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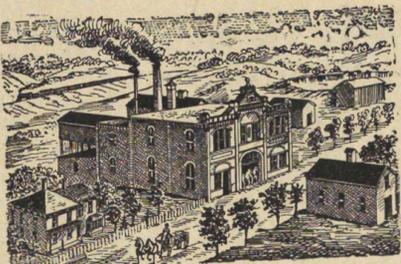
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A WEEK'S ACCIDENTS.

Shot in the Face, Cut by Plate Glass, Nearly Killed by a Blow.

VERY SAD CASE OF ABERRATION OF MIND.

All Aboard for the Fair Grounds.—Beggs, the Law Student is Free.—Prohibitionists Again at Work.—Found Dead in a Field.

Made a Hole in His Cheek.

Yesterday afternoon Christian Roth, a boy about twelve years old, and a young companion had a gun in their possession which was accidentally discharged. The gun contained a cartridge loaded with 120 fine shot. The charge struck Roth on the left side of his face, making a hole large enough to put his finger through, and tearing the gum away from the bone on that side of his face. This was the only injury done and the boy was laughing while Dr. Breakey dressed the wound. A peculiar feature was that not one of the shot could be found, one explanation being that the boy might have had his mouth open and the shot passed out.

New Catholic Hall.

Arrangements were made by the members of St. Thomas parish for a "bee," Wednesday morning, to break ground for a new building to be put up just north of the present school building. Not many were present to work the first day, there being but two teams and a dozen volunteers on hand, but the work was started and will now be rushed along. The building to be put up will be in the shape of a hall, 47 by 110 feet, and will be used for a church during the time that a new church edifice is being built. After that time the intention is to use it for a hall for exhibitions and entertainments. D. J. Ross drew the plans for the hall and is to superintend its construction. The building will be plain and substantial and will cost about \$5,000 complete.

Local Prohibition Again Agitated.

The prohibition of the traffic in liquor within five miles of the University seems to have again come to the front. This time it was in the Methodist conference, where a resolution concerning it was adopted, after a brief address by Prof. Steere.

Prof. Steere stated that an earnest movement was now on foot in Ann Arbor looking to the wiping out of the liquor traffic here. The resolution as adopted is as follows:

Resolved, That, having learned of action initiated by the Christian churches of Ann Arbor, in which the Students' Christian Association of our state University co-operate, asking the State Legislature to prohibit all traffic in intoxicating liquors within five miles of the University of Michigan, we cheerfully indorse said movement and respectfully request our state legislative body to enact such laws as will secure the desired end.

Found Dead in the Field.

John Kinney, one of the prominent farmers of Webster township, died suddenly of heart disease, Friday. He took a horse and started for a field to do some work. A short time later the horse returned to the house alone, and an investigation following Mr. Kinney was found dead in the field.

The deceased was born in Vermont in 1822 and came to this county with his parents in 1828, his entire life, with the exception of six years, having been spent within the limits of this county. In 1850 he was married to Adelia Queal, the daughter of another old pioneer family of this county, and as a result of the union six children were born to them. Mr. Kinney was the owner of one of the finest farms in Webster and was also an extensive stock raiser. The funeral was held Sunday, and was attended by a large number of old friends and neighbors.

A Big Fair Assured.

Remember the Washtenaw county fair next week, the greatest in the history of the association. Every man, woman, and child should visit it. Its success as an exhibition is now fully assured. Never before have its managers worked so hard and effectively. The attractions are many and great. Of course every one will want to see the balloon ascensions of the famous Prof. Bartholomew and the female gymnast, Miss Gertie Carmo, and the parachute drops. They were the great drawing card at the Detroit Exposition. They will prove a drawing card here. The races will be good. The display of stock much larger than ever

before, while the other exhibits will be most numerous. A military parade will be given. Speeches will be made by Governor Winans and Senator Palmer, the president of the World's Fair Association. The other attractions are numerous. Don't fail to attend.

Nearly Bled to Death.

Sunday noon, Leo Kopf, who keeps a confectionery store on Huron street, went to Hangsterfer's ice cream factory to get a supply of ice cream. There he found Jack Butler quarreling with an Ypsilanti party and tried to act as peace-maker. Butler turned on Kopf, who is of slight build, and struck him a terrific blow in the face. Kopf went to his store, the blood streaming from his nose. A doctor was summoned but all attempt to stop the blood was ineffectual for several hours, an artery being broken. His nose was finally plugged up, but several times since the plugs have loosened and the blood flown again. Kopf has become very weak from the loss of so much blood, at times sinking so low that his case was serious. Yesterday the physicians got the flow under control and now think that the patient will recover.

Butler was arrested and placed in jail on the charge of assault and battery, but the officers are awaiting the result of Kopf's injuries and may change the charge to a more serious one.

Fell Through a Window.

Wednesday afternoon, Albert G. Rosser, a young man in the employ of O. O. Sorg, had a fortunate escape from a very serious injury. Mr. Sorg had the contract for furnishing the plate glass for the new front in Mack & Schmid's store. The three large panes in the south window had been set and Mr. Sorg and his men were placing the glass in the north window in position. Rosser stepped into the south window for something and stumbling over a plank on the floor, fell head foremost through the large glass on the Liberty street side. The broken glass from this window fell to the other side and broke a still larger pane on the north side of the window.

Rosser crawled through the broken window and went to Dr. George's office, leaving a trail of blood behind. An examination showed a slight cut on the forehead, another on the left hand and a cut on his right arm, all of which were dressed by Drs. George and Kapp. It is remarkable that his wounds were no more serious, as the was heavy, half an inch thick, and fell all over him.

The loss by the accident will amount to about \$150 and there is some question upon whom this will fall. Mr. Sorg's contract calls for the setting of the glass, and he claims that this window was finished, although the entire job had not yet been completed.

The Beggs Case.

The requisition papers issued by the governor of California for William M. Beggs, who came here to study law, were denied by Governor Winans Tuesday. The facts of the case seem to be these. On July 25, Beggs made a trade for property with James Newell. On the last of August Newell began a civil suit to have the trade set aside, claiming that he had been cheated. During this time Beggs had remained at home making preparations to come to Ann Arbor. He left California for Ann Arbor September 1. On September 5, Newell made a criminal complaint against Beggs charging him with obtaining property under false pretenses, the property obtained being that which he had traded Beggs. The California officers telephoned on here and had Beggs arrested on his arrival here, September 7, as stated in the Argus. The next day he was released on a writ of habeas corpus. Requisition papers were obtained and an officer came on to serve them. The hearing was held before Governor Winans Tuesday. The Governor refused to issue a warrant on the ground that no crime was charged. After Beggs was discharged, his attorneys learned that the officer who came on with the requisition papers had consulted ex-Supreme Judge Cahill, who had refused to appear on the ground that no offense was charged.

The Methodist Ministers of Washtenaw.

The appointments of the M. E. ministers in the eastern half of the state were given out by Bishop Newmann last Monday evening. Rev. Edward W. Ryan was appointed presiding elder for this, the Adrian district. Rev. James L. Hudson was made presiding elder of the Detroit district, in which the extreme eastern part of the county is located. The appointments for this county and vicinity are as follows:

Ann Arbor, Rev. Camden M. Coburn.
Chelsea, Rev. J. H. McIntosh.
Clinton, Rev. A. W. Stalker.
Dexter, Rev. M. H. McMahon.
Dixboro, Rev. L. S. Tedman.
Grass Lake, Rev. O. F. Winton.
Manchester and Sharon, Rev. R. L. Cope.
Milan, Rev. G. W. Sloane.
Saline, Rev. T. G. Potter.
Stony Creek, Rev. Harvey Palmer.
Salem and Northfield, Rev. Henry Shier.
South Lyon, Rev. J. H. Riddick.
Stockbridge, Rev. E. L. Moore.
Whitmore Lake and Hamburg, Rev. Samuel Jennings.
Ypsilanti, Rev. J. Venning.
Rev. Samuel Jennings, who was appointed to preach at Whitmore Lake, was received into full connection at this conference from the Wesleyan body of Newfoundland, and his orders as an elder recognized.

Mrs. R. A. Beal was elected a member of the board of deaconesses for three years.

In the conference which comprises the eastern half of the state, it was reported that there were 36,522 members, an increase of 440; 236 local preachers, an increase of 4. The churches were valued at \$1,816,450, a decrease of \$2,400; the parsonages at \$298,820, an increase of \$18,730. The old indebtedness is \$27,598, an increase of \$2,656; the present indebtedness is \$118,165, an increase of \$7,433. The Sunday school pupils number 50,418.

Closed for the Fair.

The business men of Ann Arbor close their place of business next Friday afternoon so that they and their employes may have an opportunity to attend the fair, which promises to be the best ever held here. It is hoped that every one in the city will be on the fair grounds at least one day, to show that they appreciate honest efforts to make a great success of the county fair. The paper signed by the business men is as follows:

We, the undersigned business men of the city of Ann Arbor hereby agree to close our respective places of business on Friday the second day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon and keep them closed until 4 o'clock p. m. of that day, for the purpose of giving ourselves and employes an opportunity to attend the Washtenaw Agricultural Society's annual fair.

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Milan.

J. C. Rause visited Detroit, Tuesday.

There are several cases of typhoid fever in town.

Will Woolcott has returned from his Jackson trip.

Mrs. E. Shannon, of Jackson, is visiting Milan relatives this week.

A. Ball, who has been very ill with typhoid fever is convalescent.

The thermometer is 95 in the shade. Very good for Fall weather.

Mrs. Chas. Case and daughter are the guests of Mrs. Blinn, this week.

The Baptist ladies will hold their annual fair the 2nd and 3rd of October.

Miss N. Simpson went to Detroit the last of the week after new millinery goods.

Homer Sill and family will move into Mrs. Blinn's house on E. Main street, this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hinckley spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends in Ypsilanti.

Wm. H. Whitmarsh went to Detroit and Toledo after new goods the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zimmerman are entertaining guests from Jamestown, Ohio, this week.

Wm. H. Whitmarsh has a new walk in front of his new store on Main and River streets.

The Women's Relief Corps will indulge in a New England supper the first Wednesday in October.

The members of the M. E. church will give Rev. Geo. E. Sloan a fine reception on his return to Milan.

Mrs. Blinn will spend the winter in Deerfield. Miss Lena and Master Lester will keep her company.

James Gauntlett is in his new store. There is a fine display of fine goods and the opening Saturday was well attended.

Geo. Chapon, who has been at Monrovia, Africa, is about to return there and will hold a Monrovia missionary meeting at the rink Wednesday evening. There will be several of the T. M. Pentecost band present. All are invited to attend the evening of the 23rd of September.

Entitled to the Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constive or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

Lima.

Lima enjoys three mails a week.

