

UNIQUE AND COSTLY

Is Stearns' Great Gift to the University.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Upon Which a Fortune and 15 Years Were Spent.

The Famous Collection Traces the Development of Music From Pre-historic Times.—It Will Take Up One-Sixth of the Museum.

One-sixth of the university museum will be given up to one of the most valuable gifts the university has ever received. The announcement of this gift has just been made, although it has been known by a few that the gift was in contemplation. The donor is Frederick Stearns, of Detroit, of whose generosity the university has had evidence many times before. This time, however, Mr. Stearns has far surpassed anything he has done in the past by deciding to give to the university his famous collection of musical instruments, the most interesting and, in some respects, the most valuable one of its kind in the country. The collection contains about 1,000 rare musical instruments, and Mr. Stearns has spent 15 years and a vast amount of money in getting it together.

The matter was discussed in the last executive session of the board of regents but has been kept quiet. At that meeting the board agreed to set aside one-half the third floor of the museum for the housing of the collection the other half to be occupied by the Chinese exhibit. Mr. Stearns was out here recently and made a careful examination of the museum building. He found it perfectly fire-proof and expressed himself as fully satisfied with the arrangements made for taking care of the collection here. An expert in fitting up museums accompanied him and drew up plans for properly equipping with cases of the most approved style that portion of the museum which will be devoted to the display of the collection. The work of fitting up the museum will be begun at once and Mr. Stearns has kindly assumed the expense of the cases, making his gift a complete one. Mr. Stearns has compiled and will have printed an exhaustive descriptive catalogue of the collection, which will in itself be a valuable addition to musical literature. The catalogue will be printed with the university's stamp and will be a beautiful volume typographically. In addition to the reading matter, it will contain 100 full page illustrations, made from photographs of those instruments which are of special interest making a volume of 400 or 500 pages. It will be placed on sale.

It is almost impossible to estimate accurately the value of Mr. Stearns' unique collection for the reason that many of the instruments are priceless and could not be duplicated anywhere in the world. During his tour of the world Mr. Stearns picked up old instruments in out of the way places where no one but an enthusiast would be looking for such things, and the fact that he has made the collection personally adds greatly to its value. Despite the time and money which has been spent in gathering together such a valuable musical museum, it is said that the greatest value consists in the fact that it represents in an almost unbroken series the evolution of the three kinds of instruments, percussion, wind and string, from prehistoric times down to the present day. In this respect no other similar collection can compare with it. The only one in this country which can rival it at all is that in the Metropolitan Museum in New York. The latter is larger but not so complete and does not show the evolution of the various kinds of instruments. The Steinhart collection, at New Haven, illustrates only the changes which have taken place in the piano and violin.

In point of interest there is probably no collection anywhere on the campus which will be so generally interesting to the citizens of Ann Arbor and visitors to the city. Many of the instruments have a most entertaining history and can be seen only here. For example, the collection contains the machinery of the famous automatic clarinet player, which formerly was exhibited at Barnum's museum, but which was partially destroyed when that museum was burned up. The mechanical details of this instrument are so complicated that it is estimated that it would take a skilled mechanic three years to put it in working order. Then there is a temple drum from ancient India and scores of old instruments which will delight the curious hunter.

The collection will be of great practical value to the university in connection with the work done under Prof. A. A. Stanley in the department of music. Especially is this so in the course in the history of music, where the use of such a collection will afford facilities for study and research such as can be found in no other institution in the country. The School of Music will likewise be benefited, and on all sides

it is a source of congratulation that the university has been fortunate enough to secure so valuable a gift.

ANN ARBOR BANKS.

Something About Them Told the Detroit Business Men.

Jos. Greisel, better known as Yusef, accompanied the Detroit business men on their visit here Monday and thus describes it:

Two hours was given to Ann Arbor. It was hardly sufficient, but the time was well improved. The delegation of bankers visited the banks and learned of the wealth of Washtenaw county, which stands next after the counties of Wayne, Kent, Saginaw and Houghton. They discovered, too, that the presence of some 4,000 students has an important bearing on the prosperity of a town, while the accounts of students are not, of themselves, a source of profit. They learned that the electric line or railway from Detroit to Ann Arbor is doing a profitable business and has a future that looks promising.

They discussed telephones and the business of the state companies. The fact was elicited that there are few farm mortgages held by banks. It appears that the farmers themselves take their funds from the savings banks, where they receive 3 per cent interest, and make loans to their neighbors at 4 or 5 per cent. It was also found that one of the banks has a fine numismatic collection of American silver, going back to 1805 and the "dollar of our daddies;" also, wildcat bank bills of various denominations, dating from the flush times of 1837. One of these bills, a \$20 of the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad bank at Adrian, has an engraved marine scene, showing, among other types of vessels of that period, one of the Walk-in-the-Water, the first steamer on the great lakes.

A FINE NEW CHURCH.

Is to Be Built at Once on the North Side.

The good people of the Fifth ward have long had in view the building of a new church, which should be un denominational in its character, to be used by clergymen of all denominations and which could be supported by the people, of every denomination, living on the Northside. The lot has been bought and paid for and the foundation built and also paid for. A church meeting was held Tuesday evening at which a resolution was passed that the society should proceed at once to erect the frame and enclose the building. The new church is to cost complete about \$4,000 and is located on the lot purchased by the society on Broadway next to the residence of N. S. Garlinghouse.

During the past year, the ladies of the society have cleared a trifle over \$1,000 by their entertainments and express their grateful appreciation of the kindness of the public. The treasurer's report read at the meeting showed a balance of a little over \$300 in the treasury, with the lot and the foundation paid for.

It is expected to have the new building enclosed so that it can be used by next April.

In recognition of the efforts of the ladies in raising money and possibly also with the idea that church and politics didn't mix too well, Mrs. Winslow and Miss Ida Johnson were elected trustees in place of Ald. Geo. W. Weeks and Ald. George Spathelf. Henry Keedle and J. Gross were elected trustees for three years in place of Sid M. Bangs and ex-Ald. Gilbert Rhodes.

It's an Old Question.

Apropos of the Dean-Sutton contest for the position of regent now held by Col. Dean a tale from the past may not be uninteresting. During the celebrated Rose-Douglas fight the board of regents was sharply divided. An appointment by a governor gave the Rose party a majority of the regents. A general election was approaching and if an election could be held a regent of the opposite views might be elected and the dominant faction of the regents would then be in the minority. It was under these circumstances that a meeting was held at the house of a professor since deceased, for consultation. The constitutional question was gone over and Judge Cooley and Governor Felch were asked for their opinions. They carefully considered the matter and decided that the governor's appointee held for the unexpired term and nothing was done about electing a regent at the then coming election. This decision was against the wishes of those who rendered it and indicates clearly the one-sidedness of the constitutional provision.

A Graduate Drowned.

George Klingler, '95, was drowned Sunday while walking on the ice on Fall Creek, near the university campus, at Ithaca, N. Y. The coroner decided that an inquest was unnecessary, as the drowning was evidently accidental. Mr. Klingler was a graduate of Michigan and Cornell universities and the Illinois State Normal school, also of Leipsic University, Germany, where he completed in June a three years' course in pedagogy. He was a prominent candidate for the professorship in pedagogy at the University of Missouri. He pursued special work while here. His home was near Joliet, Ill.

HERMIT J. RICHARDS

The Murdered Farmer of Superior.

HIS EARLY LIFE IS TOLD By a Nephew Visiting in the City Yesterday.

He Was a Prosperous Contractor at One Time—His Estate is Now Settled, the Daughter Getting One-Fifth of It.

The estate of James Richards, whose tragic death startled this community, Feb. 1, 1897, has been amicably settled by the several heirs, the most of whom reside in England. The basis of settlement is that four-fifths of the estate which consists of \$1,100 and 80 acres of land in the township of Superior goes to the brother and sister of the deceased and the remaining one-fifth to his illegitimate daughter. Mr. Joseph Applin, of Philadelphia, whose mother is a sister of Mr. Richards, arrived here yesterday and after looking over the ground carefully with his attorney, M. J. Cavanaugh sanctioned this settlement.

Mr. Applin, who is the manager of a large manufacturing concern in Philadelphia, gave an Argus representative some very interesting reminiscences of James Richards. Mr. Richards was in early life a railroad contractor. In company with a civil engineer, he enjoyed some very lucrative contracts during the building of the great English roads. Trouble with the mother of the daughter who is now a claimant for his estate induced him to leave the old country and he followed his friend the civil engineer to America, where they pursued the arrangement which had worked so satisfactorily in the old country on one of the Pennsylvania roads—the one employed as an engineer, the other as a contractor securing valuable contracts through the engineer. After a time the civil engineer returned to England and Richards drifted to Ann Arbor. Richards was out of joint with his family in England and very rarely communicated with them. Many letters from them were never answered. During the winter that Mr. Richards was killed, Mr. Applin was in England and promised his people there to go to Michigan and look the old man up. It was their intention if Richards was in need to induce him to return to England where they could take care of him. It was some time after his return from England before Mr. Applin could arrange his business to make the trip to Ann Arbor and before he had done so the information came through his relatives in England that Richards had been murdered.

The woman who was the mother of Richards' daughter married another man shortly after he came to America and that fact may have had much to do with the old man's evident desire to avoid all intercourse with the friends of his earlier years. Mr. Applin returned to Philadelphia today.

A GOOD LIFT.

The Y. M. C. A. Made \$926.97 by Their Fair.

The net amount realized by the Y. M. C. A. at their fair was \$926.97. The boys feel very much gratified at the result and desire to express their appreciation of the kindness shown by all who gave so liberally of their time, services and goods; also to the newspapers whose very generous notices contributed in large degree to the success of the fair.

The young men now have a building site, free of any incumbrance, and a very nice nest egg for their building fund. We are sure every good citizen wishes their building were now erected.

Praise for Miss Clara Jacobs.

The Sunday Free Press contains a portrait of Miss Clara Jacobs and the following commendatory notice:

"Miss Clara Joe Jacobs is a late addition to Detroit's enviable list of songsters. She is the daughter of Joe T. Jacobs, for many years one of the most prominent and highly respected citizens of Ann Arbor. When but a child Miss Jacobs created a sensation in Ann Arbor musical circles by the discovery of a voice of exceptional volume and beauty. Since then it has been carefully trained by Mr. Lamson, of the University School of Music. In September she came, with the family, to live in Detroit and holds the position of contralto singer in the quartet of the Trumbull ave. Presbyterian church."

Stearns on Moran's Answer.

This is the way the Adrian Press looks at it in its last issue:

"Moran, of the Ann Arbor Register, who has been sued for \$10,000 damage, by Sheriff Judson for libel, has put in his plea: 1st. That he never said it. 2d. That Judson said it himself. 3d. That when Moran said it, he thought it was true. 4th. That though he didn't say it, he had a right to say it for the public good. 5th. That what he said, he didn't say, and it was no harm to Judson anyway, because it didn't charge him with any crime. 6th. That Judson never gave Moran any notice to retract what he did say."

SIX HOURS IN THE SNOW.

Thomas Burke Lay With a Badly Broken Leg.

For six hours Tuesday night Thomas Burke, a young Northfield farmer, lay in the snow alongside the Ann Arbor road with a broken leg. He had taken the 4:46 train in this city and stepped out on the rear platform. The platform was slippery and he fell off the train. He lay where he fell in Hagan's cut about three miles north of the city, being unable to move on account of a badly broken leg and other injuries, until after 11 o'clock, when he was discovered by the yard engineer of the Ann Arbor road who was, with his engine, helping a heavily loaded freight train over the up-grade. The switch engine brought him to this city and Georg R. Haviland with Martin's ambulance took him to the university hospital, where he is being treated. His leg was badly fractured just below the knee. Mr. Burke is the son of the late Anthony Burke. His experience in the long six hours he lay in the snow was a particularly hard one. His absence on the passenger train was not noticed.

SLAPPING IN THE STREET.

A Feminine Scrap on Main Street by Daylight.

Feminine scrapping was witnessed on Main st., in front of the Times office Wednesday. Our older sister wasn't in it, however. It was just a family row and Mrs. Lohrke, of First st., was trying to induce her daughter, who has been living with Mrs. Leonard, above the opera house, to go home with her. The girl didn't want to go and the mother seized her by the arm. Several slaps were indulged in and another woman appeared on the scene in her stocking feet, and took a hand in the matter. Bystanders interfered and the party adjourned into the rooms upstairs in the opera house. Mrs. Lohrke went home without the daughter.

Sold the Rig in Milan.

A dispatch from Belleville tells of the arrest of an Ohio horse thief at that place, who disposed of the stolen property in Milan. John Lane, aged 18, of Lorain, O., was arrested in Belleville last evening by Constable Coleman on the charge of stealing a horse and buggy at North Adamshurst, O. Coleman, it appears, drove the rig to Milan, where it was sold. Then he went to Belleville where he was staying with his uncle when arrested. He says he will go back to Ohio in the morning with the officers without requisition papers. A reward of \$100 was offered by the owner of the rig for the arrest of the thief and its return. Constable Coleman went to Milan last evening to look up the rig. Lane has been in trouble before. About a year ago he was convicted of stealing a sum of money from a Belleville citizen and served a term in the Detroit house of correction.

In Memory of Haskel Laraway.

Haskel Laraway was born Oct. 31, 1822, in the state of New York, and departed this life Nov. 21, 1898, aged 76 years and 21 days. He came to Michigan in 1829. In 1850 he went across the plains to California, and remained in the gold fields about four years, returning to Michigan in 1854. Feb. 17, 1856, he was married to Sylvia J. Leland, settling in Salem township. Five children blessed this union; three daughters and two sons. Of these two sons only survive their father. In 1865 he moved with his family to their present residence, where he resided 33 years. Three brothers and three sister of the deceased survive, to mourn with his family and many friends, the kindly neighbor, the loyal brother, and loving husband and father. As an intelligent citizen, as a man of sterling honesty, conscientious and scrupulous beyond the average, Mr. Laraway was widely known and esteemed. He was a man of few words, yet with kindly instincts that found expression in practical deeds of kindness. As a familiar figure in this community for so many years he will be greatly missed.

Elected by a Recount of Votes.

The recount in Lenawee county for the office of county clerk was finished yesterday afternoon and John Gahagan, the democratic candidate for county clerk gets the certificate of election. On the face of the returns Fred B. Kline, the republican candidate, had 22 majority. The recount shows that Gahagan has 15 majority. The difference was made by the finding of tickets split for Gahagan, which had been counted as republican straight. It may be put down as a general rule that on a recount, where no intentional fraud had been committed on the original count, the candidate who is running a head of his ticket will be the gainer. And this for the reason that as his name was on more tickets of the opposite party, there is more liability of a greater number of split tickets with his name on being found counted as straight tickets than there is with his opponent's name on. This was the case in the recount on county clerk in Washtenaw two years ago. Mr. Dansingburg asked for a recount, only to find that the recount increased Capt. Schuh's majority. Capt. Schuh, it will be remembered, ran ahead of his ticket.

