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## Golf Suits Bike Suits

Separate Breeches  
Golf Caps Golf Hose

These have been subjects of much thought with us. Men whose judgments are the most critical in the matter of Golf Clothing, declare ours the real thing. We sell these

Golf Suits from \$5.00 Up.

Extra Breeches \$3, #3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5.

The Newest Ideas in Caps and Hose to go with them.

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We find the following Broken Lines:

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& SEE WINDOW.

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THE SHOE MEN, 218 S. Main St., Ann Arbor.

BUSY STORE OF  
**Schairer & Millen,**  
ANN ARBOR, MICH.

## MARCH SALE

New Spring Waist, Suits,  
Dress Skirts and Wrappers.

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All the latest spring styles and kinds, Rich. Glossy, Black Brocaded Mohairs at \$1.49  
Fancy Check Skirts, \$1.50 quality, for 98c  
Fancy Plaid and Tweed Mixture Skirts, worth \$3.00 for \$2.50  
Black French Crepon Skirts; #5.00 quality, for \$3.73  
Heavy Brocade Silk Skirts, large stylish patterns, beautifully finished, \$7.00 quality, for \$5.00  
Bayadere Stripes in smooth and rough effects, skirts worth \$5.00 at \$3.50

## NEW SPRING W/115T5.

In Percales, very stylish patterns, all well made, in the blouse effect, full pleated back, detachable self material standing collar, bought to sell at 75c, for March 50c  
Gingham and Percale Waists—Stripes and Plaids, full bias front, pleated backs, at 75c  
Beautiful Gingham and Madras Waists—New Plaids, Roman Stripes, all shades, made blouse front style, new shape collar, \$1.50 quality, for \$1.00

**F**LADIES' NEW SPRING WRAPPERS,  
Made of Light and Dark Prints, Full Wide Skirts, \$1 kind,  
25 yards Good Heavy Sheeting for \$1.00.  
15 yards Fruit of the Loom Lonsdale Bleached Cotton for \$1.00.

Come to the Busy Store.

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## MADE IN CONFESION

Lizzie Finch Thinking She Was on Her Deathbed

## TOLD ALL SHE KNEW

About the Circumstances of the Richards Murder.

Those to Whom She Made the Confession Do Not Feel at Liberty to Tell the Nature of It, But Say It Was Made.

The Riobards murder case was again brought prominently into public notice yesterday when word was brought to this city that Mrs. Jacob Straub, formerly Lizzie Finch, and whose testimony at the trial of Larkin, Lyons and Jones in the circuit court last October did much to clear them of the charge was dead and had made an ante-mortem statement to the effect that the three men were really guilty of the murder of poor old Jimmie Richards.

Acting on this information an Argus reporter at once went to Wayne and Plymouth to learn what truth, if any, there was in the statement. At Wayne it was learned for a certainty that although the woman was not dead, she was in a precarious condition and that Dr. Oliver, of Plymouth, who was her medical attendant, had taken her ante-mortem statement of the facts in the case.

Arrived at Plymouth the Argus man at once went to Dr. Oliver's residence and found that gentleman at home.

Questioned as to the truth of the rumors the doctor said there were a great many false rumors flying around, but none of them should be taken as actual facts. Mrs. Straub had been confined on Feb. 22. Five days later as the result of improper care on the part of her nurses she had been taken with a chill, which resulted in puerperal fever and she had been and was yet in a very dangerous condition, with but slight hopes of recovery. Realizing her condition she had asked him if she was likely to die and he had told her that her chances for life were but slight. She then said that she hoped she would be forgiven for whatever sins she might have committed, and made a confession of what she knew about the murder, but he was not at liberty to say what the substance of the confession was. It was in the hands of the proper authorities and later on would doubtless be made public. More than a dozen newspapersmen had already been to his house to see him, but all had received the same refusal to tell what the confession was.

At Plymouth it was also learned that Larkins and Jones had had nothing to do with each other since the trial in October up to three or four days ago, but since then they had frequently been seen together.

The rumors afloat in Plymouth and Wayne regarding the confession, but the truth of which the Argus is not prepared to vouch for, are to the effect that the robbery was planned by five persons. That the two women, Mrs. Larkins and Lizzie Finch, knew the robbery of the old man Richards was to be attempted and made the masks for the men to wear. That Larkins, Jones and Lyons went to the lonely old hut the night of the murder. While Lyons remained with the horse and cutter at the gate near the house, Larkins and Jones went up to the house to commit the robbery. That having effected an entrance Jones went inside the house and was cornered by the old man with his pitfork, who had knocked the mask from Jones' face and recognized him when Larkins fired the shot, which afterwards ended the old man's life. That the amount of money secured was between \$300 and \$400. Whether these rumors are true can only be found out when the confession is made public.

Mrs. Straub, or Lizzie Finch, as she is better known to the people around here, is lying at the home of her husband's parents at Stringer's corners in Stanton township, about three miles south of Plymouth. Mrs. Larkins and her infant daughter about six or seven weeks old, is living with her brother in the village of Wayne. Lizzie Finch after the trial here was ended, claimed that Jones had promised to marry her and prosecuted him in Justice Demming's court at Wayne on a charge of bastardy. The case was afterwards discontinued when she married Jacob Straub.

## Civil Service Examination.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that on April 2 an examination will be held at the post office in Ann Arbor, for the position of clerk, female, in the post office in this city.

Applicants for this position must be at least 18 years of age.

Persons desiring to enter this examination should apply to the secretary of the board of examiners at the post office at Ann Arbor for application blanks (form 101) which should be properly executed and promptly forwarded to the secretary of the board.

No applications will be accepted after the hour of closing business (11 Marob 36.

## DEATH OF JUDGE DOUGLASS.

An Honored and Veteran Leader of the Bar Passes Away.

Judge Samuel T. Douglass died at his home in Grosse Isle last Saturday afternoon. He was a strong man and one of the leaders of the Michigan bar. He was born in Vermont in 1814 and came to Detroit in 1837. He was admitted to the bar there and began the practice of law in Ann Arbor early in 1838. After a few months practice here he returned to Detroit and had a lucrative practice there until his death with the exception of the time in which he acted as reporter of the supreme court and as circuit judge. He was a life long democrat and had been the nominee of his party for the supreme court judgeship. He married Elizabeth Campbell, a sister of the late Judge Campbell in 1856. They had three children, Mrs. Louis P. Hall, of this city, Mrs. F. P. Anderson, of Grosse Isle, and Benjamin Douglass, a well established civil engineer. The funeral services were held Tuesday, Henry W. Douglass and Dr. L. P. Hall, of this city, were among the active pall bearers and Judge E. D. Kinne among the honorary bearers. Among the Ann Arbor citizens who attended the funeral were Prof. and Mrs. Louis P. Hall, Prof. A. B. Prescott, Judge E. D. Kinne, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Campbell, W. W. Douglass, Harry Douglass and the Misses Douglass.

Judge Douglass never sought success at the bar by the arts and affectations of the mere advocate, but was invariably so exact and painstaking in his preparations, and so honorable, pure, and high-minded in his life and motives, that he was enabled to put into the cause in hand the most potential actors in all advocacy—a masterful grasp of the case, and the weight of an unsullied character. He had a remarkable evenness of temper, keenness of insight and judgment and steady mental prose. He was present as an honored guest at the bar banquet given in honor of ex-Gov. Felch in this city.

## A BREEZY TIME

At the Last Council Meeting Over the City Marshal.

An interesting debate over Aid. Cady's resolution investigating the Marshal's office took place in the council meeting Monday night. The resolution called for the number of arrests made, the parties arrested, fees and fines received, and the amount paid to city officers and to county officers, the number of arrests by the city officers where warrants were returned by the county officers. This information was to be furnished by the clerk in a tabulated statement and by a committee of the council.

Aid. Brown objected to the resolution on the ground that it was not only designed to put Judson in a hole but the city marshal in a hole also, and he believed the marshal had made a very efficient officer. As a democrat he believed all the charges brought against Judson and more too. But he did not want to cast reflections on an efficient police officer who was doing his duty. The council once before had listened to foolish reports about the city marshal and a justice of the peace, who were entirely exonerated, and he was ashamed of that action. As far as he was concerned he was not going to let a few nonsensical remarks from a paper of the stripe of the Register, whose editor had it in for Billy Judson, force him to do an injustice to a competent officer. Ann Arbor never had a police officer who had not had reports circulated against him and he thought it beneath the dignity of the council to give a moment's consideration to the petty spleen of a 2-cent newspaper.

Marshal Sweet explained his actions and said his office was open at all times to inspection. He did not regard the police department as a money making institution, but one to secure the enforcement of the laws.

Aid. Cady said he did not wish to cast any reflections on the city marshal who he believed would be exonerated if an investigation were made. He was pleased with Sweet's conduct and had nothing against him personally.

From the talk on the street, however, he thought there was matter for investigation. The clerk had told him it would not take long to get the information.

Aid. Brown objected to taking any time for an investigation which was only demanded by a 2-cent newspaper.

Aid. Hamilton wanted the privileges of the floor to be granted to editor Moran, who was present.

Aid. Brown demanded that no outsider be permitted to come in and instruct the council, which was able to take care of its own affairs.

Aid. Koch said he did not take any stock in the remarks made by every loafer on the streets, whom it was necessary to take the law on. Every man in the marshal's position would make enemies.

The resolution was defeated by a vote of 8 to 5.

## A Personal Item Did It.

The personal items in a newspaper do some good at times after all as witness the following taken from the Milan Leader:

"The Leader was the means of bringing together in correspondence three old college chums. Two or three weeks ago a college chum of a Milan gentleman visited him over Sunday, which was duly reentered in the Leader; this paragraph came to the notice of the third chum in North Dakota a subscriber at Tower City—Willie E. Delaware. Correspondence is now re-established between three friends who had lost track of each other."

## ABOUT THE STREETS

S. O. A. Celebrated Its Fortieth Anniversary.

## COURT IS GRINDING

And the McKinstry Case Is Now Being Tried.

An Initiation.—Looking Up the Matter of Paving.—A Fine Parade of Machinery.—Was False to His Only Friends.

The Students' Christian Association had a three days' celebration in honor of its 40th anniversary, Friday, Saturday and Sunday last. The event began with a big reception at Newberry hall on Friday evening given by the board of trustees to the general public and hundreds responded to the invitations sent out and were present between the hours of 8 and 11.

On Saturday evening the anniversary exercises proper were held, also in Newberry hall, and a large number of the friends of the association from all parts of the state were present. The two principal addresses of the evening were a "Historical Address" by Prof. M. L. D'Ooge, the president of the board of trustees and "The Association Today" by J. K. Marden, a former president of the association. Remarks and reminiscences were also given by Prof. A. O. Angell, of Detroit; Prof. Delos Fall, of Albion; Rev. A. B. Storms, of Detroit; Prof. F. A. B. Bourne, of Ypsilanti; Clark H. Gleason, of Grand Rapids; Dr. Edward Buckley, of Chicago, and J. T. Rieman, of Monroe. The addresses were followed by an informal reception.

On Sunday evening University hall was crowded with people anxious to hear Rev. J. H. Bariows, D. D., of Chicago, preach the anniversary sermon. He spoke for over an hour and gave many of his experiences while lecturing recently in India, Ceylon, China and Japan, holding the close attention of the audience from first to last.

## THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The McKinstry Case Was the First One on Trial.

The March term of the circuit court opened Monday morning with Judge Kinne presiding. The day was principally spent in the assignment of the cases on the docket. In the afternoon an adjournment was made until Wednesday morning on account of the death of Judge Douglass, of Detroit, a former member of the Washtenaw county bar. Wednesday morning the case against Caille P. McKinstry, charged with embezzling funds from the city of Ypsilanti, while he was its clerk, was commenced and is still on trial. The evidence for the prosecution has not yet all been given and is mostly of a technical nature, which makes it a rather tedious trial. The defense on cross examination are evidently endeavoring to show that the shortage may have occurred without McKinstry's knowledge or consent.

## How They Initiated Them.

A week ago Monday night the members of an Ann Arbor club drove out to W. E. Boyden's for a pleasant time. Arrived there it was discovered that three of the party had not been initiated and it was proposed to hold an initiation then and there. A well known attorney was the first to go through the ceremony. Blindfolded he was led into the parlor and seated on the sofa between two ladies, and at a certain joint in the ceremony he received a resounding kiss on the cheek. On being asked if he wished to take the balance of the degree that evening, he said his, might just as well take it all at once. The proceedings were gone on with and he soon received a kiss on the other cheek. The blindfold was then taken off, and he was given a seat elsewhere in the room.

The second candidate was then brought in and the ceremony was repeated for his benefit. At the point where the osulation came in imagine the attorney's surprise to see a man's face arise from behind the sofa and give the initiate the kiss on the cheek. The lawyer's face was a study for a few seconds but when he recovered from his momentary confusion he laughed as heartily as anyone.

## Mr. Gardner S. Lamson's Recital.

The fifth concert in the Choral Union series will be given by Mr. Gardner S. Lamson this evening Marob 11. Mr. Lamson has arranged a program happily combining various schools and presenting great variety. He will also sing several songs not often heard, as the "Erl King" by Loewe. This setting of the poem immortalized by Schubert is intensely interesting because it shows the great possibilities of the poem, and gives one an opportunity for comparing the two settings. As is well known this is the last number in the series before the Festival and Mr. Lamson's many friends will be glad of the opportunity of hearing him again in University hall.

## STATE ARBOR DAY.

Gov. Pingree Fixes March 29 as the Date for the Planting of Trees.

Gov. Pingree has issued a proclamation making March 29 Arbor Day. He recommends that this day be devoted by the trustees of public institutions, by the faculties and students of colleges and normal schools, by the teachers, pupils and school boards of public schools, and the people of the state generally, to plant trees, shrubs and vines about state and school buildings, by the highways and around the homes.

The occasion should be made one of study of the subject of planting, care and culture of trees and of the great good that may come therefrom.

## The Military Minstrels.

The Ann Arbor Light Infantry Military Minstrels entertainment at the Athens Theater, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings resulted in a great success both financially and otherwise. All the acts were pleasing and some of them excellent. The ladies took their parts with a good deal of spirit and met with a hearty approval from the large audiences present each evening. The fancy drill by the ladies and gentlemen which closed each of the performances was somewhat marred by the inadequacy of room on the stage. More than a general notice of the excellence of the performance is unnecessary, for where all were good it is needless to particularize each performer's efforts. Suffice it to say they were all good and that the company cleared a nice sum from the entertainments.

