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- One case Soft Finish Yard Wide Bleached Cotton at 5c a yard
- 3 bales Yard Wide 6c and 7c sheeting selling at 5c a yard
- 50 pieces Wide Laces, worth 10c and 15c, selling at 5c a yard
- 25 dozen Large Cotton Huck Towels selling at 5c each
- 10 pieces Good Bed Ticking, worth 10c, selling out at 5c a yard
- 50 pieces Fine White Embroideries selling out at 5c a yard
- 500 yards Wide Lawns and Batiste Muslins selling at 5c a yard
- 25 pieces Taffeta Skirt Lining selling at 5c a yard
- 20 pieces Plaid, Stripe and Check Shirting selling out at 5c a yard
- 15 pieces Good Stripe Outing Flannels selling out at 5c a yard
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75 pieces Novelty Dress Goods worth 50c, 60c and 65c a yard, English Suitings, Checks, Plaids and Mixtures, Wide Black Serges and Henriettas, all go in this sale at 33c a yard.
With this Dress Goods Sale we put in 25 pieces Black Wool Serges, Henriettas, and Figured Mohairs, worth up to 60c, all at 33c a yard.

Wash Goods! Read the Low Prices.

One case White Bed Spreads, worth 75c, selling out at 49c each.
50 White Large Size Bed Spreads, the \$1 quality, selling out at 75c each.
50 12-4 size Marseilles Bed Spreads, the \$1.50 quality, selling at 98c each.
75 dozen large Linen Huck and Damask Towels, worth 19c, selling at 12c each.
50 dozen Linen Huck and Damask Towels, worth 16c, selling at 10c each.
25 pieces Fine Table Linens all marked down for this sale.

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42 inch Fine Bleached Pillow Cotton at 8c a yard.
45 inch Fine Bleached Pillow Cotton at 10c a yard.
9-4 Fine Unbleached Sheetting, a bargain at 14c a yard.
9-4 Fine Unbleached Sheetting, don't wait, at 16c a yard.
5 Pieces Best Quality Lonsdale Cambric at 10c a yard.
One Case Fine Soft Yard-wide Bleached Cotton, at 5c a yard.
One Case Fine Soft Bleached Cotton, better than Lonsdale, at 6c a yard.
10 Pieces Fancy Tickings, the 20c quality, at 12c a yard.

Wash Goods.

Selling out 10 and 12c Dimities and DIMITIES at 7c a yard.
Selling a lot of fine Dimities at 8c a yard.
Selling out a lot of 10c Gingham at 8c a yard.
Selling out 12c Fine Gingham at 8c a yard.
Selling out 15 pieces Duck Suitings at 8c a yard.
200 pieces Cotton Diaper, the 50c kind, at 39c a piece.
10 pieces Figured Denim, new choice patterns, at 20c a yard.
25 pieces Silkaline, a good thing for bed comfortables at 9c a yard.

SCHAIRER & MILLEN THE BUSY STORE.

The Homeopathic Department Will Not Go to Detroit.

THE SUPREME COURT

Has so Decided This Important Matter.

The Action of the Legislature of 1895 Was Wrong.—Legislature Has No Power Over the Board of Regents in Any Way.

The act of the legislature of 1895, known as "The Homeopathic Removal Act," has received its quietus at the hands of the supreme court and the homeopathic department will consequently remain on the university campus much to the delight of the sincere friends of that institution, who had a decided objection to the introduction of the Detroit wedge to remove the university piecemeal to that city.

On Tuesday the supreme court in a unanimous opinion written by Judge C. B. Grant, declared the act unconstitutional and therefore null and void. The whole matter was so well ventilated through the columns of the newspapers at the time the action of Dr. Charles F. Sterling, of Detroit, against the board of regents to compel them to remove the department to that city, was first commenced, that only a brief mention of the facts is necessary.

The action was brought to compel the regents to comply with the law. They refused, because it was not, in their judgment, for the best interests of the university that the college be removed to Detroit, and second, that the legislature has no constitutional right to interfere with or dictate the management of the university.

The opinion of Justice Grant is somewhat lengthy. He discusses all phases of the question, and reviews the history of the university from a constitutional and legislative standpoint.

The right of the state legislature to control the regents is the question discussed, the court saying that right was denied in the case of Weinberg vs. Regents, in which it was held that the board of regents is a constitutional body, charged by the constitution with entire control of that institution, and that the state legislature "cannot add to or take away from its property without the consent of the regents."

The court says it might properly rest its decision on this case, and would do so, did not those who favor removal contend that this case does not apply. For this reason the opinion gives further reasons to show that the legislature has no control over the university or regents.

The first of these is that the regents and legislature derive their power from the same supreme authority, the constitution. In so far as the powers of each are defined by that instrument limitations are imposed, and a direct power conferred upon one necessarily precludes its existence in the other, in the absence of language showing the contrary intent.

Neither the university nor regents is mentioned in article 14, which defines the powers and duties of the legislature, nor in the article relating to the university and regents is there any language which can be construed into conferring upon or reserving any control over that institution in the legislature. They are separate and distinct constitutional bodies, with the powers of the regents defined. By no rule or construction can it be held that either can encroach upon or exercise the powers conferred upon the other.

Justice Grant also shows that the board of regents is the only corporation provided for in the constitution whose powers are defined therein. In every other corporation provided for therein it is expressly provided that its powers shall be such as the legislature shall give.

The third test applied by the court is the rule of construction that where general power over one subject is conferred upon one body in one clause of an instrument, without any restricting or qualifying language, and the like power over another subject is conferred upon another body in another clause of the same instrument, with restricting or qualifying language, the restrictions and qualifications in the second clause, must be excluded. This is shown to be the case with reference to the regents.

The court concludes that it was the clear intent of the framers of the constitution to place the university in the direct and exclusive control of the regents, a constitutional body elected by the people. Any other construction would place such control in the legislature, and leave the regents to simply register the will of the legislature.

The mandamus asked for to compel the regents to remove the homeopathic department to Detroit was, therefore, denied.

Trees and Tornadoes.

Year after year, as time goes on, the history of the world is punctuated by disasters attributable almost entirely to the ignorance and cupidity of the human family. Extremes in temperature and atmospheric disturbances are

largely due to the destruction of the forests, and still the work goes on unchecked, and the conditions that cause all of this trouble are steadily increasing. The St. Louis disaster is only one more among the many practically unheeded warnings that are sent to stop this wholesale destruction. Individuals will never learn prudence in tree-cutting. It belongs to the state and national government to order and prescribe how rapidly the forests shall be cleared. Where the damage has already been done, the state ought to order the planting of trees and make provisions for their care. In the hurry and hustle of everyday farm life, says the New York Ledger, there is no realization of the necessity of care in this particular. The main point seems to be to get rid of the trees in order that the fields may be prepared for crops, but this suicidal policy affects not alone those who are directly responsible for it, but the entire communities and wide districts. It is a curious comment on the existing state of affairs that St. Louis and other cities should suffer such wholesale destruction simply because the residents of the country districts have seen fit to destroy the forests and make such misfortunes possible. How many more of these lessons will be necessary before the government takes in hand with the utmost vigor the subject of tree-planting and preserving, and paves the way for the prevention of such calamities? A few intelligent persons are awakening to the importance of tree-planting, but the masses of the people are wholly indifferent, and many of them are profoundly ignorant on this subject.—Adrian Times.

Heaven and Trust Money.

In addressing the Chicago University Mr. John D. Rockefeller, one of the chief organizers and beneficiaries of the Standard Oil Company, made a claim to divine right as bold as any which has been advanced since the great controversy on that subject in the time of Charles I. "God gave me my money and I gave it to the University," said Mr. Rockefeller.

This is to some a very alluring theory and it is frequently advanced now as it was some hundred years ago. In the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries there was at every crossroads a captain of industry preying on commerce and taking forced loans from trade, and out of the vast estates thus accumulated hospitals, monasteries and churches were built as a means of sanctifying the system and establishing its divine right to exist.

If Mr. Rockefeller has from \$20,000,000 to \$100,000,000 that he has not earned, every newspaper reader in the country knows that it is not the gift of Heaven, but that it came through the Standard Oil Trust, one of the most unscrupulous and rapacious monopolies ever organized. It has bought conventions, corrupted courts, bribed legislatures and done more to demoralize American politics than any other agency. Its principles are depraved, its practices degrading, its success shameful, its impudence colossal. But no amount of impudence will ever convince any sensible person that it is either the business partner or beneficiary of God. Mr. Rockefeller must find a more plausible theory if he wishes sane people to listen to him—N. Y. World.

Making a Long Bicycle Trip.

D. J. McDermott, assistant editor of the Reading, Pa., Eagle, and Ira M. Becker, an attorney of the same place, were callers at the Argus office on Wednesday. They were on a 4,000 mile bicycle trip to Minneapolis, Minn., and from there to St. Louis, Mo., returning to their home by way of the Shenandoah valley. They will take three months' time on the trip and will make it all on bicycles. Mr. Becker rides a '97 model Royal which was built especially for him at Marshall, Mich., and he says although he rode a Columbia for 16 years he likes the Royal better. Mr. McDermott rides a '97 model Relay. Up to Wednesday they had been out 10 days and had made 649 miles. They got caught in the floods at Pittsburg which delayed them considerably. They were enthusiastic in their praises of the roads in Michigan, and said if they had as good in Pennsylvania they would think themselves in a bicyclist's paradise.

Did Great Damage.

The heavy storm of Sunday night did an immense amount of damage in various parts of Michigan. Houses and barns were blown down, trees uprooted, wheat and oats in stack blown away and great damage was done to outstanding crops. Southern Michigan suffered even worse than did this section. At Belleville there was a regular cloud burst and electric storm lasting about two hours, which was one of the most severe in the history of the place, doing great damage to crops and fruit. Up to that time the crop prospects had been unparalleled but the continuous rain of the past week, together with the heavy rain of Sunday night, nearly, if not entirely, destroyed the enormous oat crop now in shock. Continuous wet weather is rotting the early potatoes at a great rate, which will cause a shortage of the crop in that locality.

A cordial invitation is extended to all students in the Summer School and to all young people of the city to attend the social given by the Young Peoples' Societies of the Christian Union at Newberry hall, this evening.

ABOUT THE STREETS

It Has Been a Very Slim Week for News.

TO CHECK DISEASES.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan Tells How It Can Be Done.

Hard Times Laid to Bicycles.—Youthful Thieves at Large.—Other Miscellaneous Items of More Less Worth.

Dr. V. C. Vaughna lectured to the summer school students and others in Tappan hall, Tuesday evening, on "The restriction of disease." His hour's talk was a very practical one and should be of great benefit to the teachers attending the summer school as by an act passed by the last legislature the teachers of the state have to teach sanitary science, along the lines of prevention and restriction of dangerous communicable diseases.

He said that 200 years ago it was the exception to meet a man in London whose face was not marked by smallpox. Now to meet such a person is a rare exception. Jenner's discoveries and the introduction of vaccination, compulsory and voluntary, are responsible for this, and by universal vaccination the disease can, beyond all question, be absolutely stamped out. Confining himself to the practical restriction of typhoid fever and consumption, the two most troublesome diseases, Dr. Vaughan said that both can and are going to be absolutely exterminated, though the medical profession is, without boasting, fully 100 years ahead of popular opinion. The time will come, he said, when a municipality will be liable for damages for a case of typhoid fever contracted within its limits, for 99 out of every 100 of such cases are caused by an impure water supply. Until that time comes, the watchword, said the doctor, is boil your water, whether you feel sure it is free from germs or not. Boil it any way for half an hour and make doubly sure. If people would quit drinking water not sterilized or boiled, typhoid fever will disappear. As to consumption, there is no danger of contracting merely from daily contact with a consumptive, even from sleeping with him. The germs are not exhaled from the body, but come merely from the matter coughed up.

Lay It To Bicycles.

It has been discovered that the hard times have been caused neither by the danger of free silver, nor by the democratic party; but by bicycles. According to some recent reports the cry is going up from all trades except the bicycle manufacturers. Theatrical managers say that everybody goes out wheeling in the evening and the theaters are empty. The cigar stores complain at men do not smoke while on their wheels, and that the falling off in the number of cigars consumed is enormous. Saloon keepers declare that their wares are being deserted for "soft drinks," as bicycling more than any other sport requires a clear brain and steady nerves. Moreover, men are going around in cheap bicycle suits and not purchasing expensive clothing. They are wearing cheap caps in which there is no profit. And, in general every man, woman and child in the country is saving up enough to buy a wheel, so that nothing is spent on confectionery, on jewelry, on theater matinees, and other luxuries. It is estimated that there are 250,000 bicycles in New York alone, and that they represent an investment of \$12,000,000. There are 80,000 bicycles in use in Buffalo. These figures are representative. One authority states that the presumable expenditure for bicycles thus far will reach the sum of \$100,000,000, and much of this represents a mortgage on the incomes of the people of moderate means who are paying for their wheels on the "installment plan." It is safe, however, to assure the complaining tradesmen that the bicycle has come to stay, and this as everybody knows is conclusive argument. And it is comforting to reflect that it promises as great a revolution in general health as in trade, and that entirely for the better.

Gets as Much as It Gave.

