morning has the following preamble and resolutions, passed by the visitors:

WHEREAS We, the pupils of the manual training department of the Toledo High School, have this day been the guests of Mr. Harry Ashley, superintendent of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Railroad, and have, through his courtesy, enjoyed a delightful excursion over the line of his road from Toledo to the beautiful city of Ann Arbor; therefore,

Resolved, That the warmest thanks are extended to Mr. Ashley and his associate officers for this enjoyable trip, on this, the most perfect of spring days.

Resolved, That our thanks are also extended to President Angell, Professor Green, Professor Taylor and other officers of the Michigan University, for the opportunity of visiting the mechanical and chemical laboratories and other departments of the famous University, and also to the family of Gov. Ashley for numerous courtesies extended on this occasion.

We also extend our thanks to our conductor, Mr. Booth, and to the Ann Arbor cut, Mr. Phillips, for the most considerate attention, no effort having been spared on their part to make our trip enjoyable and profitable.

We shall also remember with pleasure the lunch upon the grand old lawn of the Hill mansion.

Such visits all tend to build up our university and our city, and are occasions that Ann Arborites delight in.

Last Friday a young gentleman was brought before Justice Frueauff and fined $5 for killing a Baltimore oriole. As the the law in respect to our song-birds doesn't seem to be known, we once again publish it, for the benefit of our amateur sportsmen: "Any person who shall at any time, within this state, kill any robin, night-hawk, whippoorwill, finch, thrush, lark, sparrow, cherry bird, bluebird, brown thrasher, wren, martin, oriole, woodpecker, bobolink, or any song-bird, or rob the nest of such birds, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined $5 for each bird so killed and each nest so robbed, or confined in the county jail for ten days, *or both* such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court." The sparrow has since been dropped from the list, and is considered an enemy to other birds, and also to the farmer and gardener.

An effort is being made by the John Brown Memorial Association of the United States to erect a fitting memorial for that grand old martyr, who gave his life for the cause of freedom. Dr. J. Washington, Jr, who is the president of the above association, has been in the city several days securing subscriptions in the interest of the enterprise. He has letters proving his identity, and we are pleased to note is meeting with excellent success. The association proposes to establish a "free school for all in memory of John Brown. The school, which will be located in Springfield, Ill., will be an industrial college, all students graduating with a trade, and will be open to applicants of all nationalities and from all parts of the country. The ground has already been donated and $26,000 subscribed. The building will be 250 feet square, with a round granite shaft extending 50 feet above the center, with a life-size statue of John Brown on top. Mr. J. H. Schual has donated the grounds for the purpose near the Lincoln monument.

We are not so sure but the scheme proposed in the following, from the Ypsilanti Sentinel, is a good one:

The American association for the advancement of science, will hold its annual meeting in Ann Arbor this year, and the Ann Arborans are pluming themselves on the boom their burg will get by the event. Doubtless many of our citizens would attend the daily sessions if there were any cheap way of going and returning at convenient hours. And this is not the only occasion where such means are needed. There is something constantly occurring in one place or the other, that would attract hundreds back and forth if a ready and cheap transit were provided. Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti have each thought of horse railways, but neither can see a profit in the enterprise. Certainly one confined to this city would not be worth a cent. But if a railway connecting the two places were built there is little doubt that it would be a paying investment. It should be run from depot to depot, passing the university, normal school, and business parts of each city, which would insure a paying patronage.

On this proposed road the cars could be propelled by what railroad men call a "dummy," and in this way large parties could be accommodated and the hours of running made to suit the occasion. When money gets as plenty here as it is in Massachusetts, for instance, this scheme will be worked out. But the one who proposed it will never see the dream realized.

A Sanitary Convention, under the auspices of the state board of health, to be held at Ypsilanti, on Tuesday, the 30th of this month and on Wednesday, the 1st of July. Among the vice-presidents is Hon. W. D. Harriman, of this city. Among the addresses will be one of welcome by the Hon. C. L. Yost, mayor of Ypsilanti, and also one by Hon. Edwin Willits, who acts as president of the convention. The following is a list of the subjects to be discussed:

1. The present and future water supply of Ypsilanti; its relations to bad health and to sickness from certain diseases.
2. Disposal of slops and garbage.
3. Drainage and Sewerage of Ypsilanti.
4. Causes of Malaria in Ypsilanti.
5.
6. Prevention of communicable diseases.
7. Limitations and duties of local boards of health.
8. Sanitary condition and needs of school buildings and grounds.
9. Practical details of management of earth closets.
10. Influence of sewerage and drainage upon the death-rate in cities.
11. Moral effects of sanitation.

The papers are expected to be original contributions, which when read are to be considered the property of the convention, and to be left with the secretary. Programs will be issued before the convention.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel refers to some of the scrupulously sensitive people thus: "One of our clergymen objects to receiving the Sentinel, because we have several times made use of the word 'damphool.' We shall hereafter write it—phool; and if we have to name certain places in Holland, shall write Amster—, Rotter—, etc. It reminds us of the nice young lady who wished to send a message to Potsdam, Pa. She wrote 'Pots' and hesitated. After a pause she handed the blank to the operator, saying 'will you write the rest please?' We respect nice scruples, but we have no use for them ourselves."

THE great national camp meeting, which is to be held at Lansing, June 13 to 21 under the auspices of the Methodists, promises to be a greater affair than last year when eighteen states were represented. Bishop Mallalieu, of New Orleans, has been engaged and will be present, also Rev. Drs. McDonald and Steele of Boston.

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1 case Standard Dress Prints at 5c. per yard.

50 Pieces Ginghams at 8c. per yard.

1 Bale all Linen Crash at 6c. per yard.

50 Doz. all Linen Towels, at 8c. each.

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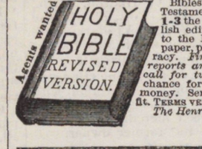

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The University's Work.

The Michigan legislature would not be permitted to hesitate over the annual appropriations to the state university if the people had a better understanding of the work that institution is doing and hopes to do. A suspicion, fostered by prejudice and ignorance of university work, has been gradually growing into a belief that it educates the sons and daughters of the rich; that families in modest financial circumstances are not largely represented among the students; that the salaries of professors are excessive, and that the current expenses are greater than is common in institutions of similar rank elsewhere in the United States. The legislators know that every one of these objections is groundless because they have been put into possession of authentic information to the contrary. But many of them magnify the popular belief to which we have referred, and in obedience to what they regard as the wishes of their constituents, manifest a mistaken disposition to cut down the appropriation asked for at some vital points.

An examination of University affairs make it an easy matter to show the utter fallacy of the objections noted above. Figures have been compiled showing the pursuits of the parents of the students in the institution, and from these it appears that at the time they were collected the children of farmers and mechanics numbered 43 per cent. in the literary department, 50 per cent. in the law department, 64 per cent. in the medical department, and 70 per cent. in the dental department. In other words, 56 per cent of all the students were children of farmers and mechanics. That fact refutes the charge that the university is employed in educating the sons and daughters of rich men. Besides the children of those who are farmers and mechanics there are a very large number of students whose parents are in other occupations which do not bring them great wealth.