## Justice Court Doings.

Wm. Russell, a Superior township farmer, was arrested Sunday night by Officer Blackburn for being drunk and disorderly. Monday morning Justice Duffy ordered Russell to pay \$6.20 costs or go to jail for 10 days. He paid.

W. F. Lodholz refused to give credit to two drunken tramps on Monday evening and they tried to clean him out. Officer Blackburn arrested them and on Tuesday Justice Duffy gave them 10 days each in jail. They gave their names as Frank White and James A. Burgess.

Walter Phibbs and Maurice Troy were before Justice Pond Saturday charged by Deputy Blackburn with being drunk and disorderly. Five days in jail said the justice, and they wept.

Patrolmen Isbell arrested William Murray, of Pittsfield, Friday night for being drunk and disorderly. He paid a fine of \$2 and costs \$2.15 in Justice Pond's court Saturday morning for his fun.

Deputy Sheriff Wm. E. Blackburn arrested Harry Murphy Friday for being drunk and disorderly. Justice Pond gave Murphy five days in jail for the offense.

## Their First Annual Banquet.

Below is given the program of music, toasts and speeches for the first annual banquet of Lombard Camp of Royal Neighbors, and Ann Arbor Camp of Modern Woodmen, to be given at their ball on Tuesday evening of next week, Eugene S. Gilmore will officiate as toastmaster.

Invocation..... Rev. W. T. Tedrow  
Great Sea Captain March..... Orchestra  
Obsequies..... Orchestra  
Out of the Woods..... Mayor Hiscock  
Vocal Solo. Selected..... Fred Daly  
Can a Woman Keep a Secret?..... Miss E. Bower  
Cornet Solo..... Walter Crego  
The Oxaud its Mission..... John W. Bennett  
Violin Solo..... Albert Long  
Lombard Camp, H. W..... Mrs. Dr. Hushes  
Vocal Solo..... Sidney Martin  
Ann Arbor Camp, M. W. 6..... Enoch Sears  
Banjo Solo..... M. Gillespie  
Overture..... Chiquamegon Orchestra  
The Good and his Mission..... Arthur Brown  
German Dialect..... S. Bluntach  
Log Rolling..... Judge H. Wirt Newkirk

## Will Inspect Detroit Pavements.

A meeting of the board of public works held Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of conferring with the citizens' committee and street committee of the council on the subject of the paving of Main st. The matter was thoroughly discussed and on motion of T. J. Keech it was resolved that Dr. W. B. Smith, president of the board, George L. Moore, chairman of the street committee, City Engineer Key, Fredariok Schmid and City Clerk Mills go to Detroit at an early date and inspect the brick pavements of that city, their railroad fares and hotel bills to be paid by the city.

## A Machinery Parade.

Henry Richard's parade of Deering harvesting machinery Saturday created much attention as it passed through the streets. At the head of the procession which numbered 37 wagons loaded with machinery, rode Mr. Richards and the representative of the Deering company, then came Becker's Military Band, followed by the loaded wagons each of which was placarded "Deering." The drivers were all taken to the American house for dinner after which the loaded wagons proceeded on their way out into the country to their several destinations.

## False to His Friends.

When W. F. Hansen was arrested in Lansing about two years ago and brought to this city for taking money from the Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co.'s store, a number of gentlemen in Lansing obtained his release from jail by giving a note to make good his shortage, the prosecution being dropped. Hansen did not pay the note, and now the men who helped him to obtain his liberty have been sued in the Ingham county circuit court on the note.

Your friends may smile But that tired feeling Means danger. It Indicates impoverished! And impure blood. This condition may Lead to serious illness. It should be promptly Overcome by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, Which purifies and Enriches the blood, Strengthens the nerves, Tones the stomach, Creates an appetite, And builds up, Energizes and vitalizes The whole system. Be sure to get Only Hood's.

WASHTENAWISMS

The Dexter soldiers' monument fund now amounts to \$148,64.

Josiah Childs, of Augsta, celebrated his 87th birthday Tuesday of last week.

Chicken thieves have been at work in the neighborhood of Town Line of late.

The spring vacation of the Dexter schools will commence the second week in April.

Lucius Tnbbs, of Dexter, has sold out his draying business to A. N. Hodgeman.

Milan will have six dealers in bicycles within its borders this season. A large supply for a small place.

Little Bobbie Ebnis died at the home of his parents in Saline Wednesday evening of last week, after a short illness.

T. S. James, of Dexter, has purchased a handsome span of heavy colts from T. S. Sears, of Chelsea, for use on his ice wagon this summer.

Henry Steingeweg, of Sharon, fell from his hay mow, a distance of 14 feet, the other evening while doing his chores and sustained some internal injuries.

Judge Newkirk has denied the petition for the appointment of a guardian over Jonas Marsh, of Scio, holding that the old gentleman is competent to transact his own business.

Gordon Stannard and Bert Miles, of Dexter, left last week for the Klondike. They will go with a Bay City party and by the way of the McKenzie river, going by rail as far as Edmonton.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Vigilance Association of the townships of Augusta, Ypsilanti, Pittsfield and York will be held in the United Workingmen's hall, Ypsilanti, tomorrow at 2 p. m.

The directors of the Boyden school, in Webster, near Delhi, find themselves in a peculiar position. They have a school teacher's contract on their hands and not a pupil to attend the school, the only family with children of school age having moved out of the district.

An exchange recommends the following: "Crude petroleum has been used with good effect to suppress dust on railroad beds. Now it is advocated as a good application for country roads. It is claimed that by excluding water it keeps the roads good in wet and dry weather. It will suppress dust and lender the water cart unnecessary, and it prevents the formation of mud in winter." And what nice smelling loads we should have all the time.

THE WEDDING RING.

Death lurks in every place in this "valley of tears." There is no happiness, no joy, no success, no gaiety, no sorrow and no failure that may not secrete him. A favorite hiding-place for death, where women are concerned, is in the very happiness and rapture of wedlock and the sacred joy of motherhood. But too frequently the first touch of baby-fingers is succeeded by the chilly grasp of the grim destroyer. If wives and mothers would only resort to the right remedy when they suffer from weakness and disease of the delicate and important feminine organs that are baby's threshold to life, there would be fewer babies bereft, and fewer homes saddened by an infant's loss. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes the feminine organs strong, healthy and vigorous. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It banishes the maladies of the period of suspense, and makes baby's entry to the world easy and comparatively painless. An honest druggist will not try to induce a customer to take an inferior substitute for this great remedy, for the sake of extra profit.

Mrs. Seagle was a great sufferer from a combination of female diseases, a few years ago, from which she has been entirely cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. "I was Geo. A. Seagle, of Box 130, Wytheville, Va. I am thoroughly convinced that there is no medicine on earth equal to the 'Favorite Prescription,' and she doesn't hesitate to say so. She has recommended it to her lady friends, and in all cases, where it has been given a fair trial, it has given entire satisfaction." In cases of constipation and torpid liver, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are equal to Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. They never fail. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe. An honest dealer will not urge a substitute upon you.



Fred Wenk will work Mrs. Staebler's farm in Lima this year.

Howard Conk, of Chelsea, has moved on a farm near Gregory.

The main shaft in the Waterloo mill was broken Monday of last week.

Warren Holden has just closed a very successful term of school in Sylvan.

Albert Remnant has rented and moved on the Collings farm at North Lake.

George Schneider, of Bridgewater, died Feb. 34, of consumption, aged 41 years.

The six months' old child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hutling, of Ypsilanti, died Friday.

Manchester has a new brass band which will practice in tee upper front room of the village hall.

Fred Croman, of Waterloo, has bought a farm in Ingham county and will move there April 1.

Charles Fiske, of Lima, has had inflammation of the lungs and Philip Seitz, jr., has had pneumonia.

M. Sobanz, jr., of Lima, has recovered from a bad attack of neuralgia of the heat and is able to be out again.

Orson Beeman, of Waterloo, had his face and neck badly scalded by hot water while fixing the boiler in the mill.

George Thorndike has sold out his interest in the barber shop at Chelsea to Will Sohatz and has gone to Grass Lake.

The Dundee post office has been raised from the fourth to the third class and the postmaster's salary fixed at \$1,000.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ward, of Sylvan, gave a family dinner to celebrate the 85th birthday of Mr. Ward's mother Feb. 24.

H. L. Wood & Co., of Chelsea, have purchased the grocery stock of George Puller in that village and will continue the business.

Prof. Byron W. King, of King's School of Oratory, Pittsburgh, Pa., will give an entertainment at Chelsea Thursday evening next.

Mrs. Nellie MoMabon, of Iron Creek, entertained her Sunday school scholars and friends with an observation party Feb. 36, and a delightful time was spent.

Edward Randall, of Bridgewater, is moving to his farm in Norvell which was worked last year by his son. Mr. Randall's farm in Bridgewater will be worked by Bert Foor.

Mr. Edward W. Sohmaus, of Toledo, and Miss Carrie Lamkin, of Augusta, were married at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. John Schmaus, father of the groom, on Feb. 24.

The annual financial report of St. Mary's church, Chelsea, shows a most prosperous state of affairs. The only debt is a small one on the new pipe organ, which will be paid this year.

Arthur Jones, a colored drayman of Ypsilanti, was draying a pile of boxes on his dray the other day when the load toppled over carrying him with it. He was badly shaken up, but no bones were broken.

Ypsilanti's two hose companies are to be consolidated and a new hose house built at the north intersection of 130ron and Washington sts. It is hoped this means to make the service more efficient and less expensive.

All that is now left of the old woolen mill at Rawsonville is the line shaft. When the five-story building fell in the drink no effort was made to save it and board by board the old landmark has gone floating down the river.—Times.

Lafayette W. Curbin died of paralysis at Hesperia, Mich., Feb. 21, at the age of 61 years. He came to Ypsilanti with his parents when he was 14 years of age and became one of the most extensive wool buyers ever in this section.

D. C. Walter died in Bridgewater, Feb. 24, of kidney complaint, aged 75 years. He had been a resident of the town from boyhood and will be much missed on account of his good, neighborly qualities. His aged wife and one son survive him.

St. Mary's church, PiDeckney, will give grand banquet at the opera house in that village next Wednesday evening. Among those who are on the program of entertainment is Rev. L. P. Goldriok, of Northfield, who will sing "Faugh-a-Ballagh," also another song to be selected.

Mr. and Mrs. James McLaren, of Lima, entertained about 100 of their Chelsea friends at their home Feb. 25. The evening was most pleasantly spent and a fine supper was spread. It was a late hour when the last load of visitors left for home, everybody asserting that as entertainers Mr. and Mrs. McLaren were royalty itself.

The workingman's ticket for officers of the village of Chelsea for the ensuing year placed in nomination Tuesday evening of last week is: for president, Frank P. Glazier; for clerk, Henry Jelschwerdt; for treasurer, John B. Cole; for trustees, J. Edward McEnna, Israel Vogel, and John Schenk; for assessor, James P. Wood.

Messrs. Hagain & Calboun, of the Manchester cheese factory went to Brooklyn last Saturday to attend a meeting of farmers and business men to take action and organize an association there to manufacture cheese. There was considerable interest manifested and John O'Leary was elected president and W. S. Culver, secretary, treasurer and salesman.—Manchester Enterprise.

William Baley Van Volkenburg, one of the oldest residents of this community, died Thursday of last week after a lingering illness. Deceased was born in the township of Saline May 1, 1885. He resided there until he was 23 years of age, when he moved on a farm near Milan, then he moved to the place where he lived for the past 3 years. He left a widow and four children.

C. F. Mahrle, of Bridgewater, has rented his farm.

Fred Crosby, of Bridgewater, has purchased a new threshing engine.

Board jumpers are numerous among the ice bands at Whitmoice Lake.

Jos. Alger, of Dexter, has closed his meat market and retired from business.

Mrs. Ben Dresselhouse, of Bridgewater, is slowly recovering from a severe illness.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of Hamburg, will give a social at Sobaffer's hall March 26.

The Daughters of Rebekah of Hamburg will serve a dinner on town meeting day April 4.

At a recent spelling bee in the Milan public schools the girls defeated the boys in every department.

Isaac Suddaby, of Saline, died Thursday of last week. He was an old and valued subscriber to the Argus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irion, of Sharon, gave a reception last Friday evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Bardley.

Weston Bros. and Seth Arnold, of Ypsilanti town, each had a dog shot by unknown parties the other evening.

Mrs. R. Goodwin, who died in Mt. Pleasant, Feb. 19, was the first white child born in the township of Lima.

Jacob Raiser, of Bridgewater, has sold the Mansfield place to E. Pearson and probated the Thomas Tate farm.

Mrs. Grimes, of Ypsilanti Plains, suffered a stroke of paralysis the other night. There are hopes of her recovery.

A sneak thief stole \$16 in cash from J. W. Royal's house in Milan Tuesday of last week after ransacking it pretty thoroughly.

Milan Chapter, No. 106, O. E. S., will entertain the Dundee chapter next Tuesday evening and initiate a class of candidates.

Mr. Ray Mitchell, of Bridgewater, was married in Wayland, N. Y., to Miss Mary E. Straight. They will live in Bridgewater.

A colt belonging to George Napire, of Hamburg, got oast in the barn recently and was injured so badly that it had to be killed.

Mrs. Gersbam Truosdale, of Green Oak, died Feb. 27, after a lingering illness of several years' duration. The remains were buried in Salem.

George Coyle, an employe at the Sobarff tag factory, Ypsilanti, had three fingers on his right hand badly smashed up in a machine Saturday.

Mr. George Holmes, formerly of Ypsilanti, and Miss Pauline Mitchell, of Negaunee, are to be married Marh 21. They will reside in Hamilton, Ont.

Clarence Berger, who has been teaching school south of Manchester, closed his school this week and has entered George Haessler's drug store in Manchester.

The wool buying season has opened in Milan and buyers are paying from 25 to 50 per cent higher prices than formerly. The probable price will be about 20 cents a pound.

A. L. Dewel, who has experienced so much trouble in having his confinement as postmaster of Harbor Springs made, is an old Washtenaw county boy, having lived in Augusta when a boy.

Stony Creek Grange, No. 51, was reorganized Tuesday of last week. Ten of the thirteen officers were elected and 28 names were enrolled. W. Moore is master, Watson Barr overseer, and Mrs. Lucy Gooding leoturer.

The annual report of the treasurer of the village of Manchester shows the total receipts to have been in the general fund \$2,978.30, and in the highway fund \$984.96. The balance on hand in the general fund is \$463.35 and in the highway fund \$152.67.

Mrs. Maggie Ibell, of Stockbridge, died Saturday night at 12 o'clock. She had been married only about four months, and was ill but four days. She and her husband, Vernal Isbell, were exactly of the same age, 19 years. She was born, married and died in the same room.