The finest building on the campus when it is completed, will be the finest gymnasium in the entire country, and it will have cost the taxpayers of Michigan not one cent. This building is a magnificent affair, and will furnish to the young women students as well as the young men, a thorough and complete physical training, which many of them, especially the diligent students, need so much. Taking this building and the various gifts the university has received in the way of books, scholarships, art works, museum specimens, etc., etc., and it figures up surprisingly, to say nothing of the \$75,000 in cash given at various times, and the land on which the university is located, both the gift of the people of this city, the state has received almost as much as it has appropriated.—Ann Arbor Courier.

STRUCK FOR MORE PAY.

Sewer Laborers Stop Work, but the Matter Has Been Adjusted.

At 7 o'clock this morning the sewer laborers should have gone to work. Although all of them were there, not one of them, however, lifted a shovel or pick. It was a case of strike and the 45 or 50 men employed on the work demanded \$1.50 per day instead of the \$1.25 they were paid when they received their wages last night. The men all claimed that Sharp & Schultz, the contractors, had agreed to pay them \$1.50 when they were hired, while the latter as strenuously declared that all they had agreed to pay was \$1.25. In fact it appeared from the evidence of both parties that no bargain at all was ever made and that the whole agreement was a supposition one on both sides. The matter was finally settled by Sharp & Schultz picking out 20 of the best of the men, whom they will pay \$1.50 a day, while the others were allowed to go and were paid off at \$1.50 a day the amount they supposed they were to get.

Two Youthful Thieves.

Albert Dustin and Ernest Linder are wanted for stealing a \$45 mandolin from Robert Crouse, a summer school student about two weeks ago. The instrument was stolen from the parlors of the Delta Upsilon house. Nothing was heard of it until Monday night, when two young hoboes came to the house begging for clothing. Crouse gave them some shoes, and later received a tip that they had his mandolin. Before the officers could get them, however, they had skipped town. As they had been here several weeks working the charitably inclined people they found, Marshal Peterson thought they had picked up enough stuff so they would not be able to steal rides very far. They were supposed to have been located in Jackson and Marshal Peterson went after them Wednesday. He returned home yesterday morning without his birds as it was found the boys under arrest there were not the ones he wanted.

Justice Pond's Court.

Saturday morning Richard McGuire, of South Lyon, who had been dragged out of bed the night previous and arrested by Deputy Wood, was brought into court and tried for stealing nine spring lambs sometime since from E. T. Walker, of Salem. McGuire took the lambs to Detroit, sold them and kept the proceeds. Since then he had evaded capture until Friday night. When put on trial he admitted his guilt and begged for mercy. The justice fined him \$50 and \$7.40 costs or 90 days in jail in default of payment. He is still in jail.

Joseph H. Benedict is under arrest for jumping his board bill at the American house and will have his examination before Justice Pond this morning.

George Goodale was also under arrest for the same offence but he paid the bill and costs and was let go.

A Sufferer for Eight Years.

Henry L. Storms died Wednesday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Storms, No. 2 Chubb st., after an illness of eight years, of inflammatory rheumatism, aged 30 years and 4 months. Mr. Storms was during his long period of illness a great sufferer, and for the last three years had been unable to move any more than to open his mouth to be fed, although he could talk. The first three years of his illness was spent in a sanitarium at Battle Creek, but the last five years he has been at home. For 18 days prior to his death he did not eat anything and for seven days he could not even take liquid nourishment. The funeral services will be held at the house this afternoon, Rev. A. L. Nicklas officiating. The remains will be buried in Forest Hill cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers.

Olivia B. Hall to John Wisner, Ann Arbor, \$150.
August Faulhaber and wife to Fred Breitenwischer, Freedom, \$3,287.85.
Henry Stall and wife to Rose A. Speechly, Ann Arbor, \$1,900.
Rachel A. Snowball to Eliza Briggs, Ypsilanti.
Emily J. Purfield to Thomas Taylor and wife, Ann Arbor, \$1.
Thomas Taylor and wife to Emily J. Purfield, Ann Arbor, \$1.
Anna S. Taylor to Emily J. Purfield, Ann Arbor, \$1.
Auditor General to Alexander McMillan, et al., tax deed.
Rosa C. Ward to Minnie E. Adams, Ann Arbor, \$3,700.
Samuel G. M. Gates to Louise M. Gates, trustee, Dexter, \$1.
Jason C. Gillett, by executor, to Chas. M. Gillett, Ypsilanti and Superior, \$3,800.
A. Berdan to G. W. Davenport, Saline.

Marriage Licenses.

3040. Wm. C. Fuller, 31, York; Alice Hitchcock, 24, Farwell.
3041. Otto F. Hoppe, 28, Sylvan; Christina Wellhoff, 29, same.
3042. E. W. Jones, 22, Ann Arbor; Lavina Heibin, 23, same.
3043. Hilon Ellis Morrow, 31, Blissfield; Elizabeth Cromie, 25, Ypsilanti.
3044. Fred Wolf, 23, Ann Arbor; Bertha Tobian, 19, Sumpter.

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More skill is required, more care taken, more expense incurred in its manufacture.

More it costs the proprietor and the dealer but it costs the consumer less, as he gets more doses for his money.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. \$1 per bottle.

Hood's Pills cure all Liver Ills and Sick Headache. 25 cents.

WASHTENAWISMS.

Mrs. Eilza Mudge, one of the oldest settlers of Cone, died Sunday week of dropsy, aged 65 years.

G. F. Boettner, of Bridgewater, has purchased several large flocks of sheep and is pasturing them.

During the electric storm Sunday evening the large barns of A. R. Duncan, of Superior, were burned.

In the middle of this month fields of corn seven and eight feet high were to be seen in the fields around Pinckney.

A little four years old daughter of Henry Hallen, of Webster, recently broke her arm through falling from the porch of the house.

Sharon people were shocked when they heard that Wm. Hall, of that town, had had a stroke of apoplexy. Investigation disclosed the fact that he was suffering from a stitch in the back, contracted in the harvest field.

Matthew Duffy's house in Ypsilanti was destroyed by fire Wednesday night of last week while the family was away from home. Nearly all the furniture in the house was destroyed. There was a small insurance on the house but none on the contents.

Charles Rentschler, of South Salem, recently met with a serious accident. While attempting to stop a runaway horse he was thrown to the ground under the horse's feet and severely kicked in the head. He is around again all right now.

Peter Barhart's barn and a ton of hay were destroyed by fire Thursday morning of last week through the carelessness of his son George, who attempted to burn out a hornets' nest which was located in the hay loft. The loss was between \$70 and \$80.

The large flouring mill at Pinckney has resumed business after a shutdown of nearly three months. Extensive repairs have been made during the meantime and now Klemm & Son, of Texas, have rented it for a term of years and will run it to its fullest capacity.

By the explosion of a gasoline stove in the kitchen of Eli Moore's house in Ypsilanti, Saturday evening, the building was practically destroyed. All the furniture in one of the front rooms was saved, but much of the remainder is a total loss. The house was insured for \$1,000 and the furniture for \$550, which will well cover the loss.

Mrs. George Finch, of Ypsilanti, met with a bad accident Saturday. She was out driving with her daughter and in turning into Forest ave. the wheels of the buggy struck a curb stone which overturned it. Mrs. Finch fell and her daughter was thrown on top of her. Mrs. Finch's shoulder was broken and it will be some time before she can again use her arm.

The Milan people and the fire department was called out Wednesday of last week to subdue the flames of Chas. Clark's house, on County st. It seems the fire started in the garret. Little Jay Clark went up to get some article, and not being able to see plainly what he was after struck a match to assist him in his search. The result was more light than was required for that special occasion. The flames were soon subdued, but not without quite a good deal of damage being done by both fire and water.

Frank Teal was mowing on his farm about two miles southeast of Milan one day last week, when he got off his mower and handed the lines to his little girl. He had gone about 20 feet when the horses gave a jump, jerked the lines from the girl, ran twice around the field, broke the tongue from the machine, jumped into the road and were stopped in Milan when they ran into a horse and buggy hitched in front of Gray's store. The horses' heels were quite badly bruised and the mower was almost a total wreck.

Genuine heroism and admirable presence of mind were displayed by Miss Ella Wortley, daughter of John H. Wortley, of Ypsilanti, a few days ago. Ella and Kittie Batwell were fishing in the river back of Dr. McAndrew's residence, when in some mysterious way Kittie lost her balance and fell into the water. She went down out of sight, the river being deep at that place, when Ella jumped into the water seized Kittie as she came to the surface, and in some unaccountable way managed to bring her to shore. It is a wonder that both the children were not carried under by the current, which is strong at that point, for neither were able to swim. When we realize that Kittie is only twelve and Ella eleven years of age, the act becomes all the more commendable.—Ypsilantian.

A. H. Duncan, of Superior, had his barn struck by lightning on Sunday night, and it together with its contents was destroyed.

Mrs. C. W. Miller and daughter, of Dexter, and her sister, Mrs. Farley, of Chicago, have gone to Niagara Falls for a couple of weeks' stay.

Willie Cole, of South Salem, got his arm fast in a binder one day last week. Luckily no bones were broken although he received a severe flesh wound.

Dog poisoners are abroad again in Pinckney this summer and a fine setter belonging to Fr. M. J. Comerford has fallen a victim. The same course of laying poison around has been pursued for several summers.

Daniel Burden, who clerks in Wm. Webster's feed store, Ypsilanti, was charged by his employer on Saturday with having stolen 60 cents. He was tried before Justice Childs on Monday afternoon and discharged.

There are some sheep killing dogs in and around Bridgewater that would be all the better for a dose of cold lead. The other night they chased a flock of sheep belonging to A. J. Lowry, and would have done them serious damage if Jesse Warner had not frightened the canines off.

W. H. Guerin, of Ypsilanti, met with a painful accident at Base Lake, where he was camping, on Wednesday of last week. He slipped upon a spike, which ran through his rubber boot and inflicted a bad wound in the foot and he has been unable to use it since.

This is the way the Livingston Democrat talks of the republican caucus held at Pinckney, July 18: "The much advertised republican caucus was held here last Saturday. It was to have been called at two o'clock sharp, but it was nearly two hours later before the township machine could get anyone to turn out. At last eight weary looking republicans were rounded up and with the prospective would be G. O. P. state senator at the head marched bravely to the town hall. The following delegates were elected by acclamation: C. M. Wood, G. W. Teeple, Ira J. Cook, J. J. Teeple, E. R. Brown, E. L. Thompson, E. P. Campbell and George Bowman."

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Monroe Democrat Items.

W. W. Wedemeyer, a young republican, seconded Gen. Spalding's nomination on behalf of Washtenaw. The three-double-yewed Washtenawian is the highest kind of a protectionist—six feet-six in his X ray stockings.

The republicans of Washtenaw declare for gold for president and silver for governor. That's a straddle for you.—Ann Arbor Argus.

And the strain on the bifurcated garment is such as to expose the flag of distress.

Frank Wilson, of Ypsilanti, was arrested for assaulting officer Arms. He couldn't "shoulder Arms" and was taken before the court. He was thought to have been "loaded" and doubtless was for on examination he was "discharged."

Capt. C. H. Manly found a pocket-book at noon today, containing a considerable sum of money. The captain says that if it is not called for inside of 48 hours it will be turned over into the democratic campaign fund.—Washtenaw Times.

Good for Capt. Manly. Behold a democrat, "in whom there is no gall."

The hatchet of harmony was freely used at the recent Washtenaw republican convention. A. J. Sawyer, bristled like a porcupine whenever Cap. Allen put in his gentle fog horn. Sawyer wanted no man who did not accept the St. Louis platform, to dictate to the convention. Sawyer and Allen love each other "as a cat loves soap." Some feared there would be blows, but la, they could never get within hitting distance of each other owing to the spheroid magnificence and their abdominal breastworks.

A bareback rider of a circus, recently at Ypsilanti, having received his pay there, mounted a "jag" of Ypsilanti whiskey and was unhorsed. A cop rushed him to a justice office where the previously unspent part of his pay went in fine and costs. The equestrian had often ridden two horses with ease and could keep his seat on a bucking jackass, but Ypsi. whiskey was too many for him. He finally met himself coming at a gallop from the opposite direction, there was a crash and he knew no more till the officer had him.

Justice Gibson, of Ann Arbor, in 1885, owned a gold watch, but he lost it. Time went on, regardless, and the justice got married. That has nothing to do with the watch, however. It is an independent sentence. The justice's sentence was for life; but that has nothing to do with it. The justice is in the last quarter of the honeymoon. But about the watch—after having been plowed, harrowed and planted for the last three years, a boy found it the other day. It needed a little cleaning, but that was all to set it running. The justice goes home to his meals by the gold standard.

Your Boy Wont Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St., South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy wont live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial bottles Free at Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, of Manchester.

LONGING.

The hills slope down to the valley, the streams run down to the sea,
And my heart, my heart, oh, far one, sets and strains toward thee.
But only the feet of the mountain are felt by the rim of the plain,
And the source and soul of the hurrying stream reach not the calling main.

The dawn is sick for the daylight, the morning years for the noon,
And the twilight sighs for the evening star and the rising of the moon,
But the dawn and the daylight never were seen in the selfsame skies,
And the gloaming dies of its own desire when the moon and the stars arise.

The springtime calls to the summer, "Oh, mingle your life with mine,"
And summer to autumn, "plumeth low, "Must the harvest be only thine?"
But the nightingale goes when the swallow comes, ere the leaf is the blossom fled,
And when autumn sits on her golden sheave then the reign of the rose is dead.