The charge that the professors are paid enormous salaries is equally frivolous. A comparison of salaries paid in the leading colleges of the country shows just how frivolous it is. They are as follows: University of Michigan, $2,200; Cornell University, $2,750 to $3,000; Brown University, $3,000; Yale College, $3,000; Princeton College, $3,400; Harvard University, $4,000; Johns Hopkins University (Baltimore), $5,000; Columbia College (N. Y.), $7,500. The statement that the annual expenses are greater than is usual in similar institutions is as easily met. There are but three other institutions which rank with Michigan University in magnitude. These are Cornell, Yale and Harvard. The annual current expenses of Michigan University, with about 1,400 students, are $180,000; of Cornell, with 461 students, $143,815; of Yale, with about 1,000 students, $250,000, and Harvard, with about 1,500 students, $400,000.

In view of these facts a penurious policy toward our university would be not only inexcusable, but contemptible. Just what is proposed may be judged from the fact that there is hesitation about granting $25,000 for a mechanical laboratory. Only $4,000 have been expended for that purpose thus far, making the total $29,000. Cornell has expended $150,000 for the same purpose; Vanderbilt University $100,000; even the University of Wisconsin $28,000 for equipment alone. The people are invited to consider these figures and then inform their representatives in the legislature as to whether they want the University appropriations cut.

"Two scissors grinders were in town at the same time last Thursday," remarks the Chelsea Herald. Which undoubtedly accounts for the many "grinds" and razor-edged items in the Herald.

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PROPOSALS.

Proposals for the construction of the stone, brick and carpenter work in the erecting a jail for the county of Washtenaw, are invited and will be received up to Saturday, May 23, 1885, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of H. D. Bennett, No. 2 Huron street, Ann Arbor, Michigan. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

J. L. GILBERT,
H. D. BENNETT,
M. L. CASE,
Committee.

PROPOSALS WANTED!

Sealed proposals will be received by the General Fund Committee of the Common Council, up to June 1st, for furnishing gasoline, lighting, extinguishing and keeping in repair the gasoline lamps used in lighting the streets of the City of Ann Arbor. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bonds for the fulfillment of the contract will be required.

JOHN HEINZMAN, Chairman.

The Circuit Court.

The following cases have been disposed of in the circuit court, during this term, Judge Joslyn presiding:

The People vs. Wm. J. Herdman. Assault an battery. Continued by consent.

Wm D. Harriman, judge of probate, vs. M. H. Goodrich and E. W. Morgan. Continued by defendants.

Laura Godfrey vs. Nelson Sutherland. Replevin. Continued by consent.

Catharine Besimer vs. Chas. Besimer. Divorce. Decree granted.

J. J. Ellis vs. Wm. A. Wheeler. Foreclosure. Decree granted.

Lewis May vs. Nathaniel and Timothy Schmid, Assumpsit. Plea withdrawn and judgment for plaintiff $.78.

Willis L. Watkins vs. Garrison Underhill, et al. Assumpsit Plea withdrawn and judgment for plaintiff, $226.81.

Same parties. Plea withdrawn and judgment for plaintiff, $212.61.

Isaac M. Lewis vs. Lewis W. Hatton. Ejectment. Continued.

Frank and Sellick Wood vs. C. J. Gardner. For materials, etc. Judgment for plaintiff, $968.31.

F. & S. Wood vs. Eliza C. Bird. Garnishee. Judgment for plaintiff.

John A. Walz vs. Jas. A. Brown. Appeal. Cause continued.

The People vs. Richard Devaney. Burglary. Arraigned. Plea not guilty. Recognizance $300, or committed to jail. Went to jail.

Chas. H. Cushman vs. Albert Sorg. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff, $433.

Mathews Rothfus vs. Henry Krause. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff, damages $428 66.

Rufus Warren and Samuel F. Merrill vs. Henry Krause. Judgment for plaintiffs, $172 damages.

John S. Perry et al., vs. Van Duyn, Mordoff & Co. Judgment for plaintiff, $349.48.

Chas. Fantie vs. Mary E. Foster. Foreclosure. Decree granted.

Theodore Greve vs. Crawford and Crawford. Foreclosure. Decree granted.

Jennie M. Abel vs. Gilbert Abel. Divorce. Decree granted.

Nina A. Felton vs. Hiram D. Felton. Divorce. Decree granted.

B. F. Crane vs. Jas. M. Ashley. Assumpsit. Motion for new trial denied.

Chas. Overacker vs. Orin Stair. Injunction. Decision not yet filed.

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The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1885

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Ann Arbor Time. Office Hours:

General .....7:30 a. m to 8:00 p. m
Sundays,.....9:00 to 10:00 a. m.

Closing and Opening of Mails.

Mails Close—GOING EAST.

Lock pouch to Detr it..... 7:15 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids R. P. O..... 10:25 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 5:00 p. m.
" " " R. P. O..... 8:00 p. m.
GOING WEST.
Detroit, Jackson & Niles..... 8:00 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 10:10 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 5:00 p.m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 8:00 p. m.
GOING NORTH.
South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 9:40 a. m.
GOING SOUTH.
Lock Pouch to Toledo..... 7:15 a. m.
South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 2:40 p. m.

MAILS DISTRIBUTED
(Eastern.)
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 9:45 a. m.
Detroit mail..... 9:20 a m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 11:80 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 6:30 p. m.
(Western.)
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 7:45 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 11,12 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R.tP. O,..... 6:30 p. m.
(Northern.]
South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 3:30 p.m.
(Southern.)
South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 11:00 a. m.
Lock pouch from Toledo..... 7:45 a. m.

Ann Arbor & Whitmore Lake mail closes 9:30 a. m., and is distributed 6:30 p. m.

J. C. KNOWLTON, P. M.

Dated, Dec. 1, 1884.

Friends of The Courier, who have business at the Probate Court, will please request Judge Harriman to send their Printing to this office.

LOCAL.

The new turn-table on the Toledo track in this city is completed.

O. R. L. Crozier is to speak at the temperance meeting, Sunday.

C. C. Warner broke ground this morning for his new house on Ann st.

Gilbert Bliss is the agent in this city for the Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation Co.'s line.

Albrecht Gwinner and Louis Fritz, leave for Sugar lake for a week or two, camping, to-day.

Mr. Royer has been making some good improvements to his residence on Division corner of Ann st.

The beautiful Baltimore oriole is just now making Ann Arborites happy with its sweet warblings.

The streets of the city never looked better than at present where the "road builder" has been around.

The coat of gravel on Main street will be a good thing as soon as the packing process shall have done its work.

Lucy M. Clark has removed from her former place over Stimson's store to rooms over the postoffice on second floor.

Meeting Friday evening at the G. A. R. hall to complete the necessary arrangements for the observance of Decoration Day.

Joe T. Jacobs is getting to be considerably interested in agricultural pursuits, and is doing some good work on his new farm.

Rev. Dr. Herrick Johnson will continue the Synodical system of lectures, at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. Fr. Wm. J. Fierle leaves for Pittsburgh, Pa., to-morrow, to be absent one week. His pulpit will be occ pied by one of the Capuchin Fathers during his sojourn.

Martin Haller, of the firm of Koch & Haller, was married last night to Miss Paulina Binder, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Binder, by Rev. F. Belser.

If you would furnish your boy with a good quality air-gun, and give him permission to use the sparrows for a target, wouldn't these impudent little chatterers be thinned out soon?

