

PINGREE VS. BOONE

Governor Said to Have Written a Letter.

THREATENS NORMAL BILL

While Boone Remains in the Presidency.

But President Boone Has Another Year to Serve and Will Undoubtedly Decline to Move for Politicians—A Resume of the Trouble.

The trouble which has been precipitated at the State Normal College appears to be serious and to threaten the highest interests of that important institution. The trouble appears to be chiefly on the outside, however, rather than within the institution, for the year just closing is acknowledged to be one of the most quiet and prosperous in its history. This row is but a resurrection of the fight of some years ago on the president. President Richard G. Boone is a strong man and any institution at the head of which he stands will always know that he is no inconsiderable factor in its affairs. This is and has been the source of much of his trouble as president of the college. That he has made mistakes goes without saying. That he is not always diplomatic and that he is not always as tactful as he might be is possibly true, but it is equally true that as an educator he is more than the peer of any of his predecessors, the strongest man who has ever been at the head of the institution. In fact his strength has been his weakness.

It is alleged that President Boone is dictatorial and heartless, untruthful and fails to pay his debts, but these things seem not to have militated against the progress and growth of the school. The years of his administration have been prosperous without exception. The institution has grown in numbers, making necessary more buildings, and an enlarged faculty. The graduating classes have more than tripled. The numbers graduating from the life certificate courses have largely increased as have the number of high school graduates who enter. All this too in spite of the fact that the courses of study have been enriched and extended.

As to his dictatorial policy, it seems to have consisted principally in his determination to exercise those functions which belong to his office. When it is known that the entire administrative work of the institution is in the hands of eight committees appointed by the council which is the administrative body of the college, it is difficult to see where the opportunity for the alleged dictatorialness comes in. His heartlessness appears likewise to consist in recommending for dismissal teachers who are thought to be inefficient and unable or unwilling to do the work properly required of them.

So far as the Argus is able to learn the charges of lack of veracity have grown out of issues which have been hotly contested such as the dropping of certain teachers. Under such circumstances such charges are to be taken with a grain of allowance. So far as the discourtesy to and bad treatment of Misses Plunkett and Berkey, as alleged in the Free Press is concerned, the Argus has been unable to obtain any information; but if this charge is on a par with the falsity of the charges relative to the teachers who were discharged two years ago, they are entitled to no consideration whatever. In the cases of Miss Cannell, of Lansing, and Miss Ball, they were not tendered a re-engagement because their work was not satisfactory either to President Boone or the state board of education. The board of education was certainly in sympathy with him in the matter. If there was discourtesy and treatment to cause indignation in the fact of not retaining teachers who were considered inefficient, then these teachers were discourteously treated but not otherwise. Relative to Mr. Hiram W. Miller, his work was not questioned but his trouble was an unfortunate temper which he seemed not to be able to control at all times. He had been warned of what this would lead to. Miss Ida Taylor was not retained because of her refusal to do certain model lesson work required of her in her grades. Her position left no possible ground for compromise. Everyone who has had experience with school matters understands how extremely difficult it is to get rid of an inefficient teacher without causing trouble and just such charges as are made against President Boone. Yet who will say that they should be retained year after year, especially in a normal school when the work is constantly held up to those who are fitting themselves for teachers as model work?

In regard to Prof. Simmons, it is well known that his appointment was made under circumstances which caused much talk at the time. He was a member of the state board of education and as a member of the board remarked "pulled the wires" for the place he was appointed to. President Boone did not desire Prof. Hoyt to be transferred from the superintendency of the training school to the department of

pedagogy in order to make room for Mr. Simmons. He declined to recommend the appointment of Mr. Simmons. Prof. Hoyt did not desire the position to which he was transferred and did not consider himself best qualified for that work. Nevertheless it was done and Mr. Simmons resigned from the board at the very meeting at which he was appointed superintendent of the training school. In the talk at the time it was said he was not agreeable to certain members of the board or the faculty while in the position of a member of the board. Therefore the board proceeded to put him in a subordinate position from which it was said he could be dropped at any time. That the president of the college should not have the highest regard for a teacher so appointed is not surprising. The Argus understands, however, that his only objection to Mr. Simmons is on the ground of his work.

All these things would seem to be within the legitimate sphere of the president. That his hand is upon the institution in its entirety is true. This activity and progressiveness has been distasteful to some members of the faculty. But those members of the faculty who have been most displeased with him and are his enemies are the very ones who used all their influence to secure his appointment. They likewise were leaders in working to secure the removal of Principal Sill. It will thus be seen that the condition of dissatisfaction with the head of the institution is chronic with them. Some years ago, during the principalship of Mr. Sill, after an election of two new members of the board, a committee of the faculty composed partly of those members who are regarded as unfriendly to the present administration, asked for a conference with the members of the board elect. The purpose was to lay before the members elect, before their terms began, the weaknesses and inefficiency of Mr. Sill. They did not wish the new members to find out for themselves the facts in the case, but to have them come upon the board with preconceived notions, if possible, prejudiced against him. This element of the faculty has long made the burdens of the executive head of the institution doubly heavy. If anyone interested in

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TWO NEW BUILDINGS

WILL GO UP ON THE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS.

When the New Appropriation Becomes Available—Some of the Speeches Made.