And hunger and thirst, and wail and want, are lost in the empty air,
And the heavenly spirit vainly pines for the touch of the earthly fair,
And the hills slope down to the valley, the streams run down to the sea,
And my heart, my heart, oh, far one, sets and strains toward thee.

—Alfred Austin.

BISARA OF PURI.

Some natives say that it came from the other side of Kulu, where the 11 inch temple sapphire is; others that it was made at the devil shrine of Aochung, in Tibet, was stolen by a Kaffir, from him by a Gurkha, from him again by a Lahouli, from him by a khitmatgar, and by this latter sold to an Englishman, so all its virtue was lost, because, to work properly, the Bisara of Puri must be stolen—with bloodshed if possible, but at any rate stolen.

These stories of the coming into India are all false. It was made at Puri ages since—the manner of its making would fill a small book—was stolen by one of the temple dancing girls there for her own purposes, and then passed on from hand to hand, steadily northward, till it reached Hanla, always bearing the same name, the Bisara of Puri. In shape it is a tiny square box of silver, studded outside with eight small balas rubies. Inside the box, which opens with a spring, is a little eyeless fish, carved from some sort of dark, shiny nut and wrapped in a shred of faded gold cloth. That is the Bisara of Puri, and it were better for a man to take a king cobra in his hand than to touch the Bisara of Puri.

All kinds of magic are out of date, and done away with except in India, where nothing changes in spite of the shiny, toy scum stuff that people call "civilization." Any man who knows about the Bisara of Puri will tell you what its powers are, always supposing that it has been honestly stolen. It is the only regularly working, trustworthy love charm in the country, with one exception.

(The other charm is in the hands of a trooper of the Nizam's Horse, at a place called Tappani, due north of Haidarabad.) This can be depended upon for a fact. Some one else may explain it.

If the Bisara be not stolen, but given or bought or found, it turns against its owner in three years, and leads to ruin or death. This is another fact which you may explain when you have time. Meanwhile you can laugh at it. At present the Bisara is safe on an ekka pony's neck, inside the blue bead necklace that keeps off the evil eye. If the ekka driver ever finds it and wears it or gives it to his wife, I am sorry for him.

A very dirty hill cooly woman, with goiter, owned it at Theog in 1884. It came into Simla from the north before Churton's khitmatgar bought it and sold it for three times its silver value to Churton, who collected curiosities. The servant knew no more what he had bought than the master, but a man looking over Churton's collection of curiosities—Churton was an assistant commissioner, by the way—saw and held his tongue. He was an Englishman, but knew how to believe—which shows that he was different from most Englishmen. He knew that it was dangerous to have any share in the little box when working or dormant, for unsought love is a terrible gift.

Pack—"Grubby" Pack, as we used to call him—was in every way a nasty little man who must have crawled into the army by mistake. He was three inches taller than his sword, but not half so strong. And the sword was a 50 shilling, tailor made one. Nobody liked him, and I suppose it was his wizenness and worthlessness that made him fall so hopelessly in love with Miss Hollis, who was good and sweet, and five foot seven in her tennis shoes. He was not content with falling in love quietly, but brought all the strength of his miserable little nature into the business. If he had not been so objectionable, one might have pitied him. He vapored and fretted and fumed and trotted up and down and tried to make himself pleasing in Miss Hollis' big, quiet, gray eyes, and failed. It was one of the cases that you sometimes meet, even in the country where we marry by code, of a really blind attachment all on one side, without the faintest possibility of return. Miss Hollis looked on Pack as some sort of vermin running about the road. He had no prospects beyond captain's pay, and no wits to help that out by one anna. In a large sized man love like his would have been touching. In a good man it would have been grand. He being what he was, it was only a nuisance.

You will believe this much. What you will not believe is what follows: Churton, and the man who knew what the Bisara was, were lurching at the Simla club together. Churton was complaining of life in general. His best mare had rolled out of the stable down the hill and had broken her back. His decisions were being reversed by the upper courts more than an assistant commissioner of eight years' standing has a right to expect. He knew liver and fever, and for weeks past had felt out of sorts. Altogether he was disgusted and disheartened.

Simla club dining room is built, as all the world knows, in two sections,

with an arc arrangement dividing them. Come in, turn to your left, take the table under the window and you cannot see any one who has come in, turned to the right, and taken a table on the right side of the arch. Curiously enough every word that you say can be heard, not only by the other diner, but by the servants beyond the screen through which they bring dinner. This is worth knowing. An echoing room is a trap to be forewarned against.

Half in fun and half hoping to be believed, the man who knew told Churton the story of the Bisara of Puri at rather greater length than I have told it to you in this place, winding up with a suggestion that Churton might as well throw the little box down the hill and see whether all his troubles would go with it. In ordinary ears—English ears—the tale was only an interesting bit of folklore. Churton laughed, said that he felt better for his breakfast, and went out. Pack had been breakfasting by himself to the right of the arch, and had heard everything. He was nearly mad with his absurd infatuation for Miss Hollis, that all Simla had been laughing about.

It is a curious thing that when a man hates or loves beyond reason he is ready to go beyond reason to gratify his feelings—which he would not do for money or power merely. Depend upon it Solomon would never have built altars to Ashteroth and all those ladies with queer names if there had not been trouble of some kind in his zenana and nowhere else. But this is beside the story. The facts of the case are these: Pack called on Churton next day when Churton was out, left his card and stole the Bisara of Puri from its place under the clock on the mantelpiece! Stole it like the thief he was by nature. Three days later all Simla was electrified by the news that Miss Hollis had accepted Pack—the shriveled rat, Pack! Do you desire clearer evidence than this? The Bisara of Puri had been stolen, and it worked as it had always done when won by foul means.

There are three or four times in a man's life when he is justified in meddling with other people's affairs to play Providence.

The man who knew felt that he was justified, but believing and acting on a belief are quite different things. The insolent satisfaction of Pack as he ambled by the side of Miss Hollis and Churton's striking release from liver as soon as the Bisara of Puri had gone, decided the man. He explained to Churton, and Churton laughed, because he was not brought up to believe that men on the government house list steal—at least little things. But the miraculous acceptance by Miss Hollis of that tailor, Pack, decided him to take steps on suspicion. He vowed that he only wanted to find out where his ruby studded silver box had vanished to. You cannot accuse a man of the government house list of stealing. And if you rifle his room you are a thief yourself. Churton, prompted by the man who knew, decided on burglary. If he found nothing in Pack's room, * * * but it is not nice to think of what would have happened in that case.

Pack went to a dance at Benmore—Benmore was Benmore in those days, and not an office—and danced 15 waltzes out of 22 with Miss Hollis. Churton and the man took all the keys that they could lay hands on and went to Pack's room in the hotel, certain that his servants would be away. Pack was a cheap soul. He had not purchased a decent cash box to keep his papers in, but one of those native imitations that you buy for 10 rupees. It opened to any sort of key, and there at the bottom, under Pack's insurance policy, lay the Bisara of Puri!

Churton called Pack names, put the Bisara of Puri in his pocket, and went to the dance with the man—at least he came in time for supper and saw the beginning of the end in Miss Hollis' eyes. She was hysterical after supper, and was taken away by her mamma.

At the dance, with the abominable Bisara in his pocket, Churton twisted his foot on one of the steps leading down to the old rink, and had to be sent home in a rickshaw grumbling. He did not believe in the Bisara of Puri any the more for this manifestation, but he sought out Pack and called him some ugly names, and "thief" was the mildest of them. Pack took the names with the nervous smile of a little man who wants both soul and body to resent an insult, and went his way. There was no public scandal.

A week later Pack got his definite dismissal from Miss Hollis. There had been a mistake in the placing of her affections she said. So he went away to Madras, where he can do no great harm even if he lives to be a colonel.

Churton insisted upon the man who knew taking the Bisara of Puri as a gift. The man took it, went down to the cart road at once, found an ekka pony with a blue bead necklace, fastened the Bisara of Puri inside the necklace with a piece of shoestring and thanked heaven that he was rid of a danger. Remember, in case you ever find it, that you must not destroy the Bisara of Puri. I have not time to explain why just now, but the power lies in the little wooden fish. Mister Gubernatis or Max Muller could tell you more about it than I.

You will say that all this story is made up. Very well. If ever you come across a little silver, ruby studded box, seven-eighths of an inch long by three-quarters wide, with a dark brown wooden fish, wrapped in gold cloth, inside it, keep it. Keep it for three years, and then you will discover for yourself whether my story is true or false.

Better still, steal it, as Pack did, and you will be sorry that you had not killed yourself in the beginning.—Rudyard Kipling.

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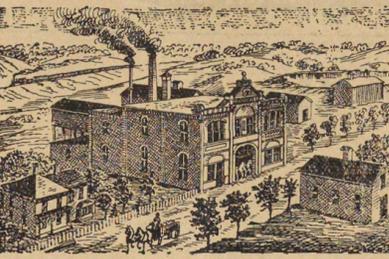
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VILLAGE DOINGS.

Willis.
"Of raining I'm weary,
While birds warble near me;
Float away, float away—
And welcome bright day."

Ralph Bethel has gone to Indiana to visit a sister.

John Campbell has a very sick child. It is not expected to live.

The Willis Sabbath school is to hold a picnic in the near future.

Mrs. Addison Childs has been out from Lansing visiting relatives and friends.

The Friends held an ice cream social at Edmond Derbyshire's last Tuesday evening.

J. B. Lord is quite poorly. For a few weeks back he has been under the doctor's care.

There will be preaching afternoon and evening at the M. E. church on Sunday at Willis.

Dr. Don A. Root has left Willis for the West. We hope the Post will not die out if the Roots are gone.

Mrs. Fannie Wines and daughter, from Chelsea, are visiting at Mrs. J. M. Breining's, Mrs. Wines' sister.

Over two inches of rainfall and as much more electricity and thunder. Have heard of no damage by lightning.

An over abundance of apples in this part of the country. You can hardly give them away. Hope winter apples will be higher.

Miss Stewart, a niece of Mrs. C. O'Brien, has returned to her home at Benton Harbor. She has spent several weeks with her aunt and cousins near Willis.

Mr. Morton, our esteemed undertaker, has gone to Wayne and expects to remain there for the present. It has been too healthy to make it pay to remain here.

Harvey S. Day has secured \$75 from the Wabash R. R. for damage done by fire on his premises last summer. Capt. Allen knows what he is about.

Mrs. Harvey S. Day has had quite a curiosity in the blossom of a calla lily. It was the spotted lily and had a double blossom. It was beautiful and quite lasting.

Harvesting is nearly over in these parts, with the exception of oats. Oats that are heavy and on low ground are suffering terribly, rotting and moulding. The army worms are in Thos. O'Brien's and H. S. Day's oats.

Charles Thompson lost one of his horses last week. On examination after the horse died he found the lungs were both consumed. Too bad, Charley, but "this is the lot of all."

George Bennett, an old resident and pioneer of Augusta township, died July 18, at his home, where he has been cared for by his daughter and his brother Joseph Bennett, for the past few months. He was in his 75th year. Many have seen him in campaign times hoisting some pole to float the name of their chosen president and vice president. Mrs. Bennett and six children survive him. His son, Harry Bennett, of Ypsilanti; Mrs. John Groves, of Ypsilanti township; Mrs. Emma Moore, of Milan; Mrs. Frank Rust, of Eaton's Mills; Mrs. Will Crombie, of Whitaker's Corners and Mrs. Arba Andrus, of Milan.

Pitcher's Castoria.
Children Cry for

Milan.
O. E. Jones is visiting Detroit friends.

Claud Chapin visited Ann Arbor Monday.

Born, July 26, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Swinerton.

J. H. Ford has returned from his western tour.

H. Sill has the brick front to his new store completed.

E. Gregory, of Ann Arbor, visited Milan the last of the week.

Dr. Harper talks of putting up a small house on his lot on W. Main st.

Mrs. H. M. Burt and family have moved back to Milan from Detroit.

Mrs. Wheaton, of Chicago, was the guest of Mrs. G. R. Williams Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingersoll have moved into Mrs. Wallace's house on County st.

Dr. Pyle has a fine new brick barn on his lot on the south side of Main st.

Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Fuller, of Mooreville, visited Milan friends Friday and Saturday.

Rev. J. G. Halaplian, of the U. of M., preached at the M. E. church Sunday morning and evening.

Geo. Minto is progressing finely with his business block, corner of Main and Tolen sts.

Rev. J. P. Hutchinson preached two very interesting sermons at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Miss Iva Lockwood left for Detroit Tuesday morning to visit friends for a few weeks.

The Milan Cornet Band is practicing for the grand tournament at Tecumseh next week.

Mrs. Chas. Gauntlett and Cecil are contemplating starting on a visiting tour for a few days.

A number of Milanites are anticipating taking in the Wild West show at Ann Arbor, Aug. 3.

E. L. Killan, of Kalamazoo College, is filling the pulpit at the Baptist church for the present.

Editor and Mrs. A. B. Smith left Saturday afternoon for a six weeks' outing with friends in Durand, Farwell and Bay View.

Mrs. J. Gallagher, who was the guest of Mrs. Debenham last week, returned to her home at South Bend, Ind., the first of the week.

Friday, Messrs. Ford, Gauntlett and Hack went to Adrian to play croquet. They report a jolly time, and say the games were about even.

H. C. Markham, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Attorney and Mrs. G. R. Williams. He came down to see about organizing a summer art school.

Dr. J. R. Kingsley, one of Milan's enterprising young men, has a position as assistant to Dr. E. O. Bennett, at the Wayne county insane asylum and poor house.