Wm. H. Dancer is some better.

E. Spaulding raised 2,500 bushels onions on 5 acres.

Mrs. Henry Wilson is visiting her parents at Owosso this week.

Charley Baldwin, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with his father and mother.

J. E. Cooley started for New York State, Tuesday, to visit friends and relatives.

There will be an open P. of I. meeting at the town hall Thursday evening, October 1.

John Waltrous has built a house to cure onions in. He has over 3,000 bushels gathered up to this writing.

J. N. Merchant, our Jerusalem miller, in doing a costum work of 40 to 50 bushels of wheat a day, besides feed, and is putting in two sets of rolls more, and other machinery, purchased of the Ypsilanti machine works.

Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequalled for men, women, and children. Smallest, mildest, surest! 50 doses, 25 cts. Samples free at Eberbach & Son's.

Emery.

Miss Anna Hemingway was in Detroit a part of last week.

Rosa Bailey returned to Ann Arbor last Monday to stay two weeks.

John Baumgardner, of Ann Arbor, was calling on friends here last Sunday.

Lou Braun, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his parents, Fred Braun and family.

Chas Smith and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pitney, at Highland.

J. B. Laraway attended the M. E. conference at Detroit last week. He was sent as a delegate from the Leland church.

Eisele's Cancer Specific.

This celebrated salve and ointment, prepared by Mrs. E. M. Eisele, cures old sores of long standing, fever sores and most varieties of cancer. As a curative agent it has worked wonders to the joy of the patients and surprise of intelligent physicians. Address Mrs. E. M. Eisele, 12 Catherine street, Ann Arbor, Mich. Enclose postage stamp for circulars.

When a man is looking for a wife he wants an angel, and when he goes to housekeeping he sometimes says ugly things because he didn't get a cook.

The Greatest Strike.

Among the great strikes that of Dr. Miles in discovering his New Heart Cure has proven itself to be one of the most important. The demand for it has become astonishing. Already the treatment of heart disease is being revolutionized, and many unexpected cures effected. It soon relieves short breath, fluttering, pains in side, arm, shoulder, weak and hungry spells, oppression, swelling of ankles, smothering and heart dropsy. Dr. Miles' book on Heart and Nervous Diseases, free. The unequalled New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by Eberbach & Son; also his Restorative Nerve for headache, fits, sprees, hot flashes, nervous chills, opium habit, etc.

Hibbard's Rheumatic and Liver Pills

These pills are scientifically compounded and uniform in action. No gripping pain commonly following the use of pills. They are adapted to both adults and children with safety. We guarantee that they have no equal in the cure of Sick Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia and Biliousness; and, as an appetizer, they excel any other preparation. For sale by John Moore.

Not the Hotel Bills.—Clara—"What struck you most forcibly during your tour of Switzerland, Mr. Allover?" Mr. A.—"Well—er—I think it was a stone from an avalanche."

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor; and Geo. Haussler, Manchester, drug stores.

Slang in the Home of Literature.—"I'm on to you," said the drop of ink to the blotting pad in a tone of considerable asperity. "Dry up," replied the blotting pad, with firm dignity. And it did.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor, and Geo. Haussler, Manchester.

Gent—"Hi, cabby! What'll you take us both for?" Cabman—"Only one mark." Gent—"And myself alone?" Cabman—"The same—one mark." Gent (to his wife)—"There, old woman, you see how much you are valued at."

Pronounced Perfect by a Practical Engineer.

I have been a great sufferer from rheumatism for seven years, and hearing of the success of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup, concluded to give it a trial. I have tested the curative properties of the mineral springs without finding relief from that or any other source until I tried Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup, which has done wonders for me. I can now walk with entire freedom from pain and my general health is very much improved. It is a splendid remedy for the blood and the debilitated system. Fred Herman, Engineer Water Works, Big Rapids, Mich.

Prepared only by the Charles Wright Medicine Company, Detroit, Michigan For sale by all druggists.

Young wife (gloomily)—"Do you suppose our husbands really went fishing last Saturday?" Second young wife (confidentially)—"I am sure of it." First young wife—"They didn't bring home any fish." Second young wife—"That's my principal reason for believing they went fishing."

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

"Do you drink?" asked the old man. "I do," said the younger one boldly. "Then come and have one on me," returned the patriarch; "my daughter bet me her next quarter's allowance that you didn't."—Boston Gazette.

Look At Him!

A year ago he was not expected to live. Liver complaint almost killed him. He got great relief from three bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and six bottles cured him.—Editor Weekly Sun.

"He'll never get over my jilting him."

"Why, was he so in love with you?"

"Oh, no. He was so in love with himself."

Take Warning

And don't let the germs of that vile disease, Catarrh, take root and flourish in your system. Sulphur Bitters will prevent this and will make you strong and healthy.—Editor Weekly Press.

The Eleventh Week of Sleep.

[From the Jackson Star.]

May White, of Stockbridge, is still asleep, and has remained in that nocturnal sleep for 11 weeks. Investigation of the case of the sleeping girl shows her peculiar malady is, in all probability, the result of a fall received about a year ago. At that time Miss White, who is 26 years old, not 15 as has been stated, was attending the business college at Ypsilanti. One evening while descending some stone steps she slipped and fell, striking heavily on one side. The resulting contusion gave her great pain and she was obliged to leave school, returning to her home in Meadville. Eventually an abscess formed where Miss White sustained the injury. She grew worse right along and began to have spasms at frequent intervals. Dr. H. E. Brown, of Stockbridge, treated her and in time the malady seemed to succumb to his efforts. The spasms ceased and the abscess was relieved.

About eleven weeks ago the proneness to sleep developed. Dr. Brown was puzzled and to facilitate matters had the patient moved to his home where she still remains. Her lethargy seems to have grown heavier right along and she would undoubtedly sleep continually if not awakened. The doctor is the only one able to arouse her and it takes him from one to two hours to bring the girl to a state of consciousness. Sometimes she will remain awake as long as five hours but usually for a much shorter period.

Miss White has lost no flesh. She eats heartily of light food when awake and of her own accord. There is no evidence of a change except for the worst, and Dr. Brown is wholly at loss to predict the outcome.

DR. FRUTH'S SUCCESS.

As Told by a New York Reporter. That many men enter the practice of medicine and surgery without any knowledge of the requirements of the great responsibility of the practice of medicine, and often with too limited stock of medical education and experience, and, more often, no adaptation to the profession which they have chosen. This fact is apparent from the large number who locate in the villages of our land, many of whom eke out a miserable existence and seldom, if ever, rise to eminence.

Physicians are like poets, born, not made, but when an instance occurs that this is connected with years of scientific research, professional education and extensive practice from which comes the ability to discern and comprehend the exact location and character of disorder and disease—to prescribe and apply the only efficient remedies, and to cure, with almost absolute and invariable success, in every case recognized and pronounced as curable. When such an instance occurs, and becomes established by actual trial, it is not only a pleasure, but a duty to recognize and proclaim it. Such an instance, we are happy to say, undoubtedly is furnished in the person and practice of Dr. Fruth, whose advertisement appears in another column. In an immense practice of years, and in many hundreds of cases, Dr. Fruth has proved himself to be all that his mammoth advertisement suggests and his remarkable success in the treatment and cure of chronic diseases in the multitude of cases brought to him during his brief visits to this place the past year is becoming one of the most interesting topics of the times. Those who have not consulted with him before, in behalf of themselves, or friends, or relatives afflicted in any of the forms mentioned in his advertisement, should hasten to do so, ere it be too late.

Dr. Fruth at the Cook House, Thursday, October 1.

The man who prefers to be right rather than be President has usually been heartily accommodated by the people.

Banana Peel on the Sidewalk.

The street car had passed, but to catch it he reckoned, So he ran like a deer, and shouted and beckoned,

Till he planted his heel On a smooth bit of peel— Then he saw half a million of stars in a second.

He was in too great a hurry; better have waited for another car. There are cases, however, where haste is necessary. If you have night-sweats, feverishness, weak, sore lungs and a hacking cough, do not lose an hour in obtaining a supply of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Delay in such cases is dangerous, it may be fatal. Before the disease has made too great progress, the "Golden Medical Discovery" is a certain cure. In fact, it's guaranteed to benefit or cure, or money paid for it promptly refunded.

Saloonkeeper—Have you had any experience at tending bar?

Applicant—Well, I have been an assistant in a Kansas drugstore for three years.

Saloonkeeper—I guess you'll do.

Will Be Given Away.

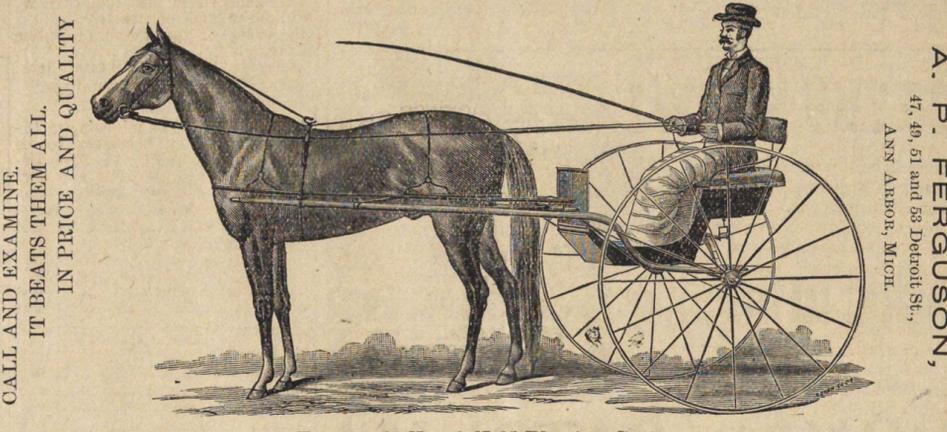
Our enterprising druggists, Eberbach & Son, who carry the finest stock of drugs, perfumeries, toilet articles, brushes, sponges, etc., are giving away a large number of trial bottles of Dr. Miles' celebrated Restorative Nerve. They guarantee it to cure headache, dizziness, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, the ill effects of spirits, tobacco, coffee, etc. Druggists say it is the greatest seller they ever knew, and is universally satisfactory. They also guarantee Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure in all cases of nervous or organic heart disease, palpitation, pain in side, smothering, etc. Fine book on "Nervous and Heart Diseases" free.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK,

At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business May, 4, 1891.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, CASH, DEPOSITS. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw. I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES E. HISCOCK, Cashier. CORRECT—Attest: Christian Mack, L. Gruner, W. D. Harriman, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1891. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public

Capital stock paid in, \$ 50,000 | Total assets, - \$761,291.31 Capital security, 100,000 | Surplus, - 100,000.00

Transacts a general banking business; buys and sells exchanges on New York, Detroit and Chicago; sells drafts on all the principal cities of Europe.