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Jackets and Capes for Ladies.

Reefers and Jackets for Misses and Children.



Buying Cloaks by the hundred means more than money-saving to our customers. It means the greatest in variety and the best in fashion. 300 Sample Garments from M. T. Silver & Co. and H. Black & Co. at about 50c on the dollar. These firms stand in the front rank of Cloak Manufacturers. Every one of these garments made within the past month. Don't think of buying a Jacket, Plush or Cloth Cape, Misses' or Children's Reefer or Jacket until you see our

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Plush Capes Full Size and Sweep, Extra Quality Plush, Beaded, Jetted and Fur Trimmed, Splendidly Lined and Finished, a \$10 Cape for **\$5.95.**

Silk Sale 300 yards Fancy Novelty Silks cut into Waist Patterns of 4 yards each, the \$1.00 quality for **\$2.98** a pattern.

Fur Collarettes Hundreds sold during the past month. We show the Largest Assortment in Ann Arbor and make the Lowest Prices.

25 Dozen Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, Ree, Pink, Blue and Grey, at **89 CTS.**

Flannelette Nightgowns

A Big Selection of Ladies' Nightgowns, made very fall in heavy good quality Flannelette, at **50c** and **75c.**

SCHAIRER & MILLEN

The Busy Store.

The little god of love turns away from a sickly, sorrowful, nervous, head-ache, back-ache, lifeless woman. Every woman should have the beauty, vivacity, and vigor of perfect health. The bright glow of health, bright eyes, clear skin, red lips are more attractive than any mere regularity of feature. A woman can't change the shape of her features but a woman may have the beauty of health. No healthy woman can be ugly. No sickly woman can be beautiful.

Regularity of the functions of the distinctly feminine organism is the first essential to womanly happiness, comfort and beauty. Miss Laura Brooks, of Clinch, Hancock Co., Tenn., writes: "I thank God for such remedies as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' for myself and friends honestly believe that had it not been for these wonderful medicines I would to-day be in my grave. I am sure that I could not have lived many days in the condition I was in at the time I first consulted you. I was only praying to die and be free from pain. I was simply a shadow and we had tried almost everything, when, through a friend, I was advised to write to you, which I did, thinking all the while that it was only foolishness to think that such a case as mine could be cured. But I do not think so today. After the first week's treatment just as you prescribed, I felt like another woman and I hardly believed that such could be, when the first period was passed without pain. I continued the treatment until I had used about seven bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and some of the 'Discovery' and now I am a well woman. I would have given any amount, if I had it, just for the relief it has already given me—rest from pain. I never know when the periods are coming on now, as I am free from pain, and during the time I feel just as well as at any time, and am never confined to my room as I once was. I can eat anything I want and can work at any kind of work—something I could never do till this summer. Everybody who knows me thinks it wonderful that I am not sick any more. I thank God for this friend of woman, this blessed 'Favorite Prescription.' The very name sounds sweet to me. I am causing many of my friends to use it and all are improving. I can never tell you how I thank you, dear Doctor, for your kind advice and good, fatherly letters to me."

Village Happenings

Milan.

Mrs. Preston has returned from her Burr Oak visit.

Miss Briggs spent last week in Saline visiting friends.

Dr. Mesie, who has been seriously ill, is able to be out again.

The Belleville theatrical troupe drew a full house Saturday night.

Frank Jones, of Ann Arbor, made Milan a business call Monday.

Mrs. G. R. Williams entertained guests at tea Saturday evening.

Dr. Comely, of Detroit, preached at the Baptist church Saturday night.

Mrs. Geo. Stinson and Miss Reeves, of the Ridge, spent Monday in Milan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelsey are entertaining guests from Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Giffard, of Detroit, are visiting Milan friends this week.

Miss Leera Dexter was the victim of a pleasant surprise party Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Housman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Housman, of Maybee, the last of the week.

Miss Lelia Kelly entertained W. Seavey, of Fort Wayne, Ind., Thanksgiving and over Sunday.

The show windows in the different business houses remind us that the holidays are near at hand.

Miss Ayes entertained Miss Carrick, Messrs. Steidle and Chapin at her home in Adrian Thanksgiving week.

Mrs. Ostrander and children, of Monroe city, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wisdom, of County street.

Mrs. Homer Sill returned Saturday from Ann Arbor where she had been to see her mother, who is at the U. of M. hospital.

Messrs. Geo. Taylor and Chas. Davis have the contract for rebuilding Miss N. Simpson's house that was so badly damaged by fire a few weeks ago.

Milan is to have a new hardware store. Palmer & Palmer are proprietors. They are moving their goods into one of H. J. Ford's stores on Main st.

The young people of the M. E. church indulged in a Thanksgiving experience social at the residence of Mrs. Alex. Smith on First st. They cleared \$21 and had a jolly time.

Sharon.

Will Merriman is building a tool house.

Miss Anna Uphaus is staying in Grass Lake.

A. J. Austin, of Norvell, was in town last week.

Miss Nettie Gillett, of the Normal, has been visiting her mother.

Miss Florence Poucher, of the Normal, has been calling in town.

Miss Edna Jones has improved from her illness so as to be out again.

Bertha Landwehr and Mertie Kuhl attend German school at Manchester.

Miss Lizzie Nestell of Manchester, spent several days at Charles Pardee's last week.

Horatio Burch returned to Boston on Monday to resume work on board the Brooklyn.

Burt Fellows, of N. Dakota, and Mrs. Fred Parmenter, of Elkhart, Ind., spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Fellows.

A large force of men are at work in the woods on what was formerly the Bullard farm. All the large timber is being cut into railroad ties and lumber, and the small trees are made into cord wood. A portable saw-mill is in operation there.

The marriage of Mr. Will Uphaus, of this township, and Miss Lena Trolz, of Manchester, took place at the residence of the brides' parents last Wednesday. A large number of the friends and relatives of the happy couple assembled to wish them success and happiness upon the voyage of life. The presents were both numerous and costly.

Whitmore Lake.

Highway Commissioner Zeeb was in town today laying out a new street.

Parties from Fenton were looking over the Clifton house property today with a view of buying.

Frank Spiegleburg's house is in course of construction and will be completed for him to occupy by Christmas.

Evangelists Coffin and Emmerick are holding revival meetings at the M. E. church this week and so far have 6 or 7 converts.

The new ice company have just completed a side track around the lake shore where they will load ice direct on the cars from the lake.

Married, by Father Goldrick, on Wednesday, at St. Patrick's parsonage, Walter Spiegelberg and Miss Minnie McHugh, all of Northfield.

The Woodmen dance on Thanksgiving night at the Clifton house was a hummer, there being 87 couples on the floor. Financially the lodge is \$25 better off.

Frank Lemon met with a very painful accident on Sunday evening. He fell from a straw stack about five feet from the ground and lit on a cobble stone which was covered with straw, dislocating his ankle. Dr. Lemon, his brother, reduced the fracture.

Mrs. Ida R. Holmes and Pray Bros. have given deeds to the township for land for a highway from the Whitmore Lake and Ann Arbor road, 26 rods east to the cheese factory plant. All the preliminaries having been arranged, Mr. Robins will now push the factory to completion.

James Nesbit returned from his hunting trip up north Saturday, and has three fine deer to show, one of which weighs over 200 pounds. James is as modest as a school girl over it. Most hunters would burst the whole vocabulary of English adjectives blowing about it if they had only shot one deer.

Willis.

Bells, bells, bells, wedding bells in the near future.

Mr. Walter Robins was presented with a 12 pound girl.

Miss Jessie Greenman is visiting her sister Mrs. Britz, at Durand.

The social held east of Oakville at Jerome Smith's was a success.

Geo. N. Hammond finished raising his new barn Monday afternoon.

R. F. Walters is gaining slowly. He was threatened with typhoid fever.

A box social was held on Wednesday evening at the home of William Webster.

Mug Ely was just recovering from a tussle with typhoid fever, and now has inflammation of the lungs.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hammond are visiting near Grand Rapids, and expect to visit Webberville where Mr. Hammond has a sister living.

George Bethel, formerly agent of the Wabash railroad at Willis, has been gone from home six weeks visiting old friends in Ohio. We hope his health will permit him to attend his business at the depot again.

Don't forget that there will be a fair, Dec. 20, at the Maccabee hall at Whitaker's Corners, for the benefit of the L. O. T. M. Afternoon and evening. Come and buy some little keep sake or comfortable and many useful things.

Pittsfield.

Miss Alice Begle has returned from her visit at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. McRoberts, of London, Ont., have been the guests of Mr. McRobert's sisters, Mrs. Frank Begole and Mrs. Edward Edy.

A few of the young people of Ypsilanti enjoyed a trolly party to Detroit Saturday, Dan Ellsworth being a member of the company.

The O. N. O. Club spent a very enjoyable evening with the Misses Carpenter at their home. Saturday evening, Dec. 10, Mr. George Ellsworth will entertain the club.

A DIGNIFIED JUSTICE

Holding Terms of Court De-sired in Ann Arbor.

WITH A NEW JURY SYSTEM

Which Would Secure Competent Juries in All Cases.

One Justice Court Proposed With a Monthly Jury Session, the Panel Being Composed of 14 Men, Two Drawn From Each Ward.

It is a well known fact to those conversant with the administration of justice, that justice court practice in civil matters is not what it ought to be. And this is largely the fault of the system rather than of the justices. Under the present system it is next to impossible to secure a competent jury. No business man will consent to sit upon a justice court jury for \$1 a day and few justices care to take the step necessary to compel their attendance. As a consequence justice court juries are almost invariably drawn from a class of men whose verdict does not carry the weight of conscientious decision and litigants are rarely satisfied with the outcome of a justice court trial. Justice court trials have therefore been, in many instances, merely an expensive preliminary for getting the small cases into the county circuit court.

It is believed by most of the attorneys of this city that justice court practice can be so reformed in this city that cases within the jurisdiction of a justice of the peace can be satisfactorily determined without appeal to the circuit court.

With this end in view the city attorney has prepared the outlines of a bill amending the charter of this city with respect to justice courts which it is believed will purify the atmosphere of the justice court room and raise the dignity and the efficiency of that court.

The salient features of the proposed law are as follows: To limit the number of justices in the city to one, who shall be an attorney in good standing and whose term shall be the same as now provided by law, viz: four years. The object of this is to create an office with a sufficient income to induce competent men to accept it. This justice shall hold a term for jury trials of civil cases on the first Monday in each month. The jury for those terms is to be provided as follows: The supervisor of each ward in the city shall on the first Monday in July of each year return a list of 40 freeholders of his ward who are qualified to sit as jurors in courts of record to the city clerk. These names are to be kept by the clerk in separate envelopes for each ward. On the Wednesday preceding the first Monday in each month the city clerk, justice of the peace and chief of police shall draw from each package two names and the 14 names thus drawn shall constitute the jury for the following Monday and shall be summoned and serve that day and each day following until discharged for the term and shall receive as compensation for their service \$2 per day, to be paid by the city treasurer on the order of the justice and the city clerk.

When issue is joined in a civil case and the parties thereto shall demand a jury they shall deposit with the justice a fee of \$6 or the jury shall be considered waived. When a jury is demanded the case shall stand for hearing on the first Monday in the following month. On that day any party having demanded a jury shall be privileged to waive it and receive his deposit back. All jury fees are to be paid to the city treasurer by the justice of the peace. The panel for this jury is to be drawn in the same manner as that employed in drawing jurors for the circuit court. It will be seen that this proposed bill provides: 1. A competent man for the office of justice. 2. A salary which will insure a competent man accepting the position. 3. A regular and qualified jury. 4. Stated days in each month on which jury trials will be heard.

It is believed by the lawyers that this will do away with the necessity of

going to the circuit court with cases which are now within the jurisdiction of the justice of the peace and that it will raise the dignity of the justice court.

TO CORRECT SPELLING.

The Adrian Press on Prof. George's Spelling Reform.

The Adrian Press says: "Prof. Austin George, of the Ypsilanti schools, is making a heroic effort to carry spelling reforms, to get English spelled as she is, when pronounced. This is carrying out the suggestions of the national educational association and the professor is after those words that have a surplus of letters for a sound. He proposes that it shall be program not programme. 'Catalogue' is to be catalog. He's no hogue for letters. Then we 'ough' is simply 'o,' he wants it that way, and it is altho not altho. It is ruf, not rough. It is duf not dough, and tough is to be tow. Through is thru, and threy is throw in the past, but is not the same kind of threw, as is thru. Doughnut will be donut, whether twisted into a figure ate, or encircling a rond hole, and ate with coffee. But professor when we lough off these extra letters, we are in the slough of despond to know just what to do, so we can get the right sound. 'To' is 2, so is two and too. If dough is 'deo,' why isn't tough 'to?' If this 'do' is dow or doe, then when the winds sough what do they do? It begins to give us the phthisic to exemplify the reform. Phthis a fact."

Two Hunters Returned.

Oscar Luick returned last night from a three weeks' hunting trip in Midland county bringing with him two deer, one wild cat skin and a set of popalst whiskers.

Geo. Apfel returned at 11 a. m. yesterday from the wilds of Pittsfield where he went earlier in the day on a hunting excursion bringing with him a trophy of the trip a single bird which the hunter supposed to be a wild pigeon but which experts at once pronounced to be a tame dove. Mr. Apfel was armed on his perilous excursion with Krupp guns and a post mortem of the bird that he killed revealed four pounds of lead. The number of shots necessary to bring down the game and the range are matters upon which no authentic information can be obtained.

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CARDS AND DANCING

The Attitude of the Church Towards Them.

JUDGE NEWKIRK'S VIEWS

The Abuse, Not the Use, to Be Condemned.

His Views Are Opposed by Some of the Congregationalists and Approved by Others.—Excellent Discussion at the Business Men's Class.

The topic for discussion before the Business Men's Class at the Congregational church last Sunday was "What position should the Christian church occupy with regard to card playing and dancing?" Judge H. Wirt Newkirk led the interesting discussion. The judge said that he realized that he was treading on dangerous ground and doubtless many would be shocked at what he would say. His sentiments must necessarily be his own personal views on the question and would not perhaps be his ideas if he were the pastor of a Christian church. Custom permits church members to do many things the pastor of the church cannot do. People would think it all right to see a church member playing cards, but would be shocked to see the minister taking a hand. Many cannot afford a horse and carriage to go out for a Sunday drive so go for a bicycle ride instead, but custom will not permit the minister to do so. Even people who drive on Sunday do not think it right to ride a bicycle. Yet both are for the same purpose, innocent pleasure. He who leads must be in advance of his followers, and precedent has established this with reference to the pastor and the church members. The world and the churches are becoming more liberal, and the pastors of the churches must act as drag anchors or balance wheels to prevent the members from becoming too liberal.