Thursday of last week A. L. Nowlin, of Ypsilanti, met with an accident at the Dearborn mill which may lose him the index finger and thumb of the left hand. He was fixing a part of the machinery with a short wrench when the saw caught his hand and terribly lacerated it.

The 45th marriage anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Seaver, of Ypsilanti town, was celebrated Feb. 23 at their home, by about 75 neighbors and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Seaver were given two beautiful rocking chairs as a token of the respect and kind remembrance of their friends.

The editor of the Stookbridge Sun alludes to the utterings of the editor of the Dansville Eagle, as "the idiotic braying and the assinine asseverations of the assinego who holds the leg of the Dansville Eagle." Now, that's real good; but what particular pet names has the Eagle man for Gildart?

Manchester Masons had a "high jinks" time Feb. 25 when Adoniram Council, R. & S. M., was visited by 55 companions from Jackson and the goat, besides others from Brooklyn, Napoleon, Norvell and Battle Creek. A fine banquet was served and then 10 candidates were given the degree of super excellent master.

J. H. Taylor, agent for the New York Life Insurance Co. is suing Clark Whitcomb, of Ypsilanti, for the value of a note for \$00 given in payment of an insurance policy, and which Whitcomb destroyed when Taylor handed it to him for examination. Whitcomb says in defense that the policy was not what it was represented to be. Taylor on the other hand claims that Whitcomb altered his mind about taking out the policy on the advice of his friends. The case will be tried in Justice Joslyn's court next Monday.

Gel More and You Gel Less Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Why is it every sarsaparilla which tries to sell itself, ranges itself against Ayer's as the standard? Why is it that all have to offer extra inducements—bigger bottles, fancy wrappers, cheaper price—anything, everything, but the one inducement of quality?

It is the standard.

"I have sold Ayer's Sarsaparilla for more than twenty-five years, and have never heard anything but words of praise from my customers; not a single complaint has ever reached me. A preparation must possess great merit to maintain such a reputation. I believe your sarsaparilla to be the best blood purifier that has ever been introduced to the general public. I often hear other manufacturers say that this is 'as good as Ayer's,' but no one ever yet heard it said that Ayer's was 'as good' as any other kind. They always set Ayer's up as the standard of excellence."—S. F. BOYCE, Duluth, Minn.

Chased Up a Tree and Lived on Possum. A negro, being hotly pursued by dogs that were guarding a farmhouse in the owner's absence, fled to a swamp and climbed a tree for safety. In telling about it afterward he said: "Yes, suh, I wuz in a tight place, I tell you. Up dattree I went, an dar I staid fer two days an nights, wid dem dogs keepin guard at de foot. When dey'd git tired, dey'd relieve each yuther, but dey wuz always a couple er dem on duty all de time, so dar I wuz an 'fraid ever' minute 'ud bring de farmer wid his gun."

"And you had nothing to eat all that time?" "Oh, yes, suh; I wuz well fix in dat respect. I lived high, so ter speak."

"And what did you live on?" "Well, suh, ter make a long story short, der wuz a possum nu dat tree likewise, an, bless God, he wuz ez 'fraid er de dogs ez I wuz!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The Sure La Grippe Cure. There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at the Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Drug Store, Ann Arbor, and G. Haessler, Manchester, only 50 cents per bottle.

Three Outlaws Lynched. Cheyenne, Wyo., March 8.—Three members of the "Robbers' Roost" band of outlaws, who last week murdered Valentine Hoy, the Wyoming stockman, were captured by a posse of Hoy's neighbors in the mountains near the Colorado boundary line and lynched. The scene of the lynching is 100 miles from the railroad.

Effectually Done. "Do you have your shirts done up at a laundry?" asked Hojack. "I do," replied Tomdick, "and it requires only about three washings to do them up very exhaustively."—Detroit Free Press.

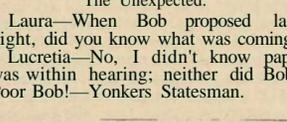
The Unexpected. Laura—When Bob proposed last night, did you know what was coming? Lucretia—No, I didn't know papa was within hearing; neither did Bob. Poor Bob!—Yonkers Statesman.

A HEALTHY WIFE

Is a Husband's Inspiration. A sickly, half-dead-and-alive woman, especially when she is the mother of a family, is a damper to all joyousness in the home.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging and that everything tires her, her sleep is disturbed by horrible dreams, and that she often wakes suddenly in the night with a feeling of suffocation and alarm, she must at once regain her strength.

The following from MRS. F. S. BENNETT, Westphalia, Kans., shows the power of Lydia E. Pinkhaurs Vegetable Compound, and a letter of advice: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham—I have suffered for over two years with falling, enlargement and ulceration of the womb, and this spring, being in such a weakened condition, caused me to flow for nearly six months. Some time ago, urged by friends, I wrote to you for advice. You advised for me that I should use your 'Vegetable Compound,' and I have had for the past two years."



Advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkhaurs Vegetable Compound, including a portrait of a woman and text describing its benefits for women's health.

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AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD 'CASTORIA,' AND 'PITCHER'S CASTORIA,' AS OUR TRADEMARK. 7, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the facsimile signature of "Pitcher" on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought and has the signature of "Pitcher" on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. March 8, 1897.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought" BEARS THE FAOSIMILE SIGNATURE OF

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE if ARBOR M I S fill. At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, Dec. 15, 1897. RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts 1480,279 73; Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc. 592,171 73; Overdrafts 562 18; Banking House \$100,000 00; Furniture and Fixtures 7,917 32; Other Real Estate 47,898 63; CASH: Due from banks in reserve cities 156,488 78; Due from other banks and bankers 3,121 41; Checks and cash items 520 46; Nickels and cents 687 97; Gold coin 32,170 00; Silver coin 3,300 00; U.S. and National Bank Notes 28,219 00; \$1,374,097 16. LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in 60,000 00; Surplus fund 150,000 00; Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 17,340 \*2; Dividends unpaid 1 \*1; DEPOSITS: Commercial deposits, subject to check 185,160 81; Savings Deposits 813,007 68; Savings Certificates of Deposits 131,854 14; Due to Banks and Bankers 19,334 57; \$1,374,097 18. STATE OF MICHIGAN, I Charles E. Hiseock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISEOCK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of December, 1897. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public. CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, L. Gruner, Directors. Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$150,000. Resources, \$1,000,000. Transacts a general banking business; buys and sells exchanges on New York, Detroit and Chicago; sells drafts on all the principal cities of Europe. This bank, already having a large business, invites merchants and others to open accounts with them with the assurance of the most liberal dealing consistent with safe banking. In the Savings Department interest at the rate of three per cent, is paid semi-annually, on the first days of January and July, on all sums that were deposited three months previous to those days, thus affording the people of this city and county a perfectly safe depository for their funds, together with a return in interest for the same. Money to loan on approved securities. DIRECTORS.—Christian Mack, Daniel Hiseock, Willard B. Smith, W. D. Harriman, William Deubel, David Rinsley, L. Gruner. OFFICERS.—Christian Mack, President; W. D. Harriman, Vice-president; Chas. E. Hiseock, Cashier; M. J. Fritz Ass't-Cashier.

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Publicity is what the people want. Let the public speak on the subject. There has been too much claim—too little proof.

Mr. Edwin Woolley, of 618 Fountain st., carpenter and contractor, says: "I have been subject for years to attacks of backache or pains through my loins and kidneys, generally of a constant, heavy aching nature."

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VILLAGE DOINGS

Geo. V. Hammond lost a very valuable cow last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Henry Hammond has been visiting her parents for a few days.

"Oh the snow, the beautiful snow," bespattered with mud wherever you go.

Mrs. Emanuel Carter would like the money for the turkeys and chickens stolen from her roost recently.

The heirs of the late Willis Potter met at the home of Albert Draper for a settlement last Saturday, March 5.

The boiler in the grist mill at Willis blew out its flues and snorted around considerable a few days ago, but no one was injured.

H. S. Day has returned home from his trip. He visited Ann Arbor, Howell and Elsie while gone.

Will Sheiman, who recently returned from California, says people in that section are sitting under the trees with coats off and very warm at that.

Last Tuesday evening quite a few friends gathered by invitation at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hammond's for a musical entertainment.

A Narrow Escape. Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.

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Ssyourhair Sreen? It's only another way of asking, is your hair growing? For green means growing. You can MAKE hair grow by using Ayer's Jfa, Vigor

Lima. E. Keyes is sick with the gripp. Harry Hammond is on the sick list. Mrs. T. Morse is quite a little better. Mrs. Henry Wilson is sick with the gripp.

Mrs. Ella Eaton is sick with la grippe. Mrs. Ellen Covert is very sick with lung fever.

The oyster sapper was not very largely attended. The Farmers' Club will meet at James McLaren's Match 15.

Mrs. Mary Staebler and daughter Emma have moved to Chelsea. Miss Ada Sobenk was unable to teach last week on account of having the gripp.

Miss Edith Staebler will work for Miss Minnie Steubach, of Ann Arbor. Miss Bertha Spencer attended the teachers' meeting at Ypsilanti last Saturday.

Jay Wood and Mrs. May Luick have gone to Coldwater to attend the funeral of their aunt.

Mrs. C. Brown's neighbors gave her a surprise party March 1. It was her 80th birthday.

Two sleighloads of the Lima people spent Tuesday evening of last week at Mrs. M. Staebler's.

Mr. Sam Smith and Miss Carrie Egler, both of Lima, were married in Ann Arbor, March 3.

Fred Wenk will work Mrs. Staebler's farm. He has hired his brother Albert and wife to work for him.

Increase In Wages. Philadelphia, March 8.—As a result of a conference recently held between Thomas Dolan and a number of workmen employed in the cloth mills of Thomas Dolan & Co., at Second and Oxford streets, a 12 per cent. increase has been granted, to take effect this week.

There is in the Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable.

For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable.

Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment.

Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market.

It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Milan. Spring moving is in order. Village election next Monday.

The roads are quite muddy in this vicinity.

Miss Maude Aniba has returned to the U. of M.

George Minto has returned from a short visit to Owosso.

Miss Lera Dexter was the guest of Iva Lockwood Tuesday.

A canons was held Tuesday afternoon to nominate candidates for the village offices.

Miss Alice MoMahon of Azalia, was the guest of Miss Claudia Youngs during the week.

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Real Estate Transfers. Rush C Barney to Ann N Barney, Ann Arbor, \$3,700. Thomas Fursber to Israel Packard, Salem, \$1,217.25. Philip Kim to Charles Klager, Pittsfield, \$800.

Sarah Randall to D C Griffen, Superior, \$1,400. Mary A Crane to Maude E Peabody, Ypsilanti, \$265.

Maude E Peabody to Minnie B Davis, Ypsilanti, \$200. Eugene J Helber to Charles Guthardt, York \$1.

Elizabeth A Green to Charles R Lowery, Bridgewater, \$3,100. George Goenther to John W Guenther, Saline, \$6,545.

William Geunther to George Guenther, Saline, \$6,555. Christina Heinriob to Mary Stein, Ann Arbor, \$1,000.

Rnfus Phelps to Jacob Jedele, Scio, \$1,700. Charles U Kempf to Chailes H Kempf, Pittsfield, \$5,000.

Mary E Tapham to J Willard Babbitt, Salem, \$1,036 60. Edmond C Hinnman to Christian Koch, Ann Arbor, \$100.

John Wood to William E Piokard, Ann Arbor, \$200. Lorida Simmons to Maud Loveland, York, \$475.

Lyman D James to G G Stimson, Ann Arbor, \$2,500. Eugene B Wood to C E King, Ypsilanti, \$125.

Bert M Goodell to Archie ParsonB, Ypsilanti, \$200. Germania Lodge, D O H., No. 476, to Henry G Koch, Ann Arboi, \$825.

Nicholas Senger to Mary L Bailly, Manchester, \$400. Charles R Lowery to Karl A Geiger, Bridgewater, \$3,100.

Charles E King to Judson Holley, Ypsilanti, \$900. Mariah A Rogers to George W Fiegel, Scio, \$6,000.

Charles L Babcock to Veit Bahnmiller, Sharon, \$2,400. Ernest Kitson to Charles F Pardon, Ann Arbor, \$2,700.

Bishop B Sudworth to Mary Sudworth, Ann Arbor, \$1. Esther A Travis to Emanuel Wagner, Ann Arbor, \$1,500.

Isaao Shipley to Ernest Guteknst, Scio, \$375. Emily K Stum to Mary L Kerr, Pittsfield, \$1.

William E Boyden to William Gallaghan, Scio and Noithfield, \$5,700.

A Diabolical Scheme. First Poet—I am going to have my revenge upon the editor. Second Poet—How?

First Poet (in a hoarse whisper)—I've sent him a poem, and I've poisoned the gum on the return envelope.—London Fun.

According to a celebrated anatomist there are upwards of 5,000,000 little glands in the human stomach. These glands pour out the digestive juices which dissolve or digest the food.

Indigestion is want of juice, weakness of glands, need of help to restore the health of these organs. The best and most natural help is that given by Shaker Digestive Cordial. Natural, because it supplies the materials needed by the glands to prepare the digestive juices.

Because it strengthens and invigorates the glands and the stomach, until they are able to do their work alone. Shaker Digestive Cordial cures indigestion certainly and permanently. It does so by natural means, and there in lies the secret of its wonderful and unvaried success.

At druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle. WHY COPSARE CORPULENT. An Old Member of the Force Explains the Inevitable Paunch.

"It's a standing joke with lots of folks," said a retired policeman the other day, "that almost as soon as a new man is put on the force and goes out on patrol duty he gets fat. You never yet saw a picture of a policeman but that he had a paunch on him worthy of an old country German."

"But it isn't corpulence that forces policemen to buy bigger waisted trousers and coats as they grow older. It's a deformity; that's right—a deformity. When a man is on his feet anywhere from 12 to 20 hours out of the 24, he just settles down on himself. He puts all his weight on his hips."

"This throws out his abdomen and draws his shoulders back, making him look hollow backed. It seems to rest him. His feet and ankles, which get sore, rheumatic and all out of shape on account of his constant walking, are relieved when he rests his hips. Just try it and see how easy and restful the habit is. But you'll get an amazing 'front' in a short time."

"A policeman's feet always become large. I wore a No. 7 shoe when I went on the force 30 years ago. Now I have to wear a No. 10, and the width—well, I guess they don't letter them up to my width. And it's all on account of the walking."

"Yes, all men who have patrolled for two or three years are 'fat' and at the same time not fat."—New York Sun.