This bank, already having a large business, invites merchants and others to open accounts with them with the assurance of the most liberal dealing consistent with safe banking.

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DIRECTORS.—Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, Daniel Hiscock, William Deubel, Willard B. Smith, David Rinsey, and L. Gruner.

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

NEW PERKINS HOTEL, DETROIT. JUST OPENED At the Old Stand Cor. Grand River and Cass Avenues, Direct Street Car Connections from all Depots. Rates, \$1.25 to \$2 per day.

THE YPSILANTI FAIR.

Keeps Pacing With Ypsilanti's Growth.

A SKETCH OF THE FAIR AND THE TOWN.

Portraits of the Officers of the Fair.—The Balloon Ascension.—The Settlement and Growth of Ypsilanti.

[From the Detroit Tribune.]

Ypsilanti has had a solid week of excitement on account of the twentieth annual Eastern Michigan agricultural fair, which was held from Sept. 15 to 18 inclusive. Never before in the history of the fair have such crowds flocked to the grounds, and never before have the people who attended gone away so well pleased as upon this occasion.

Twice as many cattle as last year, more horses than could be taken care of upon the grounds and a magnificent display in all other departments, every stall every pen, every coop and every inch of space being taken. There were 2,076 entries in the nineteen departments of the show, or twice as many as last year. There were 189 exhibitors, making an overage of over eleven entries each. The management has done a lot of hard work in securing attractions, and besides this the new motor line between Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor, which has only been running this year, brought in great crowds from the sister city, attracted by the low fare and the delightful cross-country ride in the breezy open cars. Another reason why the fair proved such a success was that, as it occurred during the week immediately following the state fair at Lansing, a large number of the premium exhibitors came from there, and local exhibitors, knowing that they would come, had to hustle around pretty lively in order that their displays should not be lost sight of in the competition.

Tuesday, the opening day, was practically devoted to getting ready, and no admission being charged there was a large attendance, but not so large as on Wednesday, when the events of interest that marked the progress of the exhibition practically began. The gate money for the morning was greater than that for the whole of the corresponding day in 1890. The event of the day was the balloon ascension and parachute jump which occurred late in the afternoon under the auspices of Aeronaut McEwan, of Jackson, his assistant, Charles Wolcott, making the perilous shoot through space. The bold athlete cast off at a height of about 1,500 feet, and reached terra firma in safety about half a mile from the place where he left the earth, proving once again that ballooning and parachuting are as safe as railroading if you only know how to do it.

The ascension was repeated Friday afternoon, the closing day, but was delayed until a late hour on account of the high wind that was blowing. There were exciting trotting races every afternoon and an extra attraction, which, by the way, was not advertised on the bills, was a prize drill by the Ypsilanti Light Guard, to the music of two excellent bands, the drill being followed by a street parade and another exhibition in front of the opera house.

The fair closed Friday evening in a tremendous thunder storm, which, however, did not break until most all the visitors were under cover and out of the way, but the exhibitors, who were busy getting their animals and goods together, were thoroughly drenched and filed down Congress street during the early hours of the evening in a streaming, water-logged procession, which seemed to greatly excite the risibilities of the more fortunate citizens.

The average attendance was not far from 10,000 for every day of the show, and Secretary F. P. Bogardus, who had worked himself almost sick



F. P. BOGARDUS.

in arranging for the opening, recovered immediately when he saw the silver streams pouring into his office from the different gates and the people jostling one another through the narrow entrances. Mr. Bogardus

stayed on the ground every minute while the fair was open. This is his second term as secretary, and he ought to be just the man for the place, for he knows the people of Washtenaw pretty well, having lived in Ypsilanti for forty-six years. He has been elected mayor three times, and is now a justice of the peace.



WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

William Campbell, who is now serving his fourth term as president of the Eastern Michigan Agricultural Society, has spent the greater part of the fifty-three years during which he has sojourned upon this terrestrial sphere in the neighborhood of Ypsilanti. He is a prosperous farmer and lives at Pittsfield, about midway between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. Mr. Campbell has always been a republican of the truest blue. The very good likenesses of both gentlemen which adorn this column are from photographs taken especially for The Tribune. The people of Ypsilanti take the greatest interest in their fair, considering it one of the most important among all their institutions. The railroads, too, have done their best for it, making specially low rates from all parts of the county and from neighboring cities to those intending to visit it.

Ypsilanti is one of the most thriving cities in eastern Michigan to-day, and all that a casual observer would need to be convinced of the truth of this observation would be to look around him and see the large number of new buildings in progress of construction on the different streets and avenues. The town seems to be just awakening to the fact that it is splendidly located for all sorts of manufacturing industries and the public spirited citizens who have pushed themselves to the front in her affairs so rapidly during the past ten years are doing great things in bringing factories to Ypsilanti, and seem to be making large fortunes out of those that are already in operation, which will no doubt act as a powerful incentive to fresh efforts in this direction.

Ypsilanti was first settled in the summer of 1823 by Major Benjamin J. Woodruff, who came from Ohio with a party of immigrants seeking a home, and proceeded up the tortuous and swift flowing Huron river from the point where it empties into Lake Erie just below the mouth of our own noble stream, on a primitive flatboat. He didn't find a place to suit him until he reached the site of the coming city of Ypsilanti, but here he snubbed vessel against the east bank of the stream and went ashore with his followers and founded the first village in Washtenaw county. Ypsilanti was called at first Woodruff's Grove, but was soon given its present name in honor of Demetrius Ypsilanti, the Greek revolutionist general, a portrait of whom, presented to the municipality by the Greek consul at New York, now hangs in the council chamber.

The rapid growth of the new village attested Major Woodruff's wisdom in tying up where he did. He was soon joined by others seeking to better their condition, most of whom spent the rest of their lives or are still spending them at the place where they first settled, and so from this small beginning Ypsilanti has grown until to-day she boasts a population of over 6,000 souls, or to be precise, according to the last census, exactly 6,128.

Ypsilanti has two railroads, the Michigan Central and the Lake Shore, Ypsilanti branch or "Huckleberry," as it is irreverently called, not mentioning the new motor line. She has ten churches, respectively Methodist, Episcopal, Baptist, Catholic, Presbyterian, Congregational, Lutheran and two colored churches and more building, a big dress-stay factory, a box and tag factory, two flouring mills, two foundries and a large knitting mill as well as many more lesser manufacturing concerns, and several large corporations are negotiating for sites for their plants, where they can avail themselves of the excellent water power of the Huron river.

Fat Shrinkage—Reportah—"So poor Will was accidentally strangled to death. How'd it happen?" Flicker—"Got caught in a shower and couldn't unbutton the collar of his flannel shirt."

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL CHAMBER, ANN ARBOR, MICH., Sept. 21, 1891.

Regular meeting. Council met and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: A quorum present. Absent—Alderman Hall.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—The following is the amount of money to be raised on the tax roll for the Street Fund for the fiscal year, and appropriated as follows, to-wit:

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| For general street work..... | \$ 5,000 |
| " cross-walks..... | 2,000 |
| " culvert on Hill street..... | 350 |
| " grading on Hill street, from Main to Washtenaw avenue..... | 500 |
| " grading on 14th street..... | 350 |
| " Culvert on Fifth street..... | 400 |
| " " " First..... | 350 |
| " Madison street, grading between 7th and 4th streets..... | 350 |
| " Culvert on Felch street..... | 400 |
| " " Summit street and grading..... | 550 |
| " grading and purchasing point on Detroit and Beakes streets..... | 500 |
| " grading and graveling Washtenaw avenue..... | 500 |
| " grading and graveling Wilmot street..... | 150 |
| " " " Fuller..... | 200 |
| from M. C. R. R. depot to Bridge No. 3..... | 200 |
| " grading Broadway hill..... | 500 |
| Total..... | \$12,100 |

Respectfully submitted, By order of the Board of Public Works.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk. Referred to the Finance Committee.

To the Common Council:

The Board of Public Works would respectfully recommend that the following sidewalks to be ordered built: On Ashley street, east side, from W. Jefferson to Madison streets.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk. Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

To the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—The following is the amount of money necessary to be raised on the tax roll for the Fire Department Fund for the fiscal year and appropriated as follows, to-wit:

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| For salaries of Firemen..... | \$ 4,975 00 |
| " 1,000 feet hose..... | 750 00 |
| " horse feed..... | 350 00 |
| " horse-shoeing..... | 40 00 |
| " men's dept, washing, bedding, etc..... | 100 00 |
| " one stove and repairs..... | 45 00 |
| " fuel..... | 90 00 |
| " oil..... | 25 00 |
| " one floor in apparatus and sleeping room..... | 147 96 |
| " hose tower..... | 200 00 |
| " general repairs..... | 225 00 |
| " overdraft, February 1, 1892..... | 1,800 00 |
| Total..... | \$ 8,747 96 |

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

W. J. MILLER, Clerk. Referred to Finance Committee.

A petition signed by F. A. Howlett, and eleven other residents and property holders of the city of Ann Arbor, asking for the discontinuance of Clark street and the continuation of Fourteenth street through from Ann to Catherine streets.

Referred to Street Committee.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Lighting would respectfully report that in their judgment the sum of \$8,000 will be needed during the coming year for lighting the streets.

The expense for the last twelve months has been \$7,408.19, and during that time several new lights have been put in, which will increase the expense of lighting the coming year. All of which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM HEIZ, GEO. ALLMENDINGER, ARTHUR J. KITSON, Lighting Committee.

Referred to Finance Committee.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Herz: Resolved, That the City Clerk notify the Ann Arbor T. H. Electric Company that their contract for lighting this city expires January 1, 1892.

Which resolution prevailed.

By Alderman Fillmore:

Whereas, The Board of Public Works, having reported to the Common Council, that the culvert, over mill race on Felch street, is out of repair and in a dangerous condition, and having submitted plans and estimate of the cost of a new stone culvert, and it appearing to the Council that a new stone culvert ought to be built and constructed thereat, and that the same is a necessary public improvement, therefore,

Resolved, That a new stone culvert be and the same is hereby ordered constructed over Mill race on Felch street, according to the plans so submitted by the Board of Public Works, and that the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Street Fund, therefor.

That the Board of Public Works do cause said culvert to be constructed, without unnecessary delay, according to plans so submitted.

After some discussion Ald. Wines offered the following resolution as a substitute:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to build a Culvert on Felch street, four rods long, the side walls to be of stone and the roadway to be of timber and heavy plank.

Which resolution was lost by a yeas and no vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Mann, Wines, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley.—5.

Nays—Ald. Herz, Martin, Allmendinger, Fillmore, O'Hearn, Ferguson, Rehberg.—7.

Ald. Mann moved the whole matter be laid on the table, which motion was lost by a yeas and no vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Mann, Wines, Martin, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley.—6.