It was a worthy compliment to a worthy gentleman, the election of W. G. Doty as grand standard bearer, at the recent annual conclave of the grand commandery of Michigan at Detroit.

A band of wandering gipsies passed through the city last week—wagons rigged up *a la* Forepaugh style—covered with canvass—sleeping apartments with windows nicely curtained, etc.

Saturday Thos. F. Leonard auctioneered off a number of first-class carriages which were taken under a chattel mortgage from Mr. Ferguson, of Dexter. Some good bargains were said to have been made.

Potatoes are extremely poor this spring, especially those that were kept by burying. When cut open they are black and soggy, and keep only a few days in the open air. It is simply throwing money away to buy them.

A company of this city is putting in gas works at Owosso, with O. F. Webster as manager. They propose to charge only $2 00 per thousand with 20 candle power burners Hadn't we better all move up to Owosso and seek our light?

Now the tadpole and toadlet will be singing round your door, and the June bug and the skeeter will be growing more and more, and the whipporwill on circus posters will get fat as he can be, and the William goat be warbling in the branches of a tree.

It won't do any harm to try it: Oil of wintergreen, mixed with an equal quantity of olive oil, applied externally to inflamed joints affected by acute rheumatism, it is said affords instant relief, and, having a pleasant odor its use is very agreeable.

An exchange says: There is nothing that so takes the starch out of a young man who has been wedded about a year as to have to go to a store where there is a girl clerk with whom he used to keep company and inquire for a packet of those large safety pins.

The council held a meeting Saturday evening, but did little or no business of importance. The saloon bond of Adolph Hoffstetter, was approved, and a resolution passed requesting the county treasurer to use all dilligence in enforcing the law respecting the payment of the liquor tax by saloon-keepers.

Our people may have some idea of the immense amount of business done by the American Express Co., on the railroads of the country, from the fact that every evening the New York fast express trains going west on the Central contains eight cars and upward, full of express matter. This train carries no passengers.

The young ladies of the Catholic society of this city, held a very successful festival in Sheehan's hall last Friday evening, at which a beautiful crazy quilt was sold by chances, and drawn by Jas. Fogarty. A handsome book, the gift of Father Fierle, was also sold by chances and drawn by Mr. Robert Rayer. The occasion was a pleasant one, and greatly enjoyed by those present. The proceeds will be given to the school building fund, we are told.

In obedience to orders from National Headquarters, Welch Post No. 137 G. A. R., invite all the clergy of this city and their congregations to join in holding a Memorial service on the Sabbath preceding Decoration Day, as a tribute to the memory of those who laid down their lives that our country might live. Such a service will be held at University Hall at 3 o'clock p. m. on Sunday, May 24th, which service will be attended by Welch Post, No. 157, G. A. R., and Company A, M. S T., in a body. All veterans of the late war are invited to march to University Hall with the Post. The public generally are invited to join in these services.

It is expected that work will be commenced on the water works June 1st.

Express Agent Ames is happy over the fact that the express business is booming once more.

The Baptist society made the handsome sum of $115 off their flower festival last Friday evening.

The Japanese wedding at the Congregational church, last Thursday evening netted about $50.

Wm. Hutchins, aged 75, an old and highly respected resident of Dundee, was buried last Saturday.

A telephone has been put in by Harvey Cornwell, which will be a convenience for himself and his friends.

G. F. Godfrey has put in a telephone, and you can now order your dray a mile or more away, if you want to.

There was a wedding of deaf-mutes at the Catholic church last Monday morning. The bride being Miss Mary Schaible of this city.

And now it seems that all the circuses have shunned Ann Arbor again this season. Well, Ann Arbor can stand it if the circuses can.

Rev. Samuel Earp, Ph. D., of Washington, Pa., formerly of Grand Rapids, is to occupy the pulpit of St. Andrew's church next Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Kayser, of No. 15 State street, died very suddenly Friday last of heart disease, aged 58 years. Funeral services were held Monday, from the house.

John G. Davis, of York, a son of Randolph Davis, of Lodi, died on Monday, and funeral was held yesterday. Many of the I. O. O. F., fraternity of this city attended.

Mary Chancellor Porter, formerly of this city, died at Detroit May 13th, and funeral services were held from the residence of her sister on Washington street, last Friday.

The Peninsular Saengerfest, if held here next year, will be something entirely new for our people, will bring hundreds of strangers to our city, and be a big "ad" every way.

Complaint has been entered against Chas. Koenig, of Bridgewater, for carrying on saloon business without giving bonds or paying tax. This thing is liable to be contagious when once started.

The German order of A. O. U., W. of this city, has had its hall renovated, re-papered, re-painted and handsomely fixed up, and proposes to give a dancing party therein next Monday evening.

The drunken and maudlin condition of two young men of this city—of clean, respectable families—and who are bright, active, capable gentlemen when not under liquor's influence, was a pitable sight on our streets Monday morning.

Either the city authorities or the county authorities, or some authorities ought to enforce the law to "keep off the grass" on the court house lawn. It is a shame the way young boys and old boys tramp down the grass, and it should be stopped.

When the new dam is put in above the first railroad bridge, it will make a millpond which will extend about half a mile in width, by one mile in length, and make an elegant boating place. Work commenced on Monday on the dam proper.

Joe T. Jacobs, chairman on the committee on flowers for Decoration Day, requests all those who can to bring or send all the flowers they can spare to the rooms of the agricultural society, in the court house, before 8 o'clock, on the 30th—Decoration Day.

There are some young lads who make a practice of stealing flowers from yards, thus robbing people of pleasures they have often worked hard to obtain. It is a mean thing to do, boys, and an example or two may be made soon if one or two irate people whom we know of do not change their minds.

This evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. A. W. Stalker will lead to the altar Miss Mary Hendrickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hendrickson. The bride and groom are both well known and well-liked by our young people, and will have many good wishes follow them in their new life.

This is the Milan Leader's latest cat story: "Hattie Callis owns what might be termed a purely vegetable cat; it will eat with relish raw potato, cabbage, string beans, peas, tomatoes, cucumbers, pumpkin, apples, and nearly all kinds of fruit; will also eat carpet rags. The fact of its being deaf perhaps accounts for its peculiarities in taste."

The postoffice is getting ready to issue a new postage stamp. It is to be used by newspapers, postage on which has been reduced from 2 cents to 1 cent per pound. The stamp will be of the same general character as the series now in existence, which range from 1 to 10 cents in denomination. The reduction of newspaper postage goes into effect the first of next July.

Mrs. Mariah Vande Venter, mother of Miss Jennie Vande Venter, of this city, died at her home in Dundee, April 27th, 1885, aged 65 years. She was formerly from Ontario Co., N. Y., coming to Michigan in 1844. Deceased had been a consistent member of the M. E. church from her earliest girlhood. She leaves three daughters and four sons, who mourn the loss of a faithful and devoted mother.

Mrs. Buell's rendering of her selections, especially Poe's "Raven" and the "Letter Scene" from Macbeth, at Fireman's Hall, recently, was a treat to all literary people present. She is both easy and graceful in her gestures, and we feel sure she will meet with a full house if she appears here in public again. The B. E. Quartet sang in their usual excellent style, and can be safely classed as one of the best in the state.