Dancing is not of itself sinful or objectionable and in the abstract is not to be condemned by the church. Private dances conducted with proper decorum, where the waltz and quadrille are engaged in are innocent and entirely permissible and the misconduct of some who indulge in the amusement should not act to the detriment of all. Public balls he did not commend, as the circumstances under which such are usually held, the mixed company and late hours make them a doubtful school of instruction for young people. The Episcopal church recognizes dancing as a legitimate form of amusement for its young people, and when he has passed the Hobart Guild house and heard the pleasing music, the gleeful laughter and seen the graceful movement of the young people gathered there he did not see that there was any harm in it whatever. Suppose that in the rooms below this church at some time a dancing party for the young people was given and a collection taken up, would not the money so gained be just as clean as that derived from a social and musical entertainment? In the one case the young people would have had a pleasant evening, in the other the older folks would have enjoyed themselves.

So with card playing. Cards are only bits of paste-board, no more harmful in themselves than the piece of paper he held in his hand. He would just as soon have a pack of cards on his library table as a set of authors. In the one you draw the cards which take the tricks that win you the game, in the other it completes the books which also wins the game. He had seen Webster's Dictionary used as a means for gambling. Dominoes and checkers were also used for gambling purposes, yet they were looked on as legitimate forms of amusement in Christian homes. In his father's house dominoes and checkers were allowed when he was a boy, but no cards; just because they were cards, and that settled it. If you deny cards because men gamble with them, all other forms of amusement can be likewise condemned. The violin is used in the room below to lead the hymn tunes, and the violin is used in the slums of the large cities to draw poor humanity into the spider's web of sin, yet the violin itself is not to be condemned. The church cannot say parlor croquet is harmless and the game of billiards sinful, for the difference between croquet and billiards is only in the name, both are played with balls, mallets and cushioned tables. Likewise it cannot say the game of authors is a proper game and a game of whist or euchre wrong. Nor an evening of innocent games and amusements right and dancing wrong. He would not leave his children in a room with unprotected grate fire and think they were protected from all danger by telling them it was harmful, nor give them poisoned candy and think they would be free from danger by simply telling them what it was. So if in card playing he should teach them to play poker and then tell them it was wrong and sinful, he should think he had done wrong. The church must preach against wrong doing; the people should be educated to the fact that gambling is wrong and then they will play cards without harm. The same with dancing, teach the young that public balls are wrong and they will avoid them.

Prof. H. M. Slauson opened the discussion by saying that the same logic would apply to intemperance and total abstinence. The churches are not supported by those who dance and play cards.

Mr. Midgely said church people will say you shall not play cards in my

house and so men who enjoy such a pastime are often driven to places where they must play for a stake in some shape or another in order to indulge in their favorite amusement. The prejudice against card playing is very peculiar.

Judge N. W. Cheever spoke of the horror with which the good people of the Congregational church looked at him when on one Sunday several years ago he skated to church because it was easier to get there that way than to walk. His father held that cards were instruments of gambling and warned him not to learn to play as he might be led away by them into bad company. He had never learned to play cards and he was glad of it. He looked on billiards in the same light. He then told of his experience at a clam bake in New England one Sunday, and asked to what extent shall this question of amusement be carried? We are neglecting the proprieties of time, person and place in these days. We have gone along way from the old Puritan form of keeping the Sabbath. He did not believe that the church should countenance dancing in its building.

Col. H. S. Dean, believed there was no harm in either dancing or card playing and told two good stories to illustrate his position.

Rev. E. Spence looked on both dancing and card playing as doubtful form of amusement and liable to lead to wrong doing. He illustrated his points by reminiscences from his experience as a city missionary.

A lady present thought that the main question of the position of the church with regard to these amusements had not been touched on at all. The church cannot depend on those that play cards and dance to help it in its objects. The object of the Christian church is to bring souls to God. The police court records of New York show that nine-tenth of the fallen women owe their ruin to the allurements of the dance hall and card room.

Rev. J. W. Bradshaw said it was a broad subject and they had hardly struck at the root yet. He coincided largely with what Judge Newkirk had said but he did not see why there should be two standards of morality, one for the minister and one for the people. He was only a member of the church. The question should be, "What is the Christian view of amusements that have no moral character in themselves?" Three points are evident. 1. A Christian has no right to do what his conscience tells him is wrong. 2. As a Christian he will not do what will lead others wrong. 3. He will not do what will bring the church into disrepute. He also corroborated the statement made by the lady that those who were wrapped up in amusement did but little for the church.

L. D. Carr and others also made brief remarks.

PASSED AWAY.

How a Detroit Man Cured Himself of Stone in the Bladder.

Detroit, Mich. Nov. 28.—The remarkable case of Robert A. Henry, of 350 Champlain street, has attracted a great deal of notice, and many persons have profited by his experience. Mr. Henry had stone in the bladder, and suffered great agony. How he was cured and made happy again he tells as follows:

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The Thirty-First Received Its Orders Yesterday.

The Thirty First Michigan received the following general order yesterday: Headquarters First Brigade, First Division, First Army Corps.

Commanding Officer, Thirty-first Michigan Volunteer Infantry. Sir: In accordance with telegraphic instructions from this division commander, your regiment will be held in readiness to join the brigade in Cuba as soon as water transportation can be arranged. You will please notify your command to take the necessary measures to carry this into effect. Very respectfully, Your obedient servant,

WILLIAM HANCOCK, Captain, Assistant Adjutant-General.

Dr. Angell's Address.

President Angell delivered a short address at the Congregational church Sunday on the attitude of the Turkish government towards American missions. He said that the Turks as a rule were very tolerant toward all other denominations, principally because they considered their religion superior to all others. They favor the American missionary and looked with favor upon the American people as a whole; one reason of it is that this is the only country which approaches Turkey with an aim to doing good. The missionaries do their work almost wholly among the Armenians, which causes no little amount of jealousy on the part of the Turks who thought the missionaries were encouraging the Armenians, while in fact the very opposite was the truth. He saw no statement on the part of the Turkish government rejecting missionaries.

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SPAIN YIELDS ALL TO THE UNITED STATES.

In Order to Conclude a Treaty of Peace—European Diplomats Bitterly Resent America's Acquisitions.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The joint peace commissions met promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the Spanish commissioners immediately announced the acceptance of the American demands. The Spanish acceptance was made verbally. A written acceptance will be presented later.

The Spanish commissioner announced that being authorized by their government to reply that the American propositions are inadmissible, and are not a proper compromise on legal principles, on the Spanish part all diplomatic resources are exhausted and the Spanish commission is now asked to accept or reject the propositions. Spain, inspired by reasons of patriotism and humanity, and to avoid the horrors of war, resigns herself to the power of the victor. She accepts the offered conditions in order to conclude a treaty of peace.

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Prof. Oscar LeSeure, who has been at Sternberg hospital, Chickamanga Park, as brigade surgeon, has resigned and will return to his work as a member of the homeopathic faculty of the University of Michigan. Being given his choice between promotion and going to Cuba, or resigning and returning to Ann Arbor, he preferred the latter.

While doing hospital duty Mr. LeSeure devised an apparatus for reducing the temperature in typhoid fever cases. It is an arrangement for giving an ice bath without removing the patient from the bed or getting the attendant or bed clothing wet. The apparatus consists principally of a large frame, similar to a picture frame, made of a cloth bag, 10 inches in diameter, stuffed with cotton. Besides the frame there is a large rubber blanket.

The cotton frame is placed over the patient as he lies in bed, and the rubber blanket over the frame, being pressed down inside the latter, so as to make a large rectangular basin with a rubber bottom. This can be adjusted over the patient so that the rubber bottom presses against any part of the body. Crushed ice is then heaped on the blanket, through which the cold passes readily to the patient. The water from the melting ice settles in the lowest places in the blanket and there remains. When the temperature of the patient has been sufficiently lowered the blanket with ice and water may be gathered up and removed without danger of spilling.

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Divorces in Washtenaw.

In Michigan in 1897, the total number of divorces granted was 1,656, of which 31 were granted in Washtenaw county. Our immediate neighbors show up in the dark record as follows: Wayne 200, Monroe 10, Livingston 17, Lenawee 41, Jackson 52. There are 16 counties in the state which show up with a greater divorce record than Washtenaw while there are but 10 counties which have a larger population. But judging from the number of applications for divorce in the last few months, Washtenaw's divorce record is apt to show a large increase.

CASTORIA.

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Doings of Grandma Green. That this is an age of wonders has again been illustrated by "Grandma Green," Hebron's, (Wis.) aged devotee of the wheel, who a few weeks ago celebrated her 90th birthday by riding a bicycle about the home premises. While visiting two married daughters at Sullivan, she gathered, pared, cut and cored apples that, when dried, weighed 60 pounds, taking them home with her for family use. Next she see about making a rag carpet that will soon be completed.

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A RUSTED BOILER.

Explodes and Nearly Kills an Ypsilanti Township Boy.

Louis, the 14 year old son of James Moore, living south of Ypsilanti, met with serious injuries Saturday morning which may result in death. The boy was assisting his father in sawing wood, the motive power being furnished from an old portable engine and boiler. Something was out of order with the engine when he ran up to close the throttle and there followed an explosion of the boiler. Young Moore was thrown a distance of 40 feet against a barbed wire fence and when taken up it was found that his leg, arm and jawbone were broken and also that he was badly scalded by the escaping steam. At last accounts he was still alive with but little hopes of recovery. Four others who were assisting in the work of sawing narrowly escaped death, the boiler and engine being hurled directly over their heads and landing about 30 feet from where it originally stood. The engine belonged to several farmers in the neighborhood and had stood in the open all summer and it is thought that rust about the rivet heads of the boiler had much to do with the explosion.

Sheep Killed by Dogs.

Mr. Thomas Blake had 12 sheep killed by dogs Sunday night or Monday morning and the remainder of his flock so injured that he was obliged to kill 12 more of them. There are 20 more sheep badly wounded. Mr. Blake's farm is about two miles out from State st., on the Geddes road. About three weeks previously, Gottlob Zeeb, who lives in Pittsfield but whose farm adjoins that of Mr. Blake had 13 sheep killed by dogs. This is the third time this year that Mr. Blake has had his sheep worried by dogs.

Estate of Amanda G. Buck.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 18th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Amanda G. Buck, deceased.

Frances A. Carson, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such executrix. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 19th day of December, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered that said executrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Louise E. Henderson, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of the Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of T. D. Kearney, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, at ten o'clock a. m., the 1st day of May, next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated October 31, 1898. H. W. DOUGLAS, J. D. RYAN, Commissioner.

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 10th day of November, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Phebe A. Wrolock, 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 filing and allowance, on or before the 3rd day of May next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 3rd day of February and on the 3rd day of June, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, November 3, A. D. 1898. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage made by Alta M. Adams to Nellie L. Tyler, dated Sept. 22nd, 1897, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1897, in liber 89 of mortgage on page 375, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due the sum of two hundred twenty-seven dollars and sixteen cents and an attorney's fee of fifteen dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the mortgagee will receive public auction, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County is holden), the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage as lets number fifteen and sixteen in Krause's Addition to the City of Ann Arbor, according to the recorded plat thereof, and being in Washtenaw County, Michigan.

Dated Ann Arbor, Oct. 15th, 1898. ARTHUR BROWN, NEILL L. TYLER, Mortgagee.

Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of David Ailmoner, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased in the Town of Seio, in said County, on Monday the 16th day of January, and on Monday the 17th day of April next, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, October 15th, 1898. ISRAEL KURHNLE, JOHN FRITZ, Commissioners.

Estate of Nathan S. Nixon.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 14th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Nathan S. Nixon, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Ellen Nixon, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 12th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: and it is further ordered that the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. (A true copy) P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage made by Eloise Forshoe to Herbert Burke, dated March 22th, A. D. 1898, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1898, in liber 93 of mortgages, on page 382, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of thirteen hundred and ninety-one dollars and seven cents, and attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars, provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the mortgagee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County is holden), the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars, as covenanted therein, the said premises being described in said mortgage as the south fifty-five acres of the north ninety-five acres of the southeast quarter of section one, county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and being five acres of the southeast quarter of section number twenty-five, town one south, range seven east, Salem, Washtenaw County, Michigan.

Dated Ann Arbor, Oct. 18th, 1898. HERBERT B. BURKE, ARTHUR BROWN, Mortgagee.

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And now that McKinley has the Philippines the question turns upon what congress will do with them.

Since the anti-scalping law has been declared unconstitutional Washtenaw republicans can continue their exercises without fear of judicial interference.

It is altogether probable that "Cuba Libre" and gushing glorification of the Cuban patriot will be conspicuously absent from the next session of congress.

Now that the Philippine question is disposed of for the time being and the Judson-Moran imbroglio is not in active eruption, things are assuming a condition of unwonted quiet.

Gen. Wood has stopped the boys gambling at Santiago, but he can't stop the larger game which the financiers and politicians are playing for the disposition of the spoils of war.

The republicans claim the glory of the war. Did they alone fight it? The New York soldiers at Honolulu voted Van Wyck 330, Roosevelt 200, and the republican candidate was a soldier hero.

Because we have exploited all of Henry C. Smiths short comings it does not follow that he possesses no virtues. He does not part his hair in the middle and has yet to wear his first pair of golf stockings. There's hope for Henry yet.

Apropos of the general interest in the anti-scalper bill now pending in congress, the recent decision of the court of appeals in New York declaring a similar state law unconstitutional may afford an indication of the outcome of such legislation at Washington.

A learned doctor at Yale has figured out that whereas in the olden times 92 per cent of the graduates of that institution sought the learned profession of law, medicine and divinity, only 62 per cent find an outlet there today while 32 per cent engage in business pursuits.

The son of his daddy business is beginning to thrive on the Pacific slope. U. S. Grant, jr., wants to be elected United States senator from the state of California. He is probably as well qualified as any other man who travels on the reputation of an illustrious sire. He should be elected—nit.

Andrew Carnegie opposes the annexation of the Philippines on account of the vast body of cheap labor which would be brought into competition with American workingmen. Andrew is like a great many other people whose range of vision is so wide that they entirely overlook evils which lie much closer home.

And now the report is wafted in from Salem that our old friend Geo. S. Wheeler, representative-elect for the first district of Washtenaw county, is going to be a Washtenaw edition of Pingree all by himself. Vote for Burrow? Well, it is said that George has got his mind "sot" on voting for the oleaginous Julius Caesar, and those who know him know that there are not enough yoke of oxen in Salem to pull him off the perch when he's once "sot."

The flood of prosperity is so overwhelming in the "advance agent's" own state that one out of every 40 of its inhabitants is a pauper fed by the public. It cost Ohio according to the report of the county auditors \$1,065,377.05 to care for its paupers during the year ending Sept. 1, 1898. This is the largest number of paupers ever returned in one year and the largest sum ever raised by taxation in the state of Ohio for their support. There don't seem to be so much balm in Gilead after all.