Raymond Barnes, of Chicago, who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Hinkley for a couple of weeks, left for Belleville Saturday morning, where he will visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Soope.

Married—Richards-Loveland. At the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Loveland, July 22, Mr. H. Sebert Richards, to Miss Grace Loveland, both of York. Rev. B. Smits, of Ypsilanti, officiated.

Mrs. Joe Gauntlett had a birthday not long since. How old? Guess. And it was celebrated in a lovely manner by tokens of lovely bouquets from friends; a beautiful booklet with hand painted covers, by Miss L. Warren, and inside this an appropriate verse by Rev. J. P. Hutchinson, of Ann Arbor:

"The birds are singing in the trees
The blossoms are blooming fair,
Kisses of health come from the breeze
And joy is everywhere.
So may thy life in sweet employ
Be one of constant bloom
That thou with loved ones may enjoy
Life's summer afternoon."

For earache, put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough, isn't it?

Manchester.
Miss Blanche Starke is visiting Tecumseh friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nisle drove to Tecumseh Monday.

Miss Hannah Rehffuss, of Ann Arbor, is visiting friends in town.

Walter C. Mack, of Ann Arbor, was in town on business Tuesday.

Miss Mamie Minges, of Clinton, spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Misses Dora and Emma Sauer, of Jackson, are home visiting their parents.

Master Glenn Sherwood, of Clinton, is visiting with his cousin, Charles Sloat, jr.

Miss Mamie Haag, of Jackson, is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Haag.

Miss Rosa Gappa, who is working in Ann Arbor, is at home with her parents for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Celbuski and son Stephen drove to Ann Arbor last Friday to visit friends, returning Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Kingsley and daughter Jean have gone to Port Huron for an extended visit with friends.

N. Schmid and family have gone to Sand Lake to remain the month of August at Lake View cottage.

The Sunday school of Emmanuel church will hold its picnic in N. Schmid's grove next Thursday.

Prof. Mark B. Beal, humorist and dramatic reciter, gives an entertainment at the M. E. church Friday evening.

The young ladies of St. Mary's church gave an ice cream social at Father Heidenreich's Wednesday evening.

Fred Aichele and Fred Baltz, of Chicago, Ill., are spending their

vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aichele.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Waite, of Grand Rapids, and Mr. Brooks, of Vermontville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Waite.

Mrs. Cankins, of Chelsea, who has been visiting at J. H. Kingsley's, returned home Wednesday, accompanied by her niece, Marjory Kingsley.

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The Honeymoon.
In reference to the honeymoon, as to other matters, people's opinions differ according to their temperaments and circumstances. We shall quote two nearly opposite opinions and ask our readers to decide for themselves.

In the "Memoir of Daniel Macmillan" his opinion is thus stated: "That going out for the honeymoon is a most wise and useful invention. It enables you to be so constantly together, and to obtain a deeper knowledge of each other, and it also helps one to see and feel the preciousness of such intimacy as nothing else could. Intercourse in the presence of others never leads below the surface, and it is in the very depths of our being that true calm, deep and true peace and love lie. Nothing so well prepares for the serious duties of after life."

"As to long honeymoons," says the bishop of Rochester, "most sensible people have come utterly to disbelieve in them. They are a forced homage to utterly false ideas. They are a waste of money at a moment when every shilling is wanted for more pressing objects. They are a loss of time, which soon comes to be dreary and weary. Most of all, they are a risk for love, which ought not so soon to be so unpleasantly tested by the inevitable petulances of a secret ennui."—London Tit-Bits.

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Young Fivers—Why, gov'nor, I can't say ashamed exactly, but you know you are not always in good fawm, you know.

Old Fivers—Well, I don't blame you for being ashamed of me. Every time I look at you and think what a job I made of your bringing up, I am ashamed of myself.—London Fun.

Personal.
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Joan of Arc's Portrait.
Is there an authentic portrait of Joan of Arc in existence? Most people suppose there is not, but a German minister in religion, Herr Gatrio, declares in an account he has written of the "History of the Abbey of Murbach" that there are in Alsace two miniatures representing Joan, which are to all appearance the work of an artist among her contemporaries. The first represents the young girl marching to battle. Upon her head is a helmet, she has a cuirass on her chest, and she holds aloft a white flag, whereon the Lord is represented with a terrestrial globe in his hand. At her side are two angels, and at the bottom of the flag are the words, "Jesus and Mary." In the second miniature Joan has no helmet. Her long hair hangs over her shoulders, and above is represented a saint's nimbus. These interesting works of art, adds the writer, are in the collection of Herr George Spetz, at Isenheim, in Alsace.—London News.

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He Was Not at Gettysburg.
"People sometimes ask me," said an old soldier, "if I was at Gettysburg, and when I tell them the fact that I was not, do you know that I sort of imagine that some of them think that then I couldn't have been very much of a soldier? I suppose it's natural enough too. It is perfectly natural that people should be most impressed by the greatest battles of the war, and natural enough to get an idea that the greater the battle the greater the danger and the greater the call for bravery, but as a matter of fact, a man can be killed just as dead in a little fight as in a big one."—New York Sun.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Eve Was Two Hundred Feet High.
The Talmud says (see Baring-Gould's "Legends of the Patriarchs and Prophets") that Adam was so tall he "could stand with his feet on the earth and his head in heaven," and that "God pressed him down at the time of the fall." The Arabs say that Adam was 312 feet high, and that Eve was exactly 200 feet from the soles of her feet to the crown of her head. These same people also claim that Eve's tomb may now be seen at Jiddah, a seaport of Mecca, and that its great size (206 1/2 feet in length and 17 1/2 in breadth) bears them out in the assertion that she was the most gigantic woman the earth has ever known or will ever know. On each 8d of June, the anniversary of the death of Abel, according to Arabian tradition, the door of the temple which has been built at the entrance to this gigantic tomb of our first mother stays open all night in spite of the efforts of the keepers to close it, and the most terrible cries of anguish issue from the sepulcher of the giants, who has been sleeping more than 6,000 years.—St. Louis Republic.

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Epworth League Training Assembly at Ludington—One fare for round trip. Tickets sold to July 25, good returning to Aug. 15.

Music Fest Assembly Grounds, Ludington—One fare for round trip. Tickets sold Aug. 1-8, good returning till Aug. 15.

Twelfth Peninsular Saengerfest, Lansing—One fare for the round trip, Aug. 4, 5 and 6, good returning to Aug. 7.

National League of American Wheelmen, Louisville, Ky.—Rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets to be sold Aug. 9 and 10, good returning to Aug. 17.

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A mustard plaster may be quickly prepared in the following way: Mix the mustard in a large cup as you would for ordinary use, only let it be a trifle thicker; spread it on a piece of tissue paper, cover with another piece of tissue and apply to the skin, covering it with a piece of flannel. When the plaster has been on as long as required, rub a little vaseline lightly over the skin and cover with a piece of medicated wool, with a silk handkerchief over it. The length of time a mustard plaster can be on must be regulated by the order of the doctor and in some instances by the skin of the patient. In some cases it will blister if on more than ten minutes, and we have known persons who could bear one on for an hour without inconvenience.



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At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, July 14, 1896.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$19,637 13	Capital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc..... 491,228 69	Surplus fund..... 150,000 00
Overdrafts..... 824 39	Unpaid profits less current expenses..... 356,453 55
Banking House..... 20,500 00	Sec. interest and taxes paid..... 3,188 40
Furniture and Fixtures..... 8,417 32	Dividends unpaid..... 517 00
Other Real Estate..... 23,820 98	
CASH.	
Due from banks in reserve cities..... 134,276 68	
Due from other banks and bankers..... 72 80	
Checks and cash items..... 1,435 17	
Nicksels and Cents..... 351 29	
Gold coin..... 34,5 5 01	
Silver coin..... 34,00 00	
U. S. and National Bank Notes..... 32,761 00	
\$1,271,560 62	\$1,271,560 52

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.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of July, 1896.
Notary Public.
CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, David Kinsey, Directors.

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

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

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

In the Savings Department interest at the rate of four per cent. is paid semi-annually, on the first days of January and July, on all sums that were deposited three months previous to those days, thus affording the people of this city and county a perfectly safe depository for their funds, together with a return in interest for the same. Money to loan on approved securities.

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FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1896. NATIONAL TICKET.

For President, WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. For Vice-President, ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

REPUBLICAN STATE POLITICS. As the time for the republican state convention approaches the signs of the bitter struggle that will be carried on there is more and more apparent.

Reports from the various republican county conventions held Tuesday show that Mayor Hazen S. Pingree captured his full share of the delegates elected to the state convention at Grand Rapids next Wednesday.

In the Grand Rapids primaries Tuesday Pingree carried the first, fifth, ninth and twelfth wards, the others going for Bliss. Over 700 votes were cast and the majority for the Bliss men was 150.

In West Bay City he got five out of the six wards. In Flint there is much speculation as to where the Genesee delegation will throw their strength in case Mr. Aitken should drop out of the gubernatorial race at any time.

Twelve conventions were held in the state Wednesday and 14 delegates were elected. Of these Pingree captured 95, Bliss is credited with 29, O'Donnell 15, Wheeler 1 and 6 doubtful.

A Good Shoe Firm. Pingree & Smith, the Detroit shoe manufacturers, are working full time in all departments, with some 700 employees, producing about 3,000 pairs daily.

For Sale. A New Spring Wagon with 3 upholstered seats. Complete, a good one, large bed and fine finish.

For Sale. G. W. LOUGHRIDGE, Marble and Granite Works, No. 23 Washington St., Ypsilanti, Mich.

Drink the best. The best and purest beer on the market is GOEBEL'S. For sale on draught and in bottle at CHARLES BINDER, Sr's, No. 6 W. Liberty st., Ann Arbor.

ANGELS' EYES.

Beside my window kneeling, I watch the stars appear. A silver mist is stealing Over the meadows near.

PICKPOCKETS.

They Must Have Nerves of Steel to Be Successful Operators.

Because a man is a pickpocket it does not necessarily follow that he is not well educated nor a close observer of his fellow mortals.

"There is no class of artists who in their calling are as dexterous as pickpockets. This is due to a double incentive.

"Pickpockets, like poets and other people, are born, not made. Their nerves must be iron and yet as sensitive as instinct.

"The chief object of a pickpocket, after certainty, is speed. He cannot dally with his victim by the hour. What he does is to be over in a flash.

"A pickpocket consults his own nervous condition constantly. No fine lady ever has such a time with her nerves as this aristocrat of the outlaws.

SAID AS AN UNDERSTUDY.

It Caused the Wrath of a Tragedian Doomed to Hang.

Jack Moynihan, known chiefly to fame from the fact that he managed a play called "The Scarecrow," which was written by a Chicago newspaper man, and which ran one consecutive night in St. Louis, tells of the only actor he ever knew as being legally executed.

"Are we going to have a good house?" he inquired of the official.

"Fairly good, I guess," was the reassuring answer.

"Have you papered the town pretty well?"

"Two hundred tickets to the sad event have been issued."

"Worked up any fake about confession and previous crimes to rouse interest and give free advertising?"

"I think the newspaper men have been pretty vigilant."

"Do you think you care to rehearse the thing so as to get your lines?"

"I don't believe it will be necessary. Everything has been designed pretty well. We tested the gallows and rope with a 400 pound sack of sand just an hour ago."

"Sand? Sand? The thunder you say! Do you mean to tell me, a man who has gone on with Forrest and Kean, that you are using an infernal dummy sack of sand for my understudy, and that you depend on your rehearsal with it to see you through? Here you've gone and got a packed house just on the strength of my star part, and yet you insult the dignity of the profession by running on a sack of sand to rehearse the leads with."

Well, I'll warn you of one thing—if your rehearsal fails of effect, and you find you've forgotten your lines, you needn't expect me to invent a lot of business at the trying time and to make a gag talk just to fill in a stage wait. I'm a game sport, but my dignity has been stepped on by you and your sack of sand."—Chicago Record.

Pat Laughed Last.

An Irishman on seeing a notice in a haberdasher's window one day which ran, "Everything sold here by the yard," entered and asked the man of the shop if he sold buttermilk.

"Yes," was the answer.

"Then give me a yard," said Pat.

"All right," said the man, and dipping his finger into a dish of milk at his side he drew it a yard in length on the counter.

"Anything else?" he queried triumphantly of Pat.

"No," said Pat. "Just rowl it up in a piece of paper, and I'll take it with me."—Limerick News.

WEDDING PROPHECIES.

Months When He Shall Wed and When She Shall Wed.

Considerable interest is always manifested in weddings, and brides and grooms and other things pertaining thereto. Consequently the following old-time prophecies concerning each month's brides and grooms will be quite appropriate.

WHEN SHALL HE WED?

A January bride will be a prudent housewife and good tempered.

A February bride will be a humane and affectionate wife and tender mother.

A March bride will be a frivolous chatterbox not very intelligent but likely to be good looking.

An April bride will be handsome, amiable and likely to be happy.

A June bride will be impetuous and generous.

A July bride will be handsome and smart, but quick tempered.

An August bride will be amiable and practical.

A September bride will be discreet, affable and much liked.

An October bride will be pretty, coquettish, and jealous.

A November bride will be liberal and kind, but of a mild disposition.

A December bride will be well proportioned, fond of novelty, entertaining, but extravagant.

WHEN SHALL SHE WED?

A January husband will love no one but you.