Nays—Ald. Herz, Allmendinger, (Concluded on Sixth Page).



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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of Alex. W. Hamilton, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, on Monday the seventh day of December and on Monday the seventh day of March next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated September 7, 1891. **ALEXANDER W. HAMILTON, ANDREW CAMPBELL,** Commissioners.

Estate of Seary J. Hickman.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday the seventh day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Seary J. Hickman deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Ellen Hickman, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to John S. Hickman, or to some other suitable person. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate

(A true copy.) **WILLIAM G. DOTY,** Probate Register.

THE SONG OF THE "No. 9."

My dress is of fine polished oak, As rich as the finest fur cloak, And for handsome design You just should see mine— No. 9, No. 9.

I'm beloved by the poor and the rich, For both I impartially stitch; In the cabin I shine, In the mansion I'm fine— No. 9, No. 9.

I never get surely nor tired, With zeal I always am fired; To hard work I incline, For rest I ne'er pine— No. 9, No. 9.

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TIME TABLE (REVISED) JUNE,

A RHYME AND A MORAL.

"Bah! Bah! black sheep, Have you any wool?" "Yes, I have, master, Three bags full, One for the master, One for the dame, One for McKinley, Who cries in the lane."

This country is harvesting the best crops in its history, if we except the cotton crop. For the year just closed the crop was 8,625,000 bales, an excess of 1,340,000 bales over the highest previously recorded. It is not probable these figures will be equaled for several years.

Yet we will have at least 5,500,000 bales of cotton to sell in foreign markets. We will have from 200,000,000 to 250,000,000 bushels of wheat for which we must find foreign purchasers. In addition, we will have tobacco and meat to sell in large quantities. If we had no foreign markets at all, or if they were even partially closed to us, the large surplus would have to be marketed at home, and the result would be the lowest range of prices ever known.

Fortunately now, as in 1877, 1878, and 1879, a combination of events works for the prosperity of the American people. While we are gathering these fruits of the field, while with us the husbandman is rewarded abundantly, in Europe the rains have fallen at unpropitious periods, and drouth and storm have laid waste their fields. To avoid famine, Russia forbids the exportation of grain, and leaves America in undisputed possession of the markets. Hunger undermines the tariff wall of Germany and meat and grain from America will be eagerly demanded. England seeks food always where she can get it cheapest, believing that a nation is enriched, not by what it sends away, but by what it receives in exchange.

The one difficulty in the way of a fair and profitable exchange of these vast crops is the American tariff. The one nation that, by its laws, places an embargo on its own grain trade, is America. The farmers may, under the McKinley law, send wheat to Europe, but they can not exchange this wheat for other articles, for clothing, for instance, for household furniture, for tools and implements of agriculture, except on the pain of forfeiture of one-third of the return cargo.

We will send abroad 250,000,000 bushels of wheat. For it we will receive say \$250,000,000. This will be invested in clothing, in carpets, in linens, in furniture, in chinaware, in tinware, in hardware, etc., etc.

When these cargoes reach New York they are seized by Federal officers. They are weighed and measured and valued, and the owners are compelled to pay in duties 50 per cent. of the value of the cargoes. This will be a tax of \$125,000,000.

In other words, the farmers must send abroad three bushels of wheat in order to get in return the exchange value of two.

Last year the exports of cotton amounted to 5,800,000 bales. One-third of the return cargoes were confiscated under the plea of protection.

Of last year's cotton crop, two-thirds were exported, one-third was consumed at home.

It required all the cotton sold to American mills to pay the duties on the return cargoes taken in exchange for the 5,800,000 bales sold abroad. Here we have an object lesson illustrating the injustice and the oppression of our whole system of protection, so-called.

The farmer, he pays the freight; he pays the tax; he pays the pensions. To do this he has to cultivate three acres in order to have for his own use the product of two.

It is the most stupendous system of iniquity and oppression to which any free people ever submitted, and yet the farmer who works three days for two days' wages, is expected to walk up to the polls in Pennsylvania, in Ohio, and in the Great Northwest and vote for McKinley and Protection.

Down with the war tariff!—Henry Watterson in Louisville Courier Journal.

One hundred second hand stoves for sale cheap at Schuh & Muehlig.

Marriage Licenses.

Table listing marriage licenses for John Shavers, Caroline M. Harris, Henry R. Pierce, Fannie G. Butler, Charles E. Forstyth, Emma Cook, John Young, Emma Hewitt, William E. Moon, Sadie Filber.

Sketch of a Pioneer.

The Evening News of Wednesday evening contained the following sketch of a well-known lady in Lodi:

Perhaps there is no woman in Michigan who knows more about the sheep industry than does Mrs. Maria Wood, of Lodi Plains, Washtenaw county. She is now 94 years old, and her husband bought his first blooded sheep some 50 years ago, which his sons continued to be interested in after his death and which have won for them almost a world-wide reputation. Mrs. Wood was born at Ridgefield, Conn., in 1797. She was married in 1816 and twenty years later came to Michigan in company with her husband and five sons. The years have rolled lightly over her head and find her to-day healthy and happy, seemingly, so any of her descendants.

She makes annual visits to her grand and great-grandchildren, who number thirty-five in all and thinks nothing of riding twelve or fifteen miles across the country. She is greatly interested in all public affairs, and very little in the daily papers escapes her. Longevity seems to run in the family, as Mrs. Wood has three brothers creeping along toward the 100-year mark, one in Ann Arbor, Mr. Austin Scott, and two in Toledo, one of whom, J. W. Scott, gave \$80,000 toward the founding of the Toledo industrial home.

MRS. WIRT DEXTER TO REMARRY.

So Says the Chicago Times, with Interesting Gossip on the Subject.

Our Dexter readers, at least, will read with interest the following article from the Chicago Times:

Mrs. Wirt Dexter is going to relinquish the widow's weeds, which she has worn so becomingly for a year, in favor of orange blossoms. At least so the announcement runs. Better yet, the immense fortune left by the late Wirt Dexter to the wife whom he idolized is to be kept in the family. Mrs. Dexter, it is said, is to marry her husband's cousin, Gordon McKay, a wealthy man of Newyort, R. I.

It will be a good thing for the social world—whether east or west—this coming back of Mrs. Dexter into it again. To say that she was a leader of the creme de la creme of Chicago is not enough. She was infinitely more. At her home met the visiting literat, the famous actress, the great singer, the celebrated artiste. She felt that keen need of intellectual force in society, and acted thereupon. Brains, not mere beauty or wealth, was the open sesame to her Prairie avenue mansion; hers the potent force which fused the divergent elements into harmony. This, and the natural nobility of the woman—calm, gracious and self-reliant—made her friends on all hands. Other society queens might be slurred, but Mrs. Wirt Dexter—never. As well try to throw earth-mud on the clear moon.

Perhaps, after all, there was something in training. Mrs. Dexter had gone to school to Dame Experience, where the benches are narrow, the desks worn with many defacements, and the lessons hard to learn. And yet, once learned, how strong and thorough the pupil. It is even so with her. From earning her daily bread in a humble honest way, she became the adored wife of a millionaire, the proudly guarded mistress of his splendid home. He made no mistake. The girl he had seen and loved in her lowly position was one of nature's noblewomen, and filled her new sphere as earnestly and honorably as that first and different sphere. No shoddiness marred her meteoric triumph. The poor and humble found in her a friend, the proudest lady an equal. And it came to pass that one day the loved and loving husband responded to a sudden call and went out into the great afterland. But his love and care were stronger than death. The whole of his immense fortune was left to her. He knew in whom he had believed, and again he was not mistaken. Now, after a fitting season of decorous seclusion, comes the news that the charming widow will soon assume the pleasant shackles again. The bridegroom elect is a septuagenarian and a many-times millionaire. His Newport establishment is on a princely scale and his fortune not less than \$15,000,000. Mrs. Dexter is very much his junior, a fine, statuesque figure, with the carriage of an empress and the heart of a true woman.

Real Estate Transfers.

Table listing real estate transfers: J. N. Wallace to J. J. Morgan, O. B. Hall to Geo. Vanderwarker, N. Schmid to Joseph Kroner, E. F. Walker to Albert Walker, C. S. Wortley to Wm. Wortley, Earl Ware to N. S. Garlinghouse, M. A. Alabaster to J. C. and A. A. Schryver, H. & T. Hutzel to Conrad Noll, Jno. Taylor to Wm. Nanry, Lawrence and Amelia Curtiss, Geo. Bower to Jno. Linderman, N. Cordary, by assignee, to First National Bank.

The European Crops.

The September U. S. crop report in speaking of the crops of Europe says:

In Europe the rye crop is second in importance to wheat, and in some of the eastern countries it is the largest cereal crop grown. In Russia, Austria and Germany the product is double that of wheat. In these countries it is the staple food grain, and its use enables Russia and Austria-Hungary to export a larger proportion of their wheat crop. But for the universal use of rye for food, Russia would not be a wheat-exporting country. The practical failure of the Russian rye crop this year is indicated by the ukase forbidding the export of that grain from the empire. The failure of rye, with the short wheat crop, measurably removes that country from competition with us in wheat exportation this year.

Official returns for 1890 make the wheat product in Russia, winter, 78,905,684 bushels, and spring, 134,994,920, an aggregate of 212,980,604 bushels. The wheat and rye crops of 1891 will be very short in Russia.

Mr. Moffat reports some improvement in the weather of the British Isles, which may tend to some relief of the bad crop situation there. He reports the quality of the French wheat the worst for years in addition to reduction of quality. He reports a reduction of 28,000,000 bushels in the French crop during the past month, and a present prospect of only 212,000,000 bushels. The Russian ukase forbidding the export of rye sent the price of that grain in Berlin up to 257 marks (nearly \$12) per ton, the highest price ever known. Rye meal has nearly doubled in value. The total production of the Austrian Empire is placed at about 190,000,000 bushels, a reduced yield. Italy and Spain will do somewhat better than was expected.

Senator Bastone on the Agricultural College.

[From the Michigan Farmer.]

CARO, Sept. 4th, 1891.

To the Editor of the Michigan Farmer: In reply to Mr. Butterfield's letter relative to remarks made by me in the Senate Chamber, I again assert my language was misquoted. How easy it is for this to be done when we consider that he misquoted my language used in the Michigan Farmer, namely: "And they never would have got the appropriation had Mr. Butterfield stated that two more professors would be added." This he refers to as the Senator's threat as to what would have been done had he known the board contemplated its recent action. The language used by me alluded to what the legislature would have done, and not me individually. I would like him to point out in what part of my letter I said I had no use for either the College or its work.