Now is the Time To purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. "March, April, May are the trying months of the year. At this season your blood is loaded with impurities which have accumulated during the winter, and these impurities must be immediately expelled. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the 'One True Blood Purifier.' It is the medicine which has accomplished many thousands of remarkable cures of all blood diseases. It is what the millions take in the spring to build up health and ward off sickness."

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Suffered 20 Years.



MES. MARY LEWIS, wife of a prominent farmer, and well known by all old residents near Belmont, N. Y., writes: "For twenty-seven years I had been a constant sufferer from nervous prostration, and paid large sums of money for doctors and advertised remedies without benefit. Three years ago my condition was alarming; the least noise would startle and unnerve me. I was unable to sleep, had a number of sinking spells and slowly grew worse. I began using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve and Liver Pills. At first the medicine seemed to have no effect, but after taking a few bottles I began to notice a change; I rested better at night, my appetite began to improve and I rapidly grew better, until now I am as nearly restored to health as one of my age may expect. God bless Dr. Miles' Nerve."

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WASHTENAWISMS

Carrie Crippen has been granted a divorce from Ira Crippen, of Superior.

Mrs. May Kose died at the home of her daughter Mrs. George Barnes, in Ypsilanti, Monday evening, aged 79 years.

It is reported that the cow sheds which are the principal streets of Ypsilanti are to be ordered taken down at the next meeting of the common council.

Mr. Franklin Begole, of Ypsilanti town, was married near St. Marys, Ont., Feb. 23, to Miss Luinda Roberts. They will be at home to their friends after March 15.

Azro Fletcher, the well known superintendent of the Ypsilanti Creamery Association, was badly scalded Tuesday afternoon. He was putting on the fittings to a new boiler when a stopcock blew out. Steam burned him badly about the face, chest, hands, left leg and both feet. His injuries are not considered fatal.

The fourth prominent business change in Ypsilanti since Jan. 1 occurred Tuesday, Garry Densmore purchasing William Fell's interest in their clothing business. The dissolution of Lamb, Davis & Kishlar, dry goods; Barnum & Showman, jewelers, and George Harris, closing out his grocery jobbing business to remove to Detroit, being the preceding changes.

At the regular village caucus held in Saline Wednesday evening of last week, George J. Nissly, George R. Lutz, G. C. Townsend, Ashley B. VanDuzer, William Jackson, George E. Schairer and George Burkhardt were placed in nomination to succeed themselves as president, clerk, treasurer, assessor and trustees (three), of the village. The election will take place next Monday.

Deputy State Game and Fish Warden, L. Whitney Watkins received by express here Tuesday morning of last week, 7,000 brook trout, which he will put in suitable streams in this vicinity. The little fellows were only "pin heads" but in a few years we trust they will furnish much sport for devotees of the rod. He says he intends to plant large numbers of pickerel, blow bass, etc., in our surrounding lakes, in the near future.—Manchester Enterprise.

There will be two tickets in the field at the Manchester village election Monday. The Citizens ticket is: President, A. J. Waters; trustees, J. E. Blum, F. Widmayer, E. C. Westgate; treasurer, J. F. Schaible; clerk, C. E. Lewis; assessor, W. Kimble. The Young Men's ticket which will contest the election, is as follows: President, O. L. Torrey; trustees, Frank Spaffard, J. W. Rauschenberger, Fred Widmayer; clerk, Fred Hall; treasurer, C. W. Case; assessor, H. Townsend.

At the annual meeting of the Ypsilanti Arbeiter Verein Monday evening the following new officers were elected: President, Jacob Schruid; vice president, R. Kopf; secretary, William Dusibiber; cashier, J. L. Foerster; treasurer, Jos. Meyer; flag carrier, Jos. Block; trustees, George Rihel, Adam Sbaner, L. K. Foerster, G. J. Ament, Fred Warner. Peter Dusibiber, Nicholas Sohneider. After the business of the meeting was over the wives of the members served refreshments and the Light Guaid Band serenaded the party.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Until recent years our bakers had not improved upon the method used in the bakeries of Pompeii—viz, by burning wood in the floor of the oven itself until the proper temperature had been reached, then cleaning out and introducing the loaves. Nowadays our large bakeries are fitted with ovens heated with flues, gas or steam.

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Carson and the Buffalo. Kit Carson while with Fremont's expedition had an experience similar to that of a tiger hunter in India when the tiger hunts the hunter.

While hunting to get "meat" for the expedition Carson chased a buffalo bull. On coming up to the bull's side Carson fired just as his horse stepped into a prairie dog hole. Kit went 15 feet over the horse's head.

The bull, maddened by the bullet, which had struck low under the shoulder, chased the hunter, who ran toward the river. It was a race for life, a case of nip and tuck as to which should reach the river first. Kit got there and leaped from the bank just as the bull stopped on the brink, shaking its head.

Kit swam round and round. The bull watched. Then a companion crept up, shot the animal, and Kit crawled on shore, skinned the buffalo, cut off its haunch and cut out its tongue.—Youth's Companion.

"I suffered for months from sore throat; Electric Oil cured me in twenty-four hours." M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky.

"Fonetic." We should never accustom ourselves to saying that an article was "mad in German" or "mad in Frans." Nor is it necessary that we should. I have always thought the spelling reformers mistook the conditions of the problem. Our spelling may be erratic, but the printed word is a kind of visual counter. We learn to recognize it and to spell it by the eye. How often do we feel that a word looks wrongly spelled? Words have to be taken en bloc, and it would be exactly the same with the "fonetic" monstrosities proposed as their substitutes. In reading we never get at the sense of a word by spelling it, and "cough" and "plough," although theoretically anomalous and incongruous, present no practical difficulty. Still, spelling might in certain cases be simplified with advantage. "Program" and "jewelry" are better than the accepted forms "programme," "jewellery."

At present English is like a luxuriant garden running wild. It needs trimming and weeding.—Academy.

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Notice to Creditors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss: Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of George Wood, 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 17th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 17th day of May and on the 17th day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, February 17, A. D. 1898. H. WIRTENWITZ, Judge of Probate.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 1898.

Ann Arbor Township Democratic Caucus,

The electors of Ann Arbor Township will hold a caucus at the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, March 26, 1898, at 3 p. m., to nominate candidates for township offices.

C. L. TUOMY, Chairman of Town Committee.

Ann Arbor, March 9, 1898.

Common humanity demands that the inhuman strife in Cuba cease.

Cuba must be free. Peacefully, if we can obtain it, but Cuba must be free.

What an imposing spectacle of the way patriots sink party differences and unite in defense of a common country was shown by the unanimous passage through senate and house of the bill giving President McKinley 150,000,000 to expend as he saw fit to put the country in position for war. It was the best method to insure peace.

Is there still another faction in the republican party in this county. One prominent republican referring to the Moran-Indson embroglio said it reminded him of the old adage, "When thieves fall out, honest men get their dues." and still another prominent republican said it was a case of "dog eat dog." In the light of these remarks it is pertinent to enquire if there is still another faction in the republican party.

Gov. Pingree has called an extra session of the legislature to consider railroad taxation. The governor is partially right in his position and partially wrong. Railroad property should be placed upon the same plane as other property, but when this is done specific taxation of railroads should cease. It is no more right that their taxes should be paid directly into the state treasury than that taxes on other property should be so paid. Let the corporations of all kinds be compelled to pay taxes-the same as individuals are compelled to pay them, and in the same manner. That is exact justice and it is common sense.

The common council has ordered the city engineer to make plans for a bridge over the Ann Arbor railroad on W. William st. While there is no doubt that a bridge is needed at that point, the council should have ordered plans for one on W. Huron st. also. For, with the Lansing, Dexter and Ann Arbor street railway coming into the city on that street it will be one of the most dangerous places to life and limb that can possibly be found. A steep hill on each side of a railroad track laid in a valley. A railroad train passing over the street on these hills stopped to allow it to pass, the brakes slipping and not holding it in control. These are the necessary and not at all improbable factors in an accident that might involve a score or more of lives worth the cost of a hundred bridges.

The Register explodes its usual sensations this week. The first is the case brought through A. J. Sawyer, as attorney, against Sheriff Judson and others to recover \$600 paid in settlement of a charge of criminal assault brought against Howard Stockwell, of Salem, on complaint of Joseph Doane. In a long article "Boss" Judson, as he is called, is charged with either "gross breach of social duty" or "rank injustice" in frightening Stockwell into a settlement. Aid. Brown is called a "penny-in-the-slot pettifogger" and Sweet is threatened with sure defeat if he runs for sheriff. It is charged that three of the aldermen are owned by Boes Judson. It also states that if anyone directly or indirectly concerned in the killing of the Yoong Men's Republican Club is made postmaster at Ann Arbor, it believes that it would bury the republican party in Washtenaw county under a 1,000 or more democratic majority. In all of this the Register claims to speak for thousands of republicans who are opposed to boss dictation. In the meantime Sheriff Judson is still sawing wood.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth. Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, MRS. WINDLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

F. KRAUS, general auctioneer Ann Arbor, Mich., will attend to all sales in city or county on short notice. Charges reasonable. Residence two miles from court house on Dixboro Road.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

OFFICIAL

COUNCIL CHAMBER. Regular Session. Called to order by Glen V. Mills, City Clerk.

Roll called. Quorum present. Absent Aid. Moore, Sweet, Spathelf, Pres. Luick.

Aid. Koch moved that Aid. Coon act as President pro tem.

Adopted. Whereupon Aid. Coon was declared elected President pro tem.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS. A petition signed by W. J. Miller and 23 others asking for crosswalks across Detroit street was read and referred to the Sidewalk Committee.

A petition signed by Perry Manwaring and 24 others asking for an order to prevent the dumping of garbage within certain parts of the City of Ann Arbor was read and referred to the Board of Health.

A petition signed by J. O. A. Sessions and 5 others asking for correcting alleged wrong in numbering was read and referred to Aldermen Danforth and Cady and Engineer Key.

The communication from "City Government" was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

To the Common Council: The Board of Public Works herewith submits the estimate of the City Engineer for paving on Main street with asphalt.

Respectfully submitted, Glen V. Mills, Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

To Board of Public Works: Gentlemen: The following is an estimate for the cost of asphalt pavement in the proposed paving district on Main st.

Excavation per lineal ft. each side \$ 47

Curbing " " " " " " 56

Concrete " " " " " " 82

Asphalt " " " " " " 100

Total \$585

Less 20 per cent 117

Estimated price per foot frontage to be assessed on property for asphalt pavement \$548

Estimated price per foot frontage to be assessed on property for brick pavement 51

This makes the total estimated cost for asphalt pavement \$37,388 50

As against the total estimated cost for brick pavement 25,083 48

Estimated total difference \$12,305 02

Geo. F. Key, City Engineer.

Received and placed on file.

To the Common Council: The Board of Public Works presents the following resolution for the consideration of your honorable body:

Whereas, The petition circulated among and signed by the taxpayers in the proposed paving district on Main st. specified brick pavement on a concrete foundation, and

Whereas, at a joint meeting of the said taxpayers and Board of Public Works it was the unanimously expressed opinion in favor of brick pavement.

Therefore the Board of Public Works recommend that the Common Council order the above mentioned improvement and direct advertising at once for bids for constructing said improvement.

Respectfully submitted, Glen V. Mills, Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

Aid. Dell moved that the recommendation of the Board be concurred in by this Council.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—11.

Nays—None. Aid. Sweet and Spathelf entered.

To the Common Council: The Board of Public Works herewith presents to your honorable body the report of the work ordered by you and done under our direction during the year 1898.

Glen V. Mills, Clerk of the Board of Public Works. Received and placed on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. FINANCE. Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance and that warrants be ordered drawn for the same.

Respectfully submitted, Arthur Brown, Michael Grossman, Harrison Soule, Committee on Finance.

CONTINGENT FUND. \$ 83 34

Glen V. Mills, salary \$ 53 34

Patrick O'Hearn " 80 00

Thos. D. Keamey " 80 00

Edward L. Seyler " 83 34

Ann Arbor Electric Co., lighting 514 09

Wm. H. McIntyre, supplies 2 75

W. W. Groves, salary 75 00

F. W. Wetmore, supplies 3 60

Geo. F. Key, salary 100 00

Ann Arbor Argus, printing 8 00

W. W. Millard, printing 35 50

John LeDuffy, fees 2 50

New State Telephone Co., rental 27 00

Ann Arbor Register, printing 7 50

Mrs. C. A. Greene, rent 29 17

M. E. Easterly, janitor 18 25

Glen V. Mills, postage 1 25

Edward L. Seyler, postage 7 00

Edward L. Seyler, dog tax refunded 8 50

O. M. Martin, ambulance 2 00

Bailey & Edmonds, repairs 1 65

George Lavear, barying dog 1 50

David Crawford, rent 10 00

John Burg, acct. assigned 2 75

Wm. Lausky, acct. assigned 5 00

Total \$1,083 03

STREET FUND. \$ 66 6K

Daniel J. Ross, salary 66 6K

Mrs. Lucy D. S. Parker, rent 75 00

Total \$ 141 66

POLICE FUND. \$ 75 00

Zenus Sweet, salary 75 00

Reuben Arrabruster, salary 50 00

John O'Mara, salary 50 00

David Collins, salary 50 00

George Isbell, salary 50 00

Total \$ 275 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND. \$ 60 00

Fred Siple, salary 55 00

C. A. Edwards, salary 5 00

W. L. Schmierle, salary 50 00

Max Wittlinger, salary 50 00

Albert West, salary 50 00

Eugene Williams, salary 50 00

Herman Kirn, salary 50 00

Samuel McLaren, salary 50 00

Edward Hoelzle, salary 50 00

Charles Carroll, salary 20 00

O. L. Schmierle, salary 8 00

Geo. Hoelzle, salary 8 00

A. W. Sorg, salary 8 00

Ed Hill, salary 8 00

M. Staebler, coal 19 38

Clark & Bassett, coal 6 00

Mrs. Ream, washing 3 32

Goodale & Co., supplies 1 95

Walker & Co., repairs 13 35

Total \$ 574 19

IOOB FUND. \$ 10 00

Fred Siple, salary % 10 00

Treas. Anti-Tramp Society, labor 4 50

Table listing various items and their prices, including shoes, groceries, and medical supplies.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Cady. Resolved, That the Board of Public Works proceed at once to place a tile drain across Packard street on the north line of Hill street of sufficient capacity to carry the water down Hill street west.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. By Alderman Cady. Resolved, That a committee of three of which the City attorney shall be one, be appointed to ascertain the number of arrests for all criminal offenses or misdemeanors tryable before the Justices of the Peace in the City of Ann Arbor from and including the year 1894 until the 1st of March, 1898, together with the amount of the fine moneys and fees from same going to the City of Ann Arbor, also the amount of fine moneys and fees going to Washtenaw county and the fees going to the officers who acted in the respective cases, with the name and total amount going to each officer, and the city clerk is hereby directed to assist the committee in securing and tabulating the information secured.