A February husband will be blest with shekels few.

A husband wed in March storms something like March winds.

An April husband's quite changeable you'll find.

A husband wed in May is handsome but not wise.

A husband wed in June is bound in fame to rise.

A July husband's gift is more of wealth than sense.

An August husband's knowledge is something quite immense.

September's grooms are said to care for eating joys.

October's grooms bring happiness without alloys.

A November husband's love grows sometimes rather cold.

December's husband brings both faithfulness and gold.

A Splendid Cavalcade.

The streets of our city will be enlivened Monday at 10 o'clock a. m. by one of the most novel sights that has ever been witnessed. It can truthfully be said that never before has a cavalcade embraced delegates from so many different races, peoples, and nations.

Often we have been visited by a very varied assemblage of such in the ordinary traveling exhibitions, but, on no occasion has there been the thorough attesting of the genuineness of the characters as are now vouchered for by Col. Cody, Mr. Nate Salisbury, of the Buffalo Bill's Wild West, endorsed by Mr. James A. Bailey himself.

Unlike the perennial shows visiting us, this street exhibition will consist of only detachments from each division of peoples, unembellished with gilding or tinsel, and in light marching order. The herds of wild buffalo, the wild bucking horses and savage steers must be carefully corralled and guarded in camp. Yet the sentiment attached to this, the first, march through our streets of such widely different peoples and military of various countries, is one that marks the progress of man's brotherhood, and is the first exemplification that in time, knowledge and acquaintance will dispel racial prejudices and national hatred, and emphasize the fact of all mankind's kindredship.

The red royalty that roved the continent when Columbus landed will represent the fast disappearing race—"the last of the Mohicans"—marching by the side of his erstwhile foe, now friend, the scout and frontiersman. United States cavalry will carry "Old Glory," the star-spangled banner, alongside the English-Irish Royal Lancers and the Cross of St. George. The French Chasseur will be in amity with the German Cuirassier, with the tricolor drapeau of "La Pille France" waving in harmony with the black eagle of Germany, while the noted Cowboy Band will add patriotic impulse to each with the strains of "Wacht am Rhine," "Marseillaise," "God Save the Queen," "St. Patrick's Day" and "Yankee Doodle." As this assemblage of sons of fighting forefathers march to the spirit of peace, the Russian Cossack from the Caucasus, the Gaucho of South America, the Mexican Rurale, the Texas Ranger, the Bedouin Arab, and that latest addition to historic horsemen, the American Cowboy, will form a collection—and all on horseback—that presages the dawn of universal friendship—the millennium.

Cause For Shame.

Old Fivers—Look here. To come right down to the solid truth, aren't you just a little ashamed of your old daddy? Honest, now.

Young Fivers—Why, gov'nor, I can't say ashamed exactly, but you know you are not always in good fawn, you know.

Old Fivers—Well, I don't blame you for being ashamed of me. Every time I look at you and think what a job I made of your bringing up, I am ashamed of myself.—London Fun.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Ira F. Rortles, of Milan, has been granted a supplemental pension.

Last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Adolph Schulz and Mrs. Louise Nigus were united in marriage, Rev. John Neumann officiating.

Miss Mabel and Master Walter Perry, of E. Washington st., gave a delightful lawn party to 15 of their young friends Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Tables were placed on the lawn and the guests sat down to them and had a right jolly time partaking of the choice refreshments. Games and dancing filled in the evening.

Frances Schleicher, of this city, has entered suit against her husband, Charles Schleicher, for divorce.

She charges that her husband is an habitual drunkard and guilty of extreme cruelty toward herself and child and utterly fails to support them.

Schleicher is at present in the Detroit House of Correction on a 90-day sentence for drunkenness. The couple were married at Brighton in 1874 and have three children.

Undoubtedly.

We will commence July 28 undoubtedly the greatest bargain sale the people of Ann Arbor ever knew.

There are not many goods in this sale, but while they last they will go at great bargains.

These are broken sizes from our stock of Fine Shoes accumulated mostly in the past few months. We do not want to ship these goods out of town, would much rather our customers should have them. Come at once.

JACOBS & ALLMAND, Washington Bk., Washington st., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Webster.

Orion Lanphear is on the sick list.

Miss Cora Pierce, of Ypsilanti, is spending some time here with friends.

Mrs. Walter Reade is entertaining her brother from Detroit for a time.

Mrs. Sarah Ashley and son, of Lansing, are visiting her relatives here this week.

Smith Snyder returned to his home in Detroit this week after a visit at his old home.

Charles Foran, who has been visiting his old friends here for a time, has returned to Detroit.

Moses Gilmore and wife, of Green Oak, visited his brother Owen a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Corey, of Ann Arbor, were called here this week by the death of her father.

Mrs. George Merrill and children left Thursday morning for a two weeks' visit at her old home in Hastings.

Miss Susie and Lewellyn Olsaser, with their cousins from South Lyon, are camping at Base Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Corey, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Fryer returned home Thursday morning.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Stearns Wheeler, Tuesday evening, Aug. 4, for the benefit of the M. E. church.

Henry Todd, an old resident of this place, died July 26, at the home of his son, Charles Todd, aged 88 years, 4 months and 8 days.

He was born in New Jersey, removed to N. Y. state at the age of 2 years, lived there until of age when he came to Michigan, where he has since lived. Seven years ago his wife died, since which time he has lived with his children, who survive him.

Emerson and the Guides.

The poet Emerson was never credited with being a handsome man, though people who knew him saw in his face his beautiful character and forgot to discriminate between him and his appearance.

Years ago, when the "philosophers" were in camp at Follensbee pond, in the Adirondacks, Emerson was one of the party, and his devotion to his studies and "worthless writin'" seemed to several of the guides a great waste of time, which might better have been spent in hunting and fishing.

There was, however, a guide, Steven Martin, who became perhaps the most noted that the Adirondacks ever produced, and who recognized in Emerson something of his real worth and upon whom the poet made a great impression.

"Steve," as he was familiarly called, was an observing man, and the poet's physical defects, then undoubtedly more prominent than in later years, did not escape his eye, as may be seen from the answer he gave to the question of the writer of this paragraph, "What kind of a fellow was Emerson?" "Waal, sir," said the old guide, "he was a gentleman every inch, as nice a fellow as you ever see; pleasant and kind, and a scholar, too, allus figgerin', studyin' and writin'; but, sir, he was, I believe, the all-firedest homeliest critter for his age that ever came into these woods."—Troy Times.

He or She

DON'T KNOW WHAT HE WANTS

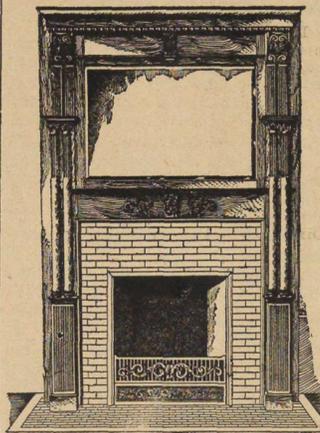
Had to give him up, is the way they refer in most Furniture Stores, to a man or lady who walks out without buying.

They are wrong; they know what they want—that's the trouble. People who are hard to please in Furniture Stores are generally good judges of Furniture. They have a gift of spotting bad goods, bad styles and poor work; they know how Furniture should be made.

We complain of such people. Why should we? They are our best and most appreciative customers.

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County Teachers' Examinations.

The examinations of teachers for 1896-7 will be held as follows:

Regular examination for all grades at Ann Arbor, the third Thursday and Friday of August, 1896, and the last Thursday and Friday of March, 1897.

Regular examinations for second and third grades, at Ann Arbor, the third Thursday and Friday of October, 1896, and the third Thursday and Friday of June, 1897.

Special examination for third grades at Manchester, the third Friday of September, 1896.

WM. W. WEDEMAYER, Commissioner

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON—ss. Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1896, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Caroline M. Gott, 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 27th day of January next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 27th day of October and on the 27th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, July 27, A. D. 1896. J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

Dead Stuck for Bugs!

Is guaranteed to destroy Carpet Bugs, Ants, Roaches, Bed Bugs, etc. It costs 25c for a large bottle. We have also Corrosive Sublimate, Insect Powder, Oil of Cedar, Oil of Lavender, Oil of Sassafras, Carbolic Acid, Coppers, Chloride of Lime, and many other preparations used for the destruction of all kinds of insects and disease germs, which are so prevalent at this time of year.

A. E. MUMMERY'S DRUG STORE

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WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR SALE—Seven-year-old bay mare, good roaster, weight 1,000 pounds. Also a buggy and harness. Enquire of W. H. Clancy, 3 Lawrence st., Ann Arbor. 29-32

FOR SALE—The Dexter Basket Factory. The factory is now running its full capacity and we cannot keep up with orders. Other business prevents our running it. L. C. Palmer, Mattie E. Palmer. 28-33

WANTED—Lady of experience to travel and establish agencies. Salary and expenses paid. Call or address 9 S. Ingalls st., Ann Arbor. 29-32

TO RENT—Term of years on shares—Stock farm, 200 acres, tillable land, ample buildings, good fences, well watered. Lessee to furnish stock. Is 2 1/2 miles from best stock market in Washtenaw county. A. M. Clark, Ann Arbor; A. F. Clark, Saline. 31

TEACHER of mandolin, banjo and guitar. Hattie Long, 69 Miller Ave.

HORSE WANTED—At 28 N. State street, Ann Arbor. Must be young, sound and cheap. Weight about 1,300 pounds. Call soon.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three farms, one close to Ann Arbor, 53 acres, first class buildings, another in Lima, 100 acres well timbered and good buildings, and the third in Lodi, 40 acres, good ample buildings. Call on or address Wm. Osius, Box 1551 Ann Arbor, Mich.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A new 8-room house with a good barn, good well, two good cisterns, one and one-half lots of land. Terms easy. Enquire at 83 Detroit St., Ann Arbor. 29-32

PIANO TUNING—A. D. Brown, the well known piano tuner with C. J. Whitney, will be in the city soon. Orders left at the Argus office will be attended to.

BICYCLES—A strictly high-grade wheel at wholesale price. Only one in each place. Call or write. A. G. St. John, 9 Geddes ave., Ann Arbor. 29-32

TO RENT—Large Commodious House, best location in city, for roomers and boarders. Will rent all or part. Inquire at 47 S. Division St. 29-32

FARMERS!

One result of recent rains is much damp wheat. We can dry 300 to 400 bushels daily on the large dry-kiln in our Mill. We will perform this service free of charge for all who desire it, but arrangements as to time must be made in advance.

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ARGUS AUGURIES.

Friday, July 31—Emancipation Day Celebration at Ann Arbor.
Monday, August 3—Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show at Fair Grounds.
Wednesday, August 5—Republican State convention at Grand Rapids.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

During their "Broken sizes sale" Jacobs & Allmand will keep their store open till 8 o'clock p. m.

The annual meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' Association will be held at Lansing, Dec. 28th to 30th.

Becker's Light Infantry Band expects to conduct an excursion to Put-in-Bay and return some time in August.

The interior of the Grand opera house is undergoing a much needed cleaning and fixing up at the hands of a gang of workmen.

Thomas J. Clark, a life prisoner at Jackson, died at the state prison Saturday of consumption, and his remains were brought to the university hospital Monday.

There was a bad washout on the Ann Arbor road just south of the city caused by the heavy rains of Sunday, which delayed the trains somewhat on Monday morning.

Charles Karher, an old resident of Chelsea, aged 74 out his throat Saturday morning at 4 o'clock. He then attempted to finish the job by jumping into the river. His recovery is doubtful as the windpipe is served.

W. D. Adams has sold his house on S. Thayer st., recently purchased of C. A. Ward, to H. B. Hongland, of Battle Creek. Mr. Hongland will move here with his family August 1. Transfer through Bach & Butler agency.

The Livingston Republican, Howell, says: "The Ann Arbor Railroad Company has had men here during the week, surveying the town and making a new map, showing their interests. What else they may be here for we do not know."

Wm. Illi's delivery horse ran away Thursday evening and in attempting to turn into the alley leading to its stable, in rear of the bakery on E. Washington st., it was thrown against the large plate glass window of Parker, Colburn & Schneider's store with such violence as to break it into splinters. The horse was considerably bruised and cut by the accident.

Mrs. Anna M. Parshall, of Ann Arbor town, has filed a petition for divorce against her husband Charles T. Parshall, of the same place, on the ground of cruelty and drunkenness. She also asks for an injunction to restrain him from disposing of the personal property belonging to them and for the custody of their only child, Roy N. Parshall, a boy of 11 years old. The injunction has been issued.

On Thursday afternoon of last week President Winter, of the Street Railway Co., met with the board of public works according to appointment. He at once informed the board that the company was opposed to moving the line from Detroit st., where it is at present located, as it would cost over \$3,000 to do it. A long discussion ensued but beyond this statement the meeting was fruitless and nothing was agreed upon.

Now a prominent physician claims that the board-like throat environments worn by women are responsible for the prevalence of headaches and earaches and eyeaches, causing a mild form of strangulation. He says that more than one case of congested blood at the base of the brain has been traced to this collar fad. It is also the cause of red noses, bad skins and other forms of repressed circulation. Which will my lady adhere to, health or fashion?

The Postmaster General has issued an order requiring railroad companies to observe a law which has never been enforced respecting the free carriage of their letters. Hereafter all letters to station agents and officials will be required to have postage, but exception is to be made in cases where letters refer to trains bearing them. A special form of stamped envelope, such as is used by express companies, will be supplied the railroad companies and these must be canceled on delivery to the train hands. This new order will become general immediately.