Allow me to say I have no grudge against the College. It is probably doing educational work, but it is doing what it was intended for, and what it professes to be, "an Agricultural College?" In connection with this I will ask a few questions:

Is the president a practical agriculturist? Why is it necessary to have one professor to less than nine students? Cannot some of them teach two branches? Why take nearly seven thousand dollars from the students and turn it into the

general fund and then ask an appropriation of eight thousand dollars to pay these same students back for labor? Why have to buy grain for the stock on a farm of seven hundred acres, with, I think, not more than 25 head of cattle and less than 100 sheep? How much per diem, mileage, and expenses was paid the board for their efforts to get the appropriation through? Why ask an appropriation for a foundry? Is it to cast models of the grain and vegetables grown there? Why keep up a mechanical department, or teach the languages and astronomy? Is it necessary to understand those to be a successful agriculturist?—Is it a fact that it is necessary to have a better education in order to be admitted to the College than most of our farmers can or do give their children?

The design of the institution is to afford thorough instruction in agriculture and the natural sciences connected therewith. Is this adhered to, or are we turning out lawyers, teachers and mechanics at an expense to the state of a hundred thousand dollars a year?

The public will undoubtedly be pleased to learn that there was not two more professors added to the thirty-six now at the College, and that they are only assistants. The Michigan Farmer, I think, stated they were professors. If the Farmer was wrong then I admit I was not posted. JOHN BASTONE.

Silk Raising in France.

During the first half of the present century silk raising in France was quite prosperous. In 1808 the production was 500,000 kilograms. It then increased steadily until 1849, when it was about 2,000,000 kilograms. In 1854 mulberry trees began to be attacked by a ravaging disease, which destroyed many plantations, and was merely the first of many reverses which have harassed and discouraged French silk growers. Since then the production has been subject to great fluctuations. In 1876 the low water mark for the century was reached, with an output of but 155,000 kilograms. During the last ten years the annual production has been from 600,000 to 800,000 kilograms.—Cor. Dry Goods Economist.

Future of Terra del Fuego.

The notions of Terra del Fuego which prevailed ten years ago have been completely upset by recent explorations. The latest travelers there are Messrs. Rousson and Willems, who have returned to France from their scientific mission in Terra del Fuego. These explorers believe the northern part of the island can be turned to good account, and that the day is not far distant when large herds and flocks will be raised upon ranches established all along the river valleys. A large district north of the Straits of Magellan, in Patagonia, which was wholly unoccupied twelve years ago, is now full of little farms devoted to raising sheep and cattle.

The owners have prospered so well that the territory they occupy has become too crowded. It is impossible to extend this business further north, and the farmers will therefore be compelled to turn to Terra del Fuego, which will receive the overflow from Patagonia. On Dawson Island, near the northwest coast of Terra del Fuego, Jesuit fathers are now engaged in stock raising, and for two years or so a fine ranch has been established on the northern coast of Terra del Fuego, where there are today about 20,000 sheep and 6,000 cattle. The English have been the first to establish themselves in this territory. Stock-raisers are now reaping a profit of 50 per cent. per annum. The explorers say the availability of the island for stock raising has been amply proven, and there is now no doubt that a prosperous future is before it.—Chicago Times.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The thermometer was up to ninety-two yesterday.

Mack & Schmid have a bran new "city style" delivery wagon.

N. S. Garlinghouse has purchased Earl Ware's house, on Broadway.

Meeting of Golden Rule lodge this evening to confer the third degree.

Rev. Zwinger, of Canada, preached at Zion church last Sunday evening.

E. A. Shaw broke ground Monday for a new residence on Olivia street.

The plate glass has been placed in the new front at Mack & Schmid's store.

The front of Brown's drug store is now decorated with several attractive signs.

The Ann Arbor Organ company sold 41 organs to one firm within the past fifteen days.

N. S. Garlinghouse has again accepted a position as motor man on the electric line.

Miss Emma Hoffstetter, while visiting in Birkett, fell down stairs and broke an arm.

The state crop report puts the yield of wheat in this state this year at 28,000,000 bushels.

Potatoes in this county are estimated by the crop reporters as 79 per cent of an average crop.

S. & J. Baumgartner will move into the store now occupied by the Ann Arbor Organ Co.

George Vandewerker expects to start a new house on the Hall addition within a few days.

The outside of Mack & Schmid's store has been made attractive by a coat of white paint.

The Sigma Phi fraternity house is being entirely refitted with new carpets and draperies.

The board of trustees of the Tappan Presbyterian Association held a business meeting Tuesday.

There were 54,762 bushels of wheat marketed in fifteen mills and elevators in this county last month.

Eight crop reporters in this county make the yield of late peaches here 84 per cent of an average crop.

The Gesang Verein Lyra was entertained by Mrs. Eugene Oesterlin, of W. Huron street, Monday evening.

New stone sidewalks are being laid on Main street in front of Krause's shoe store and Haller's jewelry store.

A dance will be given on the fair grounds on next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, afternoon and evening.

David Heoning was taken suddenly sick Sunday and for a time his condition was serious, but he is now fully recovered.

Assistant-Postmaster McOmber returned Saturday from an official inspection of the smaller postoffices of the county.

Washtenaw Chapter, R. A. M., conferred the past master's degree on five of our prominent business men, Monday evening.

The entries of live stock for the fair closed Tuesday night and the number is greater than ever before—171 horses and 127 cattle.

George Wolsey, a former resident of Ypsilanti and a veteran of the war, died in Lafayette, Ind., last Sunday, aged forty-six years.

Fifty men commence work to-day getting the grounds and buildings in shape for the large number of exhibits to be shown at the fair.

The October meeting of the Webster Farmers' Club will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Starks, Saturday, October 10th, 1891.

About thirty members from Washtenaw and Otsenigo lodges, I.O.O.F., of this city, assisted in work in the Ypsilanti lodge Monday night.

The output of the Ann Arbor Organ Works for the past year has been about four times what it was in 1888, a very gratifying and deserved growth.

The coldest day in August in this city was 46 degrees above zero, August 29, while the warmest day was August 9, when the thermometer registered 94.

Howard Hovey, executive clerk of Gov. Winans, who married Miss Louise Galloway, of Brighton, last week, was formerly an Ann Arborite, having been in the law office of Cramer, Frueauff & Corbin.

The fair authorities have changed the programme so that the military drill will take place Friday afternoon instead of Thursday as previously arranged.

During August, there were 2.54 inches of rain at Ann Arbor, 2.60 inches at Ypsilanti and 3.72 inches at Fairview. The average rainfall in the state was 4.01 inches.

Mrs. J. E. Beal, of this city, was the corresponding secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Detroit M. E. conference, which met in Detroit this week.

The University opens next Thursday and the students are returning in droves. The would-be freshmen are already grinding away with the entrance examinations.

David H. Waite, an old pioneer of this county, who lived in Dexter from 1830 until about three years ago, died at the home of his son in Coldwater, last Friday, aged 77 years.

Work on the Ypsilanti sewers began Monday with twenty men at work. Engineer George F. Keys, who now resides on Packard street, in this city, is superintendent of the work.

Daniel Moore died at his home, No. 15 S. Ingalls street, Sept. 17, of malarial fever, aged 52 years. His remains were taken to his former home, Saginaw, for interment, Friday.

W. H. Hawkins, the well known former resident of Ypsilanti, was seized with a severe attack of bronchial hemorrhage at the Griffin House in Detroit last Saturday. He is improving slowly.

Charles Crum has been bound over to the October term of court and is now in jail awaiting trial for breaking into E. W. Campbell's shop in Ypsilanti and stealing tools. He was arrested Sunday.

A very pleasant reception was given last evening to Rev. J. M. Gelston and wife at the parlors of the Presbyterian church. It was especially given to enable strangers to become acquainted with the pastor.

The Ann Arbor Organ Co., expects to move into larger quarters on the corner of Main and Liberty streets within a few days. Painters and decorators are now at work putting the building in shape.

The formal opening of the Light Infantry club rooms will take place on Wednesday evening, Oct. 14th, at which time the company will also give an invitation inspection to the honorary members and friends.

A valuable cow belonging to Adam Bohnet, of Pittsfield, was shot by some unknown person last week, but fortunately was not killed. Sportsmen should handle their guns more carefully and should pay damages.

The meeting and social of the Webster Farmers' Club which was to have been held at the residence of W. E. Boyden, last Friday, was postponed on account of the sudden death of Mr. John Kinney, one of the members.

The hearing of Henry, Frank and Ezra Forshae, and George and Elias Roberts, arrested for resisting and obstructing Deputy-Sheriff Peterson while making a levy on an execution, has been postponed until next Friday.

Prof. Perry, having an eye for the ancient, on his eastern travels secured a clock said to have been made 150 years ago and brought from Germany. The works are made entirely of wood and the clock is still a good time keeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bliss, of Fifth avenue, celebrated the fifty-sixth anniversary of their marriage, yesterday. Not many couples spend so long or happy a married life together. Mr. Bliss was the first jeweler west of Detroit.

The California fruit growers and gardeners are forming a syndicate to furnish the northern markets with fruit and vegetables in winter, at reasonable rates, so that the people of the east would have an opportunity to buy fresh vegetables in winter.

The fair authorities have found that they were going to be unable to accommodate the large number of entries of live stock in the present quarters and are now at work building between 200 and 300 more feet of horse stalls and 100 feet more of cattle stalls.

The T. & A. A. company has built a long piece of sidewalk in front of the depot property on Ashley street. When one more property owner lays a walk it will be possible to reach the depot in wet weather without paddling through several inches of mud.

Sunday morning about three o'clock, Patrolman Collins arrested Wm. Cana, a painter who works for Stabler Bros., for being drunk. He paid Justice Pond \$5.15 for his fun Monday morning. Last week Monday he finished serving thirty days' time for a similar offense.

A number of beautiful roses were left at our office the other day by Cousins & Hall. Their beauty was marvelous, a delicate blending of tints; the buds were the most perfect specimens of their kind. Rarely has it been our pleasure to chronicle so pretty a gift.

The Lansing Journal, Oakland Post and other exchanges contain this item: "A citizen of Leslie says that the reflection from the electric lights at seven places can be seen at Leslie. They are Howell, Mason, Lansing, Battle Creek, Jackson, Eaton Rapids and Ann Arbor."

A dray-horse belonging to a man named Wells, ran away and made things lively around the court house square, about six o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Wells had just taken out a drayman's license an hour before and his start in business was not an auspicious one.

The management of the fair have decided to add to the races a 2:30 trotting race, purse \$200, for Wednesday, Sept. 30; a 2:30 pacing race, purse \$200, for Thursday, Oct. 1; and a free for all, purse \$200, for Friday, Oct. 2. Entries to be held open until Monday night, Sept. 28.

Mr. Henry Cornwell, in speaking the other day of the low prices of paper today in comparison with war times, said that during the war he shipped one carload to the Free Press which amounted to over \$2,200. Now it would take nearly ten carloads to bring the same price.