The Board of Review for the city of Ann Arbor, consisting of the various supervisors and Messrs. Fred. Schmid, D. E. Hiscock and E. P. Mason, met in regular session Tuesday morning, and will continue through until Thursday evening, for the purpose of reviewing the rolls of the different districts. Next Monday the board will meet to hear any grievance that the people may choose to make in reference to their assessed valuation. If they have "salted" you too much, (or failed to "salt" you enough), stop in an have the error rectified.

Up to the present time there are 12 saloon keepers in this city, and four in the county who have not paid their liquor tax for this year, and several of them who have not even filed their bonds. The non-payment of this tax by these men is an injustice to those who have payed. If it is right for one to pay this tax, it is right for all. If the balance are not to pay it might be well to instruct the proper authorities to pay back the tax already paid in by those who have shown their willingness to obey the law.

It is reported that 17,000 varieties of potatoes were on exhibition at New Orleans. Most of the potatoes now cultivated in Michigan are becoming destroyed and it becomes our farmers to secure and plant from some new seedlings which are beginning to come into the market, and are far superior in every respect to the old kinds. There are some very fine varieties now in our market for sale, such as the "Pride of America," a capital potato, a great yielder, smooth, white, and very desirable in shape. Then there are the "White Star," the "Early Ohio," the "Early Vermont," the "Beauty of Hebron" the "Snowflake," etc. Our dealers are anxious for the farmers to plant these new kinds, so that our city can be supplied with good eating potaoes.

PERSONALS.

C. R. Miller of Adrian was in town last Wednesday.

We regret to learn that E. J. Morton is on the sick list.

Mrs. Jas. E. Field, of Alpena, is in the city, visiting relatives and friends.

Capt. Manly took in the political situation at Washington during the week.

Fred. Root and Wm. Baxter went to Chicago Saturday night, prospecting.

Register of Deeds Kearns expects to be a resident of Ann Arbor after June 1st.

Mrs. H. Woodard has been visiting friends in Detroit during the past week.

Lou C. Goodrich, has been under the weather for several days during the week.

John F. Lawrence and E. D. Kinne visited Detroit yesterday on important business.

Jas. J. Quarry was called to Sandwich, Ont., yesterday, by the the death of an aunt.

Miss Angell gives a reception to-night in honor of Miss Ambrose, of Cambridge, Mass.

Miss Emily Smith, daughter of Dr. W. B. Smith, is visiting friends in Rochester, N. Y.

A. L. Noble has been confined to his home several days by a severe throat trouble.

Rev. Orrin Whitmore, of St. Ignace, occupied the Methodist pulpit Sunday morning.

H. J. Brown has gone to Lansing as a member of the third house on the pharmacy bill.

Miss Frankie Sweeney and Master Lawrence Sweeney spent Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Moore, of Negaunee, is stopping for some weeks at A. Moore's on N. Thayer st.

Mrs. J. M. Arnold, of Albion, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Willis Boughton.

Probate Register Doty and wife have been visiting old friends in Manchester during the past week.

E. A. Phillips, the Toledo & Ann Arbor station agent, leaves to-day for a week's stay in New York.

Dr. W. H. Smith of St. Clair, was in the city last week. He was the first in the U. of M. to receive the Ph. D. degree by examination, in 1876.

Mrs. James Kennedy, and daughter Hattie, who have been visiting friends in Ann Arbor, for some time, have returned to their home in Ionia.

Orin Stair of the Howell Republican, has been in the city, during the week, looking after his interests in the circuit court. He made the COURIER an exceedingly pleasant call yesterday.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

Base-ball again next Saturday.

C S. Carter, lit., has recovered from his recent measley illness.

June 12 the Choral Union is to present "The Dream" again, together with "Melusina."

It is thought that during Prof. Spaulding's absence the chair of botany will be occupied by H. Ayer's lit. '83.

Prof. Van Slyck is packing up, preparatory to departing for Honolulu, where he has accepted a position in a university.

The New England Hospital for Women and Children, at Boston, Mass., has given Miss M. A. Brownell, medic '85 an appointment.

A. F. Hangsterfer, the wide awake and good natured caterer will furnish edibles for about 700 persons on the occasion of the alumni dinner, it is expected.

The "freshy" reports sent the Free Press by a freshman are so decidedly fresh that the people who occasionally read them smile a fresh and spring like smole.

The group pictures of the Chronicle editors is on exhibition at Randall & Burnham's. "A remarkably good looking lot of men," passers-by are often heard to remark.—Democrat.

The engineering party of the engineering corps left yesterday afternoon, Prof. Davis in charge, for Frankfort, on Lake Michigan just north of Manistee. They take the boat at Detroit this morning.

The class of 1860 is to celebrate its quarto-centennial in Ann Arbor on the 24th of June. It is desired that all who were ever members of the class should be present, and those who can attend should address: S. Wright Dunning, 71 Broadway, N. Y. city.

The state intercollegiate association of literary societies, which was to have met here on the 21st, with the Alpha Nu society of the university, has been postponed until the 29th. Delegates are expected from Albion, Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Olivet, etc.

The University Glee Club talks some of taking a concert tour through some of the cities and villages of the state. The club is composed of the following members: S. F. Hawley, A. A. Boyer, C. F. Boyer, C. H. Perry, first tenors; H. B. Wilson, J. V. Denney, R. G. Cole, second tenors; S. K. Pitman, G. E. Hodges, A. H. Williams, first bassos; L. M. Dennis, Harry Ames, T. L. Van Deventer, second bassos

The Milan Leader has this relative to one of the university students: "June Kichi Kimura, the Japanese medical student of Ann Arbor, who visited Milan a few weeks ago, was so favorably impressed with our town that he has decided to favor us with a lecture sometime this summer on his country and the manners of his people. Mr. Kimura has been three years in this country, two of which were spent in San Francisco where, by his lectures, he did a great deal to remove the false impressions of our people in regard to his country. Such lecture should be well patronized, for by it our people would get a correct and interesting idea of their neighbors on the other side of the globe."

Field Day was a success in every way, and the crowd in attendance enjoyed the sports greatly. The successful contestants were:

3-mile walk—N. S. Farquhar, law, '85, time 38 minutes.
Hop, step-and-jump—F. N. Bonine, medic, '86, 30 ft. 8 inches.
Throwing base-ball—W. H. Muir, '1lt, '88, 319 ft, 8 in.
One half mile bycicle race, fast—R. M. Lee, law, '86, 2 minutes 7¾ seconds
Slow bycicle race—100 yards, R. M. Lee, law, '86. 2 min. 40 sec.
Heavy-weight wrestling—H. G. Prettyman, 1lt, '85.
Light-weight wrestling—J. C. Anthony, medic, '85.
Light-weight boxing—F. H. Kreiss, '86, medic.
Heavy-weight boxing—C. N. Banks, 1lt, '87.
100-yards dash—F. N. Bonine, in 10½ sec.
One-fourth mile dash—F. N. Bonine, in 52 secs.
High jump—L. C. Carpenter, law, '85.

The president and board of the Ladies' Library Association desire to express their grateful thanks to Prof. De Pont and the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the play "The Serious Family," for their generous and successful effort in behalf of the association. This adds one more to the many benefits the association has received from Prof. De Pont, of which the board is very appreciative.

AMUSEMENTS.