Children's Day will be observed at the German M. E. church next Sunday evening.

The Wolverine cyclists gave a negligible party at their rooms last evening which was largely attended.

The Sorosis has rented the A. W. Hamilton property on E. Madison st. and will occupy it during the coming school year.

Dr. C. M. Cobern will address the men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms on Sunday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

Henry Meuth lost his sailboat at Whitmore Lake during the storm of Sunday night. It broke from its moorings and was swamped in the lake.

The concert by Becker's Light Infantry Band last Saturday evening on the court house square, drew out quite a large crowd of people who greatly enjoyed the music.

On Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jones, 20 E. Catherine st., their son, Ed. W. Jones was married to Miss Lavina Heibstein, of this city.

Stevens & Weinberg, of the Kindergarten on N. Main st., have rented the two vacant stores in the Pratt Block on S. Main st., and will occupy them as a billiard parlor and cafe.

Mrs. Cornelia Kerr has sold her house on the corner of S. Fourth ave. and Packard st. to Mrs. Minnie Adams. Transfer through Bach & Butler agency. Consideration \$4,000.

The committee appointed by the common council to visit Detroit and investigate the macadamizing of streets were among those who took in the Young Men's Christian Association excursion yesterday.

John B. Wells, of Superior, died Saturday at the home of William H. Spooner, in that town, of heart disease, aged 69 years, 1 month and 28 days. His remains were buried in the Dixboro cemetery Tuesday.

Col. John E. Tyrrell, of the First Infantry, M. N. G., has given notice that an election of major to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Major John P. Sanford, will take place at camp, Saturday, Aug. 22, at 3 p. m., at the regimental headquarters.

J. C. Henderson, of St. Paul, Minn., will succeed Lew H. Clement as manager of the Ann Arbor Organ Co.'s business. Mr. Henderson has for three years been secretary and manager of the Schimmel & Nelson Piano Co. and comes here highly recommended.

A large number of people took the train at the Ann Arbor depot yesterday morning bound for Whitmore Lake to attend the annual picnic of the Young People's Society of Zion Lutheran church. They returned on the evening train tired but with the recollection of having spent a very pleasant day.

Michael Preskorn, of Northfield, got his right hand caught in one of the dump carts of the Ann Arbor Railroad construction trains on Monday and it resulted in a fracture of the first three fingers of that member. Dr. J. A. Wessinger treated the fracture and Preskorn is doing as nicely as possible.

Henry Todd, a resident of Webster for 56 years, died at his home in that township, on Sunday, aged 88 years. He was born in New York state in 1808, and with his wife came to Webster in 1837. The funeral services were held at his late home on Tuesday morning and the remains were interred at Hamburg.

August Mensing, of Chelsea, by his attorneys, Lehman Bros., has begun suit in the Washtenaw circuit court against the Michigan Central Railroad Co. He claims that owing to the negligence of the company's agents he received permanent injury Feb. 9, 1895, while alighting from a passenger train at Dowagiac. He asks \$5,000 damages.

McClure's Magazine for August is to be a midsummer fiction number, with short stories by Octave Thanet, Stephen Crane, Clinton Ross, E. W. Thompson, and Annie Eliot. Stephen Crane's story will exhibit the hero of his successful novel, "The Red Badge of Courage," grown an old man, but still capable of a fine act of bravery; Clinton Ross' will deal with Perry's historic fight and victory on Lake Erie; and Annie Eliot's will depict a sprightly love episode in a Yale and Harvard boat race.

Next Sunday several members of the local Young Men's Christian Association will go to Chelsea to hold religious meetings. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock a meeting for men only will be held in the M. E. church. It will be addressed by J. E. Benz, general secretary of the association. Other short addresses will be made by G. G. Stinson and W. B. Phillips. The union services in the evening will be held in the Congregational church and will be addressed by H. G. Van Tuyl, of Detroit, president of the state executive committee of the Young Men's Christian Association. Other short addresses will also be made by Ann Arbor men.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Storms were 25 years married Wednesday evening of last week and their daughters determined that the event should not go unrecognized, invited a number of their friends to spend the evening at the Storms' home, No. 10 Lawrence st. On some pretence they induced their mother to go away from home for a few hours and then assisted by two or three young lady friends they wrought such a transformation that when Mrs. Storms arrived home, as the congressman said, she "didn't know where she was at." The older members of the party took supper in the house while the younger ones were served out doors on the lawn. Everyone enjoyed the visit immensely and many silver mementoes of friendship were left behind by the guests as they departed. The Argus wishes Mr. and Mrs. Storms another 25 years of married life and happiness.

The Young Men's Christian Association boys are agitating the formation of a brass band.

The faces of the court house clock look brilliantly clean since they have been cleaned and repainted.

Ten members of the Lyra Maennerchor have been camping at Whitmore Lake during the past week.

The city taxes are being paid in very slowly Capt. Manly says. Few people have a plethora of ready money and what they have got they hate to let go of.

E. V. Hangsterfer has decided to close his confectionery business at Ypsilanti, Aug. 11. The fixtures of the store will be removed to his new branch store on S. State st.

W. B. Phillips and O. E. Butterfield caught 17 pickerel in a single day's fishing at Bay View last week. At least that is what Phillips says and he generally tells just what is so.

Between 400 and 500 people took the Young Men's Christian Association excursion train for Detroit yesterday morning. That is only about half the number that went down last year.

E. L. Schneider has invented an instantaneous bath heater. Its fuel is gas and it is claimed to be so economical in the use of it that the cost is almost nothing. With these recommendations it should meet with ready sale.

The Light Infantry boys are receiving letters from all kinds of circus performers relative to their second annual midwinter circus which they are already planning for and which they state will be better than that of last year.

Charles J. N. Jacobs, son of J. T. Jacobs, of this city, has sent home accounts of fishing that he has lately been taking a hand in at Catalina Island, in the Pacific ocean. Tunis and Jew fish were the kinds caught, the fish weighing from five to eight pounds each.

A fire started in a lot of rubbish in the cellar of Mrs. M. Sheehan's house, 85 E. Huron st., about noon on Sunday. The smoke was quite dense and a quantity of the household furniture was removed before it was discovered that there was no great cause for alarm. A large crowd was attracted to the scene.

Albert C. Schumacher and Herman Miller have formed a partnership and will in the near future open up another drug store in Ann Arbor. Both young men are well and favorably known to our citizens and there is no reason why they should not make a success of their venture, as they have lots of friends. The store they will occupy is the one owned by Titus F. Hutzl, now occupied by A. Teufel.

Mrs. George E. Hollister, the wife of Rev. George E. Hollister, a superannuated Methodist minister, committed suicide by hanging herself Monday morning while temporarily deranged by illness. While the rest of the family were at breakfast she tied the corners of a handkerchief together, slipped it under her chin, got upon the bed and backed up to the high corner hooked it over and jumped off the bed and simply choked to death. She was dead when her husband went into the room after breakfast.

City Clerk Mills lives in an odor—not of sanctity, but—of dead sparrow heads these days. The city pays a bounty of two cents each for sparrow heads and the way in which those sparrow heads are coming in nowadays is appalling to the smell. Glen says he believes some of them must be three months old. The reason for this unusual number of sparrow heads being brought in is that the boys want to go and see Buffalo Bill's Wild West show and are earning enough money in this way to do so.

Some changes in business locations will take place in the near future. A. Teufel will remove his harness stock into the store now occupied by Camp Bros. at 57 S. Main st. The latter gentlemen will go out of the furniture business in which they are now engaged. The store Mr. Teufel vacates is to be remodeled by its owner, Titus F. Hutzl, who will have a new plate glass front put into it and an addition built onto the rear end of the building. When finished it will be occupied as a drug store by A. C. Schumacher and Herman Miller who have entered into partnership.

Here is news for Ann Arbor people. Bryan's only opponent for the nomination on the Populist ticket at St. Louis was an Ann Arbor boy. Seymour F. Norton, of Chicago, received 321 votes to Bryan's 1,042. Norton lived with his parents over in the Fifth ward for several years early in the sixties and received his education in our public schools and in the university. In 1867 he graduated from the law department of the university. He has been a faithful and popular attorney in the Windy City for many years besides taking a prominent position in his party's councils. In the recent convention at St. Louis it was only the fact that strenuous attempts were made to cause a stampede to Bryan that made Norton's vote so small.—Times.

The Times tells a story of an Ann Arbor citizen who chanced to pass the dray stand on the east side of the court house square at 2 o'clock in the morning a few days since and saw a drayman at his post at that early hour of the morning. The citizen awakened the drayman, who was partially asleep, and told him what time it was, thinking he had gone to sleep and so remained at his post longer than usual. He was greatly surprised when the man told him that he had just come from home, where he had had part of a night's sleep, and had come early in order to get the position at the head of the line as that position usually meant the securing of the first job in the morning. He intended, he said, to hold the position until early morning, when his brother would relieve him.

While in Chicago last week, Lew H. Clement sold 300 organs to a good firm.

Randall & Jones have purchased the large law library of Judge L. S. Montague, deceased, of Howell.

W. J. Booth, gave a very interesting talk Monday evening at the M. E. church on his travels in the Holy Land.

A large number of Ann Arborites attended the dancing party and concert at the Clifton House, Whitmore Lake, last Friday night.

The heavy rain of Sunday last put a damper on the spirits of the large number of people who visited Toledo and the lakes north of this city.

At the Tecumseh bicycle races last week, Paul C. Meyer lowered the 5-mile state record of 12:09, made by Glen P. Thay, of Carson City, to 11:38 2-5.

Walter Toop has sold his store on State st. to Ed. Hangsterfer. Transfer through the Bach & Butler agency. Consideration \$7,500. Mr. Hangsterfer will open a branch store there next fall.

At a meeting of the Ann Arbor Rifles held Monday night it was decided to take part in the German-American day exercises Aug. 27. A float will be built on which will be represented the Goddess of Liberty.

Fred G. Schleicher has sold his house on Detroit st., between Kingsley and Division sts., to Dr. H. J. Pearson, formerly of West Milton, Ohio, who will take possession at once and enter upon the practice of his profession.

W. D. Adams has sold his house on S. Thayer st., recently purchased of C. A. Ward, to H. B. Hongland, of Battle Creek. Mr. Hongland will move here with his family Aug. 1st. Transfer through the Bach & Butler agency.

The remains of Mrs. Harriet West, who died at her home in St. Louis, Mich., were brought to Ann Arbor and interred in Forest Hill cemetery Saturday morning. Rev. J. W. Crippen conducted the services. Mrs. West formerly resided here.

Harold Rettich, aged four years, son of Charles Rettich, was playing with a toy windmill one day last week, and while running at full speed with it held in his mouth, he fell and the toy was driven up into the roof of his mouth inflicting a serious wound.

The 29th annual reunion of the Twenty-second M. V. I. occurs at Flushing, Aug. 13. This regiment has three surviving members residing in this county: Capt. Woodman, of Ypsilanti, Col. H. S. Dean and Private S. C. Randall, of Ann Arbor.

Sixty pedagogues are here in attendance upon the summer institute for county teachers, which opened Monday in the high school building. The instructors are ex-School Commissioner M. J. Cavanaugh, Prof. M. A. Cobb, of Ypsilanti, and Miss Celia Brennan, of Chicago.

Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) personally participates in and supervises every exhibition given by his Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World. During the last twelve years he has missed just twelve exhibitions, and that was one week he was away while exhibiting in England six years ago.

Attorney General Maynard has decided that a woman who owns property in her own right, but which property is assessed in her husband's name, or in any other name, may vote at school elections and annual meetings on all subjects. That the error in the assessment roll does not lawfully prevent them from exercising the right.

A large fruit grower of peaches in the lake shore fruit belt uses a remedy for borers which he claims finishes up the worms in quick order. He digs away the dirt at the foot of the trunk deep enough to expose the roots nearest the surface, and with the dirt forms a basin several inches higher than the ground level. This basin he fills with boiling water, which kills every worm in the roots and lower portion of the trunk and does not injure the tree.

The State Teachers' Institute for Washtenaw county will be held in this city beginning Aug. 31, and closing Sept. 27. Full information may be had on application to W. W. Wedemeyer, Ann Arbor. The institute law allows teachers, whose schools are in session at the time appointed for the county institute held under the direction of the state superintendent, to close their schools during the continuance of such institute, without forfeiting their wages, for as many half days as they are in attendance at the institute.

Important Notice to Wheelman.
The Ann Arbor Railroad takes pleasure in announcing that hereafter bicycles will be checked between all stations on its line without charge.

Last Call ON SUMMER GOODS

Shirt Waists

Closing without regard to cost. All our \$2, \$1.75 and \$1.69 Waists, and a few of our \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00 Waists to close at 75c.
All our 75c and 50c Waists and many of our \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 waists at 39c.

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Large lines of 10' and 12 1/2c goods at 5c.
Many styles of 12 1/2 and 15c goods at 7 1/2c.
Large variety of 15c to 25c goods at 9c.

New Goods

For FALL 1896.

Just received this week a large and varied assortment of Autumn Styles in SILKS and NOVELTY DRESS GOODS, all at popular prices. August is a good month to make up Fall Goods, for dressmakers are not so busy as later.

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Until July Fourth we will sell all Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits at a Large Discount.