"Mr. Choate is out of the question," wrote a critic in regard to possible favorites for the recipient of one of the two plums, the ambassadorship to St. James' and the United States senatorship. But that was written before it was generally known that Mr. Choate, wearing a crimson tie, went to New Haven on Saturday, sat in a pool of water on a Harvard bench and "rooted" with diligence and enthusiasm for the winning eleven, thus copper-ripping his claim for popularity and high reward.—New York World.

Secretary Gage says: "Commercial necessity has compelled territorial expansion." Hitherto people thought Dewey and Schley were the compelling forces.

The speculation which is rife in Michigan over the election of a United States senator to succeed Senator Burrows is a potent argument in favor of the election of those officials by a vote of the people.

The titled and military classes of Germany and Austria are said to hate Americans with a deep rooted hatred. So long as they don't let that deep rootedness get the better of their judgment no harm will come to them from it.

It might be well to caution some of the anti-Judson republicans of this city that they may stand so close to the governor that he won't see them when he is looking around for suitable men to fill light jobs connected with large salaries.

The consolidated tinplate company will be in good working order by the first of the year. This trust includes all of the tinplate product of the country worth mentioning. The combination means another advance of tinplate and tinplate manufactures. This is one of the industries fostered by the tariff. It is remarkable how quickly these infant industries pick up the manners of older monopolies.

THE RELATIVE COST.

Taken as a question of profit and loss the United States in addition to the natural satisfaction which comes from whipping an enemy, comes out of the conflict with a better balance sheet than Spain.

The following are the essential figures:

SPAIN'S LOSSES.	
Navy	\$ 25,000,000
Island of Cuba	100,000,000
Philippines	100,000,000
Porto Rico	50,000,000
Cost of war	150,000,000
Loss to commerce	50,000,000
Total	\$435,000,000

UNITED STATES' LOSSES.	
Maine and crew	\$ 5,000,000
Cost of war	200,000,000
Loss of commerce	5,000,000
Pensions	5,000,000
Total	\$215,000,000

TWEEDLE DEE OR TWEEDLE DUM.

Probably no persons will be more relieved when the president and Mr. Hanna authoritatively announce the policy of the republican party on territorial expansion than those unfortunate individuals who are responsible for the safe conduct of the straight laced, striped up the back and around the middle, republican newspapers. Their frantic efforts to keep in line with party policy without a clear intimation of what that party policy is have been really amazing to those from whom the elections have removed all responsibility for the results. Each republican editor has his ear to the ground and his hand on the rope which is to hoist, or lower, the flag as the case may be when the tip comes from Washington. Some have the flag still up where Dewey and Schley put it and are pulling for dear life on the once-raised-never-come-down rope, while others have slacked the glorious ensign down to half-mast that they may be better prepared to go either way.

But no man can say with accuracy that this party or that party is for or against a policy of territorial expansion. Sentiment on that question is not divided upon party lines. And those who are agreed upon the general doctrine of expansion are not in harmony upon the details. There are many who would like to see Cuba a part of the Union, who view the prospect of the annexation of the Philippines with apprehension. There are others who cannot see the analogy between the acquisition of unsettled tracts of wilderness like Louisiana and the annexation of an island densely peopled with an indifferent and turbulent population. Many, who can see no advantage to the American people to follow any sort of connection with Spain's late colonies, would prefer to take some risks on our own account rather than leave those long suffering people longer under barbarous Spanish rule. The majority of the people would doubtless be glad to see Uncle Sam get out of what promises to be a bad mess with as little annoyance as possible and without sacrificing the high tone of international morality with which he kicked up the row.

The position of parties as well as individuals can be determined with a great deal more clearness and precision after the history of the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine has been written, than it can at the present time. In the meantime let every true American hope for the continued glory and prosperity of his country and let other people do their own hoping in their own sweet way.

THE REGENCY QUESTION.

We fail to see on what ground Col. Sutton can take the seat as regent now filled by Col. Dean. Col. Dean holds by appointment from a governor. The constitution of the state says: "When a vacancy shall occur in the office of Regent it shall be filled by appointment by the governor." A vacancy existed, Col. Dean was appointed and the vacancy was filled. Where then is there any vacancy for Col. Sutton to step into? If a vacancy is once filled, no vacancy longer exists. But it may be argued in other cases where the governor appoints, his appointee only holds until the next general election. In reply to this it is only necessary to state that the provision of the constitution in reference to filling these other vacancies is different. For instance, the constitution says: "When a vacancy occurs in the office of judge of the supreme, circuit or probate court, it shall be filled by appointment of the governor which shall continue until a successor is elected and qualified." In this case the constitution plainly limits the time for which the governor can fill a vacancy. In other words a vacancy is filled in a judgeship temporarily, because the constitution plainly gives the filling of this vacancy to the people as soon as they can act. If the same thing was intended in the office of regent why was the qualifying clause not added. Or if it is not necessary why was it inserted in the clause relating to the appointment of judges? Again the only way the constitution provides for filling a vacancy in the office of regent is by appointment not by election.

The question is not a new one. Many vacancies have occurred in the office of regent. They have always been filled by the governor and have held for the unexpired term of their predecessors. The question has been submitted to previous attorney generals who have invariably decided against the right of election. It remained for Attorney General Maynard to attempt to overrule his predecessors and give an opinion, which seems to us to fly in the face of all the rules of logic. But Attorney General Maynard has no control over the matter and we expect to see Col. Sutton's aspirations suddenly set down upon by the supreme court.

THE ANDREWS CONTROVERSY.

Dr. Andrews is finding his position as superintendent of the Chicago schools anything but a bed of roses. The papers announce that his resignation is very probable. Dr. Andrews is a brainy man, a professional educator, progressive and aggressive, apparently as tenacious of the rightful prerogatives of his office as are the members of his board of their pulls. As the professional head of the school system the superintendent is held responsible by the public for the work and proper management of the schools. Having to bear the responsibility for the efficiency of the teaching force and the management of the schools, Dr. Andrews claims the right of initiative in the appointment, promotion, transfer and dismissal of all teachers. On this issue he clashes with members of his board of trustees who have long been accustomed to give these things out as personal favors or to those who have the pull. In the working of this method the superintendent's authority has, in the past, been reduced to a small factor. But Dr. Andrews does not propose to be simply a compiler of statistics and maker of reports. He proposes to wield the authority which always accompanies responsibility. Being a professional educator and being paid to devote his whole time to school matters, he rightfully considers himself better qualified to determine the personal qualifications and fitness of teachers than the busy laymen who for the most part, constitute his board. He says he does not desire supremacy—he wishes simply to surround himself with the best teachers and to have each teacher placed where he or she can render the most effective service to the cause of public education. He declares that he has no wish to escape responsibility for his acts but is ready at all times to render the strictest account to his official superiors for his stewardship.

Dr. Andrews is unquestionably right in his contention. He is either better qualified to judge of the fitness of teachers than is his board or he is incompetent for his position and should be discharged, for certainly the prerogatives mentioned rightfully belong to the responsible executive of the school system, and the people will never receive the returns from the schools they have a right to demand until this principle is recognized and practiced. So long as teachers are appointed for any other reason than professional skill and fitness a great wrong is done the school children. School trustees have no legal or moral right to make an eleemosynary institution of the public school. It is a common practice how-

ever. In our own city schools, if the principles for which Dr. Andrews contends were recognized, the vicious system of inbreeding which has so long obtained to the detriment of the schools, would be a thing of the past. It is a wise school board that recognizes where its own prerogatives end and those of the superintendent begin. But it is a wiser one which knowing this does not encroach upon those of the superintendent.

She Didn't Get a Letter.

Some odd sayings are got off in the post office corridors, sometimes. The other day while Mr. Dunn was waiting on a farmer of extensive avoirdupois who filled the delivery window and was getting a large assortment of mail, a little old lady who rarely gets a letter squeezed into a corner of the window and called out: "Oh, Mr. Dunn, give me my mail and I won't be after delayin' the men that's ahead o' me." It is unnecessary to say that she didn't get the letter that wasn't there.

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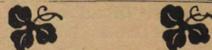
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Commercial Courses, Manual Training, the End of Education and Professional Training of High School Teachers are Among the Topics.

Pursuant to the program the 31st meeting of the Schoolmasters' Club began its session in the assembly room of the School of Music yesterday afternoon with a fairly good attendance.

The opening paper was by Mr. D. W. Springer of the commercial department of the Ann Arbor high school on "Commercial Education in Public Schools." In beginning his paper Mr. Springer gave a short history of the efforts of the American Bankers' Association to promote a sentiment favorable to a better business training in our schools.

The distinction between the commercial schools of Europe and those of this country was found to be that in the old country they endeavored to train business men while here the aim has been to train business assistants. In Europe the courses are two to three years in length. While here they have been three to six months long. Then followed a short recital of the work which the business section of the N. E. A. had been doing to formulate a standard for business colleges and high schools.

Figures were used to show that the old idea that the high school should be the training school for the higher institutions of learning was working an injustice to the majority of young people as only 3.6 per cent of our school population are able to finish a high school course and of that number but 13,832 per cent find themselves able to go farther.

The condition of society was analyzed to show that business is the greatest profession of this age and that it has had a rapid progress in the last decade. This changed condition required a changed curriculum. Education must fit the individual for his place in society. It must not be narrow. It should be the broadest possible. He urged a four year commercial course for our high schools running parallel with the classical, Latin and scientific and containing a large percentage of history and civics, science and modern commercial language. In addition to these branches, enough of the technical group should be introduced to make the course a sufficient incentive for the boys to remain in school for a longer period than they do.

Mr. Carl C. Marshall, of Battle Creek, editor of "Learning by Doing," read a paper on the same subject and the two papers elicited a lively discussion.

Mr. W. C. Skinner, of the Toledo Manual Training School, who was to have led the discussion of Mr. McKenzie's paper on "Manual Training in the high school," which was postponed until afternoon, occupied McKenzie's time. Mr. Skinner is an authority on this line of work as he is at the head of one of the best manual training schools in the west. He argued for the making of manual training a part of the regular high school course and requiring all students to take it. The aim should be to give a liberal education in all the mechanic arts but not to teach a trade. This he contended would send young people out into the world with a higher idea of the importance and dignity of the mechanic arts and a more liberal spirit and deeper sympathy with those who do manual labor.

The evening session was occupied with a lecture by Dr. B. A. Hinsdale, of the university, on the subject, "The End of Education, is it Knowledge, Development, or Social Adaptation?"

Prof. Hinsdale began with asking whether education finds its end in the intellect or in character and life. This question involves the relation of knowledge to the will and conduct, which he denominated the very crux of human life. Again, if the end of education is found in the intellect, is it knowledge or is it some change wrought in the faculty of knowledge? From this point the professor went on to define the three pedagogies. The objective pedagogy finds the end of education in an accumulation or store of positive knowledge, facts, ideas, thoughts, and the like. It expresses the result that it seeks in static terms, as information, knowledge, attainments. The subjective pedagogy finds the end of education in a change or transformation wrought in the texture of the mind itself. It expresses its result in dynamic terms, growth, power, discipline, development and cultivation. The teleological pedagogy finds the end of education in its uses or applications. In general it is well expressed in the celebrated story of Aegesthus, King of Sparta, who said a boy should be taught the things that would be useful to him when he became a man. This is the point of view of Herbert Spencer, who has said preparation for complete living is the function which education has to discharge.

Having demonstrated these three conceptions of education, the professor proceeded to show that they were not really antagonistic, as appears on the surface, but that they are dependent throughout, one upon the other. Knowledge cannot be acquired without effort, and effort leads to development or growth. On the other hand, development or growth comes only through knowledge. Still further, knowledge and discipline naturally tend to expression in activity and conduct, while

these again react upon the intelligence, enlarging its knowledge and developing its powers. The three pedagogies, then, are but the three aspects of education or tendencies of educational thought strongly emphasized.

The discussion of the article was led by Prof. H. C. Adams who agreed with the speaker in the main and emphasized his points.

At this morning's session President R. G. Boone, of the State Normal college, read a paper on "The Professional Training of High School Teachers."

Both in the paper read by President Boone and by Principal Volland, and not less in the general discussion, the club agreed without exception that the professional training of teachers for high schools must include primarily a sound and comprehensive scholarship, and an equally broad and intelligent training in the principles and practice of effective teaching.

Reference was made by President Boone to the recent discussion of high school questions, academic and administrative matters, and to the later conferences of school people upon the more purely professional questions—conditions of instruction, education values of the several subjects, distribution of matter and the sequence of topics; and the fact was emphasized that while these are not immediately parts of the topic now under discussion, a recognition of their validity, demands a corps of teachers who are fitted by training not less than by nature to comprehend and interpret these questions. These are professional not academic matters, and there is need that every high school teacher should be so equipped in advance that he will be able to handle them intelligently and effectively. Evidently the trained secondary teacher is coming to be in demand. The club continues its sessions this afternoon.

In discussing Dr. Boone's paper on "The Professional Training of High School Teachers," at the Schoolmasters' Club last Saturday, President Angell stated an interesting fact which is probably known to but few. It illustrates in some measure the advantage of having at the head of such an institution as the university a man of progressive views and deep insight. Dr. Angell said: He had observed that there was an ever increasing demand upon the university for teachers to go out into the schools of the state. In view of this act, and believing that these young men and women should not be sent out as teachers without some professional preparation for their work, Dr. Angell in 1878 recommended to the board of regents the creation of a department of the Science and Art of Teaching. After careful consideration the regents adopted this recommendation and called to the chair thus created Prof. W. H. Payne, now chancellor of the University of Nashville. In this move the University of Michigan was the pioneer institution of its kind in the country and to it belongs the honor of establishing the first chair of the Science and Art of Teaching. Dr. Angell was sharply criticised in many quarters, notably Harvard, whose president said that there was no need for such a chair as teachers were born and not made.

Time however has changed the views of educators as to the value and need of such a department in universities and colleges and today most of these institutions have their department of pedagogics and the men filling these chairs are recognized as the peers of those in any of the other faculties. Since the establishment of the department in Michigan University, Dr. Angell said, a similar department had been established at Harvard and the doctor confessed that it was with no little satisfaction that he noted the fact, and the farther compliment to Michigan of the appointment of a U. of M. man to the chair. Thus does Michigan ever lead.

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W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The regular meeting of the local union was not held on Thursday, Nov. 24, on account of Thanksgiving but was held on Friday the 25th. Not a large number were present but the meeting was an earnest one. Master Harrison Van Valkenberg rendered several solos in an enjoyable manner. The treasurer was instructed to send one dollar towards the support of the missionary in the lumber camps.

Mrs. Leonard Bassett gave a very interesting report of the county W. C. T. U. convention recently held at Saline. Mrs. A. O. Henry and Mrs. Betsy Lee also made short reports.

Two new members were added to the list. A Willard day will be arranged for in the near future.