On the evening of Decoration Day, our amusement loving people will have the privilege of hearing one of the most popular commedians on the American stage to-day, Wm. J. Scanlan, he of Peek-a-Boo fame. He has played in Ann Arbor upon several former occasions, and never yet has failed to fill the house to over-flowing. Bright, active, winning and pleasing, William J. Scanlan is an acquisition to the ranks of those comedians who, in addition to their dramatic abilities, find their way into the hearts of the public. He acts naturally, sings pleasantly, an immediately becomes a favorite with the audience. All his songs are excellently received, and Peek-a-Boo fairly takes the house by storm. It is worthy of the popularity it has attained.

The great popularity of Thomas. W. Keene is shown in the fact that the reserved seats for his play to-morrow night, were all sold yesterday.

The grand concert and annual May Festival to be held in the M. E. Church at Ypsilanti, Wednesday evening, May 27th, under the direction of Professor Walter Hewitt will be a rare treat to all lovers of good music.

In reference to Wm. J. Scanlan's appearance in the great popular hit of "Friend and Foe," the New York Evening Telegram says: "Mr. William J. Scanlan began an engagement at the Windsor theatre last night. He appeared as Carroll Moore, in "Friend and Foe," and made an immense hit. The piece is full of music and clever situations." Reserved seats at Boughton's post-office news depot.

Primary School Funds.

County Treasurer Belser has received from the State treasurer the primary school funds, and made apportionment of the same, as follows:

Townships.	No. of Children.	Amount Apportioned.
Ann Arbor City	2,570	$ 3,186 80
Ann Arbor Town	285	353 40
Augusta	593	735 32
Bridgewater	379	469 96
Dexter	288	357 12
Freedom	543	673 32
Lima	305	378 20
Lodi	313	388 12
Lyndon	197	244 28
Manchester	788	977 12
Northfield	374	463 76
Pittsfield	347	430 28
Salem	260	322 40
Saline	636	788 64
Superior	384	476 16
Sharon	374	463 76
Scio	784	972 16
Sylvan	714	885 36
Webster	225	279 00
York	649	804 76
Ypsilanti Town	361	447 64
Ypsilanti City	1,555	1,928 20
Total	12,924	$16,025 76

The amount to each child is $1.24. The fine money on hand amounts to $303, but owing to the neglect of the state superintendent of public instruction to send a list of districts, the apportionment has not yet been made.

The "Serious Family."

"The Serious Family," produced Friday evening last at the Grand Opera House of this city by the University Dramatic Club, may well be considered one of the events of the season in the line of theatricals. The actual talent shown by the different members of the club is perhaps what was the most noticeable feature of the entertainment. As a play The Serious Family is a pleasant little comedy, calling for very limited action but requiring considerable fine acting to give the play true force. The amount of work such a play demands previous to production is much greater than any one not familiar with amateur theatricals can possibly imagine. While, therefore, due credit should be given to each and every member of the club, it must be said that a great share of the praise the evening calls for should be bestowed upon the director, Prof. De Pont. The classification of amateurs' talents is an ungrateful and difficult task, the director having often to direct a certain talent in a channel totally different from the one in which the amateur believes he has ability. The characters of the play which called for the most study, and which did actual credit to the director, are Amenadab Sleek, Lady Creamly and Eva Torrens. Let us say in conclusion that while every part was well done the most difficult role, that of Eva Torrens, was more than well rendered, Miss M. Wood deserving special notice. COM.

The Beethoven Hall Meeting.

A meeting to arrange preliminaries for the proposed seventh Peninsular Saengerfest was largely attended Thursday evening, May 14, 1885, at Beethoven hall.

George Haller, acted as chairman, and P. G. Luckey, as secretary.

The Beethoven society announced its willingness to manage the coming music festival, in case our citizens would provide for a necessary deficiency. The advantages such a festival would bring our city, were fully discussed, and it was unanimously adopted, to procure the necessary backing, to make the occasion a success.

A committee of five were appointed, consisting of the following citizens: Messrs. John Kapp, George Haller, Sam Blitz, Jacob Schuh and Herman Hutzel, with power to appoint as many more of our citizens, as they deemed practicable, to ascertain what aid the citizens were willing to give the enterprise.

It certainly would be a disgrace to our city, if we are compelled to reject the proposal, made us by the Saengerbund, which was held last year at East Saginaw, as we have the best natural facilities of any city in the state, on account of having the magnificent University Hall.

Now is the time to strike, and it will depend on our citizens whether we will have the next Saengerfest, which takes place in August 1886, at our beautiful city of Ann Arbor. The cities interested in this festival are as follows: Detroit, East Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Kalamazoo, Jackson, Lansing, South Bend, Ind., Toledo, O., and Saudusky, O.

There is to be a meeting of the above committee at Beethoven hall, on Thursday evening, May 26th to which all citizens are invited.

F. L. Mallory is to hereafter run the restaurant department of W. H. Burleson's store commencing business there next week.

Notary commissions are at the county clerk's office for Howard E. Nichols, Fred E. Thompson, Eugene Osterlin, W. K. Childs, A. J. Warren.

Most chickens are afraid of water, but Dr. Sheldon's rooster ran into the river a few days ago, and was carried across by the current and landed without injury.—Manchester Enterprise.

We have heard fish stories, and cat stories, and dog stories, and so on without number, but this sort of a cock and water story is entirely new. Bro. Blosser takes the pastry and the rooster.

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Ten days ago we advertised the finest Tricots manufactured in this country at 60 cents, 20 cents and *at this price some ladies wanted them cheaper.*

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Fan time—and fans are always here. There isn't a day in the year without its sort of fan. We knew that summer was coming. The summer fans came first. All sorts of summer fans.

In one of our windows, we, this week, display a small line of our Embroidered Robes for dresses. They are handsome and stylish. Just the thing for commencement.

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Business Notices.

Now that every one is house cleaning and fixing up their living rooms, we would call attention to the many really beautiful and and lovely articles to be found in J. J. Goodyear's drug store for decorating and fitting up parlors, sitting-rooms, etc. The most refined can there find things to their taste, while lovers of the beautiful can but go into ecstacies over the goods there shown. Call and see for yourself, and be convinced.

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Unpublished Page From the Life of George Washington.

It is the merry summer time. To him the mother of the father of his country:

"George, dear, where have you been since school was dismissed?"

"Hain't been no where, ma."

"Did you come straight home from school, George?"

"Ye-, ma'am!"

"But school is dismissed at three o'clock, and it is now half-past six. How does that come?"

"Got kep' in."

"What for?"

"Missed m' joggraf y less'n."

"But your teacher was here only an hour ago, and said you hadn't been at school all day?"

"Got kep' in yestiddy, then."

"George, why were you not at school to-day?"

"Forgot. Thought all the time it was Saturday."

"Don't stand on one side of your foot in that manner. Come here to me. George, you have been swimming."

"No'm."

"Yes you have, George. Haven't you?"

"N o a p."

"Tell your mother, George?"

"N i c k s."

"Then what makes your hair so wet, my son?"

"Sweat. I run so fast comin' from school."

"But your shirt is wrong-side out."

"Put it on that way when I got up this morning for luck. Always win when you play for keeps if your shirt is on wrong-side out."

"And you haven't the right sleeve of your shirt on your arm at all, George, and there is a hard knot tied in it. How did that come there?"

"Bill Fairfax tied it when I wasn't lookin'."

"But what were you doing with your shirt off?"

"Didn t have it off. He jes took'n tied that knot there when it was on me."