Lost as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Dell, Coon, Danforth, Cady—5.

Nays—Aid. Grossman, Koch, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule—8.

By Aid. Brown. Resolved, That the registration for voters for the several wards, to be held March 29th, 1898, be, and the same is hereby appointed to be held in the several wards of the city at the following places, viz.:

First Ward—Washington street near 10th avenue at the Zion German school house.

Second Ward—111 West Liberty street. Sid W. Millard's office.

Third Ward—Basement of Court House.

Fourth Ward—Engine House.

Fifth Ward— " " "

Sixth Ward— " " "

Seventh Ward—904 South State, rear of Weinberg's store.

And be it further resolved, that the city clerk do give notice of said registration pursuant to law.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. By Aid. Brown. Whereas, in the opinion of many of our citizens the case of typhoid fever at 526 E. Jefferson street should be investigated, and its cause, if possible, ascertained and removed.

Be it resolved that the Board of Health be instructed to investigate the same and report to this Council.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. Chairman Cady presented an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the Lansing, Dexter and Ann Arbor Railway Company to construct and maintain a street railway in the City of Ann Arbor," and defining the powers, privileges and restrictions of said railroad company.

Aid. Dell moved that the ordinance be given its second reading by sections.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. Chairman Cady presented an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the Detroit, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor Railway Company to construct and maintain a street railway in the City of Ann Arbor," and defining the powers, privileges and restrictions of the said railway company.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. Chairman Cady presented an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to repeal an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance relative to the governing and controlling of the cemetery in the Fifth ward,' passed June 7, 1875," which was given its third reading by sections.

Whereupon the question was: Shall this ordinance pass?

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Koch, Sweet, Grossman, Dell, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—12.

Nays—Aid. Brown—1. Aid. Dell's amendment was lost as follows:

Yeas—Aid. Dell, Sweet, Danforth—3.

Nays—Aid. Hamilton, Koch, Brown, Grossman, Dell, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Cady—10.

The original motion was adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Grossman, Koch, Brown, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Danforth, Cady—8.

Nays—Aid. Hamilton, Dell, Sweet, Vandawarker, Coon—5.

STREETS. To the Common Council: Your committee on streets would recommend that Fred Belsor be allowed \$100 00 as payment in full for all gravel alleged to have been taken from his premises and that he fill in his lot at his own expense.

Respectfully submitted, C. H. Cady, G. C. Rhodes, Harrison Soule, Arthur Brown, M. Grossman, Committee on Streets.

Aid. Dell moved to amend the report and to include the estimate of the engineer.

Aid. Hamilton moved as a substitute that the report be laid on the table until the next regular session.

Lost as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Soule—2.

Nays—Aid. Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Coon, Danforth, Cady—11.

To the Common Council: Your committee on streets would recommend that the engineer be directed to prepare plans and specifications for brick pavement on Main street between Catherine and Liberty.

And further that the engineer prepare plans, specifications and an estimate for a bridge over the Ann Arbor railroad in the line of William street.

Respectfully submitted, C. H. Cady, H. Soule, G. C. Rhodes, Arthur Brown, J. A. Dell, M. Grossman, Committee on Streets.

Aid. Cady moved to amend the report by adding to the specifications for a bridge on West Huron street across the Ann Arbor Railroad.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None. Whereupon the original report as amended was adopted as follows:

Yeas—Aid. Hamilton, Grossman, Koch, Dell, Sweet, Brown, Vandawarker, Rhodes, Spathelf, Soule, Coon, Danforth, Cady—13.

Nays—None.

belonging or in anywise appertaining: to have and to hold the said premises, as above described, with the appurtenances, unto the said party of the second part, and to its successors and assigns forever. And the said Mary J. Maynard, party of the first part, her heirs, executors and administrators, does covenant, grant, bargain and agree to and with the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, that at the time of the sealing and delivery of these presents she is well seized of the above granted premises in Fee Simple; that they are free from all Incumbrances whatever and that she will, and her heirs, executors, administrators shall warrant and defend the same against all lawful claims whatsoever.

In witness whereof, the said party of the first part has hereunto set her hand and seal the day and year first above written.

MARY J. MAYNARD.

Signed and delivered in presence of W. J. Maynard, J. M. Bennett.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, j. On this seventh day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight before me, a Notary Public in and for said County, personally appeared Mary J. Maynard to me known to be the same person described in and who executed the within instrument, who acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed.

J. W. BENNETT, Notary Public.

Aid. Koch moved that the Council accept the deed and order a warrant drawn for \$1.00 in payment for said property.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Aid. Grossman, Koch, Brown, Vandawarker, Soule, Coon, Cady—7.

Nays—Aid. Hamilton, Dell, Sweet, Rhodes, Danforth—6.

On motion the Council adjourned. Glen V. Mills, City Clerk.

A Great Saving.

Chelsea, Mich., March 2, 1898. Mrs. I. B. Doan, of this village states that they have used Hood's Sarsaparilla with excellent results, and it has saved them a great deal of sickness. Mr. Dean has taken the medicine for a serious scrofula sore on one of his bauds, and it gave him relief. It is wonderful how many people may be found who praise Hood's Sarsaparilla for the benefit they have derived from it.

THE MARKET REPORT

ANN ARBOR, Mar. 10, 1898.

Wheat, per bushel 0 93 to 0 93

Oats, " " 75 to 80

Barley, " " 30 to 30

Rye, " " 42 to 42

Corn, shelled, per bush. 33 to 33

Corn, in cob, " 20 to 20

Middlings, coarse, ton. 12 00 to 12 00

Middlings, fine, per ton. 13 00 to 13 00

Hay, per ton. 6 00 to 6 00

Hard Coal, per ton. 2 75 to 2 75

Clover Seed, per bush. 2 75 to 2 75

Timothy, " " 1 30 to 1 30

Potatoes, " " 50 to 50

Apples, " " 0 00 to X> 00

Beans, " " 80 to 80

Eggs, per dozen. 10 to 11

Butter, per pound. 15 to 16

Chickens, " " 09 to 10

Veal, " " 71 to 71

Live Cattle, per pound. 04 to 04

Lard, " " 07 to 07

Dressed Beef, " " 05 to 07

Lambs, per pound. 51 to 51

Sheep, " " 71 to 71

Steam Coal, " " 4 00 to 4 00

Mutton, " " 08 to 09

Live Hogs, " " A -- 04 to 04

Pork, " " 05 to 05

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From Her Point of View. A lady who said that her servant girl seemed to take a certain interest in the objects of art in her parlor said to her, "Which one of those figures do you like best, Mary?"

"This one, mum," said Mary, pointing to the aimless Venus of Milo.

"And why do you like the Venus best?"

"Sure, it's the aisiest todoost, muni," answered the girl.—Harlem Life.

His First Duty. "What is the first duty of a war correspondent?" asked the managing editor of one of the "new" journals.

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Friends of the Argus who have business in the Tribune Office are asked to request Judge Newkirk to send the advertising necessary to the probating of estates with which they are connected to the Argus office.

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Arthur Sweet has been granted letters patent on his rail drilling machine.

Jimmie Blitbau has returned from the state reform school, where he has been for the past year.

Another big class of candidates will be initiated into the local lodges of the A. O. U. W. in the near future.

A bed caught fire in a house on Thompson st. Tuesday noon but was hustled out of a window before any harm was done.

Copies of the bicycle ordinance are being circulated in each house within the limits of the city, for the information of riders of wheels.

A regular teachers' examination for all grades of certificates will be held at the court house, Ann Arbor, on Thursday, March 31, and Friday, April 1 next.

Q. A. Turner, superintendent of the homeopathic hospital, says that nine-tenths of the patients in that institution are farmers or members of farmers' families.

The six years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian J. Baner, of Baldwin ave., died Monday night. Funeral services were held at St. Thomas' church yesterday morning.

Forty-seven bids for the job of carrying the mails between the Ann Arbor post office and the depots were received on the second call for bids. They were sent unopened to Washington Saturday night.

Sunday morning F. Stoffet, the opera house news dealer, received three quarters of a ton of morning newspapers to distribute among his customers. The war news makes a great demand for papers.

At the common council meeting Monday evening ordinances were introduced granting right of way to the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor and the Lansing, Dexter & Ann Arbor Electric Railroads.

Bishop Ninde will deliver the next Wesleyan Guild lecture in this city Sunday evening, March 20. On the evening previous the local Epworth League will tender Dr. Ninde an informal reception in the parlors of the First M. K. church.

Clay Greene recently wrote to John R. Miner to find out how much it costs for a family to live in California. He received as answer that a family of two can do very comfortably on \$100 a month, provided the head of the house does not make too many trips to Los Angeles.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Beahan Saturday night, a boy.

The Forepangb-Sells Bros. circus is among one of the possibilities in the amusement line in Ann Arbor this summer.

A second concert will be given at Gerinania hall next Tuesday evening under the direction of Fred J. Dausingburg.

The Gilt Edge Minstrels entertainment at 61 nuania ball Friday night was well attended. A good program was rendered.

James Donnegan, a life-long democrat of the Fourth ward, announces himself as a candidate for supervisor this spring.—Times.

Tbu concert for the benefit of the sewing school given in the Ann Arbor Music Co.'s hall last Saturday evening netted a nice sum for the school.

The Western Union Telegraph office has been renovated till it looks like a new place. A new hardwood floor has been put in and the walls and ceiling repapered.

John Downs, died of cancer Sunday, at his home 1512 Pontiao St., Northside, aged 50 years. The funeral services were held at St. Thomas' church Tuesday morning. His wife and three children survive him.

A resolution was introduced and passed at the council meeting Monday night requesting the Michigan Central railroad to place a New State telephone in its freight office for the convenience of the subscribers to the local exchange of that company.

A gang of laborers is busy transplanting six large maple and elm trees from the Observatory grounds to the west side of the University hospital grounds. Under each tree is put a peck of potatoes calculated to keep the roots moist.

The city engineer has been ordered to furnish by the third Monday in March plans and specifications for asphalt and brick pavements on Main St., also by the first Monday in April plans for a bridge over the Ann Arbor railroad on W. William st.

Miss Clara Josle Jacobs was greeted with an enthusiastic audience Monday evening on the occasion of her first song recital in High School hall. The program was well selected and showed Miss Jacobs' voice to good advantage. She was ably assisted by Miss Fiske, pianist, and the Amphion Mandolin Trio, Messrs. Steinbaur, Parsons and Fenton.

In a recent address before the Ypsilanti grange Capt. E. P. Allen said that farmers, representing the conservatism of the country, are wise in looking into other than their own profession in the interest of their country, as the farmer is the foundation of all, and urged them to be tolerant of the other callings and to have charity for all men.

The places for holding the registration for the spring election have been designated by the council as follows: First ward, Zion German school house; second ward, 111 W. Liberty st.; third ward, basement of the court house; fourth ward, engine house; fifth ward, engine house; sixth ward, engine house; seventh ward, 904 S. State st. The date of holding the registration is Tuesday, March 29.

A young man, a stranger, who came to this city a few evenings since wanted to find S20 E. Ann St., and was told that the block system of numbering was used here. Commencing at Main st., he traveled five blocks east and found himself among the 700's. He then commenced a diligent search and got into the 400's then he jumped to the 600's, and finally, after an hour or two found the place. It was no particular credit to our city, he thought, that a system that ought to be so plain was in reality so complex.—Courier.

The third ward members of the First Baptist church gave a largely attended social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gieenman, on Cherry st, Monday evening. A bountiful supper was served and over \$11 was realized. During the evening an interesting program was gone through with which embraced song by J. R. Sage and Harlow Grose, recitations by Miss Bertha Christianman, Mrs. McNally and Miss Eva MaFall, dialogue by Mrs. Colgrove, Bert Crocker and C. W. Greenman, music by the Misses Cora and Jessie Wise and Daisy Polhemus.

The monthly song service will be held at St. Andrew's church next Sunday evening. Several new selections will be given by the vested choir and Miss Greening will accompany the same with violin.

Prof. A. A. Stanley has finished a symphonic poem, which will be performed for the first time at thecoming May Festival.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, March 14, at 8 p. m., in the rooms of the association.

Charles Hyzer, of Ypsilanti, charged with non-support, was arrested here on Friday and was taken to that city by Officer Ross to answer to the charge.

Walter H. Woods has been appointed temporary clerk at the Ann Arbor post office. He has been assigned to duty as assistant to the day mailing clerk.

The bonds of the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor Electric Railway have been arranged for at a very favorable rate, which assures the speedy completion of the road.

A small sized rear end collision took place Friday night on the street railway line. One of the city cars ran into the rear end of the Ypsilanti car jolting the passengers quite a bit.

We are glad to state that we have secured the services of Master Freddie Daley to sing at our commencement exercises next June. He is now the most famous and popular singer in Michigan.—Dexter Leader.

E. J. Helber, Cuban commissioner for Washtenaw county, has forwarded to Allen Sheldon, of Detroit, as the result of his work for the cause \$110.-29. He has also collected a large quantity of clothing which he will forward soon.

Dr. S. P. Ort, of Wittenberg college, who was to have delivered the final lecture in the Trinity Lutheran course Friday night, was sick and could not come. The lecture was therefore postponed and will be delivered at a future date.

The pulpit of the Unitarian church will be occupied next Sunday morning by Rev. Lee S. McCollester, of Detroit, exchanging with Mr. Sunderland, and in the evening by Mr. Charles F. Weller, of the Chicago Bureau of Charities. Mr. Weller's subject will be "Social Service in Chicago."

Mrs. David L. Gates, mother of Mrs. George Rhodes and Noah D. Gates, of this city, died at the home of her daughter on the Northside Friday night, of pleuro-pneumonia, aged 83 years. The funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon, Rev. H. Tatlock officiating. Interment in the Fifth ward cemetery.

The report that every republican in Washtenaw county is a candidate for office is certainly an exaggeration. Four men of that faith in Ann Arbor alone have been found who say they would under no circumstances lay hold of the official udder unless the g. o. p. bovine backed right up where they might be sitting and "histed" without an articulate sound from them.—Grass Lake News.

A clergyman whose salary had not been paid for several months told the trustees that he must have his money as his family were suffering for want of the necessities of life. "Money!" exclaimed one of the trustees, noted for his stinginess. "Do you preach for juoney? I thought you preached for the good of souls." The minister replied: "So I do but I cannot eat souls. But if I could it would take a thousand such as yours to make a meal."