The next meeting of the union will be held on the second Thursday in December when the president, Mrs. Jennie Voorheis will give a full report of the recent national convention held in St. Paul. Every member of the union should be present on that day.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

From Friday's Daily Argus.

The Ann Arbor Locals defeated Saline at football yesterday by a score of 12 to 5.

The Saline Presbyterian church gave a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday which netted the new church about \$50.

Wm. Remnant and Mrs. Anna Moran, both of Chelsea, were married by Rev. Wm. P. Considine last Tuesday.

The Philological Society of the university will hold a meeting, Dec. 8, in memory of the late Prof. Edward L. Walter.

Messrs. Stabler, Schmid and Mack have sold 100,000 pounds of their wool to Philadelphia parties and will ship it next week.

W. P. Doty, an old Ann Arbor boy of late years in Detroit, is an applicant for a position as member of the state board of pharmacy.

Company A. dined at a Knoxville hotel yesterday at \$1 a plate, with the money forwarded from the citizens of this city by Mrs. Ross Granger.

A dog belonging to Mr. Jaeger bit a little child of Mrs. James M. Stafford yesterday and was taken in charge by Poundkeeper Blackburn and shot.

Married at Trinity Lutheran parsonage by Rev. W. L. Tedrow, Wednesday evening, Nov. 23, William J. Thurston and Miss Ida Cobb, both of Dexter.

The prisoners at the county jail were given a chicken Thanksgiving dinner yesterday. There were 12 males and 1 female in durance, who gave thanks for the chicken.

The New State Telephone Co. has made connection with the Valley Co. and Ann Arbor subscribers can now reach any of the 1800 Valley subscribers in Flint, Bay City and Saginaw.

Material is being distributed by the New State Telephone Co. for its line from Detroit and Ann Arbor to Jackson. Work will be pushed rapidly and service given within a very short time.

The Duke of Lodi is making preparations to equip the ducal residence with gas for illuminating purposes. Being an ardent protectionist, the gas used will be of strictly home manufacture.

Twenty or more of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson perpetrated a surprise upon them last evening at their pleasant home on Twelfth st. The occasion was the sixth anniversary of their wedding.

Evidently believing in the force of the czar's recent peace proposition Judge Newkirk is the first power to disarm. The formidable arsenal which has been on exhibition in the probate office for the past year has disappeared and the other powers will probably follow his example.

The members of the catechetical class of Zion's Lutheran church kindly presented their pastor and teacher, Rev. Nicklas and Mr. Boes, each with a monster Thanksgiving turkey. As a result the boys of the class are being entertained this evening by Mr. and Mrs. Boes, while the girls are eating turkey at the parsonage.

The general library of the University of Michigan has just received 162 volumes from Paris. They are the History and Memoirs of the Academy of Science from 1666 to 1790. The books were purchased at a cost of \$200 to complete the set already in the possession of the university. The volume will be useful in conducting research work along scientific lines.

Wednesday afternoon marriage licenses were issued to Burton Barnes, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Emily Richard, of Ann Arbor; Matthew Johnson, of Ypsilanti and Miss Mary L. Densor, of Sumpter; Wm. J. Thurston and Miss Ida Cobb, both of Dexter; Michael Finkbeiner and Miss Flora Schumacher, both of Ann Arbor; Wm. C. Andres and Miss Emma Vogel, both of Scio.

Among the fresh fish stories told by H. M. Randall, of Saginaw, who is visiting his father here, is a catch he recently made in Saginaw Bay. He was fishing with a line with a frog for bait and pulled in a big pickerel and a good sized bass at the same time with one hook. The frog with the hook had gone in the pickerel's mouth and through his gill, being taken by a bass after passing through the gill. In the absence of later stories this will be given the first prize.

From Saturday's Daily Argus.

Frank B. Kearney has been honorably discharged from the 31st Michigan.

John C. Schmid, of First st., found his family pony dead in its stall Thursday morning.

Herman Graf, one of the foremen of the Organ works, shot a fox at Cranson Lake on Thanksgiving day.

A marriage license was issued this morning to John A. Teall, of Milan, and Miss Etta Sykes, of this city.

Gottlob Luick today received two nice deer from his son, Oscar Luick, who is hunting in the north woods.

Charles Alling, '88 law, is now a full fledged reform alderman of Chicago. He is a cousin of the celebrated war correspondent, Sylvester Scovel.

Henry Harris and Warner Churchill have begun garnishment proceedings in the circuit court against William N. Brown for \$450, garnisheeing his account in the Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

George Dalton died in Chicago Wednesday night of quick consumption, aged 40 years. He was a cigar maker by trade and a former resident of this city, where his father Matthew Dalton still lives. He was unmarried. The funeral services were held in Chicago yesterday.

The Harugari masquerade party Thursday evening was a very pleasant affair, about 80 masked couples dancing and everyone having a pleasant time.

Fred Hoelzle and Pusey Moore crossed the burning sands at the Mystic Shrine meeting in Detroit last evening. A number of Shriners from the city were down.

Justice Duffy, with his most imposing judicial air made two hearts happy this morning, marrying John A. Teall, of Milan, to Miss Etta Sykes, of this city. The blushing bride was 18 years of age.

There were 74 sat down to the table at the big Lehman family reunion in Waterloo, previously mentioned in the Argus, Thursday. On returning Peter and Conrad Lehman stopped at their brother Will Lehman's in Chelsea over night. The Chelsea Band finding that Conrad, a veteran of Santiago, was in the village, serenaded him at 10:30 p.m.

In the probate court this afternoon, a contest is being heard over the estate of the late Iseral Clark, of York. Willis Clark, an adopted son of the deceased, claims a share in the estate by virtue of his adoption. The widow is the only other heir and she contests Willis Clark's claim. The estate is valued at \$2,000. Lawrence & Butterfield appear for Mrs. Clark and Lehman Bros. & Stivers for Willis Clark.

A bold thief robbed Miss Mary Duffy of her purse on Ann st., near Judge Newkirk's residence at about 7 o'clock last evening. Miss Duffy was with her sister and hearing a man walking rapidly behind them turned to one side to allow him to pass. Instead he brushed through between the sisters, striking Miss Duffy's hand which contained her purse, so that she dropped it. She stooped to pick it up but the thief was too quick for her and grabbing it, started on a run. The young ladies screamed and the neighbors ran out but were unable to catch the fellow. The purse contained a \$5 bill, Miss Duffy having just deposited a month's salary at the bank. This was bold work. Miss Duffy gives a good description of the thief and it is to be hoped that he will receive his just deserts.

THE HORTICULTURISTS

HOLD THEIR STATE MEETING IN ANN ARBOR.

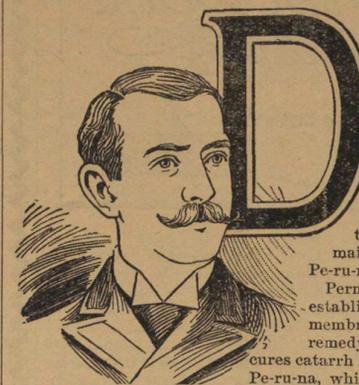
And Have a Big Program for December 6 and 7, Which Will Make This Its Best Meeting.

The program for the 28th annual meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural Society has been issued, and it presents to the fruit growers of Michigan subjects and essays of rare interest and value. The society is to meet at Michigan University, having been invited by the board of regents, and the sessions will be held in Newberry hall. This hall is equipped with all needful apparatus for illustration of lectures, and many of the papers will be supplemented by stereopticon views. The dates fixed are Dec. 6, 7, and 8. One session will be devoted to the Michigan forestry question, a half dozen or more prominent people who are interested in this work taking part. Another will consider landscape gardening. Superintendents Simonds, of Chicago parks, and Coryell, of Detroit, as well as Prof. W. W. Tracy, of the latter city, furnishing papers. The annual election of officers will occur on the 7th.

Among the topics to be considered are "The peach outlook," by Hon. R. D. Graham, of Grand Rapids; "Development of fruit buds," by Mr. R. M. Kellogg, of Three Rivers; "Thinning fruit," by Prof. S. A. Beach, horticulturist of the New York experiment station; "Plant lice and scale insects," by Prof. W. B. Barrows, of Michigan Agricultural College; "Lawn decorations," by Mr. Thomas Guson, of the same school. Manager Hurlbut, of the Detroit parks, will contribute a paper upon "Parks and their uses." A question which is interesting all agriculturists at present, as well as gardeners, "The sugar beet and beet sugar," is to be presented by Prof. Paul C. Freer, of the university. President Morrill delivers a paper upon "The future of Michigan apples." In his paper upon thinning fruits, Prof. Beach will present the results of recent investigations and experiments at his station. Other subjects to be presented by members of the university faculty are "Fruit acids," by Dr. Prescott; "Preserving fruits," by Prof. F. G. Novy; "The ripening of fruits," by Prof. J. B. Pollock; "What are fruits" by Prof. F. G. Newcombe; "Chemistry of ripening fruits," by Prof. J. B. Schlotterbeck. Hon. J. C. Monroe, of South Haven, will consider "What legislation should we have this winter?" Regent Dean of the university is to tell of "The value of education to the state," and Dr. B. A. Hinsdale of the university is to speak of "Rural schools." President Angell is to make an address of welcome, and Charles W. Garfield is to respond thereto. At some time during the meeting a tour will be made to those departments of the university which are of general or particular interest to fruit growers or farmers. A plan is to be considered by which the society may aid in the formation of village improvement clubs in the state. Besides the topics mentioned to be considered by papers, a number of questions of great pertinence to the pomologists of Michigan are to be considered by questions to be submitted for discussion.

Breathing Through the Nose.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....\$480,270 73
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc..... 502,471 73
Overdrafts..... 562 18
Banking House..... 20,500 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..... 3,123 41
Checks and cash items..... 630 46
Nickels and cents..... 637 97
Gold coin..... 32,170 00
Silver coin..... 3,300 00
U. S. and National Bank Notes..... 28,209 00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund..... 150,000 00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid..... 17,340 95
Dividends unpaid..... 199 00

DEPOSITS.

Commercial deposits, subject to checks..... 155,460 44
Savings Deposits..... 813,907 81
Savings Certificates of Deposits..... 131,854 4
Due to Banks and Bankers..... 19,344 57

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County of Washtenaw, I, ss. Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of December, 1897. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.

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CHAPTER XIII.

At 8 o'clock it was snowing wildly. The city was like the wraith of what it had been in the morning hours. Footmarks were wiped out as soon as made, and the whirl of the storm filled the town with excitement.

The bell in David Temple's office was rung sharply.

"I didn't know Mr. Temple'd come back," said Pete in dismay, sliding the latest dime novel under a box.

While fastening her veil Anne listened for David's voice. His steady, unaccented tones came clearly to her. He had returned and entered his private office without passing through the editorial rooms. A moment later he came in.

"I thought you'd be gone," he said, pausing beside her. His eyes were unusually bright, a cool color from the storm was on his cheeks. "I'm going out again in a moment and will go up town with you. I just came down to see Farley," and he crossed to the night editor's desk.

Ten minutes later they were on the streets together. The snow stung their faces, settled like a mantle over them, and in capricious skeins half hid the blinking eyes of the crowd they passed through. Shivering newsboys blew on their fingers, crouching under the stairs of the elevated road, and white capped tamale men presiding over their copper cans like magicians on a flame sent their rolling cry from the shelter of doorways.

The trains were crowded at that hour. It was necessary for Anne to take a seat far from where David stood, and she could only see his big shoulders beyond an intervening dozen. By the time her gate came in sight after a difficult walk the storm had reached crescendo, and they were breathless.

"Come up to the fire for a moment," said Anne.

"But you haven't dined?"

"Hours ago. It's almost 9. Come in. I've seen nothing of you for a week."

"Just for a moment, then, if I may. Besides, I want to speak to you of Donald."

And it was of Donald they talked, yet something in David's tone thrilled and bewildered Anne. He had been successful in his interview with Donald Sefain, had flung the first plank across the chasm between them. But content for that did not explain the light in his face, the passionate air in his whole presence. He seemed reveling in unexpressed exultation. With a foolish stirring of the heart Anne was conscious of it and waited.

As he talked he leaned back with eyes half closed. The pose forcibly recalled the first day she saw him, when he had tried to prevent her becoming a newspaper woman, the flung back shoulder and half closed eye, the loosened lock of hair clinging to the forehead and giving a boyish touch to his face. Then he was a stranger, treating her like a too ambitious child. Now he was David, so familiar, so well understood he was like another self, and she loved him.

There was fright in this last thought tonight. She seemed wild and strong, but chained by one invisible thread of her own making. While she listened to David she found herself endeavoring to explain to her pride the voluntary surrender of her heart to this man who did not and never might love her. She thought of the optimism in natural selection and that it might be unreciprocated.

She was only following an old law. Other women had impulsively and silently loved men whose hearts had been closed to them.

She knew that David was indifferent. He permitted few people an acquaintance with his intimate self. He sought none. Yet no man had more friends. Pete in the office, to whom from sheer unconcern he had never spoken a kind word, felt privileged in some mysterious way when commissioned to carry home a parcel for him. Donald, in spite of the untoward circumstances of their lives, loved him with all his heart. It was not strange, then, since David Temple was a man whose magnetism was a positive possession, who owned the passive supremacy which steals from the recorded lives of Napoleon and Dean Swift, that one woman should have come still nearer to him uninvited. She seemed defending her weakness before an invisible jury and was acquitted.

"A splendid chance," David was saying when she gave him her undivided attention again; "a chance not to be had every day. The partnership can be had for an absurdly small amount, you know, because the Englishman who is cutting it all sickened in the climate and wants to get home. But Donald, assisted by the good business men still in the company, could make it pay. In Brazil?"

"Brazil? He'll have to go to Brazil?" she said uncertainly.

"You haven't been listening to me." And David leaned toward her. "Where do you suppose they grow coffee, Anne—on Staten Island? Really," he said urgently, "nothing will help Donald like getting away from New York. If it's hard to cut the old associations here, it will be just as hard to form new ones there. At first he would not listen to me, would not let me lend him the necessary money. It was a struggle between us, and I assure you, Anne, I humiliated myself to him."

"Does he want to go now?"

"He wants to try—glad even to stop sketching for awhile. It need only be for a few years. He will give up brain work and uncertain hours for a life demanding physical energy and systematic habits. Did I tell you," he said more softly, "he's to let me send his protegee, Joe Evans, to my old nurse in Connecticut? The climate down there would finish the little chap in a wink." He started up and took a few steps up and down. "I never can forget my visit to his rooms the other night and the sight of the sick boy there. Donald is a queer mixture of good and bad, isn't he? He's done what I never could do, been vicious as I never could be, but he's made life heaven for one creature, urged to it by a humanity which I scarcely understand."

He stood before the fire and stared into it. There was a line between his brows, his glance was heavy, and Anne knew he was thinking of himself and what he lacked as perhaps he never had before. He sighed and moved so that his elbow rested on the mantel. When he looked down at Anne, she saw again the light as from a heart satisfied which a little while before had puzzled her.