Ross Granger, who has so successfully conducted many classes in dancing in this city, will hereafter devote one day a week to instructing those of the people of Jackson who are so fortunate as to join his classes. He is a fine teacher of the art and should find a good field in Jackson.

Contracts have been let for fitting up the new Light Infantry club rooms as follows: Decorating, Geo. L. Moore; carpets, E. F. Mills & Co.; furniture, W. G. Dieterle; draperies and curtains, Mack & Schmid. The company will spend about \$1,000 in making the rooms the finest in the state.

The excavation for the sewer for the high school is being rapidly made, from the top of Twelfth street to the foot of the hill. In many places the excavation is from twenty to twenty-six feet deep and not over three feet wide. To prevent the sides caving in planks are driven down on each side.

By the breaking of the large pump at the water works, the city was nearly without a water supply Wednesday afternoon. The reservoir was emptied and the small pump was not able to furnish enough for the consumption. By prompt work the company had the engine repaired and in order by evening.

The State Pharmaceutical Association will hold its annual meeting in city Oct. 21, 22 and 23. The meetings will be held in the lecture room of the chemical laboratory and about 200 members are expected. The local druggists are making arrangements to entertain the party with a carriage drive and a reception.

Clyde Beeman, of Lima, fifteen years old, stumbled and fell while running down a hill, yesterday, and broke both his forearms. In the right arm both bones were broken; in the left the radius only. Three years ago the same lad broke both arms in a similar manner, though not in the same places, in falling from a cherry tree.—Detroit Tribune.

J. F. Schuh has sold over 250 White and Domestic sewing machines since February 1. The right machine at a fair price does the business.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(Concluded)

Fillmore, O'Hearn, Ferguson and Rehberg.—6.

Ald. Mann objected to the consideration of the resolution under rule 20. The question being shall Ald. Mann's objection be sustained, the vote by yeas and nays was as follows:

Yeas.—Ald. Mann, Wines, Martin, Taylor, Kitson and Pres. Cooley.—6. Nays.—Ald. Herz, Allmendinger, Fillmore, O'Hearn, Ferguson, and Rehberg.—6.

Whereupon the chair decided the objection sustained, a majority of the Council not having voted to consider the resolution at this meeting.

By Ald. Mann: Resolved, That when we adjourn we adjourn until Monday, Sept. 28th, '91, at 8 o'clock.

Which resolution was lost by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Mann and Kitson.—2. Nays—Ald. Wines, Herz, Martin, Allmendinger, Fillmore, O'Hearn, Ferguson, Taylor, Rehberg and Pres. Cooley.—10.

By Ald. Wines: Whereas, The Committee on Streets, after full consideration, have reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petition of G. F. Allmendinger, J. W. Rogers, and more than ten other freeholders of this city, praying for the laying out of a street on the lines of Fourth avenue, projected southerly, from Madison street to Hill street, to be called Fourth avenue; therefore

Resolved, That this Council do deem such proposed improvement advisable and hereby give notice to all persons interested therein of the pendency of the same; that the Common Council will meet at the Council Rooms on the 5th day of October, next, at eight o'clock p. m. of said day for the purpose of determining the question of ordering the laying out of such proposed street.

2d. The City Clerk is hereby ordered and required to cause due notice of the pendency of such proposed improvement, as well as the time, when and place where this Council will meet to determine the question of ordering the same, to be duly served on all persons interested therein.

Which resolution prevailed by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Mann, Wines, Martin, Allmendinger, Fillmore, O'Hearn, Ferguson, Taylor, Rehberg, Kitson and Pres. Cooley.—11. Nays—Ald. Herz.—1.

Ald. Martin moved that we adjourn, which motion was lost, as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Herz, Martin, Allmendinger, O'Hearn, Ferguson.—5. Nays—Ald. Mann, Wines, Taylor, Rehberg, Kitson and Pres. Cooley.—6.

By Ald. Mann: Whereas, There is already an overdraft of the funds of the city and but seven months of the fiscal year has expired, and

Whereas, judging from the expenditures after September 1st, of last year, we shall have overdrawn our city funds to the extent of over \$21,000, unless strict economy is practiced, therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works and the Street Commissioner be and they are hereby requested to defer such improvements and street work which from their nature are not absolutely necessary.

Which resolution prevailed by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Mann, Wines, Herz, Martin, Allmendinger, O'Hearn, Taylor, Rehberg, Kitson and President Cooley.—10. Nays—None.

On motion the Council adjourned. W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Proceedings of Board of Public Works. [OFFICIAL.]

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, ANN ARBOR, SEPT. 18, 1891. Adjourned regular meeting.

Called to order by Pres. Keech. Roll called.

Present—Messrs. Schuh, Keech and McIntyre.

Mr. Keech moved that we recommend and ask the Common Council to order sidewalks built on the east side of Ashley street from Madison to Jefferson streets.

Yeas—Messrs. Schuh, Keech and McIntyre.

Following is the amount of money necessary to be raised on the tax roll for the Street Fund for the fiscal year and appropriated as follows to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes General street work (\$5,000), Cross walks (\$2,000), Culvert on Hill street (\$350), Grading on Hill street from Main to Washtenaw avenue (\$500), Grading on Fourteenth street (\$350), Culvert, Fifth street (\$350), Culvert, First street (\$400), Madison street, grading between Seventh and Fourth streets (\$350), Felch street culvert (\$400), Summit street culvert and grading (\$550), Grading and purchasing point on Detroit street (\$500), Washtenaw avenue, grading and graveling same (\$500), Wilmot street, grading and graveling (\$150), Grading and graveling Fuller street from M. C. R. R. to No. 3 bridge (\$200), Grading Broadway hill (\$500).

Total \$12,100

Mr. Keech moved that the respective appropriations and estimates made by the Board be submitted to the Common Council with the recommendation that they be approved.

Yeas—Schuh, Keech and McIntyre. The Board then adjourned. W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

"They do say that he's drinking himself to death on her account." "Indeed! And at what bar is her account kept?"

COUNTY.

The Dexter freight house has been repaired.

Peter Gorman, of Lyndon, has a new bean thresher.

Miss Emma Stroh is teaching in District No. 7, of Scio.

Thirty-one tickets were sold for the state fair at Salem.

The German Lutheran church in Chelsea will be enlarged.

The Chelsea school board will spend \$300 for new desks.

The River Raisin mill is once more turning out its grists.

The Clinton Methodist Sunday school contains 215 scholars.

Elmer Lyon is teaching in the Parker school district in Lima.

Horace Case has been appointed deputy marshal of Manchester.

Cement walk building is becoming fashionable in Manchester.

The Methodists of Clinton pay their minister a salary of \$1,050.

One bean stalk with eighty pods was exhibited in South Lyon last week.

Omar Moore, of Dexter, got \$1,000 for his trotting stallion, Tom Palmer.

Miss Ollie Stieger died in Clinton last Thursday, of consumption, aged fifteen years.

Schmid & Hurlburt, of Manchester, shipped 34,000 pounds of wool to Boston last week.

Norman Watson will move back on his farm in Bridgewater and is building a tenant house.

The Jackson and Adrian fairs have been in progress this week. The Ann Arbor fair comes next week.

William Gadd was bitten in the leg by a dog last week. The wound was at once thoroughly cauterized.

Jacob Heselchwerdt, of Sylvan, had an elbow dislocated by being thrown out of his buggy a few days ago.

J. E. Evans, of Chelsea, has a California string bean raised in his garden which measures twenty-eight inches.

One hundred South Lyonites attended the state fair. How many of them will attend the Washtenaw fair next week?

The South Lyon Picket boasts of having nineteen subscribers by the name of Smith. We have a number ourselves, but that beats us.

The farmers' social club in which a number of our Bridgewater readers are interested, meets at John Fischer's farm, where a fair will be held, October 2.

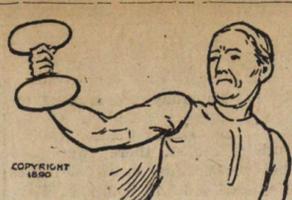
The county fair at Ann Arbor next week will be well worth going miles to see. Every effort is being made to make it the biggest fair in the history of the county.

The green worm described in last week's Argus as doing much damage to the trees in Jackson county, is doing a little work in the northwestern part of Washtenaw.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton, of Plainfield, Sundayed with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Glenn.—Chelsea Standard. They did, eh? And next morning beefsteak, didn't they, and coffee, and at noon corn beefed and watermeloned, and the same day horse-and-buggied and probably Dextered and Ann Arborred also. It is about time a halt was called on this thing of converting the names of the days of the week into perfect participles.—Grass Lake News.

The editor of the Ypsilanti Sentinel in his issue of the 9th, indulges in a few broken remarks concerning The News' scribe from which we shave off this sentence: 'We have been cudgeling our brain to imagine which of our old-time playmates is fool enough to run a country paper, especially at Grass Lake.' This inuendo against our beautiful village, the pride of Michigan, shall be avenged. We start for Ypsilanti tonight. The villain dies to-morrow.—Grass Lake News.

Jeff Lemm lives in Sharon and is favorably known in this and all the adjacent clearings. He is a good man. He loves his family, goes to church, and sells butter with no hair in it. A misfortune to him is felt to be a public disaster. Probably not since that horse cut a Hubbard squash blossom over Dell Dwellie's eye with his hoof, has a man been worse used by an infuriated member of the brute creation than J. R. Lemm was last week. A tear steals into our eye as we record the incident. He stepped over into a neighbor's field in search of a lost lamb. A buck, of the corrugated, horizontal-front-action pile driver breed, stood unobserved a few steps away. That buck was loaded for b'ar. He shot out with legs, body and horns and struck Lemm en masse right where a horse's tail sprouts. Our friend whizzed up into the air, his course describing a curve such as would be formed by the intersection of a cone with a plane parallel to one of its sides. The woolled monster's prey came down. He started on a run for the fence, but on casting his eye over his shoulder his fears subsided. That buck was eating grass.



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RESOURCES.

Table with 2 columns: Resource and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts (\$246,458.07), Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc. (\$75,981.07), Overdrafts (\$8,165.05), Due from banks in reserve cities (\$2,811.10), Due from Washtenaw Co. (\$22,538.44), Bills in transit (\$4,647.67), Furniture and fixtures (\$8,000.00), Current expenses and taxes paid (\$20.00), Interest paid (\$390.85), Checks and cash items (\$2,699.51), Nickels and pennies (\$89.44), Gold (\$7,596.00), Silver (\$1,966.10), U. S. and National Bank notes (\$12,889.00), Total (\$413,486.18).

LIABILITIES.