"George!"

"That's honest truth, he did!"

About that time the noble Bushrod came along with a skate strap, and we draw a veil over the dreadful scene, merely remarking that boys do not seem to change so much as men.

Table cloths and napkins are much ornamented with fringes.

At a dinner recently given the table was strewn with half-open rosebuds. The effect was quite novel.

Pretty baby blankets are made of thin white silk, stuffed with pink cotton wool and tufted with white satin bows.

The wooden grape baskets are made into work-baskets and lined with plu-cushions and pockets. Bright ribbon bows are placed on the handles.

Velveteen makes very handsome table scarfs. It may be embroidered in the same way as velvet and may be lined with sateen.

Plain pongee or China silk, besides being fashionable for dresses, is used in scarfs and sash and butterfly tidies for house decorations. As it is soft and fine of texture it drapes most beautifully over easels and vases, and falls in the most exquisite lines around picture frames and plaques, and knots without looking bunchy into the scarf tidies, now so fashionable. For these purposes the high-art shades are most frequently used, and are neutral without being dull, and bright without being flashy.

A WEALTHY FARMER'S RELIABLE TESTIMONY.

Take Special note of the foll wing History of a very interesting Case.

Near the thr ving village of Dundee, a few miles west of that queen of the lakes of Central New York, Seneca, lives Mr. Daniel Supplee, a gentleman of about 70 years. Mr. Supplee owns a very large, and highly cultivated farm, which has for the y e rs had the enviable reputation of being the best farm in all that section. Every crop he plants seems to thrive, and his advice is much sought by younger and less experienced farmers. "About two yea s ago," Mr. Supplee writes, "I suf-red from a very s vere attack of diabetes. It reduced me in flesh so that I was redu ed to skin and bones, and my skin was shriveled and wrinkled very badly. my Urine contained such a large percentage o sugar that when it was spluied the sugar would crystalize so as to make a coating pbitiy vi iole. y life was despaired of by my family and physicians, Commenced using Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy at this stage of my sickness, and im roved steadily and was *cured*, and am now able to again personaly superint nd the management of my extensiv farming operations. Hu t's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy is a grand medicine for Diabetes and Kidney Troubles."

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DUNDEE, N. Y., Jan. 3rd, 1885.

Dear Sir—Yours of 2d inst at hand this morning. I would say that I think the use of Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy in Mr. Dan'l Supplee's case *Certainly saved his life.* He was going down very fast previous to its use, and began to show an improvement soon after he began to take the Remedy. Mr. W. B. Wightman, Wholesale Grocer, Providence, R. I., is also knowing to all the facts in Mr. Supplee's case.

Yours truly, C. P. McLEAN.

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NEW YORK, January 23, 1885

HUNT'S REMEDY CO.: *Gentlemen*—Having been afflicted with a severe attack of Kidney trouble, which disabled me from my business, I was persuaded by a friend on a train to try Hu t's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy, as he recommended it in the highest possible terms as a sure cure for Kidney Diseases and all trouble of the Urinary Organs. I began to improve rapidly soon after I commenced taking the Remedy and it has cured me, besides as I believe saving me from a long sickness. I have frequently recommended Hun t's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy to my afflicted friends and its use has always resulted in restoring them rapidly to health. I deem it a duty as well as a privilege to recommend so good and reliable a medicine as I have proved Hunt's [Kidney and Liver] Remedy to be. Yours,

W. W. C. MEREDITH, Conductor, N. Y. W. S. R. R.

Weekly News Summary.

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS.

DOMESTIC.

In a dispute over cards a few days ago at Papal's Mills, Ga., five negroes were killed. Their murderers were at large and a posse was in pursuit.

The alleged discrepancy of two cents reported in the recent count of the cash in the United States Treasury was shown on the 12th to be incorrect. The missing pennies were found on the floor where they had been dropped during the count.

Prof. T. S. Latimer reported to a medical gathering at Baltimore on the 12th that a cholera epidemic might be expected in this country either this summer or the next.

W. H. Sutherland, proprietor of the Indiana Dental College, at Indianapolis, committed suicide with morphine on the 12th.

Andrew J. Johnson, the noted outlaw of Bell County, Kentucky, lay in wait behind a buildin in Pineville a few days ago and killed Thomas J. Napier and Josiah Hoskins and his daughter as they returned from church.

Six weeks ago a student in the Female College at Pittsburgh was secretly married to a son of Rev. Dr. Pershing. After a quarrel the other night the bridegroom started for Chicago, and the young wife shot herself fatally in the right temple.

Mrs. Pfantz, a laborer's wife, living near Letitz, Pa., while insane took her five children to a pond on the 12th, and after kissing them, threw them into the water. The screams of the eldest children brought help, and three of them were rescued, but the mother and two others were drowned.

A fire at Duncansville, Pa., the other morning destroyed the residence of Samuel Black, his two boys, a ged eight and three, perishing in the flames.

During the absence of Henry Stevens and his wi e from their home near Jefferson City, Mo., the other night the house burned down and two of their children perished in the flames. A third child escaped.

The issue of standard dollars from the mints during the week ended on the 9th was $263,999. The issue during the corresponding period of last year was $345,997.

The sixth annual convention of the Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit Association was held in Chicago on the 12th, delegates being present from every Stat and Territory in the Union. W. D. Garrison, of New York, was elected President for the ensuing year.

Three Italians under arrest for complicity in the murder of Filippo Caruso at Chicago made written confessions on the 12th describing the manner in which they strangled their victim for his money and then shipped the body in a trunk to Pittsburgh, where it was discovered.

Russian flour of very fine quality, to the amount of two thousand sacks, was on the 12th offered on the New York Produce Exchange at six dollars per barrel.

Captain Lord, of the steamer Critic, which arrived at New York on the 13th, reported encountering miles of solid ice, with numercus icebergs two hundred to eight hun lred feet high, and as large as islands. In the Captain's ex rience he never met such quantities of ice befo e.

In Pike County, Kentucky, a few days ago Frank Stratton encountered Mount Clark eloping with his sister, and in the conflict Stratton was fatally stabbed and Clark mortally shot.

The *American Rural Home*, from advices received, stated on the 13th that the wheat yield throughout the country this year would be but sixty-two per cent. of a full crop.

The extensive brewery of Michael Brand & Co., in Chicago, was damaged by fire on the 13th to the extent of $250,000, on which there was no insurance.

The twenty-sixth annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of the United States and Canada met at Atlanta, Ga., on the 13th. The International Committee's report showed 850 associations, with a membership of 112,000. The associations own $4,300,000 worth of property.

The residence of Theodore Sears, in Baltimore, was shattered by a powder explosion a few nights ago, and nine of the inmates were seriously injured. Sears is a non-union foreman in a glass factory, and union strikers were charged with causing the explosion.

The total number of hogs handled by Western packers from March 1 to the 13th inst. was 1,155,000, against 955,000 during the same period last year.

There are 2,525 working lodges of the Knights of Honor in the United States, with a membership of 131,108. The deaths during the past year numbered 1,409, and the assessments for death benefits amounted to $2,709,561.

Twenty-seven boomers' wagons passed through the Cheyenne agency recently on their way to Oklahoma, and on the 13th a dispatch was sent to those camping near Caldwell Kan., that the coast was clear for another raid.