"Anne," he said in a musing way, "do I seem unlike myself tonight?"

She nodded. She could not move her eyes from his.

"But do I look like a man who has come into a rare inheritance? Do? Yes, yes," he said quickly, "I want to tell you. You have been so much to me I must tell you now."

He took the chair opposite her and again leaned forward. Anne sat motionless, a heavy coldness weighting her.

"Look at me. I am in love at last, as unreasonably, as hopefully, as if I were 22."

There was a second's pause. To Anne it was the ray between aspiration and chaos, all that was possible and what could never be.

"I told Olga today I loved her, Anne, and she is going to marry me. You and I will be relatives soon," he said gayly and pressed her hand.

There was nothing to tell him. She was cold and in darkness. She remained apparently quiet while her heart seemed cloven by a sword. She said everything he expected of her, some of the phrases quite prettily too. She even laughed while the mirth was dust on her lip and David unreal and terrible to her.

After a long time he went away, and she sat like a dead woman, yet curiously, painfully alive to one thought. She had loved him, and he had passed her by. Olga had won her happiness. The apathy left her, and she sprang up, her eyes, suddenly wild. She hated Olga and envied her bitterly, but only for a moment. Through all her pain she recognized an unquestionable fatality. The reason of her failure to draw to herself the man she loved lay somewhere at the large root of things, in darkness, beyond the knowing. Olga's success was just as inexplicable and impersonal. The bitter fact she could face and must accept, but nothing else.

Unconscious of time, she sat still until voices in the hall and a knock at the door seemed to come from a long distance. Nora, half asleep, entered with a letter. A messenger boy in the hall was rubbing his ears with his mitted hands.

Anne opened the envelope without curiosity, but the words aroused her, and pity for something besides herself passed over her face:

MY DEAR ANNE—Can you come to my place as soon as you read this? I'm afraid it's all up with poor Joe, and he keeps talking of you. Do come with the messenger. He won't live through the night. I dare not leave his side.
DONALD.

Anne looked at the clock. It was after 11. She heard the wind shake the window in fury, she saw the snow moved like a tremendous curtain westward, and a groaning stole in from the night. The silent room became suddenly unendurable.

When she stepped from her doorway with the boy, the wind, as if recognizing her affinity by reason of the storm in her soul, welcomed her with frenzy. There was relief in bending her head against the blast, in feeling the flakes sting her face to burning life, the sense of being needed had comfort in it, and the purpose of her errand surmounted for the time the other dull, insistent ache.

The street where Donald lived was in the heart of the business center and mournfully quiet. The lights in high tenements and old fashioned lodging houses flickered on lonely stretches of snow, traffic was muffled, and people passed as if with velvet shod feet.

Anne dismissed the messenger at Donald's door and entered alone. From the many small apartments came sounds of the life within. Through one open transom where tobacco smoke curled she heard a German's voice, raised in argument, roll out, "Bismarck!" In another room a girl was laughing unrestrainedly. Farther away the reiterations of a banjo were like punctuations on the silence.

The meaning of her presence there struck Anne afresh and sharply. One room of this big house was silent, set apart, although no signet mark of blood showed on the door. Joe, the wan picker boy, had become a personage with all preparations made for a mysterious and final journey, and she had come to bid him an impressive farewell. At the head of the stairs she paused. A dread of the room beyond and the scene

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to follow came upon her, and she half turned away.

But Mrs. Mulligan came down the hall, and under the unsheltered gaslight Anne saw on her face the resigned sorrow of the old.

"It's ye, acushla," she said, with a long sigh. "Well, poor Joe's gone."

She opened the door showing the dim room, Donald at the window, his head bowed, and Joe's spent body outlined on the bed in majestic and eternal quiet.

Donald turned and came quickly to Anne's side. He held her hand in silence for a moment.

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Ann Arbor at Dexter.

There was considerable Ann Arbor talent in the annual Thanksgiving supper and entertainment of St. Joseph's church, in Dexter, Thanksgiving. Miss Rose French played a violin solo; Miss Rose Seery gave a vocal solo; Miss Elizabeth Fitchel a declamation; Miss Katie Seabolt a piano solo and Mr. Lloyd, sang a vocal solo. The only talent outside of Ann Arbor was Rev. M. J. Comerford, of Pinckney, who delivered an address.

Our Soldiers' Winter Quarters.

It has been decided that the First brigade remains at Knoxville and the 31st Michigan has prepared winter quarters by placing three tents together, end to end, with a stove in the center tent, and the other two for sleeping quarters, with four men in each. Sibley stoves have been issued. Lumber will be furnished by the government, and the soldiers will be made as comfortable as possible.

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ON THE PHILLIPINES

HE OPPOSES ANNEXATION

And Says We Are Pledged to Abstain From It.

Rev. J. W. Bradshaw Preaches a Thanksgiving Sermon.

We Are Bound to the World Not to Pursue a Policy of Territorial Aggrandizement.—Rev. Henry Tatlock Takes a Different View of It.

Rev. J. W. Bradshaw in his sermon at the Union Thanksgiving service at the M. E. church took for his text the words "For ye have not passed this way heretofore" found in Joshua iii, 4. The sermon dealt with the questions of the day, principally with the annexation of the Phillipines to which he is strongly opposed. Among other things he said:

It is barely a year since we entered into the conflict with Spain upon the avowed grounds, declared before the world of humanity and righteousness. Had this not been the purpose of the president and congress before the war was begun, the people would never have sanctioned it. Yet, scarcely have six months elapsed, when some of the people, intoxicated by victory and having once tasted the "gore" of territorial aggrandizement, as in the case of the tiger cub, who was taken from its mother and partially tamed, having tasted blood returns to its wild instincts, so a large number of thoughtless men of this country, forgetting our promises, our high aims and purposes of humanity, justice, christianity and love of liberty are resorting and urging this government on to battle for conquest and acquisition of property to enrich ourselves, make markets for traffic by despoiling other nations of what belongs to them. Those who desire to apologize for these wrong acts, say that when this war began they did not realize the new conditions that would turn up. Duty and right is the same yesterday, today and evermore. The capturing of Manila raises no new question in the cause of humanity. Here is the voucher on this subject by our chief magistrate: "The splendid victories achieved would be our eternal shame and not our everlasting glory if they led to the weakening of our original lofty purpose." (Auditorium address.) Mr. Bradshaw warned his hearers that the unholy course we are adopting in this matter, if continued, will surely result in our own downfall, and cited the powerful countries of old, who by an aggressive policy of conquest have fallen, Syria, Egypt, Carthage, Rome, and Spain itself, and others.

He said that leaving aside the question of honor, justice and humanity it would be ruinous policy for this country to desire possession of the Phillipines. That those islands contain between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 of people, over 3,000,000 of whom have never been under subjection to Spain; that we have possession of but one or two forts; that the inhabitants of those islands have a right to decide what form of government they desire; that many of them desire the right of self decision in that matter, and that the only way this government can possess itself of those islands would be by war and subjugation. But above all let this nation be, at least, truthful before the world. Let us not put on the robe of sanctity and righteousness and rob these people in the name of humanity. If robbing Spain of the Phillipines and the Phillipis of their rights for self government is our aim, let us be, at least, manly enough to recognize it and not add hypocrisy to our other unjust acts.

Some people assert that it is the will of God that the American people shall possess these islands for the purpose of christianizing them. God does not use instruments and agencies to further his cause, by the adopting of dishonorable methods. God will take care of his part. Let us do our duty honorably having justice and right ever before us for our part.

Mr. Bradshaw, also, reminded his hearers that this nation is not qualified by its past record from attaching to itself foreign and alien half civilized people; that our dealings with the Indian is a series of a century's wrong and broken treaties. Our humanity toward them is expressed in the well known saying, "a dead Indian is the only good Indian"

Rev. Henry Tatlock in the course of his sermon at St. Andrew's church took an opposite view of the matter from Mr. Bradshaw. He welcomed the acquisition of the Phillipines as an opportunity for the good of humanity, but spoke strongly of the need of reform in the civil service and the keeping in office of trained men as governmental servants that the government might be the better administered.

To Be Done in January.

It is expected that the new roof and dome of the main building of the University of Michigan will be completed by the middle of January next. Delay in the shipment of the steel has seriously retarded the progress of the work thus far. It is greatly to be hoped that no further delay may be experienced and the main building may be no longer domeless.

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Wm. Andres and Miss Emma Vogel, both of Scio, were united in marriage at the bride's home yesterday at 3 p. m., Rev. Nicklas, of Zion's Lutheran church officiating. The immediate relatives were present. An elegant wedding supper was served and fully appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Andres will reside on the Andres homestead, Scio.

Michael F. Finkbeiner and Miss Flora Schumacher were married at 6 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Schumacher, 300 S. Ashley st., Rev. John Neumann officiating. Miss Anne Schumacher acted as bridesmaid and Albert Lutz as groomsmen. About 100 relatives witnessed the ceremony and sat down to the bountifully filled tables and it was not until the wee small hours that the happy party dispersed. Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schumacher, of Chelsea, and Mr. and Mrs. George Schumacher, of Waterloo.

Miss Lillian May Field, of this city, only child of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Field, and Martin Cannon, of Calumet, Mich., were united in marriage by Rev. B. L. McElroy at the home of the bride's aunt Mrs. K. Perkins, 320 E. Liberty st., last evening. Miss Lizzie Kemper acted as bridesmaid and P. B. Harding as best man. The house was beautifully decorated

with chrysanthemums and palms. After the ceremony a fine supper was served. The happy couple left for a two months' trip to California and after Feb. 1, 1899, will be at home to their many friends in Calumet, Mich. Among the guests from out of the city were Mrs. T. E. Machan and daughter Hazel, and Miss Mercy Cannon, of Deerfield, sisters of the groom, and Mrs. Simmonds and daughter, Grace, of Kalamazoo, aunt and cousin of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Jewell, of Grand Rapids.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

From Wednesday's Daily Argus.
Twelve town treasurers have filed their bonds with the county treasurer. The Michigan Furniture Co. has put in a new dynamo for 150 electric lights. The fees of the city officers during November, turned into the city treasury were \$8.30. The election expenses of Orrin R. Pierce, democratic candidate for congress were \$1,220. Gov. Pingree has made affidavit that his election expenses were just \$785 and no more. A marriage license has been issued to D. B. Gregory, of Gregory, and Miss Hattie Hudson, of Dexter. The Northfield town treasurer will be at the court house to receive taxes every Saturday in December. Edward M. Richar is erecting a new house on Tappan st. The frame is up and is being rapidly enclosed. The hearing of the account of Administrator Graves, in the Pennett estate has been adjourned until Dec. 22. The Elster property on Fuller st., has been sold to C. W. Derrickson, of Battle Creek, who is here to educate his son. The Webster Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Stearns Wheeler, in Webster, on Saturday, Dec. 10. Michael Kennedy, Northfield's treasurer, filed a \$5,000 bond with the county treasurer today with Tom Fohey and W. M. Bauer as sureties. Eugene K. Frueauff took the third degree in Fraternity Lodge last night and handled the goat in great shape. It is said that he saw nothing green in its eye. There will be an annual meeting of Washtenaw Chapter, No. 6, R. A. M., for the election of officers next Monday evening, Dec. 5. All members are requested to be present. "Our Postgraduate Education," will be the subject of a sermon by Rev. Joseph H. Crooker in a short course to young people at the Unitarian church next Sunday evening. The justice's return of testimony in the case against Fred Anderson, of Ypsilanti, charged with the murder of William E. McCurdy, was filed in the county clerk's office today. It cost John Gillen \$175 to be elected sheriff. J. H. Kingsley, his opponent, spent \$228.50. Geo. J. Mann spent \$135 in running for treasurer and Tracy Towner spent \$12 in making a canvass for circuit court commissioner. The case of John B. Purdy vs. William and John Dolby has been appealed by the defendants to the circuit court from Justice Joslyn's court in Ypsilanti. In the justice court the plaintiff got a judgment for \$12.30 and \$10 costs. A Battle Creek dispatch says: George W. Bullis, a prominent lawyer of Ann Arbor, is in the city and makes the announcement that an electric railroad is to be built from this city to Hastings, and says that it is a sure go. Mr. Bullis represents Boston capitalists. Davenport B. Richardson, a law student from Oklahoma, while practicing on the parallel bars at the gymnasium yesterday, slipped off the bars and fell to the floor. He sustained concussion of the brain. Dr. W. F. Breakey took charge of his case and he is coming around all right. Jacob F. Miller, a prominent citizen of Manchester, died yesterday. He had been ill since the week before election. The funeral services will be held Friday at 9 o'clock. Mr. Miller was a large and genial man and was well known here especially in democratic circles as he had attended democratic county conventions for many years. Prof. M. E. Cooley, chief engineer of the Yosemite, has also been made chief engineer of the Yankee, a sister ship of the Yosemite. Prof. Cooley is a great favorite among the students of his department, all of whom are

very anxious for him to resume work in the university. It is not at all unlikely that when all the faculty members have returned from the war a big reception and dinner will be given in their honor. C. A. Stringer, of Detroit, and a member of the state committee of the Young Men's Christian Association, will speak at the city Y. M. C. A. gospel service next Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2:45 p. m. All men are invited to come and hear him. Special music will be provided for. Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, at 8 o'clock, occurs the regular annual business meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association. The election of four new directors will take place and a report of the fair committee will be read. Every active member has a right to vote and it is desired that all be present. From Yesterday's Daily Argus. Coin Harvey lectures in Howell on Wednesday, Dec. 7. Try the Argus want column if you wish to buy, sell or trade. Welch Corps, No. 218, will hold its annual election Tuesday, Dec. 13. Charles H. Duncan has commenced suit in the circuit court against Henry M. Wallace. Arthur Brown and Jas. R. Bach have sold to M. J. Fritz the property at 1339 Washtenaw ave. Michigan received \$3,780.37 as her share of the gate receipts of the Michigan-Chicago game. Dr. D. W. Nolan has a handsome wagon ready to put on the road with his veterinary specifics. The treasurer of Ann Arbor town will be in the county clerk's office every Friday and Saturday until Jan. 10 to collect taxes. C. F. Stabler, clerk of Ann Arbor township, will be at the county treasurer's office, Saturday, Dec. 10, to receive woodchuck scalps. The platform of the freight house of the Ann Arbor road has been lengthened and improved, adding much room to its growing traffic. The stock and forearm of the Krag-Jorgensens with which the 31st are armed are of black walnut and the men spend considerable time in polishing them up. The soldiers' relief commission of the county held a meeting today in the county treasurer's office and after allowing the usual warrants adjourned until Jan. 2. An injunction was granted in the circuit court today restraining John Miller from disposing of his property, pending the divorce suit brought against him by his wife. O. M. Martin did the smallest business in November of any month this year and he had his share of the business too. In other words November was an exceedingly healthy month this year. Gottlob Luick was the first man to pay his taxes this morning and gave the city treasurer a check for \$243.28. This is the first day for paying taxes and there was no rush for the treasurer's office. Married, at the residence of Mrs. Louisa Keeler, 733 Fountain st., Wednesday evening, Nov. 30, by Rev. T. W. Young, Delbert F. Keeler, of this city, and Miss Mattie K. Peterson, of Racine, Wisconsin. John Baumgardner this week received 111,500 pounds of granite by the Ann Arbor road. Among this granite was a large monument for J. W. Knight, which when erected will stand about 35 feet high. The heads of the departments of the Michigan Furniture Co. is hard at work getting out samples for its spring trade. From present prospects the trade will be good but as to volume it is doubtful if higher prices can be secured. The annual Dolls' Bazaar of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Andrew's church, will be held at Harris Hall Saturday afternoon and evening of this week. A large number of daintily dressed dolls will be exhibited for sale together with home-made candies. The proceeds are to be used for a Christmas missionary box. The admission is five cents. Children under six, accompanied by older persons, free.