In proof of the truth of the statement made that the greater number of the young men and women who are students of the university are children of poor parents the Owosso Press says: "The above from our University news letter is substantiated by the list of students who have gone from Owosso and, Shiawassee county—in fact, a number of students have paid their own way through the university, while others have paid the greater part of the expense."

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fletober Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owen, who intend to remove to Ann Arbor soon. Fourteen pedro tables were filled and there were enough who did not indulge in the games to make the party number nearly 70. Frank Miller and Miss Mary Cady captured the first prizes and Mr. and Mrs. George Alban the consolation prizes. Mr. and Mrs. Owen were presented with a silver tea set.—Times Ypsilanti correspondence.

Welob Corps, W. R. C. will hold Francis E. Willard meuiorialj services in the near future.

The acreage under cultivation for wheat in Michigan this year is estimated by the state department at 1,600,000 acres.

The fine new house which John Burg will build this coming season, will be located on the corner of Hill and Oakland ave.

Correspondents to the state department, with few exceptions report that no damage to apple and peach buds is yet apparent.

John Gibbons, Charles A. Kreger, August Kilsinger, John Roobe, John Bauer and Frederick Bauer, have been granted their full naturalization papers in the circuit court.

The ladies of the Northside will give a New England dinner at the Wall st. chapel Wednesday, March 16, from 5 to 9 p. m. Only 15 cents will be charged. Everybody invited.

While James W. Robison was exercising one of his high-spirited horses Wednesday, the bit broke and he had to make a jump for it. The only damage was to the road cart.

The fire department team of grays while hitched to the wagon for delivering wood to the city poor, ran away yesterday afternoon, throwing out the driver, Sam McLaren and badly braising him.

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Prof. J. B. Steere contemplates putting up the water from his artesian well in bottles for table use. As is well known this water is remarkable for its softness, clearness and excellent drinking qualities.

Charles M. King, of Co. A. M. N. G., has just reenlisted for his eighth term of three years in the military service of the state. He is one of the oldest, if not the oldest, member of the M. N. G., in point of service.

H. Wirt Newkirk will speak to the toast "The Politician," at the St. Patrick's Day banquet in Ypsilanti next Thursday evening. A. J. Sawyer will tell what he knows about "The Statesman" at the same time and place.

Street corner loafers have come out of their winter quarters in large numbers the past few days. Their language and actions are sufficiently strong to disgust all passers by. Marshal Sweet has expressed his intention of thinning out their ranks by a wholesale process of arrests unless the practice is voluntarily stopped by those indulging in it.

There were 50 Ann Arbor Oddfellows in the party that went to Dexter Monday night and conferred the first degree on two candidates. After the work was completed in the Masonic hall which was used for the occasion, a banquet was held in the Oddfellows' hall on the opposite side of the street. It was a merry affair replete with story telling and speech making. It was an early hour in the morning when the Ann Arbor boys got home.

The Mohawk Bimetallic Club of Detroit, will hold its annual banquet at Light Guard hall in the city of Detroit on Tuesday evening April 5, 1898. A gathering of county superintendents will be held in that city on the afternoon preceding the banquet. Tickets to the banquet will be \$2. There will be a large number of people present and it will be necessary to secure seats in advance. Those of Ann Arbor and vicinity who desire to attend should hand in their names at once to Charles A. Ward, secretary of the democratic county committee.

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Manchester.

Miss Alma Teeter closed her school in District No. 8 Thursday of last week. Margaret Blosser is spending a couple of weeks visiting friends in Bronson and in Walkerton, Ind.

Clarence Berger, who closed his school south of town last week, has gone to, clerking in Haeuesler's drug store.

Fred Haschle's youngest child, Marie, who has been very sick with inflammation of the lungs is reported somewhat better.

Earl Rushtnn, of Norvell, came down last Thursday to see his mother who has been quite sick at the home of her father, J. E. Teeter.

The revival meetings at the Baptist church are still in progress and much interest is being shown. Rev. Stevenson, pastor of the Clinton Congregational church is assisting this week.

Messrs. Hagaman and Calboun will put in a cheese factory at Brooklyn this spring. The milk from 300 cows has been guaranteed them by the fanners and the factory will turn out about 20 cheese per day.

A meeting was called last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stark, for the purpose of organizing a reading club on the east side. Miss Jnlia Kirohhofer was chosen president and it was decided to take up the study of U. S. history and current events.

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PENSIONS BY WHOLESALE.

Remarkable Case of Fraud Just Made Public at Washington.

Washington, March 8.—A remarkable case of pension fraud, the latest developments in which have just come to light, has been made public by the pension office. About eight years ago George Watson, with four aliases, was sentenced to a fine and imprisonment for having drawn four separate pensions. At the time of his conviction he had two other applications for pensions on file. Being an exemplary prisoner, Watson was discharged in June, 1896. Shortly after, under the name of George Kelley, he presented a claim for pension on account of service in the Mexican war on the ship Savannah, and later filed an application for still another on account of service in the rebellion on the ship Pawnee. In this his duplicity was discovered, as a result of which he was held in Philadelphia for several days under \$1,000 bail.

Sunday Disturbance.

Every one was sorry for those people in church last Sunday, who were suffering with a distressing cough. A full dose of Downs' Elixir on going to bed at night and small doses during the day will cure the most persistent cough. Whenever there is a tickling sensation in the throat take a few drops of the Elixir on the tongue and let it run slowly down the throat and immediate relief will be the result. We guarantee it to cure any cough, cold, croup or lung trouble, or money refunded.

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Woman Burned to Death.

Detroit, March 8.—Mrs. Perry, aged 36, was burned to death in the yard of her home. A policeman found the woman in the yard clad only in her night clothes, which were afire. She died before he could extinguish the flames. Her hair was burned off and the flesh roasted and peeled from her knees upward. George M. Perry, her husband, has been arrested. He says he thought his wife arose early to start the kitchen fire, but there are no evidences of her having attempted this. The kerosene can was missing, and there were drippings of oil down the back stairs.

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Policy Holders Are Angry.

Edwardsville, Ills., March 8.—A meeting of local policy holders of the Mutual Benefit association of Galesburg, has been called for Friday and a large attendance is promised. Some of the members here who have been in the company for years have had their assessments tripled and are now too old to take out other insurance. Indignation runs high and arrangements will be entered into to co-operate with policy holders in other sections of the state to resist the increased assessments.

Good for the Children.

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Careless Operator Skips Out.

Richmond, Va., March 8.—In a head-on collision between north and south bound Norfolk and Western freight trains, near Island Ford, Fireman John Furbush was killed and Engineers Reid and Layman and Firemen More and Grabill were perhaps fatally injured. Telegraph Operator Besser, at Basic City, whose negligence is said to have caused the collision, fled as soon as the wreck occurred, and nothing has been heard from him.

A Word to Physicians.

Do you know that many broad minded physicians are using Carter's Cough Cure in their practice? They have found no remedy that gives as satisfactory results as this great cough medicine. Price 25 cents. For sale Jij H. J. Brown.

Ko'e runs Gains Some.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 8.—Lieutenant General Rosecrans is somewhat improved, but his physicians hold out little hope of his recovery.

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House Unanimously Passes National Defense Bill.

EXCITING DAY AT THE CAPITAL.

Meeting of the Cabinet Under Feverish Conditions—Sir Julian Launcelote Conveys to President McKinley the Approval and Support of the British Government in the Controversy with Spain—American Schooner Seized.

Washington, March 8.—The house has unanimously passed the Cannon bill appropriating \$50,000,000 for the national defense.

Washington, March 8.—Commander Brownson of the navy will sail at once for Europe to expend a portion of the \$50,000,000 authorized by congress for national defenses. This was decided upon at the conference held at Secretary Long's office at which leading naval officers, senators and representatives were present. The move is regarded as the most significant step taken by this country since the war spirit first developed. The cabinet meeting lasted much later than usual. It was one of the most exciting days since the Spanish situation first developed. The cabinet met under feverish conditions, but one of the chief actors, Secretary Long, was absent.

An Important Conference.

He sent word to the president and his advisers that he was detained at the navy department by an important conference. At that hour the secretary of the navy was in conference with Senators Frye, Lodge and Hale, Representative Boutelle and other leading factors in congress. He had called Chief Hichborn of the construction department and one after another of the navy department chiefs. The purpose of the conference, it was inferred from these moves, related to the purchase of naval munitions of war, probably the immediate expenditure of the \$50,000,000 which appropriation it was made certain would pass both branches of congress.

Support of British Governments

Early in the morning Sir Julian Ppuncote, the British ambassador, called at the White House. He was accompanied by Secretary Sherman, who, on account of his age and a slight illness, has not been figuring in the Spanish controversy. If reports are to be credited the secretary's visit with Sir Julian was a ceremonious performance and involved no great diplomatic skill. The understanding was that Sir Julian conveyed to the president the jvram approval and support of the British government in the Spanish controversy. The visit of Sir Julian and Secretary Sherman excited the wildest comment.

THE DEFENSE BILL.

Scenes in the House During Debate on the Measure.

Washington, March 8.—The galleries of the house were packed to the doors and long lines of people, unable to gain admission, surged about the corridors. Public interest in the debate on the bill appropriating \$50,000,000 for the national defense was reflected in this arge attendance in the galleries. When the reading of the bill was concluded with the item of \$50,000,000 for the national defense a spontaneous outburst of applause went up from the members and the galleries.

Cannon and Sayers, the minority member of the appropriation committee, when mutually proposed the agreement they privately made before the louse met for three hours' general debate on the bill, to be followed by one lour's debate under the five-minute rule. Barrett, Rep., of Massachusetts asked if opportunity would be allowed for amendment and when Cannon answered that he did not know, he objected. His objection was greeted with hisses and loud cries of "Vote," "Vote." Barrett, yielding to the urgent appeals of the Republicans about him, withdrew his objection. The agreement as to time was formally ratified. After the confusion which folowed this dramatic scene had subsided Cannon took the floor to open the debate on the bill.

"It is not a war appropriation," said he emphatically. "I say that in my judgment, measuring my words, that it is a peace measure. (Great applause.) The government of the United States would not, if it could, trench upon the rights of any nation on earth." (Renewed applause.)

The only discordant note up to the hour of 2:30 p. m. was when General Bingham, Republican of Pennsylvania, said we cared not so much for the bravery and courage of Consul General Lee as for his cool judgment. Hisses from all quarters of the hall greeted this statement. Bingham was again hissed when he said he condemned any statement on the floor to the effect that our relations with Spain were other than they had been for years past—perfectly friendly.

COURT WILL LEAVE THURSDAY.

Naval Board Will Proceed to Washington to Submit Its Report.

Havana, March 8.—The American board of inquiry will end its sessions in Havana Thursday and start immediately for Washington to submit its report. The wrecking tug Right Arm left Havana at 1 p. m., but no information can be obtained about her destination. It is said that she carries some important documents. Senor Leoncio Varetta is going to Washington as the representative of the Spanish government to negotiate the treaty of commerce between the United States and the Cuban colonial government.

Ari; American schooner is said to have been stopped by a Spanish warship on the southern coast of Cuba. The authorities here say that it was a filibustering vessel, but no more details can be obtained officially or are allowed to be sent by the press censor. There is great excitement in Havana. The volunteers are wildly enthusiastic over the reports of war, and they have had cannon exercises at Cabanas fortress to test the new big guns. The volunteers declare that they will defend Havana until the last of them is dead. The firing of cannon by the volunteers frightened many Havana families and foreign

residents. The cause of the shots was not explained.

The Spanish police are making more arrests. At 3 o'clock in the morning eight well-known residents of this city were driven out of their homes and sent to Cabanas fortress. The press here comments upon the resignation of the American consul at Sagua, Mr. Barker, and says he was not uncompromising an American for a diplomatic post in Cuba. He is charged also with having tried to provoke a rupture of the relations between the two countries, and of helping the insurgents instead of the starving pacificos.

SHOULD END THE GAME.

Note Issued at Madrid Says Neither Country Desires War.

Madrid, March 8.—A semi-official note just issued declares that the Spanish government has not received any complaint regarding the attitude of General Fitzhugh Lee, the United States consul general, at Havana, adding:

"On the contrary, Captain General Blanco affirms that General Lee's behavior has always been correct. Nevertheless, the incident serves to explain the origin of the ill-will between the two countries. This is proved by statements attributed to Secretary Sherman, by which the jingoes have created the belief in the United States that Spain is trying to provoke war, while at the same time engendering the feeling in Spain that it is the United States which demands the opening of hostilities. It is essential that this double game should be ended in order to prevent the two countries from going to war without motives and without either of them desiring it."

A semi-official news agency of this city issued the following announcement:

"After brief uneasiness there is a general belief now that peace will not be broken and that the relations between Spain and the United States will continue amicable. Political personages assert that the late sensational dispatches are completely wrong in attributing an aggressive tone to the diplomatic relations between the two governments, which have not for a single moment lost their friendly character."

AMERICAN SCHOONER CAPTURED.

Spanish Gunboat Seizes It in an Inlet on the Coast of Cuba.

Havana, March 8.—The Spanish gunboat Ardilla has captured in an inlet near Casilda, on the south coast of Cuba, the American schooner Esther of Edenton, N. C., bound from Pensacola to Jamaica. The captain of the schooner was asked to give the reason for the presence of his vessel in the inlet and claimed that his rudder was broken.

No further details of the affair have been received, but if the statements of the captain of the Esther turn out to be correct the schooner will be liberated. The captain has protested against the seizure of his vessel. The Esther is of 1,131 tons gross register.

War Vessels at Key West.

Key West, Fla., March 8.—The United States cruiser Montgomery is still in the harbor. The work of coaling that vessel from a barge was resumed! The Marblehead is coaling at the dock. The tug Right Arm arrived here from Havana. Captain Everett, the diver of the Merritt & Chapman Derrick and Wrecking company, was on board. Captain Everett was very reserved concerning the work he has done on the wreck of the Maine, but he expresses the opinion that it is now doubtful if the big guns can be saved, so fast is the wreck sinking in the mud of Havana harbor.

Orders have been given to the United States cruiser Montgomery to sail at once. Commander Converse jvas ashore during the day and had a long consultation with Rear Admiral Sicard.

Flying Squadron Planned.

Washington, March 8.—The administration is considering the formation of a flying squadron. Naval officers have planned such, and the matter is before the president. Such a squadron will assemble either at New York or Hampton Roads in ten days' time. As planned, the flying squadron will be composed of the fleetest and most powerful of warships ever commanded by an American officer. The armored cruiser Brooklyn, 21 knots, is to be flagship. The Minneapolis, 23 knots; the Columbia, 21 knots, and the St. Paul and St. Louis of the American line, 21 knots each, will compose the remainder of the fleet. Commodore Winfield Scott Sibley of arctic fame will be in command.