A cave-in occurred on the 12th at the North Ashland (Pa.) colliery, by which three miners and a driver were killed and another fatally injured while trying to escape.

Public interest in the Afghan question was much lessened in London on the 13th, the general opinion being that the differences would be peacefully settled.

All the troops at Lemont, Ill., were recalled on the 13th, and the utmost tranquility reigned there. Work had been resumed by the strikers.

The elevated railway in Brooklyn, N. Y., was opened to the public on the 13th free of fare.

Michael Alderfer, President of a National bank at East Greenville, Pa., being eighty-two years of age, was driven to suicide on the 14th by rumors of a deficit in his accounts.

Donald C. Towne, who was sent to the penitentiary from Chicago for a violation of the postal laws, has been pardoned by the President.

Mrs. Jane Holmes, of Pittsburgh, Pa., recently deceased, left an estate of $1,000,000 to be divided between seventeen charitable institutions in that city.

Abra am D. Thierweichter, of Oak Harbor, O., who recently caused the death of three persons by careless driving at a railway crossing while intoxicated, was arrested on the 14th for manslaughter.

Eugene Walton, collection clerk in the First National Bank of New York, was on the 14th charged with making false entries to conceal a defalcation amounting to $15,200.

The sixty-ninth annual meeting of the American Bible Society was held at New York on the 14th. During the year the issues of Bibles, Testaments and portions of the same were 1,548,175; receipts, $587,914; expenditures, $619,882. Hon. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen was chosen President.

Two gamblers, Larry O'Brien and George T. Truman, shot each other fatally in New York on the 14th in a quarrel over a woman.

The estate of the late Wendell Phillips is found to be worth but $8,362, the appraisers returning a number of securities as of no value.

Seventy persons belonging to an excursion party were poisoned at Tallulah Falls, Ga., on the 14th by eating ice-cream, and it was feared many would die.

The fatal epidemic at Plymouth, Pa., was believed to be subsiding on the 14th. Over 150 families were receiving aid, and money was still badly needed, as there were many hundreds of widows and orphans who must be provided for.

The monthly statistical publication of the Agricultural Department at Washington for May, issued on the 14th, gives the following monthly wages for farm laborers: Eastern States, $25.30; Middle States, $23.19; Southern States, $14.27; Western States, $22.26; California, $38.75. The amount of labor seeking employment in agriculture at the present time was said to be unusually large.

Before the Military Service Institute which met on the 14th on Governor's Island, New York harbor, Lieutenant Eugene Griffin, of the Engineer Corps, read a paper showing that our coasts were unprotected, and urging the necessity of prompt action.

The total imports of dry goods at New York during the seven days ended on the 15th were valued at $1,155,995, and the amount thrown on the market at $1,225,434.

The failure of the Louisville (Ky.) Agricultural Works is announced.

Sheffield's elevator at Utica, Minn., together with all the buildings in the place save one, were destroyed by fire on the 15th.

At Bloomington, Ind., Chesley Chambers, a young man, was identified on the 15th as the person who robbed the express car on the night of April 27, and shot Baggagemaster Weber and Express Agent Davis. Wright, the man held on suspicion, was released.

John Langster (colored) was hanged at Washington, D. C., on the 15th for the murder of Police Officer Fowler.

Charles Henry Rugg, the negro who murdered old Mrs. Lydia Maybee and her daughter Mary at Oyster Bay, L. I., nearly two years ago, was executed at Hunter's point, L. I., on the 15th.

A mob from Wilmot went to Traverse, D. T., on the 15th and demolished the court-house, no resistance being offered. This was the opening of another county-seat war.

A fire in a structure at Cleveland, O., on the 15th caused the burning to death of an aged woman and a child, seven other persons be ng injured by jumping from the windows, one of them fatally.

Advices of the 15th state that twenty-five per cent. of the cattle and sheep in the upper counties of Virginia had died from a mysterious disease.

A call has been issued for a reunion of the representative organizations of the soldiers of the United States, to be held in Philadelphia from June 28 to July 26.

Spencer Chamberlain was killed and his wife and little son fatally injured on the 15th by their team running away at Chagrin Falls, near Cleveland, O.

Charles Houlden was hanged at Petersburg, Ill., on the 15th for the murder of his wife March 22, 1884.

Near Owatonna, Minn., early on the morning of the 15th the house of a Norwegian farmer named Henry Lewiston was destroyed by fire, and five of his children perished in the flames. The father was severely burned in attempting to save the children.

In the United States and Canada there were 186 business failures during the seven days ended on the 15th, against 230 the previous seven days. The distribution was as follows: Middle States, 30; New England States, 17; Western, 65; Southern, 28; Pacific States and Territories, 24; Canada, 22.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Major E. A. Burke has tendered to the Board of Management of the New Orleans Exposition his resignation as Director-General.

The case against Commissioner Sparks, of the Land Office at Washington, who was charged with assaulting Colonel D'Ahna, was dismissed on the 12th.

Mrs. Catherine Main died on the 12th at Kalamazoo, Mich., aged 116 years.

The twentieth annual meeting of the National Temperance Society was held in New York on the 12th. Resolutions were adopted congratulating the friends of temperance on the great advance the cause had made, and upon the widespread and rapidly increasing interest in it.

Bayliss W. Hanna, of Indiana, on the 12th declined the Persian mission.

General Grant has been re-elected Commander of the Loyal Legion.

James January, aged seventy, and Julia June, thirty-five years old, were married recently at Lafayette, Ind.

Three leaders of the Mormon Church, who visited the White House on the 13th to present a statement of grievances, were assured by the President that the Edmunds law would be impartially administered.

A delegation from New York called upon Hon. S. S. Cox on the 14th to urge him to retain his seat in Congress, where he could be of the greatest service to his constituents. Mr. Cox reminded the gentlemen that he had been appoin ed Minister to Turkey without solicitation, and could not decline the honor.

Ten ballots for United States Senator were taken at the joint session of the Illinois Legislature on the 14th. After the third ballot Morrison, who received 101 votes, the Republicans not voting, withdrew from the contest. The remaining ballots were favorable to Judge Tree, of Chicago. In the evening a recess was taken to 8:30 the next morning. Mr. Weaver, the member-elect from the Thirty-Fourth District, was sworn in, and would demand his seat at the next joint session.

It was reported on the 14th that ex-President Arthur was in very poor health, he having been outside of his house but once since his return to New York the middle of last March.

The Michigan House of Representatives on the 14th passed over Governor Alger's veto the bill allowing minority stockholders in joint-stock companies representation on boards of directors.

After stormy scenes in the joint session of the Illinois Legislature on the 15th the Republicans and Democrats reached an agreement whereby Weaver was admitted. No formal ballots will be taken for United States Senator until the 19th.

General Grant's condition on the 15th was better than it had been for the previous two or three days. He took a ride in a street-car, accompanied by Dr. Douglas, and later had a short walk.

The New York Legislature adjourned *sine die* on the 15th, but the Governor immediately convened it in extra session to make preparations for taking the State census.

FOREIGN.

The American residents of Paris, through Minister Morton, presented the municipality on the 13th with a reduced copy of the Bartholdi Statue of Liberty.

Sickness was on the 13th creating great havoc among the British and Egyptian troops in the Soudan.