The Courier states that Gottlob Luick, the popular president of the council, will be the democratic candidate for mayor next spring. Who will the republican candidate be? The shops of the mechanical laboratory of the university are setting up a turret turning lathe, which when completed will be worth \$1,200. The designs were made by Prof. C. G. Taylor, and all the work is being done in the shops. No woman on the American stage has so many admirers among her own sex as Della Fox has. In the large cities, after the matinee, it is no uncommon sight to see some 500 swell ladies waiting at the stage entrance to see the little star issue forth. There is only one Della Fox. The new dome on the main building at the university is beginning to assume shape. The iron frame work is up and has nearly the shape of a half sphere with what is called a lantern on the top for ornamentation. When completed it will greatly improve the appearance of the building. The golf chorus by 16 exceedingly handsome young women headed by Della Fox in a youth's golf costume is one of the most picturesque features of "The Little Host," which will be magnificently produced next Wednesday night at the Athens Theatre. Miss Fox was never more chic and beautiful in her life than now. Dr. John Kapp, of this city, and Conrad Schmidt and John Maulbetsch, of Northfield, have returned from their hunting trip in the wilds of Roscommon county. Mr. Maulbetsch came home in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his two year old son, Louis. The child died at 10 o'clock this morning. The sprightly daily edition of the Ann Arbor Argus is gaining quite a local circulation and is already a welcome visitor in many homes. The Evening Times keeps right on in the even tenor of its ways and does not seem alarmed at the appearance of a rival. Can it be that our city is going to show itself able to support two local dailies?—Courier. A Toronto dispatch dated yesterday says: Allan Harsen, alias Cole, who says he comes from Ann Arbor, Mich., was arrested at noon today on a charge of picking the pocket of Miss Errett at the corner of King and Yonge sts. The alleged offense was witnessed by a gentleman who pointed out Harsen to the police as the man who had picked Miss Errett's pocket. The endless chain of letters begging for 10 cent contributions started by Miss Natalie Schenk, of Babylon, N. Y., for purchasing ice for the hospital ships, many of which were received in this city, is still unbroken although an effort was long ago made to stop it and many of the series were stopped. The sum of \$20,000 has been realized and turned over to the Red Cross Society. If every one had contributed 10 cents and the series had been carried out to completion, there would have been realized more money than there is in the United States. Baltimore Oysters at Besimer's. Manchester. Bert Lowery went to Adrian Monday to enter the business college. E. S. Hagaman received a carload of corn from the west this week. Jacob Miller died the first of the week of cancer of the stomach. Mrs. Harvey Welling, of Tecumseh, visits her parents here over Sunday. Trelligan's Excelsior Stars were at Arbeiter hall every evening of last week. Harmon Clark and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welling, of Tecumseh. Fred C. Mather came home from Albion to spend Thanksgiving. He returned on the evening train. Mrs. Sarah McCord returned last Friday from Jackson where she has been for several weeks caring for a sick friend. Mrs. Eliza Underhill, who has been visiting friends here for the past three weeks, returned Monday to her home near Adrian. Mrs. Charlotte Reed has for a number of days been taking care of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Brown, of Birdgewater, who is quite sick. Fred Dowling, who has been working for Wurster Bros., was a short time ago taken suddenly and violently insane so that two strong men were hardly able to control him. His father hung himself a few years ago in a fit of insanity. Mrs. E. V. Smith, of Nashville, came here last Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Mather, and other relatives and friends. She returned to Nashville Thursday, accompanied by her mother who will spend a number of weeks there. James Blaisdell died last Thursday of Bright's disease at the age of 71 years and 6 months. He was one of the pioneers of the town, having come from New York state at the age of 10 years and lived here ever since. He leaves a widow and two children, Frank Blaisdell, of Lake Charles, La., and Mrs. John Maloney, of this place. Fred Kapp, who is in Spokane, Wash., writes a friend telling of a narrow escape which he had recently. A tramp entered the clothing store in which Fred is engaged as a clerk, and appropriated a suit of clothes. When the theft was discovered, Fred started in pursuit and overtook the thief who in the meantime had given the signal to a couple of his companions. It might have resulted seriously for Fred, had not some of the employees from the store appeared on the scene in time to rescue him. As it was, he was somewhat lame at the time of writing. Rentschler's photos please because he knows how to do it.

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Dexter pays a man to drown its dogs. Frank Uphaus, of Sharon, has moved to Jackson.

The M. E. society, of Saline, cleared \$70 by a fair.

Lewis Scherdt, of Sharon, has rented the Peter Neiss farm in Freedom.

Albert Seymour has exchanged his residence in Ypsilanti for a farm in Augusta.

Hillsdale defeated the Normals Thanksgiving day at football by a score of 21 to 0.

The Dexter council chamber costs the village \$10 a year, that amount being paid for its rental.

Manchester has 332 pupils enrolled in its schools of whom 183 are girls. There are 34 less boys than girls.

Horatio Burch, of Sharon, has returned to Boston to resume his duties on the celebrated ship Brooklyn.

The only bird's eye maple in Ypsilanti has been cut down. It stood in front of John Worden's residence.

Jacob C. Baur, of Lodi, and Miss Terna C. Mann, of Freedom, were married Thursday by Rev. Paul Irion.

Ed. Guinan, of Dexter, a former Ann Arborite, has accepted a position as salesman in a large Detroit hat store.

The Maccabees at Saline are pushing to the front. They held another highly interesting rally last Thursday night.

Fred Gunther and Miss Anna Mary Seitz, both of Saline, were married Tuesday, in Saline by Rev. C. Aug. Lederr.

The December meeting of the Saline Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Friday, Dec. 2.

Matthew Johnson, of Ypsilanti, was married in Sumpter, Wednesday, to Miss Mary L. Denson, of that town, by Rev. E. T. Gray.

The Saline Observer thinks that Sheriff Judson, when he becomes warden of the state prison, will appoint Mr. Rouse his deputy.

Barn building or repairing is the rage at Manchester. Horace Wisner and Sam Smith are the latest to come down with the disease.

Manchester has eight firms selling dry goods, boots and shoes, 10 selling stationery, 15 selling tobacco and cigars and 12 selling groceries.

Miss Clara Balden, who graduated in the Dexter high school last spring, will teach the winter term of school in the Beach district in Lima.

John L. Smith, of Dexter, found a pocketbook in the street the other day containing \$110. Mr. Smith was honest and returned the money to the owner before that person had discovered the loss.

Helen Spring is president of the newly organized Loyal Temperance Legion at Saline. The other officers are: Vice president, Chauncey Reeves; Secretary, Cora Hall; treasurer, Archie Barry; superintendent, Mrs. Flora Russell.

Olive Lodge, No. 166, F. & A. M., of Chelsea, has elected the following officers: W. M., R. S. Armstrong; S. W., H. S. Holmes; J. W., R. B. Waltrous; treasurer, J. A. Palmer; secretary, T. E. Wood; S. D., Wm. Bacon; J. D., H. H. Avery; tyler, W. E. Sumner.

Manchester Camp, No. 5,836, Modern Woodmen of America, has elected the following officers: Venerable consul, J. J. Briegel; clerk, Ernest Over-smith; worthy adviser, Albert Kiebler; excellent banker, Henry Landwehr; escort, George Deatle; physician, T. L. Iddings; watchman, Mat. Grossman; sentry, Fred Bentler; managers, T. L. Iddings, Ernest Paul, Lambert Reno.

Manchester Enterprise: Fred M. Freeman and A. J. Waters tried a law suit before Justice Kelly and six good men and true, Monday. It was about the value of a note for \$100 given by Ed. Clark, of Clinton, and traded by Wells Martin to Sam Bertke. The jury came near giving a verdict of no cause for action, but finally concluded to split the difference and call the note worth \$47.50.

The next meeting of the Washtenaw County Medical Society will be held at the Ypsilanti Sanitarium, Thursday, Dec. 1. Toasts will be responded to as follows: "The Ypsilanti Sanitarium," Dr. C. C. Yemans; "The Washtenaw County Medical Society," Dr. G. M. Hull; "The Press," by followers of that inspired calling; "The Wayne County Medical Society," by Dr. G. A. Kirker.

The new Presbyterian church at Saline is completed and will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies on Sunday, Dec. 4. The Rev. J. M. Barkley, D. D., of Detroit, will conduct the morning service and Rev. J. M. Gelston, of Ann Arbor, the afternoon service which will begin at 3 o'clock. Music especially for the occasion. The pipe organ has been entirely rebuilt and will be used for the first time. The public is most cordially invited.

George Fiegel and Miss Clara Baur of Lodi, were married at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon by the Rev. Mr. Clessler, of Bridgewater, at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gottlob Baur. The family and nearest friends of the contracting parties were present and a very happy wedding it was. Miss Emma Fiegel acted as bridesmaid and Her man Baur as groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Fiegel move today into their new home on the old Rogers place in Scio, five miles west of the city on the territorial road.

Rudolph Hoppe will build a residence in Chelsea.

Michael St. George, of near Milan, died of consumption Monday aged 72 years.

John Greening, of Chelsea, has been granted a pension of \$6 a month by Uncle Sam.

Miss Gertie Millsbaugh and H. Brauss, of Bridgewater, will be married Wednesday.

Otis A. Critchett and Louis A. Kline, two Milan soldiers, are home from Knoxville on 30 day furloughs.

Walter Spiegelberg, of Whitmore Lake, and Miss Minnie McHugh daughter of James McHugh, of Northfield, were married last Wednesday by Rev. Fr. Goldrick.

Lafayette Grange meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burkhart Thursday and will discuss, "Should farmers sacrifice personal interests for political purposes?" and "What is life and what are we going to do with it?"

Among the marriage licenses in the Monroe Democrat this week are two where one of the contracting parties are from this county; William E. Clark, 23, Lasalles, and Miss Allie E. Wilson, 18, Saline; George N. Boylan, 36, Ionia, and Elizabeth A. Cunningham, 22, Stoney Creek. Mr. Clark and Miss Wilson were married in Monroe town, Nov. 16.

Chelsea Standard: Chelsea is getting quite a reputation as the center of an onion growing country. There are over 65 car loads of the odorous bulbs stored in various places about the village. A carload will average about 450 bushels. This undoubtedly is the reason for the good health of the community, although it is noticed that when trains are passing through the village the trainmen invariably grasp their nose and hang on for dear life.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated into Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at the Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Drug Store, Ann Arbor, and G. Haussler, Manchester. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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COMMENCED AGAINST MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Wm. G. Lewick Was Hoisted on His Own Pry While Elevating a Telegraph Pole.

William G. Lewick, by his attorney A. J. Sawyer, has commenced suit against the Michigan Central railroad for \$10,000 damages. He was employed by the Central as a carpenter in fitting the cross arms to the new telegraph poles being put in between Geddes and Franciscoville for six months and his bill sets forth that on Nov. 18, 1897, when the company was moving a large pole, whose weight he estimates at 40 tons, he was called away from his work as carpenter and asked to assist the men in prying the pole out of the ground so that it could be moved into a new hole. He charges that through negligence the price of the other employees slipped from the hole and it fell to the bottom of the hole, while he was caught by his pry and thrown 18 feet in the air falling to the ground with great force and sustaining severe injuries to his head, arms, ribs, back, body and limbs. He claims to have paid out \$500 for physicians, nurses and help and to have been unable to pursue his vocation. For all of which he wants \$10,000 damages.

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LeBeau's New Home.

McCurdy C. LeBeau, an old Ann Arbor boy, is building two new houses in Detroit. We gave a description of one 10 days ago. The second house is the one in which he intends residing. It is being built on the south side of Ferry ave., between Woodward ave. and John R. st. The exterior is of buff pressed brick trimmed with Berea, O., sandstone and roof of unglazed green slate. It will have a frontage of 28 feet by 55 feet in depth, the interior being finished in quartered oak, curled birch, sycamore and Georgia pine. On the first floor will be a reception hall, parlor, sitting room, library, dining room and kitchen, with the customary acccessions of pantries, closets, toilet rooms, etc., also butler's pantry and china cabinet. On the second floor will be five chambers, each with closet adjoining, also bath room, linen closet, etc. The basement will contain laundry, vegetable and storage cellars and room for heating apparatus, which will be by hot water, also fuel room. The house will cost \$6,500.

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A CRAZY DRUNKARD'S

FURIOUS ASSAULT ON TWO MERCHANTS IN THEIR STORES.

The Assailant, a Northfield Farmer, Was Fighting Drunk.—Plead Guilty and Was Fined.

Christian Schlenker, J. F. Schaeberle and others were viciously assaulted last evening by George Bauer, of Northfield. None of the assaulted men knew the assailant or what was the matter with him. It was all over in a few minutes. Bauer, who was intoxicated, went into Schaeberle's store at 7:45 o'clock last evening to get some strings for a musical instrument. Mr. Schaeberle waited on him in person, and when Bauer came to pay for the strings he put his hand in his pocket and brought out a few pieces of paper which he threw on the counter. Schaeberle asked for his money, when Bauer said, "You've got my money and you've got 14 pieces of music belonging to me and I want them." Schaeberle had never seen him before, and when he stated to him that the paper wouldn't pass for money, Bauer hit him between the eyes, wounding his nose with his glasses. He followed this with a vicious blow on the jaw. Schaeberle attempted to defend himself, but receiving another heavy blow on the shoulder ran for protection into Chris. Schlenker's hardware store. Bauer followed hatless as was Schaeberle, and again assailed Schaeberle. A customer standing by the counter said something and received a blow from Bauer. Schlenker started to come to the rescue, when Bauer who saw him coming turned all his attention to him. He seized pans and cast iron implements, letting them fly with both hands at Schlenker. Schlenker was badly cut on the head and lip and had a severely bruised shoulder. Special policeman Blackburn, attracted by the people running to the scene was there at once and got a blow under the eye from the infuriated Bauer, but landed him safely in jail. Schlenker attempted to go back to his work but bled so freely that he was compelled to have Dr. Georg dress his wounds.