Torpedo Squadron Will Not Go to Cuba

London, March 8.—A letter received here from Madrid says the Spanish torpedo squadron at Cadiz will not sail for Cuba "owing to information received from the United States and Captain General Blanco." The Pais in confirming the statement that the departure of the torpedo squadron has been indefinitely postponed, says: "It would not be surprising were the event closely connected with the recent visits of General Woodford to Senor Gulltm and Senor Sagasta." In conclusion the Pais remarks: "Everyone may be assured that the squadron will neither sail now or at any time in the future."

Naval Court of Inquiry.

Havana, March 8.—The United States naval court of inquiry into the loss of the battleship Maine, which is at present in session here, pursued, in some respects, a different course from that adopted upon the occasion of the former visit of the court to Havana. It is now not uncommon to see members of the court on the wreck, personally directing the navy divers and obtaining from them direct reports on the structural condition of the submerged portion of the wreck and making individual notes for future consideration.

Spain's Purchase of War Vessels.

London, March 8.—The English newspapers confirm the news of Spain's purchase of warships. The St. James Gazette, which published the denials of the Spanish embassy and Spanish naval commission, which has an office in London, says: "It is ascertained on very high authority, in spite of denials, that the Spanish government has almost certainly succeeded in buying three nearly completed cruisers here, and two coast defense vessels which are about to be launched in France."

Men Eager to Enlist.

New York, March 8.—It is learned that orders have been received at the navy yard from Washington to prepare two detachments of marines—one for

the cruiser Columbia and one for the Minneapolis. There are between 300 and 400 marines at the barracks. The two detachments are making up and will be ready to start as soon as the order comes from Washington. There was a big rush of men eager to enlist at the navy yard. Before the gates were thrown open a crowd of men had gathered around eager to be first to reach the recruiting office on the receiving ship Vermont.

Remarks of General Lee.

New York, March 8.—A copyrighted cablegram to The Evening World from George Bronson Rea, at Havana, says: "General Lee said to me: 'If Spain wishes to declare any or all of us persona non grata it is her privilege to do so, but if we must leave town we will leave with the American flag flying and a brass band at the head of the procession.'"

Says the Maine Was Blown Up.

Wilmington, N. C., March 9.—A special from Southport says that J. W. Bonner, one of the divers employed on the Maine in Havana harbor, arrived there on the tug T. J. Jones from Key West. He states that the Maine was undoubtedly blown up through outside agency.

Working on Big Guns.

Washington, March 8.—The Washington navy yard, where a large establishment is maintained by the government for the manufacture of guns and ordnance material, has started work in three shifts and men are now working there night and day on big guns.

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Cleveland, O., March 8.—A special from Orville, O., to the Plaindealer says: Great excitement was caused here over the disappearance of Charles C. Cutton, night agent of the Adams Express company. Cutton left town Sunday morning. A telegram received on Monday by Agent Sheppard asking about a \$10000 express package which was short at Cleveland aroused the suspicion of Sheppard, who at once notified Superintendent Bimple of Columbus of the shortage and Cutton's disappearance. A hasty investigation by Mr. Bimple and others showed conclusively that the package had disappeared at this point Sunday morning. The express company detectives are hard at work on the case.

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Christy Minstrels.

The Toronto Saturday Night tells the following story of Dean Vaughan. Ke had been preparing some colored clergyman for nission work and had invited them to dine with him in the Temple.

On that day Mrs. Vaughau waited an hour in the drawing room for her guests, but none came. At last she mentioned to the butler that it was odd that the invited guests did not appear.

"Yes, rna'iiii," he replied, "and what's odder still I've done nothing all the evening but turn Christy minstrels away from the door."

The March of Civilization.

Interpreter—Chief Wangbo wants no more beads and brass wire. He says you cannot cross his country unless you agree to pay his price.

African Explorer—What does he want?

Interpreter—Two-thirds of the royalties on your next book.—London Tit-Bits.

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A Quaker Romance.

Valentine Hollingsworth accompanied William Penn in the good ship Welcome and settled in Delaware upon the banks of the Brandywine. Katherine, his daughter, "a delectable Quaker maiden," the pride of the little settlement, was wooed and won by big George Robinson. But George was of the church of England, and Katherine "must be married in meeting."

"George," writes the author of "Heirlooms In Miniature," "was willing to join the society, be a friend and be married in meeting or anywhere else that Katherine said. Accordingly he and Katherine made their first declaration 5th day, 1st month, 1688."

The elders, however, had "scruples," seeing that George's conversion was very sudden, and they asked him this searching question: "Friend Robinson, dost thou join the Society of Friends from conviction or for the love of Katherine Hollingsworth?"

George hesitated. He prized the truth and he did wish to marry Katherine. He lie answered: "I wish to join the society for the love of Katherine Hollingsworth."

The Friends counseled "delay and that Friend Robinson should be persuasive and instructively dealt with." Shrewd men as they were, they allowed Katherine to deal with him, and within a year George joined the society as a true convert.

An old manuscript reads, "He and Katherine were permitted to begin a long and happy married life together, being for many years an example of piety and goodness to those around them and retaining their love of truth and loyalty to the society to the last."

Scoff and Cough. The man who scoffs at the friendly advice to "take something for that cough," will keep on coughing until he changes his mind or changes his earthly residence. A great many scoffers have been converted by the use of the standard remedy—Carter's Cough Cure.

The Clever Artist. Not infrequently the art student fails in arrears for the rent of even his airy perch on the "sixieme," and landlords have scant sympathy for beings who can "soar to the empyrean," but can't pay.

Philosophy. Of making pill there is no end. Every pill-maker says "try my pill," as if he were offering you a bon bon. The wise man finds a good pill and sticks to it.

Asking For What He Wanted. Two little tots of Hudson were kneeling at their mother's knee saying the Lord's Prayer. The oldest one was repeating it after his mother, and when he reached the passage that reads, "Give us this day our daily bread," "what was the mother's astonishment when the little tot exclaimed, "Hit him lot a pie, Johnnie; hit him for a pie."—Sturgis (Mich.) Democrat.

Sympathetic flu\$band\$\*



The sympathetic tenderness of a loving husband is everything to an expectant mother, especially during her first ordeal. George Layton, Esq., a prominent druggist of Dayton, O., gives the following case: A customer of mine, whose wife has used four bottles of 'Mother's Friend' before confinement, says, after seeing the effects of the remedy, that if she had to go through the ordeal again, and there were but four bottles on the market, and the cost was \$100 per bottle, she would have them.

JAPAN MAY YET FIGHT.

Mikado's Government Threatens to Attack Russia.

URGES REJECTION OF DEMANDS.

Warning Given China That Japan Will Take Vigorous Action If they Are Conceded—Russia Orders Thirty New Torpedo Boat—Corean Ministry Resigns—Captain Dreyfus Attempts Self-Destruction—Paruelli's Brother Gets an Office. Peking, March 8.—The Russian demands from China have caused the greatest excitement at the Japanese legation and the Japanese minister has had several interviews with the officials of the Chinese foreign office, urging the rejection of the Russian demands. In addition it is reported that Japan has threatened to take vigorous action if the demands of Russia are conceded.

Kussia Orders Torpedo Boats. Odessa, March 8.—The Russian government has ordered thirty new torpedo boats to augment the Russian Pacific squadron at Vladivostok and Port Arthur. Russia also proposes to keep eight cruisers of the volunteer fleet continually in far eastern waters instead of the Black sea, so as to avoid the possibility of being hampered by Great Britain closing the Suez canal.

Corean Ministry Resigns. Kobe, Japan, March 8.—A dispatch received here from Seoul states that the Corean ministry has resigned owing to the reappointment of the Russophile foreign minister, Bin, who granted the Deer island concession to Russia without consulting his colleagues.

Prince Henry at Hong Kong. Hong Kong, March 8.—Prince Henry of Prussia has arrived here from Singapore and a number of dinners and receptions have been arranged in his honor.

DKEVFUS ATTEMPTS SUICIDE. France's Exiled Captain Tries to End His Life in Prison.

Paris, March 8.—A great sensation has been caused here by the report that former Captain Albert Dreyfus, for whose defense Zola was recently tried and convicted, had attempted to commit suicide in his lonely prison on the Isle du Diable, off the coast of French Guiana. The vigilance of his guards prevented the man from taking his life, and now his sufferings have been made even more unbearable than they were before. Dreyfus is compelled to lie all night on a plank bed and his feet are chained to a cannon ball. The gratings on the windows of his cage have been greatly strengthened, as it was feared that the prisoner might try to effect his escape.

According to the reports everything possible is being done to intensify the sufferings of the prisoner. Even the letters from his wife are becoming rarer and rarer, and the knowledge of the agitation in France to secure a revision of his sentence is kept from him. What his friends are doing in his behalf is kept from the unfortunate man, who, convicted and exiled for selling French\* war department secrets to the German government, is languishing in a pestilential prison. The frightful strain on his mind and body is such that he is on the verge of collapse, and it is thought that unless the unforeseen happens his end is not far off.

Urotlier of the Late Patrieh. Dublin, March 8.—John Howard Parnell, brother of the late Charles Stewart Parnell and Nationalist member of parliament for Southmeath, has been elected city marshal of Dublin. The post is worth £1,000 a year. His election was due to his representations that unless he obtained such a remunerative post he would lose Avondale, the Parnell family residence and estate at Rathium, County Wicklow.

Suicide of a Well-Known Actor. New York, March 8.—Henry Mader Pitt, a well-known actor with a long career on the stage of England and America, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid at a boarding house occupied by theatrical people. He became despondent because he was unemployed. Fannie Addison Pitt, his wife, is in Philadelphia playing in "A Bachelor's Romance" with Sol Smith Russell.

THE AXEWS IN BRIEF.

The J. M. Blair Brick company of Cincinnati, of which J. Milton Blair is president, W. W. Blair vice president and Joseph F. Blair secretary, has made an assignment.

D. Schroedv & Co., jewelers, of Cincinnati, O., have assigned to H. P. Goebel. Liabilities, \$65,000; assets, \$60,000; preferences, \$17,000.

The jury in the case against Theodore A. Fiegl of San Francisco, accused of the murder of Isaac Hoffman, his employer, on the evening of June 1, 1897, returned a verdict of acquittal.

Matthew Smith of Bloomington has succeeded Thomas Kennedy in the building and loan department of the Illinois state auditor's office.

Henry Aldrich, a prominent resident of Tekonsha, Mich., committed suicide by shooting himself with a shotgun. Despondency was the cause.

The amount spent in maintaining the hunts of the United Kingdom is estimated at \$4,500,000, or £12,000 per day throughout the year. And this does not include the cost of carriage horses, covert hacks and other expenses incidental to the sport.

Alienation of the affections of her husband is the ground of a \$10,000 damage case filed at Upper Sandusky, O., by Mrs. Frederick McNare against Mrs. Oscar Zuck. It is the outcome of the recent elopement of the plaintiff's husband with Mrs. Zuck.

Senator Hoar has accepted an invitation to deliver the annual address before the Virginia State Bar association some time between July 5 and 15. Fire broke out in the Brownell & Field company's wholesale coffee and spice house in Providence, R. I. The loss will be \$150,000.

PUBLISH MY LETTER

So That Women May Know Where to Find Relief.

Such is the request of Mrs. L. M. Haynes, Springfield, Mo. (General delivery) A part of Mrs. Haynes' letter read as follows: "I wrote to you in May, 1897; I was about to give it up, for I had the best four doctors in the city and they could not cure me. My disease was female weakness. I had been troubled with it for five years. Four and a half bottles of Pe-ru-na cured me. I hope all suffering women will take Pe-ru-na. I know it will cure others also. I cannot praise Pe-ru-na enough."



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A company was formed, and what was known in those days as Russian Extension stock went off at a premium of 60 per cent. In 1860 the line between New Westminster and the Yukon river was surveyed, found to be practicable and traversed completely the present Klondike region.

The line was expected to be finished in 1867. Even the tariff for messages was fixed at £5 (25) per message. The receipts were estimated to yield about 19,000,000 per annum. The line was actually constructed from New Westminster along the present route of the Canadian Pacific railway to Ashcroft, where it was continued north toward Bering sea to Fort Stager, 300 or 400 miles beyond Qufsnelle. This line is at the present moment in operation in a portion of the Caribou country.

Then, in the midst of the whole business, after three years of hard work, came like a thunderclap the news that the Atlantic cable was a success. Three million dollars had been expended, yet the next day Russian Extension stock was not worth the printer's ink on its surface.—London Mail.

"THE MARTIN CASE."

Plainville, Mich., Feb. 28.—It is generally known that Mr. C. J. Martin has been afflicted with Kidney Disease, which developed into a serious condition known as Catarrh of the Bladder, and for a time his recovery appeared to be doubtful; in fact he was so bad that some of the organs almost refused to work, and it was with the greatest difficulty that he was enabled to pass his urine. It is interesting to know that he has entirely recovered from his deplorable state of health, and that his recovery is entirely due to his having taken the treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Martin says that he was discouraged, having been treated by 200 physicians and having tried almost every advertised remedy without having received the least benefits. At last he heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and their cures, and resolved to try them. He says he began to improve from the first dose, and now after taking five boxes he is entirely cured of his ailments. Dodd's Kidney Pills are a never-failing cure for Bladder and Kidney Diseases. They are the only remedy that has ever cured Diabetes, Bright's Disease and Dropsy. They are equally efficient in cases of Rheumatism, Gout, Female Weakness and all diseases arising from disordered Kidneys.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

HE MET HIS MATCH.

WHY BULLY BRONSTON OF WYOMING WILL NEVER BOX AGAIN.

The Champion Pugilist of the Hunting Grounds Had Downed Many Kinds of High Officials, but Never Before Tackled a Young Consul.

There was a hardy fellow named Bronston who lived in a shack on a desert claim just at the edge of the Wyoming hunting grounds who had a reputation for being about as handy with his fists as the next comer. Bronston had an especial dislike for the "dude" hunters, and it was his boast that in a fair encounter he could best anything wearing good clothes and carrying 57 pounds of variegated ammunition. He was kept fairly busy.

The hunting grounds, despite the presence of Bronston, became more popular year after year, until finally he had to be a little more select in his operations, as there were altogether too many visitors to allow him time to do the whole lot justice. He finally announced that in future he was going to whip nobody under the rank of colonel in military life and nobody who in civil life wasn't at least a major or a big town or a president of a railroad. By following this plan he succeeded in filling his time comfortably without overworking himself. He was uniformly successful until one day a party stopped at his ranch and introduced themselves as eastern tourists bent on doing some elk extermination. They asked if they might stop overnight with him.