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BIG BARGAINS IN Millinery
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Not Much Left of Farm Tools
IN ANY LINE OF
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YARDS: M. C. R. R., Phone No. 51.

DO YOU Want Money? or a Home? Want work? or a Farm? Want to open a store in a growing town? Want to raise live stock? Want to know how to buy improved farms in a well settled region without paying cash? Particulars and publications sent free by F. I. WHITE, N.E.Y., St. Paul, Minn.

EXCLUDED THE REDS.

Anarchists Not Allowed in the Socialist Congress.

FOREIGNERS ARE WILD WITH RAGE

They Shout, Yell and Threaten When the Result of the Vote Excluding Them from the Congress Is Announced—Dr. Jameson and the Other Raiders Found Guilty and Sentenced to Prison—The Uganda Railway Bill.

LONDON, July 29.—The international socialist and trades union congress resumed its session Tuesday at St. Martin's town hall, with Herr Singer, the well-known German socialist and member of the reichstag, presiding. The credentials of all the delegates who presented themselves for admission were closely scrutinized at the door, and several were rejected and the bearers denied admittance. The English section, which controlled the preliminary business, declined by 223 to 104 to exclude anarchists. This action no sooner became known to the anarchists outside than they became furious with rage, and, after fiery remarks from their leaders, they made a combined rush for the doors of the hall, overturned the door-keeper, and poured into the galleries in spite of all opposition.

Storm of Disapproval.

This caused a repetition of the exciting and stormy scene of Monday. Tom Mann and James Kier Hardie, the English labor leaders, spoke in favor of at least admitting Herr Hyndman. Their remarks were wildly applauded by the anarchists. Other English labor leaders made speeches against admitting the anarchists. This brought forth a storm of disapproval from the latter, during which a few blows and many angry words were exchanged among the foreigners, who could hardly be prevented by the more peaceful men from engaging in a general free fight. Eventually orders were given to put out the disturbers of the peace, and when some show of so doing was made something like order was once more restored and the debate was resumed.

Voted Against Anarchists.

After further speeches for and against the admission of anarchists it was agreed that properly accredited anarchists, including Louise Michel, should be permitted to be present at the debate. After several hours of additional discussion the congress, voting by nationalities, upheld the Zurich resolution by 18 1/2 to 2 1/2, the effect of which is to exclude anarchists from the congress. During the voting there was another scene of the greatest excitement. Fierce shouting and yelling, mingled with scuffling and threatening, prevailed among the foreigners and probably served as much as anything else to harden the hearts of the Englishmen against admitting the anarchist element to the deliberations of the international socialist and trade union congress.

UGANDA BILL FINDS FAVOR.

The Measure Provides for the Construction of a Central African Railway.

LONDON, July 29.—The Uganda railway bill passed its second reading in the house of commons Tuesday by a vote of 239 to 86, after Mr. Curzon had urged that if Great Britain did not make a railway to the Victoria Nyanza Germany would do so. The Uganda railway is already under construction. The proposed route is from Mombasa, on the Zanzibar coast of east Africa, northwesterly, passing to the north of Kilimanjaro, through the country of the Wakamba, to a point near Kikuyu, passing Lake Naivasha, coming out upon Victoria Nyanza in Kavirondo at Berkeley bay on the northeast shore of the lake.

The route is described as being for the most of the distance over a gently rising and then falling and in places slightly undulating country, presenting few engineering difficulties. There is the Eldora ravine, which has steep banks 600 feet high and is 300 feet in width, which will require the construction of an iron bridge. It is intended that a train shall take eight days to do the entire journey. It is said that it will run only during the daytime, and strong permanent stations will be erected at the places where the train stops for the night.

Rioting in Zurich.

ZURICH, July 29.—Riots broke out on Saturday, arising from the killing of a Swiss by Italians, were renewed Monday evening and continued all night long. An infuriated crowd attacked the Italian quarter and committed serious excesses. The rioters were finally overpowered by the police and military and after fifty men had been arrested the disturbance was finally quelled.

Hope for Irish Prisoners.

LONDON, July 29.—The Westminster Gazette Monday afternoon says that during the debate on the home office vote on Friday the home secretary, Sir Matthew White Ridley, will probably announce a mitigation of the sentences of the Irish political prisoners.

Poles Were About to Revolt.

BERLIN, July 29.—A dispatch to the Kolnische Zeitung from Warsaw says that several arrests have been made there of persons who were found to be connected with an impending Polish revolutionary movement. The movement is of a serious character.

Receiver Appointed.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 29.—Judge Tillinghast of the Appellate court, Tuesday directed the entrance of a decree forfeiting the charter of the Commercial Mutual Fire Insurance company, restraining the president and other officers of the company from transacting any insurance business in the name of the company and appointing James C. Collins, Jr., receiver.

Franchise Held To Be Valid.

DETROIT, July 29.—The franchise of the Detroit railway Tuesday held to be valid by a decision of the supreme court denying the right of the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company to the exclusive use of the streets of this city, as claimed under an old ordinance.

THE DEATH RECORD.

WILLIAM B. NOBLE, wealthy citizen of Washington, D. C., at Glenwood Springs, Colo. Captain GARRETT L. COLLINS, war veteran and old citizen of Aurora, Ills. HORACE BANCROFT, an old resident of Jacksonville, Ills.

WILL FOR A THIRD TICKET.

The Announcement Given Out by a Personal Friend of the Senator.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Senator Hill is now in favor of a third ticket. This information comes direct from a personal friend of the senator. The action of the Populist convention at St. Louis is what seems to have caused Mr. Hill to come to a decision as to his course. He feels that his best interests lie in identifying himself with the gold men of the east. The position of the senator is thus outlined by the friend in question as follows: "Mr. Hill has been between two fires from both factions of the party for some time. He couldn't indorse the Chicago platform, nor could he advocate the election of any candidate who stood upon it. The St. Louis Populist convention only served to widen the breach between the sound money and silver wings of the party, making it impossible to bridge it, as the western Democrats had practically affiliated with the Populists in everything but in name.

"Senator Hill may just now possibly deny that he has decided to support a third ticket, but you will find that when the Saratoga state convention meets, Mr. Hill will be against the Bryan ticket. The New York senator is simply following the footsteps of Flower, Whitney, Lamont and other eminent leaders in the Empire state."

Senator Hill himself continues non-committal, and the state committee, which meets at the Hoffman House, will merely decide to call the convention at Saratoga without indicating any line of policy. This method is said to be for the purpose of waiting for something to "turn up" in the near future. That is to say, it will give the Cleveland men a chance to get their third ticket in the field in the meantime.

All doubt as to Tammany's intentions concerning the Chicago ticket and platform was set at rest Monday by the issue of a call for a meeting of the executive committee Friday to range the details for ratifying the ticket. This step was decided upon by Mr. Martin and John C. Sheehan in accordance with the expressed desires of thirty-two out of thirty-five district leaders of Tammany. Senator Hill and other leaders of the state organization have endeavored to induce Tammany to defer action until after the state convention, but the majority of the district leaders in the wigwam is opposed to any postponement, and the ratification meeting to indorse the Chicago ticket, including Sewall, will be held next week.

CONDITION OF CROPS.

Reports from Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan and Wisconsin.

CHICAGO, July 29.—The reports as to condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather on the growth, cultivation and harvest of same were made Tuesday by the directors of several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Illinois—The week has been unfavorable for work. The excessive rainfall has caused injury to wheat, oats and rye in shock, producing sprouting, mold and rotting. The largest part of the crop, however, was stacked or threshed previous to the rain. Corn, except on lowlands, is doing finely; broom corn, second crop clover, pastures, late potatoes and gardens have been much benefited by rains.

Indiana—Heavy rains in localities did damage; wheat, rye and oats in shock are sprouting and rotting; much hay is spoiled; threshing and plowing were delayed; great crops of corn and potatoes almost assured; some corn in bottom lands was under water; tobacco nearly topped in good condition.

Iowa—Excessive rainfall with cool and cloudy weather delayed harvest and caused increased damage to oats and wheat in shock. Corn, grass and other growing crops have been much improved.

Michigan—Conditions droughty in upper peninsula and northern counties of lower peninsula. Oats harvests delayed in southern half of state by frequent rains, but growing crops have boomed. Corn grows fast, looks fine, and is earing. Potatoes are doing well and pastures are improved. The ground is in good shape for fall plowing, which is in progress.

Wisconsin—The liberal rains during the week have been very beneficial, especially to pastures, corn and new seeding. Harvesting is about completed in southern and middle sections and is being pushed rapidly in northern. Oats are not as good as expected on account of damage to them by rust and insects. Corn is doing well. The army worm is spreading, but for the whole state the per cent. of damage is not great.

Failure in Paper.

PHILADELPHIA, July 29.—A. G. Elliott & Co., the well-known manufacturers and dealers in paper, failed Tuesday. A deed of assignment of the firm was recorded in the afternoon. The assignment is made to the Finance company of Pennsylvania and George H. Earl, Jr., for the benefit of the firm's creditors. The deed of assignment stated that a list of the real estate in the name of the assignors will be furnished at an early date. Included in the assignment is that of the Philadelphia Parchment company, limited, A. G. Elliott, chairman, and Joseph B. Mitchell, secretary and treasurer.

Culminated in a Shooting Affray.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The domestic troubles of William Lehmaier and his wife, which have been before the public at intervals during the last six weeks, culminated Tuesday in a shooting affray, which will probably result in Lehmaier's death. Mrs. Lehmaier says that Charles A. Johnson, who did the shooting, is her brother. Lehmaier says that the man is Mrs. Lehmaier's former husband. For some time a contest has been waging between the Lehmaiers as to the occupancy of a house in West Thirty-fifth street, each trying to oust the other.

Severe Heat at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 29.—The heat in this city for the past two days has been intense, a maximum of about 100 degrees in the shade being recorded. It was worse on the streets where the stone pavements reflected the glare and heat of the sun and made outdoor life almost unbearable. There were many prostrations. The fatal cases were those of Mrs. Kate Bryon, aged 28 and William Zeilmann, a carpenter, who died soon after being taken to the hospital. There were several other serious cases.

Renominated for Congress.

PALESTINE, Tex., July 29.—H. B. Cooper was renominated for congress from the Second Texas district Monday. He is a free silver man.

FIFTEEN MEN DROWN.

Boarding House Washed Away, Only One Man Escaping.

FRIGHTFUL RESULT OF A STORM.

The Men Who Lost Their Lives Were Foreigners in the Employ of W. P. Rend, the Coal Operator—In Pittsburg the Storm Assumes the Extent of a Tornado and Kills Two People—A Large Number of Others Injured.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—During Monday night's storm a boarding house near Cecil, Washington county, was washed away and the occupants, fifteen coal miners, were drowned. The men were all foreigners and their names could not be learned. They were employed in the coal mines of W. P. Rend, near McDonald, Pa. The house stood on the banks of Painters' run, and about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning the water rose rapidly and swept the structure from its foundations, carrying it down the stream. There were sixteen men in the house and as far as known but one escaped with his life. Five bodies have been recovered, and it is believed the other ten, who are still missing, are all drowned.

Two Lives Lost in Pittsburg.

The full extent of the damage wrought by Monday night's hurricane in this city was not known until daylight, when wreck and ruin were apparent on all sides. Steeple were blown from churches and adjoining buildings crushed; houses were unroofed, trees broken off, and in some cases torn up by the roots, while the havoc caused by the heavy rainfall of last week was repeated. In this city two lives were lost, thirty-six persons injured, many, it is feared, fatally, and property damaged to the extent of \$100,000. The names of those killed are as follows: Jacob Affelter, aged 35, 17 Forward avenue, instantly killed on Greenfield avenue by a falling fence. John Figus, aged 22, skull crushed by falling tree at Sugar Camp Grove.

Approach of the Storm.

The approach of the storm was heralded by black clouds that turned daylight into darkness. There was a constant roll of terrifying thunder and incessant flashes of vivid lightning that gave warning to pedestrians to seek places of safety. The wind rose to a gale as the rain began to fall and then the hurricane came on with a roar, driving the rain in solid sheets before it. In an instant the streets in many parts of the city were filled with flying branches of trees, tin roofs were lifted from houses and sent whirling over chimney tops, knocking them down like temples, signs and fences and trees fell, crushing out the lives of two men and injuring others.

Damage Elsewhere.

The storm crossed Silver lake, and the dam, unable to stand the strain of the flood behind it, gave way, turning Finley's hollow into a raging torrent and swelling Nagley's run into a river until it emptied into the Allegheny near the Brilliant pumping station. At Braddock hail added to the damage, and when the hurricane reached Turtle creek it assumed the awful proportions of a cyclone, doing untold damage. In the oil fields derricks were blown down, particularly in O'Hara township. Sewickley, Coraopolis, Bellevue and McKee's Rocks suffered severely. In Millvale and Sharpsburg hail caused havoc and glaziers will be busy for several days.

There is no cheap Sarsaparilla so good; There is no good Sarsaparilla so cheap as Foley's Sarsaparilla. It is Several times stronger in blood Cleansing qualities than any other Advertised Blood Medicine A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Arbor.

General Harrison at New York.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Ex-President and Mrs. Harrison arrived in this city from Old Forge Monday night. He comes to attend the session of the general committee of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church which began Tuesday. He declined to discuss politics.

Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to cure all impurities of the blood, from a common pimple to the worst scrofula sore.

Negroes Declare a Boycott.