Bauer, who is a young farmer, was arraigned in Justice Duffy's court this morning. He said he supposed he was guilty. He had never had anything against Mr. Schlenker and if Mr. Schlenker said he had assaulted him he supposed it was so, but he didn't know anything about what he had done. He was fined \$20 and \$5.95 costs or 65 days in the Detroit house of correction.

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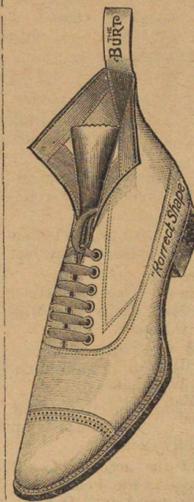
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LOCAL BREVITIES

From Monday's Daily Argus.

Plymouth has an Ann Arbor st.
 The city schools opened this morning after a two school days' vacation.
 Five men from the 34th Michigan have been transferred to Co. A, of the 81st Michigan.
 Lapeer sends six students to the university, who went home for the Thanksgiving vacation.
 There are seven railroad cases on the docket for the December term of court and nine divorce cases.
 The city will deliver the Farmers & Mechanics Bank \$31,000 of paving bonds tomorrow morning.
 First Lieut. Fred W. Greene gave the Ypsilanti company a Thanksgiving dinner at the Y. M. C. A. tent.
 There will be a party at the Nurses home tomorrow evening in honor of the graduation of Miss Bertha Dietzel.
 Saturday afternoon a marriage license was taken out for John G. Earl and Miss Annie E. Scott, both of Ypsilanti.
 Rev. J. T. Sunderland, in his sermon on Oakland, Cal., yesterday spoke on "What would I do if I were Twenty again."
 The branch of the D., Y. & A. A. electric line, through Plymouth and Northville from Wayne will be completed by Christmas.
 The barbers itch which has made its appearance in this city has also broken out in Tecumseh, where it afflicts young ladies and gentlemen alike.
 Mrs. J. W. Kline has just sold out her millinery stock in Hillsdale and after visiting friends in Chicago, will join her husband, who is a dental student in this city.
 The Northern Michigan Teachers' Association at Cadillac Saturday passed resolutions asking the legislature to provide three additional normal schools in various parts of the state.
 James Hagan died in Bennington yesterday aged 75 years. He will be brought here tomorrow. He was the father of Arthur Hagan, Mrs. George Cropsey and Mrs. John Tice, of this city, and Mrs. Kane, of Mt. Pleasant.
 Prof. A. B. Prescott testified in the Sanderson murder case in Battle Creek Saturday. He made a chemical examination of the murdered man's stomach and found six fragments of glass in the stomach and intestines and also arsenic.
 Two hoboes out of a party of five were injured by a freight train at Hillsdale last week one of whom died shortly afterwards. After an inquest his remains were shipped to this city. On each arm was tattooed an artistic India ink design. None of the other tramps knew where he belonged.
 President Angell has been invited to deliver the graduation address before Chicago University by the following telegram: "Chicago, Ill., Nov. 25. To James B. Angell, President University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.: Congratulate you on Michigan's victory. You will consent to give convocation address in January."
 "WILLIAM R. HARPER."
 The first annual report of the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor railroad makes a fine showing as to the earnings of the road. The income from the operation of the road was \$389,454.24. The gross earnings were \$1,415,559.42, expenses \$1,026,105.18. The interest on the bonded debt was \$280,000, interest on current debt \$7,136.80, taxes \$62,592.01. Net income \$62,592.01.
 The annual doll's bazaar of the Junior Auxiliary, of St. Andrew's church, will be held at Harris hall, Saturday afternoon and evening of this week. A large number of daintily dressed dolls will be exhibited for sale together with home made candies. The proceeds are to be used for a Christmas missionary box. The admission is five cents. Children under six, accompanied by older persons, free.
 Tie a string about a yard long to a common door key and take the string in the right hand, holding it so the key will clear the floor by four or five inches. If you can hold the key steady enough it will begin to swing back and forth in a straight line. Let another person take your right hand, the motion of the key will change from the pendulum-like swing to a circular swing. If a third person will place his hand on the shoulder of the second person the key will stop. Try it and then explain it if you can.
 The young Ypsilanti woman who telephoned information to the officers here which led to George Lane and William Dreyvon, of Dundee, being taken from an Ann Arbor train about 10 days ago, makes affidavit that the young man did not steal or carry away any money or valuables belonging to her and that any statement that they did is false and malicious. It will be remembered that the young men were released without any charge being preferred against them and in the light of this affidavit they stand acquitted of any wrong doing.

Judge T. A. Bogle is connecting up his home for electric lights.
 Lewis Kurtz is building an addition to his store, Koch Bros., contractors.
 The regular annual election of Welch Post, G. A. R., will occur Tuesday evening, Dec. 13.
 Grand Lecturer A. M. Clark will hold a school of instruction for the Masonic lodges of Washtenaw county at Ann Arbor Dec. 15.
 William James and William Duggan have commenced suit in the circuit court to enforce a mechanics' lien of \$62.73 for repairing the house of M. J. and Ellen Martin.
 Mrs. Ella M. Miller has commenced a suit for divorce against John Miller in the circuit court. She charges that he drove her and her two children out of the house after 11 o'clock at night.
 Attorney T. D. Kearney is moving his offices from E. Huron st. into the Lawrence block. In his new location he has an elegant front suite and will be much more pleasantly located than at present.
 The sixth annual conference of the teachers of chemistry will be held in room B of the chemical laboratory of the university Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 27 and 28. The last meeting was held in Chicago.
 William E. Stocking, of this city and Lima, is a candidate for sergeant-at-arms in the house at Lansing. He filled that position at the special session of the legislature. J. Q. A. Ramsey, of Detroit, is one of his opponents.
 Ray Norris and Mr. Hollinsein, have just instituted a new chapter of the Phi Chi fraternity in the New York college of pharmacy. The local chapter was organized here in 1883, and is the parent chapter. Another chapter exists in Chicago.
 Prof. E. Jay Hale, who graduated in the law department in '79 and for many years taught in the Detroit high school where he was the head of the commercial department, was found dead in his bed in a hotel in Marion, Ind., yesterday. He was the traveling representative of the Ellis Publishing Co. and married Miss Anna Wines of this city. His death is supposed, to have been caused either by heart disease or congestion of the brain.
 St. Mary's Lodge, No. 3, of the Free and Accepted African York Masons have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. M., J. T. Forchue; S. W., J. J. West; J. W., O. L. Jackson; treasurer, S. Adams; secretary, S. Baylis; S. D., J. A. Freeman; J. D., H. Thornton; stewards, G. A. Craig and G. W. Gough; Tyler, Thomas Gough. A public installation of these officers will be held next Monday evening at K. of P. hall corner of Washington and Main sts. to which the public is courteously invited. A talk on Masonry will be given by the Worthy Master-elect J. T. Forchue and a festival will follow. The committee on entertainment consists of S. Adams, J. J. West and J. A. Freeman.
 The next lecture in the Unity Club course will be given Monday evening, Dec. 5, by Hon. J. M. B. Sill, of Detroit, on "Korea and its People." Mr. Sill is very well known in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti, as he was formerly president of the Normal school at Ypsilanti and resided in this city when he was appointed U. S. minister to Korea by President Cleveland. He will speak from his own knowledge and observations of the people of that country. The fact that America is about to acquire valuable possessions in the Orient, and perhaps will be forced into participation in the solution of the eastern question makes it very desirable that our knowledge of the countries involved should be as thorough as possible. The lecture is therefore opportune.
About Catarrh.
 It is caused by a cold or succession of colds, combined with impure blood. Its symptoms are pain in the head, discharge from the nose, ringing noise in the ears. It is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which purifies and enriches the blood, soothes and rebuilds the tissues and relieves all the disagreeable sensations.
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The Cost of Running for Office.
 A number of affidavits of election expenses have been filed at the county clerk's office. O. E. Butterfield as chairman, puts the expenses of the republican county committee at \$850. For clerk, it cost Jacob F. Schuh \$327, and John Heinemann, \$315. For prosecuting attorney, Frank E. Jones spent \$85 and Maj. John P. Kirk \$175. Geo. A. Cook spent \$195 for register of deeds. It cost Arthur J. Waters \$220 in the second legislative district, while his successful opponent, Henry Stumpfenhusen spent \$47.28. B. F. Watts spent \$10 in making the run for coroner and Dr. C. F. Kapp cut his expenses down to 20 cents. George S. Wheeler spent \$69.64 and O. E. Butterfield and Fred W. Greene made affidavit that it didn't cost them anything to run for circuit court commissioner.
A Gift to the University.
 Mr. H. A. Wetzel, secretary of the firm of Parke, Davis & Co., Detroit, has recently given to the observatory of the University of Michigan an interesting and valuable cast. It is a hemisphere, about two and one-half feet in diameter, representing the face of the moon, the various elevations and depressions being indicated in their due proportions with extreme accuracy. The cast is highly attractive in appearance and interesting to the casual observer, as well as of great usefulness in the teaching of astronomy.
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Bring in your children, they will very soon show you what they wish, and anything here is sure to fit your purse, for

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"A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" to all our friends and patrons and as Rip Van Winkle says "May you live long and prosper."

The Racket

202 E. Washington St.

PERSONAL.

Walter C. Mack will be in Manchester Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Will Boyden, of Delhi Mills, visited in Kalamazoo last week.

Miss Dunlap, of Whitmore Lake, is visiting the Misses Kearney, of Forest ave.

Miss Pauline Gerbach, of Chelsea, visited Miss Eliza Armbruster over Sunday.

Mrs. L. L. James is in Dexter visiting her mother Mrs. J. T. Honey, who is sick.

Dr. LeSueur did his first work since his return from the army at the college yesterday.

Rev. Lawrence Cole is in Ann Arbor visiting his mother. He leaves for Michigan City on Friday.

Miss Emma E. Bower was in Chelsea yesterday attending the funeral of her cousin Stephen Chase.

Mrs. Michael O'Kane, of Mt. Pleasant, is in the city to attend the funeral of her father James Hagan.

George J. Mann, county treasurer-elect, was in the city Tuesday getting accustomed to the ways of the court house.

Sheriff Judson has kindly consented to coach Sheriff-elect Gillen in the matter of feeding prisoners and otherwise holding down the sheriff's office.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hammond, of Augusta, were in the city yesterday on their way home from Grand Rapids where they have been visiting friends.

Mrs. M. Earley, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Andrew Meade, of Ann Arbor town, for the past three months, returned to her home in Los Angeles, Cal., yesterday.

L. A. McDiarmid, formerly superintendent of schools of Chelsea, more recently of the 32d Michigan Volunteers, was in the city. He has been mustered out of the service on account of poor health. He went to his home in Grand Rapids Wednesday evening.

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C. SCHLENKER, the hardware man, is loaded down with Royal Acorn base heaters and Round Oak heaters, also a large line of the celebrated air tight heaters.

Baltimore Oysters at Besimer's.

One of the results of the recent Argus-Democrat combine at Ann Arbor, has been the production of a very much alive democratic daily—something that the local democracy has needed to galvanize it into activity. The new daily urges the revivification of the democratic party and advises it to do business in its own name hereafter, which implies that it had been trying to do business in its wife's name and had not succeeded very well. It is possible that the goods handled were not what the people wanted. The Herald wishes the Daily Argus all prosperity.

It is shown by the Lansing Republican that the mastodon skeleton, for which Dr. Kost, of Adrian, sues the Lake Shore road for \$10,000 for fracturing its bones, had received the approval of President Angell who had recommended an appropriation of \$20,000 by the legislature to enable its introduction to the museum of the university. The legislature was in session at the time and the prehistoric monster had been shipped to Lansing for the inspection of that honorable body. The accident to his mastodontic majesty prevented a meeting between the two greatest curiosities of that time.

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AN OLD NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD

Who Learned His Trade on the Argus Fifty Years Ago.

Levi T. Hull, editor and proprietor of the St. Joseph County Advertiser, whose death occurred at Constantine, of nervous prostration, Tuesday evening, was an old time employee of the Argus. He learned the printers' trade in the Argus office, entering the same in 1848 and remaining until 1850. The writer of this sketch knew Mr. Hull personally and well and has sat with him in his office and listened with interest to reminiscences of the Argus in those early days and stories of Mr. Hull's experiences as a pioneer of Washtenaw county in still earlier times.

Mr. Hull was born in Monroe county, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1830, and came with his parents to the then new state of Michigan in 1838, settling in the township of Augusta, this county. Inside of three years he was left an orphan and from that time on he was obliged to paddle his own canoe. He went to live in the family of Austin Converse, of Bridgewater. He continued to call it home there until 1848. During these years he helped to clear and develop a farm in the heavy timber which then covered this section. After two years as a member of the Argus staff, he went to Centerville and leased the St. Joseph County Advertiser. Later he purchased the paper and in 1851 moved the plant to Constantine where he has ever since continued its publisher and proprietor. It will thus be seen that he has been 50 years in the harness as a newspaper man.

Mr. Hull married Miss Helen Gray, of Constantine, in 1853. The marriage has been blessed with six children, five of whom are now living. Three of these, Lee G., Henry E. and Fred A. were brought up in their father's calling and still follow it, the two former being managers of the Advertiser and the latter being connected with the Newspaper Union, of Port Wayne, Ind. Warren C. is superintendent of schools at Flint, and Helen L. is the wife of Rev. Bastian Smits, of Charlotte, formerly of Ypsilanti.

Mr. Hull had the confidence of his fellow citizens as is attested by the numerous public positions which he held. He was township clerk for 20 years, justice of the peace, member of the constitutional convention of 1867, assistant assessor of internal revenue until the office was abolished, collector of internal revenue for the second district of Michigan and deputy collector. In all these positions he was efficient and performed his duties to the satisfaction of the public.

In politics he was a republican. He was a man of decided convictions and never hesitated to uphold his convictions in his newspaper. The Advertiser has always wielded much influence throughout the bounds of its circulation.

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MARTIN HALLER.

SMITH'S GINGERSNAPS.

His Pointed Pen's Latest Work on the Jackson Herald.

The Chelsea Herald man enquires who will bring him a fat turkey. Not we—for the simple reason that we haven't any ourselves.—A. A. Argus-Democrat. Owing to the moonlight nights, or has the right hand of the A. A. D. itemizer forgotten its cunning?

Aaron H. Sanford, of Milan, walked out into a pasture the other day and while there, was waited on by a committee, who invited him to retire. The committee consisted of a bull. Although he waited on Mr. Sanford, he didn't wait long, and when the Milanese struck the ground on the other side of the fence, two of his ribs were broken.

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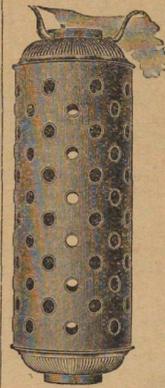
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