"Gentlemen," said Bronston, "doit happen that they's a giniral among you?"

No, there didn't happen to be. "A judge, inebbe, or a vice president?"

There was not. It was an unofficial party. The only man with anything approaching an official designation was a young fellow who was Portuguese consul in a seafort town down east. He wasn't a native of Portugal himself—just a plain American citizen, who had been appointed to the place because he had the time to attend to the few duties.

"Concernin a consul," said Bronston reflectively, "I don't know. I never heard of sich. Doubtless, inebbe, it's a responsible an honorable job."

He was answered that it was. "Well," he suggested, "mebbe he'll do. Come out here in the yard, gentlemen, an the exercises will begin."

They had no idea what was coming, but Bronston explained briefly, and the young man seemed perfectly willing to take his part in the melee, though the others, terrified, tried their best to argue Bronston out of it. The desert claim settler made a rush at his victim and found he wasn't there. He had carefully stepped aside, and as the mountain fighter thundered past him the consul hit him on the ear. Then the Portuguese representative followed up his advantage, and leaping upon the prostrate Bronston battered his head against the ground until he had worn a hole in the hard soil. He picked Bronston up and threw him out into the road, and then went out and threw him back again. The Portuguese consul, it may be remarked, had spent the better part of his life learning how to box and wrestle, and this was his first opportunity to let himself out.

In an hour Bronston came back to life. He wearily looked about him and said, "Gentlemen, did a dozen or two supreme court judges sneak up while I wau't lookin a tackle me?" He was told that no such thing had happened. "Pr'aps it was a state legislated"

No, it was just a young man who was a Portuguese consul.

He drew a sad sigh. "I wouldn't 'a' believed it," he said. "I had more confidence in the institutions of this land of freedom of ourn. To think that a man who has licked governors an state 'torneys an sheriffs an congressmen should be whooped till he's half dead by a furrier that can't talk the language of his own furrin country! Gentlemen, they ain't no use bein patriotic no more. The republican form of govment is crumblin an she's goin to fall. Dog it all, I beat the daylight out of a regular United States senator wunst, an here I am on the broad of my back with two ribs broke by a emissary of despotism! The game's over, an the U. S. of Aruericky ain't got a chip to cash in."

The speaker of the house of representatives went up that way to hunt afterward, but when somebody suggested to the desert claimant that there was an excellent chance to give greatness a fitting pugilistic reception he said it was no use. He would very likely whip the statesman, but what would be the good? Since the young men of the country had got to prostituting their great talents to the service of foreign dynasties he felt that the country had gone to the dogs and that there would be no substantial joy even in blacking the eye of the president himself.—Chicago Record.

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Their songs, however, are all love songs and are only indulged in when there are female frogs about. It is then that the frog distends his drums to their utmost, throwing his head well back and his legs far apart and raising his voice, as it is called, to the very highest pitch of the musical scale.—Pearson's Weekly.

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## PERSONAL

City Clerk Mills was in Flint yesterday.

Earl Gasser, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his Ann Arbor friends.

Charles Goodwill, of Fourteenth St., has gone to Mt. Pleasant to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Janney, of S. State St., have moved to Dundee.

Miss Hmd, of B. Catherine St., has gone to Portland, Oregon, for a visit.

Miss Olivia Stevenson, of S. Fifth ave., has gone to Strathroy, Ont., to reside.

Mrs. G. B. Smith and daughter visited, her husband G. B. Smith over Soilday.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Murray was in Milan Sunday visiting his parents.

Prof. Hugh Brown, of the Pontiao sohools, spent Saturday with Ann Arbor friends.

A. E. Mummery was called to Battle Creek Wednesday night by the illness of his wife.

Robert Geiner, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his sisters, the Misses Gerner on E. Madison st.

Mrs. Luinda H. Stone, of Kalamazoo, has been visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carrie Stone.

Herbert Clark, of Chelsea, for several years a student of the high school, is in the city visiting old friends.

Judge E. D. Kinne and A. J. Sawyer attended the funeral of the late lodge Douglas in Detroit Tuesday.

W. F. Stimson left for Indianapolis, Ind., yesterday. From there he went south for a trip with a party of friends.

Will Martin, of Cheboygan, is visiting his uncle O. M. Martin, of this city. Mr. Martin is a successful lumberman in his home city.

3. William Kirk, mayor of Adrian and Captain James Holloway, of Co. B, attended the Light Infantry minstrel show Wednesday evening.

Mrs. S. W. Beakes left for Rahway, J. J., Wednesday night to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mr. Erskine L. Wait, who died Wednesday morning.

Miss Winifred E. Beman, of Kingslay St., entertained a few of her friends at luncheon last Saturday at 1 o'clock, in honor of Miss Lilian Cole, of New York city.

Chas. A. Goodnow, of Howell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jindar, jr. He returned home Monday accompanied by his wife who had been visiting here for the past two weeks.

Miss Ella Mooie, of Evanston, Ill., who has been spending the last two weeks with Mrs. Charles S. Millen left Monday for Detroit, where she will visit with friends before returning to her home.

## OBITUARY.

Eliza Blaok, a colored inmate of the county house, died Saturday morning aged 44 years.

Charlotte Behrens (Mrs. Robert Mantell) died at Port Huron Monday, after a lingering illness of several weeks' duration.

John Cunningham, of Dexter, died at the county house Monday night, aged 34 years. His remains were taken to Dexter for interment by relatives.

Joseph Hntzel died at his home 728 S. Main st, Sunday morning, of kidney trouble, aged 67 years. Funeral services were held at the house Tuesday afternoon, Rev. A. L. Nicklas officiating.

Joel Miner, who has been a resident of Ann Arbor since 1871, died at his home 526 Thompson St., on Tuesday night aged 90 years and 8 months. The funeral services will be held at the house this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Alziua Morton, a sister of Mrs. A. E. Sessions, of this city, died at her old home in Ypsilanti town Tuesday night. She was 70 years old on the day she died. Besides Mrs. Sessions she leaves two other sisters, Mrs. J. R. Holmes, with whom she lived, and Mrs. C. D. Pritchard, of Iowa.

John George Zwink, of Northfield, a prominent farmer of that town, died Saturday evening, of pneumonia. Deceased was born in Germany, but had been a resident of this county for a large number of years. Six children survive him, his wife having died a few months ago. He was 82 years of age. The funeral services, held at the Bethlehem church, Ann Arbor, Wednesday afternoon, were largely attended.

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## An Old Time Ticket.

John Boyoe, of Ypsilanti, who was for many years prominent in business in that city, was 79 years of age last October. He came to Michigan in July, 1836, and has lived in Ypsilanti for 34 years. He still has in his possession the Wayne county republican ticket for 1860, the first republican ticket he ever voted.

The ticket contains cuts of Lincoln and Johnson, and the names of Austin Blah for governor and James Birney, lieutenant governor; John M. Gregory, superintendent of sohools; Edwin Willis for member of board of education. The only survivor we recognize on the ticket is William P. Yerkes who is still living at Northville. The ticket furnishes an interesting study.—Ypsilanti.

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signature  
of  
Chas. H. Fletcher  
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every  
bottle.

## UNIVERSITY NOTES

The U. of M. Comedy Club will give its annual performance at the Athens Theater on the night of March 25.

The ladies of the Lansing Unity club have voted to levy a tax on the membership for the pledge to the O. of M. Ladies' gymnasium.

The Battle Creek Sanitarium has increased the fund of the woman's gym. by \$50 the result of an entertainment given for the purpose.

Ex-Congressman James O'Donnell, of Jackson, has been secured to act as presiding officer at the annual oratorical contest to be held here March 18.

"Count" Villa in a letter to a friend says that practicing medicine pays better than mining at the Klondike and he is now engaged in its practice.

The closing lecture in the Good Government Club's course will be given tomorrow night in University hall when the Hon. Robert M. LaFolletta, of Madison, Wis., will lecture on "Representative Government."

The girls of the '99 literary class will give an informal party to the gentlemen of the class tomorrow evening. They have secured the Barbour gymnasium and are arranging elaborate plans, promising to make it one of the events of the season.

Prof. Charles M. Gayley, of the University of California, formerly of the U. of M., has recently had distinguished honor conferred on him by Oxford University, England. Represented by Lincoln College, it has conferred on Prof. Gayley the degree of honorary fellow.

## WOMEN'S CHARITABLE UNION

It Has Done Much Good Work the Past Year.

At the annual meeting of the Charitable Union the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. M. L. D'Ooge.  
1st vice-president, Mrs. Steele.  
2nd " " Miss M. S. Brown.  
Secretary, Mrs. B. A. Finney.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Anna B. Bach.

The ward committees were appointed as follows:

1st ward, Miss C. Sager, Mrs. Morris.  
2nd " Mrs. Bach, Miss Roys.  
3rd " Mrs. Wetraore, Mrs. Booth.  
4th " Mrs. Parker, Miss Hennig, Mrs. Seabolt, Mrs. R. A. Beal.  
5th " Mrs. Ramsdell, Miss Brown, Mrs. Seabolt.  
6th " Mrs. Morris, Miss Sager.  
7th " Mrs. Finney, Mrs. Lane.

One dollar per year constitutes membership and may be handed to any of the ward committees.

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer for the past year are as follows:

## SECRETARY'S REPORT.

The Woman's Charitable Union of Ann Arbor has reached its thirtieth annual meeting.

During the past year the average attendance at the monthly meetings has been ten.

The ward committees have made eighty-one visits and have assisted between twenty-five and thirty families. They have rendered assistance one hundred and seven times. Donation of second hand clothing have been received and distributed valued at \$56.75. Xew clothing from the Sewing School valued at \$5.00 has also been given out. The "pound" donation at Mrs. Parker's at Thanksgiving brought in groceries and vegetables valued at \$18.36. These were added to Christmas by the Presbyterian and Disciple Sunday School donations valued at \$15.00 and \$10.00 respectively, making altogether, a good reserve to draw upon for the winter months. The money coming from the Thanksgiving union services and St. Andrew's church, and from the Presbyterian Sunday School at Christmas, also gifts from Mr. C. A. Maynard, Mrs. R. Beal, Mr. Horace Purfield and others have made it possible to give all necessary aid. The committees give no assistance without thorough investigation, consulting with Mr. Siple, Supt. of the Poor, when in doubt. The work of the committees cannot show by the monthly reports all the work done. The figures, as far as actual work is concerned, might be doubled and would then be more nearly correct. If there could be a committee of one or more for each needy family, not to supply wants alone, but in some way to teach them how to get along more successfully, we would feel that we were accomplishing some permanent good. If we could, as has been suggested by some of our members, have work ready for those who are out of employment it would simplify matters somewhat. We have not the means to start a laundry, or any other single industry for that matter, but we might have an employment bureau for our poor people without much expense. If citizens understood that we had people whose families were suffering for the want of work they would, probably give any work they might have to us for them.

One year ago there was talk of a Federation of Charities, and later it was thought the Needle Work Guild and Charitable Union might unite. At a meeting of the Needle Work Guild, to which members of the Charitable Union were asked to be present, it was decided that the two organizations, each having its own work to do, should remain separate. On invitation of the Needle

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Work Guild the Charitable Union appointed a committee to work with the Needle Work Guild's committee in the distribution of garments.

The more memberships, one dollar per year constituting membership, and the more clothing given for distribution, in other words, the more support given to the Charitable Union the more work can be done by the various ward committees, and the less, they will be hampered in their work.

We extend thanks to the city newspapers for their continued courtesy in printing our notices and yearly reports and to all who have helped us in any way to make the unfortunate more comfortable.

IDA C. FINNEY, Sec'y.

## TREASURER REPORT.

	March 8, 1898
March 5, 1897. Bal. in Treas.	\$56.32
Membership dues	29.00
Thanksgiving col.	29.12
From St. Andrew's church	11.94
Pres. Sunday School	4.32
Mr. Horace Purfield	5.00
" C. A. Maynard	10.00
" Martin Haller	2.00
Mrs. R. A. Beal	8.00
	\$152.70

Paid ward committees.	
" First ward	\$12.50
" Second "	37.85
" Third "	6.53
" Fourth "	28.00
" Fifth "	15.55
" Sixth "	1.00
" Sewing School	5.00
	\$106.43

	March 3. Bal.
	46.27
	\$152.70

ANNA B. BACH, Treas.

## The New York Latin Quarter.

Eastward from quaint old Greenwich lies Washington square, whose vicinage, together with a devious and doubtfully defined district bisected by Broadway and reaching irregularly eastward and northward as far as Stuyvesant square, has sometimes been styled the "Latin quarter" of New York. Within this region a few of the pioneer American authors, many of those who belonged to what John Burroughs calls our "second crop," and a still larger number of authors who "have not yet the advantage of being dead," have or have had home or haunt.

Washington square has itself given title to a tale by Henry James of New York life. At No. 2] of the adjacent Washington place that subtly realistic novelist was born, and his father, "the Beer," wrote some of his metaphysical treatises. We may be sure that the school kept by "a broad bosomed, broad based old lady" with a ferrule, "of which young James had knowledge, was not far distant, and if we sit of a summer evening with Howells' "Marches" among the old trees of the square we see just north of it the "wide fronted house with a big balcony before its drawing room windows" and with steps and trimmings of white marble in which dwelt the Dr. Sloper of James' tale with his dull daughter and her plotting aunt. Another marble and brick dwelling of the same row is that from which Kitty, the heroine of one of Brunner's merry "Ballads of the Town," disappeared to go "summering" in a studio building on the other side of the square. Here, inut N. P. Willis suffered a flagellati\*!! from Edwin Forrest, provoked by the poet's conduct and criticisms in relation to the latter's divorce litigation.—Lippincott's.

For a long time religious incantations formed the only method of treating disease. Litanies were chanted while remedies were applied. In Egypt pharmacy was practiced at an early date.

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## AN ORDINANCE

To Repeal an Ordinance Entitled, "An Ordinance Relative to the Governing and Controlling of the Cemetery in the Fifth Ward" Passed June 7th, 1875.

The Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor Ordain:

Section 1. That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Relative to the Governing and Controlling of the Cemetery in the Fifth Ward" passed June 7th, 1875, be and the same is hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after legal publication.

Passed in Common Council this 7th day of March, 1898.

GLEN V. MILLS,

City Clerk.

Approved this 9th day of March, 1898.

CHAS. E. HISCOCK,

Mayor.

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