DECATUR, Mich., July 29.—Because two of the sons of Martin Stegeman, a merchant of Allegan, in a public debate favored the colonization of negroes, the colored residents have declared a boycott on his place of business.

Losing Flesh

You naturally lose flesh in the summer and running down is so easy. You get a little weaker each day without hardly noticing it. There is loss of appetite, headache, weakness of the muscles, disturbed sleep, weakness of memory, and these are the beginning of nervous prostration. Iron and tonics and bitters may afford some temporary relief, but what you need is a food for body, brain and nerves.

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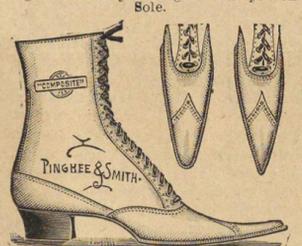
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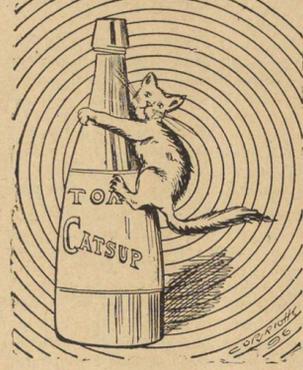
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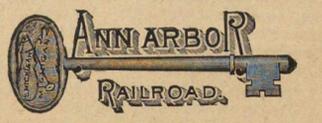
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PERSONAL.

Prof. W. S. Perry arrived home from the east yesterday.

Mrs. B. F. Watts returned home from her visit to Flint on Monday.

Judge Kinne is home from his western trip.

W. W. Wedemeyer is enjoying a brief vacation at Kalamazoo.

Miss Julia Brennan is home from Chicago and will remain until Sept. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Beal and daughter are visiting relatives in Unadilla.

Miss Lizzie Diehl left today for a week's visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. John Heinzmann is visiting relatives in Bay City.

Mrs. Nellie Litchfield, of Delhi, will teach in the Dexter schools next year.

The Misses Amelia and Edith Schleele left today for a week's trip up the lakes to Mackinaw.

Lew H. Clement and family start tomorrow for their new home, at Wheeling, W. Va.

Miss Celia Brennan, who is a teacher in Chicago, is teaching in the High School preparatory school.

Miss Mattie Dolan is visiting her sister, Mrs. James McKernan, of Northfield.

Mrs. Herman Eisele and son went to Chicago yesterday where they will visit friends for several weeks.

Prof. Eugene Lohr, of Duluth, Minn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lohr, on Packard st.

Miss Sophie Koch leaves tomorrow for Michigan City, Ind., to visit friends for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindenschmitt are spending a couple of weeks at Whitmore Lake.

S. C. Andrews, a former business man of Ann Arbor, was a visitor in the city on Monday.

Mrs. George B. Mills, of Owosso, is in the city visiting her son, Glen V. Mills and family.

R. C. McAllister was rusticiating in Webster township for a few days the first part of the week.

Miss Una Abell, the well known young actress, is visiting her mother at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house.

Mrs. W. W. Watts returned home from her visit in Cleveland, O., Wednesday evening.

Charles Burkhardt, of Chicago, was home for a few days' holiday the latter part of last week and beginning of this.

John O. Jenkins, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday calling on old friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. J. A. Brown and daughter Miss Nellie, will leave next Wednesday for a visit with friends in Chicago and Joliet, Ill.

Erroll Dunbar, of New York city, is the guest of Mrs. Abell, at the S. A. E. house. Mr. Dunbar is a leading member of Rhea's company.

D. F. Schairer and son Carl returned home Monday from a visit in Chicago. Mrs. Schairer will return tomorrow evening.

Miss Anna Shannon is visiting her uncle, John Shannon, in London, Ont. She will visit friends in other places in Ontario before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Martin returned home from their outing at the Waldeman clubhouse at Dodge's Point on Saturday.

Mrs. George L. Moore, accompanied by her brother and his wife, is enjoying a month's outing at a small beach near New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. A. K. Hale and Mrs. R. S. Greenwood left Monday morning for a week's visit at Frankfort and Crystal lake.

Mrs. John and Miss Kate Diehl left this morning for Marquette by way of the lakes for a couple of weeks' visit with Adolph Diehl.

Mrs. Marshall, son and daughter, of Lansing, will remove to Ann Arbor in about a week. The son, Thomas Marshall, will enter the U. of M. this fall.

Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Gelston left for Massachusetts Wednesday morning, where they will spend a couple of months. In the fall they will visit Florida.

George Burke left Wednesday morning for a bicycle trip through Europe. He accompanied a party of bicycle tourists from Chicago and other cities, who made Detroit their starting point.

Mrs. D. M. Tyler returned home Friday for a few days' stay and left today for Lansing and other points where she and the doctor will stay until the last of August.

Miss Mary Purfield has resigned her position in Moore & Wetmore's bookstore. Her place is filled by Miss Milie Parsons. It is said that Miss Purfield will soon be married.

W. D. Harriman left for Crystal lake Tuesday evening, where in company with Governor Ashley, of Toledo, he will entice the perch from their watery home for a few days.

Revs. L. T. Cole and Henry P. Horton, H. J. Brown and Geo. H. Pond went to the Cornelian cottage at Island Lake, Wednesday evening, as guests of Dr. A. C. Nichols, to spend a few days in fishing. The party was joined last evening by Dr. W. W. Nichols and T. W. Mingay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phillips will arrive home from Bay View today.

Edward Taylor, of Denver, Colo., is visiting his mother, Mrs. D. H. Taylor, on S. Twelfth st.

T. E. Nickles and wife have gone on a two weeks' trip to Milwaukee, Wis., via Mackinac and the Soo.

Miss Viola Bliss left Tuesday for an extended visit in the east at New York City, the sea shore and Hartford Conn.

Rev. R. M. Beach, late assistant of St. Andrew's church, returned to his home in the east Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Comstock, of Illinois are the guests of Mrs. Comstock's mother, Mrs. Andrew Bell, on S. Division st.

Mrs. Helen Olmstead, of Kalamazoo, and Miss Maud Bates, of Woodstock, Ontario, are visiting Mrs. W. D. Adams.

Mrs. S. M. Spence and daughter have gone to Philadelphia, in and near which city they will remain until some time in September.

Mrs. P. L. Bodmer and daughter Miss Faye are visiting friends in St. Joseph and Kalamazoo counties. They will be absent until Sept. 1.

Dr. J. W. Foley, of Leadville, Colo., who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. B. Foley, of E. Huron st., left Saturday for the east, where he will spend several weeks visiting the large hospitals.

Gilbert S. Pitkin, who had been visiting his mother, Mrs. Julia Pitkin for several days, returned to Petrolia, Ont., Wednesday morning. Mrs. Pitkin and her little daughter remain here for some time longer.

Miss Matilda Mutschel, sister of Eugene Mutschel, who has been teaching in the Flint high school, has secured a better position in the Detroit high school, where she will teach algebra alone. Her many friends in Ann Arbor will be pleased to hear of her success.

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Among the great literary productions of the present decade, the publication of "The People's Bible History," by The Henry O. Shepard Company, of Chicago, has received the highest commendation from the public and from the press. Of this great work the British American says: "This beautiful and valuable book constitutes one of the most important contributions that have been made to the literature of the expiring century, and its value is of that permanent character, and bears such close relation to the highest concern of human life, that its importance can hardly be estimated, much less realized upon a necessarily cursory examination. Of the literary merit of the book throughout, it is sufficient to say that it is of an order that will give 'The People's Bible History' a place among the English classics. The contribution of Mr. Gladstone forms an appropriate crown to the glorious and fruitful labors of his literary life, and the summary and review of the whole field by Rev. Dr. Lorimer, which closes the book, is the masterpiece of literary achievement in the career of that brilliant and gifted divine."

It is gratifying to thus note the appreciation which this noble work has met. The convenient and handsome form in which the book has been cast renders it most valuable to the casual reader as well as the Bible student. Agents are wanted for its more extended distribution. The prices of the popular edition of the work make it indeed a "book for the multitude," and the numerous and costly illustrations add much to its attractiveness. It is sold by subscription only. An edition de luxe has also been brought out, which is a most magnificent example of modern book-making, and a grand setting to this wonderful piece of literary work.

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Mrs. Wabash—I shall not be in the least astonished if Johnny develops clairvoyant powers.

Mrs. Jackson-Parke—Indeed?

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VALUE OF GOLD DOLLARS.

They Are Worth 100 Cents Each When Melted Up.

Judge Noah W. Cheever, of this city, author of the series of articles on the currency question, published in The Times a few weeks ago, has written the following letter to the Bankers' Magazine:

Editor Bankers' Magazine:

Sir:—In publishing some articles in behalf of the gold basis in one of our newspapers, I had occasion to make some statements in regard to bullion value of the gold in a gold dollar, and of the silver in a silver dollar. Not being familiar with these values, I asked a leading jeweler of our city, Mr. William Arnold, what was the value of the gold as bullion in the gold dollar, supposing that the gold dollar is melted down. Mr. Arnold informed me that if the silver dollar was melted, the bullion would be worth about 50 cents, and if the gold dollar was melted, the bullion in it would be worth 88 cents or 89 cents.

The accuracy of this statement in regard to the gold dollar has been questioned by a good many here. One of our citizens wrote to the mint in New York and they stated that they would give a dollar for the bullion in a gold dollar if but little of it had been lost by wear or otherwise. In other words I understand from the statement of the director of the mint that if you should melt down a gold dollar, they would give for the bullion in it 100 cents.

Our jeweler, Mr. Arnold, still insists that the bullion in a gold dollar is only worth in the market at the most 89 cents. I thought perhaps you might give me a decisive opinion upon this question. I wish you would inform me what is the value of the gold as bullion in a gold dollar, supposing that the gold dollar is melted so as not to be valuable as currency. I had always supposed that there was some alloy in a gold dollar, but how much of course I could not tell. Our business men here seem to have different opinions in regard to it, and I would like to get something decisive of the matter if I can.

NOAH W. CHEEVER.
Ann Arbor, Mich., June 25, '96.

Answer.—The question propounded by our Michigan correspondent was referred to Mr. Maurice L. Muhleman, author of "Monetary Systems of the World," and Deputy Assistant Treasurer of the United States, at New York. Mr. Muhleman is a recognized authority on matters pertaining to coinage and money. His reply to the above question follows.

New York, July 2, '96.

Editor Bankers' Magazine:

Sir:—In reply to your inquiry I beg to say that the value of the bullion contained in a gold dollar of the United States, when full weight, is 100 cents.

An ounce of unalloyed gold is worth at the mint \$20.67 (plus a slight fraction when dealing with very large amounts). At this valuation a grain of gold is worth 4.30-1.16 cents.

The dollar weighs 25.8 grains, of which one-tenth is alloy, leaving 23.22 grains of pure gold. At the above-mentioned valuation per grain this would make the dollar contents equal to 99.991125 cents, and by allowing for the fractional difference the full value of 100 cents results.

Your inquirer has probably been misled by the assumption that the gross weight of the dollar is 23.22 grains; this would account of a difference of about 10 per cent.

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Arrangements That Have Been Made Respecting It.

Quartermaster General Kidd has issued a circular to the effect that his department will establish and put in readiness the camp at Island Lake. All tents will be pitched, bed sacks filled and everything will be in readiness for the arrival of the troops. It will not, therefore, be necessary for companies to send details in advance for the purpose of preparing quarters. He suggests that stores and baggage be packed as closely as possible and that they go forward on the same train as the company, 150 pounds of baggage or company stores being allowed each person, and any excess charges, must be paid by the shippers. Arrangements have been made with the grocer, butcher and milk dealer to occupy the store house and furnish supplies at reasonable rates.

Transportation tickets and time tables will be sent company commanders August 1, giving route, time of starting and arrival at Island Lake. It is hoped to make arrangements so that all companies will arrive in camp before 6 o'clock p. m. August 18.

Transportation tickets either to or from camp must not be used on any be deducted from pay rolls without allowance of amount over designated railroad or steamship other than those designated for the respective companies, and tickets used otherwise will routes. Transportation furnished to other than commissioned officers, enlisted men, cooks, waiters and hostlers will be deducted from the payrolls of the officers issuing it at full railroad rates.

Field and staff officers residing at home stations of companies will take the route designated for the company. Such officers desiring the Quartermaster General to furnish horses for use at camp, must notify that officer before August 5, while those desiring to bring horses from home stations will be furnished with horse transportation tickets. Brigade and regimental headquarters will be allowed horses, transportation and hostlers.

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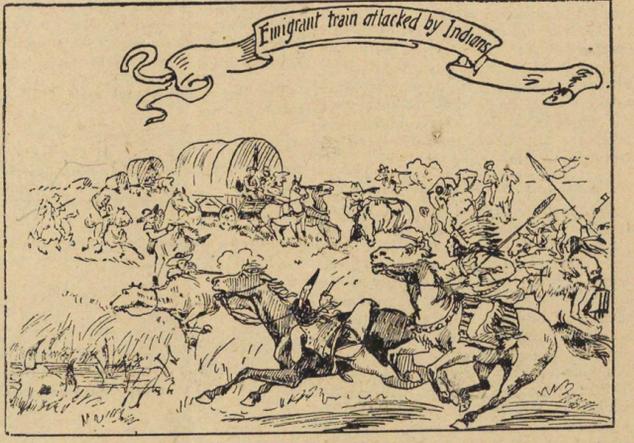
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