Table with 2 columns: Liability and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in (\$50,000.00), Surplus fund (\$10,000.00), Undivided profits (\$7,233.80), Dividend unpaid (\$1,500.00), Commercial deposits (\$290,049.55), Savings deposits (\$58,313.03), Total (\$685,917.97).

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, I, Frederick H. Belsler, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BELSELER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this seventeenth day of July, 1891. WILLIAM G. DORTY, Notary Public.

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Table with 4 columns: Train, A.M., P.M., P.M. Includes Leave Grand Rapids, Arr. Holland, Grand Haven, Muskegon, Leave Grand Rapids, Arr. Newaygo, White Cloud, Big Rapids, Baldwin, Ludington via F. & P. M., Manistee via M. & N. E., Traverse City.

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The September crop report issued by the U. S. department of agriculture contains the following:

CROP CONDITION.—The Department of Agriculture makes the general averages of cereal crops as follows: Corn, 91.1; wheat, 96.9; rye, 95.1; oats, 90.7; barley, 94.3; buckwheat, 96.6. A small advance is noted in all, buckwheat alone excepted. The average for potatoes is 94.8. For tobacco, 87.4.

CORN.—Condition of corn is 21 points higher than in September of last year, and has been exceeded only, three times in the past 10 years. State averages are generally high; the lowest are those of Michigan and Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota coming next, while South Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas make figures under the general average. In the Eastern and Middle States the crop is well grown, is generally earing well, but a little late, and recent cool nights prevent rapid advancement, yet frost has as yet done no damage. The crop is in fine condition in the Southern States. It is not so much injured by heavy rains as cotton. In some bottom lands water has caused material injury, while on uplands the crop is remarkably good. It was somewhat late, but is now generally beyond the reach of frost. A fine yield has been made west of the Mississippi, though in western Texas a little reduced by drought. It is a crop decidedly above medium throughout the South as a whole. Many correspondents refer to it as the best in years. In the Ohio Valley corn is heavy in stalk, somewhat late in earing from cool nights; in some places it has been blown down by heavy winds, yet is generally very promising. Local droughts are mentioned at a few points as cause of deterioration, without producing serious loss.

The correspondent in Franklin County, Ohio, claims the heaviest crop in 40 years. In Indiana and Illinois there was more injury from drought in July and early in August, which has been partially repaired by recent rains. If frost holds off 10 days nothing but the latest planting can be injured. Absolute immunity from loss would require exemption through September, yet most of the breadth is already safe. In Michigan there has been considerable injury from frost in late planted fields. Wisconsin reports damage from frosts of August 22 to 28, and in some cases still earlier. Some areas have been cut up for fodder in this latitude. Many Minnesota correspondents promise a good crop "if frost holds off," while in valley lands and the more northern sections it has already done considerable damage. There are also returns of injury from frost in the Dakotas. In Iowa and Nebraska the crop is late and would be injured by frost prior to September 20, and needs the entire month for ripening of late planted areas. In Missouri heavy rains in June, drought in July, and heavy rains and wind storms recently have been unfavorable to the highest condition. On well cultivated and drained areas corn is very heavy. Condition is variable in Kansas, the western district suffering from drought, while eastern counties have abundant moisture and a heavy crop.

WHEAT.—The condition of wheat is very high, considering both winter and spring varieties, in soils, latitudes, and elevations so widely differing. The general average has only been exceeded slightly twice since 1879, in 1882 and 1884. State averages are quite uniform, but 10 falling below 95 and 3 below 90, the lowest being 83 for South Carolina and 84 for North Carolina. The figures for the principal wheat growing States are as follows: Ohio, 98; Michigan, 98; Indiana, 100; Illinois, 100; Wisconsin, 99; Minnesota, 100; Iowa, 99; Missouri, 94; Kansas, 86; Nebraska, 98; North Dakota, 94; South Dakota, 99; California, 98; Oregon, 97; Washington, 93. East of the mountains, New York, 99; Pennsylvania, 99; Maryland, 97; Virginia, 95. In the Southwest, Texas, 97.

In the Middle States wheat was generally well filled, harvested in good condition, yielding well in thrashing. In a few counties in Pennsylvania, and in parts of Maryland and Virginia, there has been some injury in the shock. The Texas crop was unusually fine, harvested in May and June, and is now mostly marketed. In one county a yield of 20 to 23 bushels per acre is reported, and in another 18 bushels. A reporter in Kentucky claims for wheat "one of those exceptionally fine crops that occur only at long intervals;" others make less sanguine statements. With variable returns in Ohio and Michigan the tenor of remark as to quality, quantity, and condition is very favorable. In Indiana and Illinois, Mis-

souri and Kansas, thrashing gave yields better than was expected, with some exceptions—"the largest ever harvested" in one instance, "38 bushels per acre" in another, and an estimated average weights of 60 to 62 pounds in most favored localities. Some shrivelled grain is reported, and some damage in the shock. The remarks concerning quantity and quality of spring wheat in Minnesota are extremely favorable, with very slight drawbacks from frost and wet, and nearly as favorable in Iowa, Nebraska, and the Dakotas. Extreme yields of 30 to 40 bushels are reported in all these States. The spring wheat of the Pacific coast has been somewhat injured by hot and blighting weather. **POTATOES.**—The returns for this crop have been remarkably uniform throughout the season, showing that with exceptions very local in character, the year has been a favorable one. The present average is 94.8, or less than one point below that for July. Last year there was a decline of 26 points during the same period. There are, however, indications that September is likely to develop considerable damage from blight and rot which have appeared in many portions of New England and the Middle States. Should the present month be favorable to the propagation of these diseases the crop is liable to serious injury in the East, but present indications all point to a large yield in the West.

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In Different Districts. The majority of the following items have appeared in the Argus before in plain everyday garb. Here they are again as dressed up by the humorist of the Adrian Press:

The Ypsilantian heads a column of marriages, "What God Hath Joined." In the light of the numerous divorces in Washtenaw, the above reads like a blasphemy.

Peter Gable, a Whittaker saloonist, has been arrested for transacting business without the proper credentials. He pleads not guilty and the gable end of the case will be reached in the circuit court.

A Chelsea chap undertook the other day to eat twenty bananas on a wager. He got away with seventeen of them in fifteen minutes and then he felt so bad in his stomach that he hasn't bananawhere, since.

A noted physician in this city has traveled in his practice in Ann Arbor and the country during the past 22 years, 155,400 miles, which is equal to 6 1/2 trips around the world.—[Courier.]

No wonder Ann Arbor started a new garage yard.

Ann Arbor is about to have a corset factory. The article manufactured will embrace not only the lady, but an ingenious new clasp by which the fastenings are released simultaneously, enabling the wearer to fall apart, all at once.

The earth, removed from the Methodist church excavation at Ypsilanti, has been spread on the surface of the Presbyterian parsonage lot, and it is going to be nipped and tucked in that quarter between infant damnation and universal redemption.

A party called on an Ann Arbor painter last week to look over the house with a view to renting it. His immediate view, however, was upon the vest of the painter, from which he stole a watch. The painter chased him and the thief, falling down, threw the watch at the head of the owner, breaking the works, and escaped.

"Dutch cheese" is sold in Ypsilanti at ten cents a pound, and the Ypsilantian, with a gnawing hunger for "Dutch cheese," wails over the grinding monopoly and wants more commercial freedom in this "almost waste product." It is the prevailing republican idea that a thing without a tariff on it is "cheap and nasty." Who wants "cheap and nasty" Dutch cheese.

Over in Milan, at the rink dances, gentlemen settle affairs of honor by politely knocking each other down with beer bottles, right then and there. This shows that gradually the barbarous pistolary and sword-hacking code of dueling is yielding to the more enlightened method of skull-smashing with beer-bottles. That part of the universe which contains Milan "do move."

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Commissioners' Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Anna Sanger, late of said County deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for Creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased in the township of York in said county, on Tuesday the seventeenth day of November and on Wednesday the seventeenth day of February next, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated August 17th, 1891. HORACE T. LE BARON, FRANK MOORE, Commissioners.

Estate of Robert W. McClew. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday the First day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Robert W. McClew deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Willis McClew, praying that John F. Buck or some other suitable person, be appointed, by order of said Probate Court, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased in the township of York in said county, on Tuesday the seventeenth day of November and on Wednesday the seventeenth day of February next, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated August 17th, 1891. HORACE T. LE BARON, FRANK MOORE, Commissioners.

Estate of Mary Cullinane. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday the eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mary Cullinane, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John Cullinane, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of the same be granted to himself as executor, or to some other suitable person as executor, it is ordered, that Monday, the fifth day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is appointed for the hearing of said petition, and that the devise, legatees, heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate. Wm. G. Doty, Probate Register.

Estate of Clara Bell Davis, Martie L. Davis, Mary E. Davis and Margaretta Davis, Minors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Livingston. In the matter of the estate of Clara Bell Davis, Martie L. Davis, Mary E. Davis and Margaretta Davis, Minors. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, guardian of the estate of said minors by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Livingston, on the twenty-fifth day of July A. D. 1891, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the court house in the County of Livingston, in said State, on Saturday, the tenth day of October, A. D. 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of said sale, and also subject to the right of dower and the homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein all the right, title and interest of said minors in and to the northeast quarter (1/4) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of section number eleven (11) and the northwest quarter (1/4) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section number twelve (12) in township number three (3) south, of range number five (5) east, in the State of Michigan. Dated July 25th, 1891. WM. H. McMILLAN, Guardian. E. E. BEAL, GEO. H. POND.

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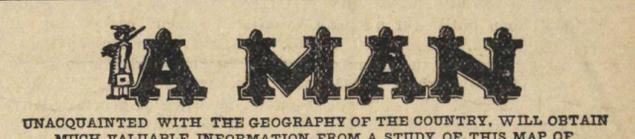
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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Chelsea has made up her mind to have a fair. The dates are October 13, 14 and 15. What Chelsea makes up her mind to, goes.

President Angell will introduce the eloquent Daniel Dougherty, who will deliver his matchless address on "Oratory" at the opera house, Thursday evening, October 8.

Twenty-five members of the Light Infantry went into camp at the Keystone club house, Zukey lake, from Saturday night until Monday morning. Guards were stationed, dress parade and drills held and the members instructed in the details of camp and field life. The spare time was spent in rowing about on the beautiful chain of lakes and the days were enjoyably and profitably spent.

The state tax has been apportioned by the auditor general's office and Washtenaw's share this year is \$39,610.03, or \$18,188.51 less than two years ago when it was \$57,798.54. The rate of tax is 1.27 mills on each dollar, as against 1.80 mills two years ago. Every county in the state has a reduction in state taxes excepting Alpena, Charlevoix, Gladwin, Houghton, Iosco, Marquette and Menominee.