Batoche was captured on the 13th by Middleton's troops at the point of the bayonet, the Canadians losing six killed and fifteen wounded. Seven prisoners held by the Indians were rescued. It was believed that the rebels would disperse in bands throughout the Western country, and that Riel would escape into American territory.

A crowd of ten thousand persons assembled on the 13th at Trafalgar Square, London, for a demonstration against the proposition to increase the duty on liquors. The police attempted to maintain order, but the people drove them away and indulged in many riotous acts.

Some prominent Cubans in New York stated recently that a general uprising would take place in Cuba in a few months, which would obliterate the Madrid domination and make the country independent.

An evicted farmer in Ireland recently visited the bailiff who had ejected him, plied him with liquor until stone drunk, and then held him over a fire until he was fatally burned.

It was announced on the 14th that the Afghans demanded that England should revenge their defeat by the Russians or indemnify the Ameer for his losses.

In the House of Commons on the 14th Mr. Gladstone stated that peace negotiations were making satisfactory progress. It was considered that the trouble was as good as settled.

Reports reached Winnipeg on the 14th that Poundmaker's Indians captured a train of thirty-one loaded teams near Battleford, with most of the drivers. Two men were killed in the fight, one of them being a mounted policeman.

F. J. Fargus, well known as "Hugh Conway," author of "Called Back," died at Monaco, Italy, on the 15th, aged thirty-seven years.

The cholera in Valencia, Spain, was rapidly abating on the 15th, owing, it was said, to the inoculation of thousands with the cholera germ by Dr. Ferran.

Copies of the revised version of the Old Testament were given to the London newspapers early on the morning of the 15th. The work of revision was commenced fourteen years ago.

In a recent collision on the coast of England between the steamers Numidia and Messina, ten of the latter's crew were drowned.

It was rumored at Ottawa on the 15th that Sir John A. Macdonald had received a private telegram from Queen Victoria, urging that the Northwestern rebellion be speedily brought to a close, and that the demands of the Indians be treated with justice It was also reported that General Middleton had written to Riel that he would receive and protect him until the Dominion Government decided upon his case.

It was said on the 15th that the loss of the Canadian half-breeds in the recent fight at Batoche amounted to over fifty killed and nearly two hundred wounded.

LATER NEWS.

Louis Riel, the half-breed leader, was captured on the 15th near Batoche by three scouts. The rebel was unarmed, but was accompanied by three armed followers. He made no resistance, but asked that he should be protected from the troops. His wife and children, he said, were not far off. He declared that he was on his way to give himself up, and expressed a hope that he would be given a fair trial. The half-breeds near Batoche surrendered ninety-five stand of arms. It was believed that the rebellion in the Northwest was practically at an end.

Along the Detroit, Lansing & Northern Road ten stores and three mills were destroyed by forest fires on the 17th at McBride's Station, and ten houses and two mills at Granville. On the West Michigan Road flames were raging on both sides of the track for miles. At Osceola and Bluffton over eleven million feet of lumber was burned.

After the usual consultation of physicians on the 17th Dr. Shrady reported General Grant's condition as follows: "We find the General's local condition neither better nor worse. In fact, there has been no change during the last three days. The patient's general condition is pretty fair, considering his local condition, but he is no better."

A cyclone passed through Rooks County, Kan., a few days ago, killing Rev. Mr. Grimes, wife and child and two other persons, and doing great damage to houses, barns and fences.

Advices of the 17th from Hermosillo, Mex., say the Mexican troops attacked the Yaquis near Misa. Three hundred Yaquis were reported killed, the Mexican loss being eighty killed and wounded.

The exchanges at twenty-six leading clearing-houses in the United States during the week ended on the 16th aggregated $737,819,826, against $751,681,755 the previous week. As compared with the corresponding period of 1884, the falling off amounts to 35.4 per cent.

A terrific storm the other night just south of Caldwell, Kan., demolished twelve large tents belonging to the Oklahoma colony and destroyed several wagons. Nearly the entire colony, numbering about two hundred, sustained a heavy loss.

At the joint session of the Illinois Legislature on the 16th five Senators and twenty-five House members took part. Scattering votes were cast for General Logan, Lambert Tree and members of the Legislature.

The news of the Czar's having presented swords of honor to General Komaroff and General Zakrjewski had on the 17th created an uneasy feeling in Europe that the present peace was only an armistice, and that the arbitration proceedings were the merest mockery.

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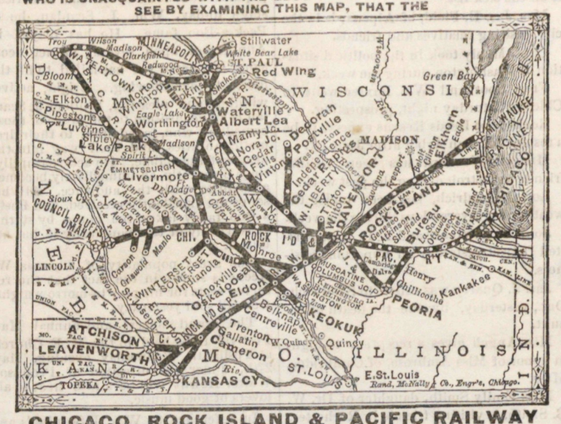

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Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain instrument of mortgage executed by Laura Barker to John Lynch, both of Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw in the State of Michigan, bearing date, the eighteenth day of October, A. D., 1877, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, in Liber 56 of Mortgages, page 98, and as signed on the 25th day of May, 1881, by written assignment to John Smith, of Ann Arbor township in the county aforesaid, and which assignment is recorded in the office aforesaid in Liber Seven of Assigments of Mortgages, on page 162 and by which default, the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity, having been instituted to recover the amount due on said mortgage or the bond accompanying the same, and there being now claimed to be due on said bond and mortgage the sum of Four hundred and eighty-nine dollars and ninety-two cents (489.92).

NOTICE is therefore hereby given, that said Mortgage will be foreclosed on Saturday, the 18 h day of April, A. D. 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the East Door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County aforesaid, (said Court House, being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County) of the mortgaged premises, described in said mortgage or so much thereof, as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of principal and interest remaining unpaid upon said mortgage, with reasonable costs and expenses; which premises are described in said mortgage as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land, situated and being in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The westhalf of lots number Fifteen and Sixteen, in block number Five (5) south of Huron street, in Range number Eight east, agreeably to the Ann Arbor Land Company's addition to the said City of Ann Arbor.

Dated, January 19, A. D. 1885.

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgage.
Att'y for Assignee. 1230-42.

The above sale is adjourned for one week, to Saturday, April 25th, A. D. 1885, at the same place, and hour of the day.

Dated, Ann Arbor, April 18th, A. D. 1885.

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgage.
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1243.

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, May 2d, A. D. 1885, for one week, at the same place and hour of the day.

Dated, Ann Arbor, April 25th, A. D. 1885.

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1244

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, May 9th, A. D. 1885, for one week, at the same place, and hour of the day.

Dated, Ann Arbor, May 2d, A. D. 1885

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1245

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, May 16th, A. D. 1885, one week, at the same place, and hour of the day.

Dated, Ann Arbor, May 9th, A. D. 1885.

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1246.

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, May 23d, A. D. 1885, one week, at the same place, and hour of the day.

Dated, Ann Arbor, May 16th, A. D. 1885.

JOHN SMITH,
E. D. KINNE, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1247.

Commissioners' Notice.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and