A laughable spectacle was presented on the street near the opera house, Tuesday evening, where the band was playing and a large crowd had collected. Two young men got into an altercation and the smaller one suddenly slapped the larger one across the mouth. No sooner had he done so than he concluded that he had made a serious mistake and that he was liable to get a good sound thrashing. Considering discretion the better part of valor, as soon as he struck the blow he turned and ran up Main street, closely followed by the assaulted party with a large crowd of interested spectators behind.

The T. & A. A. company is going to build a new bridge over the Michigan Central and the Huron river this time sure. The contract for a first class steel bridge has been let to the Smith Bridge Co., of Toledo. The shop work on the bridge will commence next week and within a month the work of replacing the old structure with a new one will be begun. The expense of the new bridge will be from \$25,000 to \$30,000.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel under the heading "Commendable and Patriotic" says: "The merchants of Ann Arbor, to a man, have agreed to close their stores from noon until four o'clock, Friday of next week, on account of the fair. It is intended by the management to make the fair, which is held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, a grand success, and with such cordial backing as the business men of Ann Arbor are giving it, there is little question of success."

Robert Martin, the well known Superior farmer, is an object of solicitude to the tariff organ across the street, and when he sold his wool at a higher price than it would now bring, that bright moulder of public opinion called upon him to see what the McKinley bill had done for him. Robert has several times called attention to the fact that wool now sells for less money than it costs to raise it, but his would-be political guardians have nothing to say.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

A. P. Ferguson has received a proposition to move his cart and carriage factory to Saginaw, the Saginaw Improvement Co. offering to give him a four story building 160 feet square as a bonus. Mr. Ferguson finds it necessary to have larger quarters for his business and this is a tempting offer to him. He has been to Saginaw this week to ascertain the details of the offer and look over the ground, and it is not unlikely that he will accept. This would be a bad blow for Ann Arbor, as the city has none too many manufacturing enterprises.

A team of horses belonging to a farmer named Reeves, who lives near Dexter, started on Liberty street Tuesday evening and ran away. They turned down Fourth avenue and catching up with Geo. Wahr's delivery wagon, the driver of which was trying to get out of the way, one of the horses jumped into Wahr's wagon. The driver, Frank Tice, was knocked out and the horses were stopped. Neither Tice nor the horses were injured, but Wahr is now driving another wagon, the one that was in the fracas being only suitable to be worked up into tooth-picks.

The new electric road at Jackson, built by J. B. Corliss, was opened Saturday, and a rather expensive accident occurred. A trolley jumped the wire, tearing down two telephone wires and the current setting fire to two houses. In responding to the alarm, the driver of the hook and ladder, John Beecraft, formerly of this city, drove to the scene, one of his horses touching the wire and instantly falling dead. Beecraft made a grab for the wire, to get it off the horse, and his life was saved by some one grabbing him around the neck and preventing his touching it.

Mr. Corliss is having guard wires put up so that the accident cannot be repeated.

Friday evening Mrs. Elizabeth Norton discovered that her gold watch and chain were missing and immediately decided that some sneak thief had entered through an open window and made away with the articles. Notice to this effect was given out and the jewelers were requested to keep a lookout for the missing goods. They didn't find them, however, the lady, finding them in a drawer where she had hid them for safety.

Justice Butts issued a warrant Tuesday for the arrest of F. W. Stillman for refusing to support his wife. Stillman is a member of the company now playing at the opera house. His wife claims that he left her at Ypsilanti without means of support, and that he is trying to make her go to her home and not follow the company around, her inference being that another woman is mixed up in the case. A truce was patched up between the parties, the husband paying the costs and his wife's board for a week at the hotel, and the party left the justice's office temporarily happy, at least.

The case of David Henning against the Michigan Central has been on trial in the U. S. Circuit Court at Detroit since last Friday and is not yet ended. The witnesses have nearly all been from this city and their testimony regarding the value of the Henning property before the bridge was built has been varied, ranging from \$1,500 to \$7,000. There is still some question as to whether the city will not have to pay whatever judgment is given, eventually, the ground being taken by the Michigan Central that it was merely acting as the agent of the city in building the approach to the bridge.

Washtenaw Teachers' Meeting. The Washtenaw County Teachers' Association will hold its first meeting in the high school chapel to-morrow. Ferris S. Fitch, superintendent of public instruction, is expected to be present and the meeting will prove of value to the teachers of the county. The following programme has been arranged:

Morning session, 10:30: Music; secretary's report; address by Prof. A. A. Hall, Chelsea; paper, "What shall I do the first day of school?" Prof. C. L. Blodgett, Manchester; question box. Afternoon session, 1:30: Music, duet, Misses Palmer and Murdock, Dexter; paper, "Co-operation Among Teachers," Mrs. M. E. Gill, Saline; paper, "Relation Between Teacher and Parent," Janet Y. Van Dusen; music, duet, Misses Sherwood, Pittsfield; paper, "Teachers' Influence," Miss Mary Schaffer, Manchester; general discussion led by Commissioner Cavanaugh.

PERSONAL.

F. Schmid was at Jackson, Tuesday.

A. D. Seyler went to Detroit, Tuesday.

Dr. S. A. Jones was at Dundee, Monday.

County Clerk Brown was in Jackson, yesterday.

E. H. Scott returned from St. Clair flats Friday.

A. L. Noble returned from New York last Friday.

Hon. E. P. Harper was in the city, Wednesday.

J. T. Jacobs visited his son Charles in Detroit, Tuesday.

Theodore Huss, of Cleveland, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Gussie James went to Indianapolis, Ind., Monday.

M. C. LeBeau, of Detroit, has been in the city this week.

Dr. J. C. Wood was called to Saginaw in a surgical case, Tuesday.

Chas. S. Millen and wife leave today for a week's stay in Chicago.

Miss Mary Gallagher, of Cornuna, is visiting Mrs. C. L. Tuomy.

Prof. C. W. Belsler returned from a trip to Colorado, Saturday night.

Fr. Fierle, of Ionia, spent a couple of days with Fr. Kelly this week.

Miss Daisy Truesdell has returned from a trip to Battle Creek and Kalamazoo.

Judge Dennison, of Leadville, Col., was the guest of Mayor Doty, this week.

J. L. Babcock returned the letter part of last week from the Tri-State fair in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gasser returned Monday from a trip in northern Ohio.

George Snow, of the Register, left last evening for Winona, Minn., to visit his parents.

Herman Easton, formerly with J. T. Jacobs & Co., is now clerking for Bach, Abel & Co.

Prof. and Mrs. F. M. Hamilton, of Bucyrus, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Conover, of Fifth avenue.

Mrs. B. J. Corbin, of Dundee, who has been here for medical treatment, returned home Monday.

Railroad Commissioner Whitman spent several days this week at Lansing attending to official business.

Mrs. G. W. Miley started for Muncie, Ind., Thursday morning, to visit her sister, Mrs. J. L. Hagadorn.

Mrs. John Krichbaum and daughter, of Kalamazoo, have been visiting Miss Eliza Miller, on Fourth street.

Miss Josephine Rathbone left Wednesday for Albany, N. Y., to pursue a course of study in the state library.

Mrs. Wm. P. Garrett, of Boston, has been visiting her uncle, J. Austin Scott. She went to Toledo, Monday.

Rev. Wallace Radcliffe, of Detroit, president of the Tappan Presbyterian association, was in the city, Tuesday.

There must be a scarcity of the medical profession at the St. Clair flats, Drs. Gibbs, Kapp and Dorrance having returned Friday from a fishing excursion there.

Miss Mary Gallagher, who has been visiting Miss Nellie Lennon, of Packard street, returned to Lansing, Monday.

Dr. John Kapp and Dr. Heneage Gibbs were at the St. Clair Flats two days last week, meeting with excellent luck, fishing.

Arthur Mummy left Tuesday for Detroit to take charge of the drug store recently purchased by John Moore in that city.

Major Caswell, paymaster U.S.A., who has been spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. Pres. Angell, returned to Baltimore yesterday.

Alderman Ferguson returned from Grand Rapids, Sunday. He had a large exhibit of carriages and carts at the West Michigan fair last week.

Prof. P. R. de Pont returned Saturday from his summer outing in Les Cheneaux Islands. The last week of his vacation was spent in Detroit.

Leonard Wood and wife, of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting his brother Sellick Wood. He was formerly a dry goods merchant in this city.

Miss Kittie Ransom, who has been spending the summer with her uncle, County Clerk Brown, left for her home in Minneapolis, Minn., Tuesday.

Ed. Greve, of the Washtenaw Times force, left on Saturday, to spend a two weeks' vacation in Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and other Michigan cities.

B. M. Thompson was at Lansing, Tuesday, arguing with the governor against honoring the requisition of the governor of California in the Wm. M. Beggs matter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore returned from a trip to Port Huron and other places. While away they visited Mrs. Moore's mother, who is 93 years old, at Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cutting, of New Hampshire, who have been spending the summer with their son, J. M. Cutting, of Terrace Hill, returned to their home Tuesday.

Horace Carpenter, of Washtenaw avenue, went to Ridgeway, Monday, to assist his sister in celebrating her 90th birthday. Mr. Carpenter is nearly 86 years of age and in remarkable good health.

Hubert Woodward having once lived in Ann Arbor couldn't stand it to live in any other place. About a year ago he moved from this city to Jackson, but this week he returned with his family to again make Ann Arbor their home. They will occupy the new house of D. F. Schairer on Packard street.

Mr. Albert Blaess, the prominent Lodi farmer, will leave for New York on Sunday evening, whence he will sail for Antwerp. He expects to be absent in Europe two or three months, on business. He intends also to spend some time in London, sizing up that great metropolis, before returning home.

John Fohey, of Chicago, formerly of this city, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Parker, of North Fourth avenue, this week. Mr. Fohey was one of the carpenters employed on the court house during its construction, and it may be remembered, fell thirty-four feet one day in order to vary the monotony of aerial labor.

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The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, THURBER, WHYLAND COMPANY, A Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. GIACHIMO JAMES SCHIAPPACASSE, Alias JAMES SCHEPPACASSE, Defendant.

IN ATTACHMENT.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1891, a writ of attachment was duly issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, at the suit of Thurber, Whyland Company, a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, the above-named plaintiff, against the lands, tenements, goods and chattels, money and effects of Giachimo James Schiappacasse, alias James Scheppacasse, the above-named defendant, for the sum of One Hundred and Three and 67-100 dollars, which said writ was returnable on the First day of September, A. D. 1891.

JOHN W. BENNETT, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Dated, Sept. 24, 1891.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1891, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Thomas Parks, late of said county deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 18th day of March next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Friday, the 18th day of December, and on Friday the 18th day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. Dated, Ann Arbor, September 18, A. D. 1891. J. WILLARD BABBETT, Judge of Probate.

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