This morning's Detroit papers contain the following additional particulars of the passage of the one-quarter mill University tax:

Rep. Waterbury, of Oakland county, was the only man that took the floor against the bill, and Reps. Carton, Chamberlain, Lusk, Cheever, Dingley and Hememan all made eloquent addresses for the state's greatest institution. Carton said that a man might send an express package to "John Jones, Ann Arbor," with no other address, from any corner of the English-speaking world, and it would go straight to Ann Arbor, Mich., so famous has the university made the town. Even Uncle Ben. Colvin made a good speech for the bill, saying he had never been to school but 30 days in his life but he wanted the young men and women of today to have educational advantages. It was first considered in committee of the whole, and when the committee arose the rules were suspended on Dudley's motion, and it was passed at once. An amendment was added on Chamberlain's motion, so as to give the university the benefit of the increase in 1899. Representative Dingley called attention to the fact that the state appropriates half a million every year to take care of the insane and that it ought not to begrudge half that amount to improve the minds of its men and women.

Dean Hutchins, Secretary Wade and Dr. R. S. Copeland, of the university were in Lansing, and were delighted with the passage of the bill. The increased income will enable the regents to build a science building and homeopathic hospital. There are now two hospitals, both of which are crowded. The present homeopathic hospital will be turned over to the regular school, and a new one will be built, probably across from the gymnasium, on the corner of N. University and Washtenaw aves.

Lima.

Gus Solt, of the 31st Michigan, has been calling on Lima friends.

Arif and Estella Guerin spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Orla Wood spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Boin, to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Covert, a girl, May 16.

John Solt spent Sunday at Pleasant Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Guerin, from Chelsea, spent Sunday at Jay Woods.

Ed. Beach is sick with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Prettyman, from Ann Arbor, called at Mrs. O. B. Guerin's Sunday.

Decoration day will be observed here next Sunday, W. W. Wedemeyer will deliver the address at 2:30.

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A DETERMINED MAN

With a Strong Dislike to Staying in Jail.

HE MADE THREE SAWS

And Had Made Himself a Weapon.

But Arthur Stark's Layout Was Discovered by Deputy Sheriff Fred Gillen Who Suspected Him of a Second Attempt.

Arthur Stark who is in the county jail awaiting trial at the October term of court for assault on a young lady teacher of Lima township, was detected by Deputy Sheriff Fred Gillen yesterday with a number of tools in his possession which he evidently intended to use in making his way to liberty. Fred had had suspicions for some days that there was something wrong in the cage where Stark has been confined since his effort of some weeks ago to saw his way to the outside. He accordingly proceeded to examine his cell. In his bed, wound up in the blanket, he found a brace which had been filed off his bed. He also found a three cornered file about six or eight inches long. And in a magazine, between the leaves, he discovered three saws made from a case knife. Stark had taken a case knife and split it through the middle of the blade. One of the blades had been cut in two and made into two saws. The other half was made into a single saw. The teeth were very regular, indicating that Stark knew something of steel work. He had built a fire in the ventilation flue in the wall where the slop pail is kept and in this fire tempered the steel. It was a good job throughout. Fred asked him what he had to say for himself. He replied that he was saying nothing. Fred then compelled him to strip to the skin and be searched. He was then transferred to a solitary cell and his old cell stripped and every thing carefully examined.

Stark is evidently a sleek one and will bear constant watching. He need have no fears that he will escape the vigilance of the sheriff's force. Much credit is due Fred for his work in discovering what the fellow was up to.

THE BASEBALL CAPTAIN.

Of the University Faculty Ball Team is Portrayed.

The faculty baseball game for the benefit of Co. A's armory to be played June 2, bids fair to be a most enjoyable event, especially for the spectators.

This is a picture of the captain of the university faculty. Guess the position he will play.

IT WILL BE BUILT SOON

A NEW OPERA HOUSE FOR ANN ARBOR THEATRE GOERS.

It is to be of the Style of the Ypsilanti Theatre Only Much Larger and Finer.

Upon the authority of a certain business man in this city who can be relied upon, the Daily Argus is allowed today to state that Ann Arbor is to have a new opera house. For certain reasons the location for the building is not yet ready for publication.

The building is to be built by outside capital, a part, however, will be furnished in this city. It will be along the style of the Ypsilanti theatre only much larger, and will also be a somewhat better style. Particulars will be printed later when matters have more fully shaped themselves.

WILL NOT BE CLEANED.

Petition to Clean Out Two Drains Dismissed.

A preliminary hearing was had this afternoon by Judge of Probate Newkirk on the petition to clean out Sugar No. 1, Black Fork and Sugar Creek No. 2, drains in Augusta township. M. J. Cavanaugh of the law firm of Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer appeared for Daniel Barry the drain commissioner and Attorney William H. Murray for the contestants. Without going into the merits of the case, Mr. Murray objected to the hearing on the grounds that the ditches affected waters in two counties and therefore the county drain commissioner of Monroe county should have been notified of the proceedings. He presented a neatly drawn map of the ditches and grounds. Mr. Cavanaugh did not dispute the proposition of law as to drains affecting other counties. He said it was only a question of proof. Witnesses were sworn and proof given sufficient to satisfy Judge Newkirk and the petition was dismissed. Among those present from the township of Augusta were Henry Thompson, David Lindsley, Daniel Murray and Jonathan Wardell.

A \$20 DOG.

Was Shot in Milan and a Lawsuit Ensued.

Milan, Mich., May 24.—(Special correspondence).—The jury in the dog case tried before Justice Dolye, today found a verdict of \$20 in favor of the plaintiff, Eli Kinnear, of Monroe county. The case has excited much attention and a large crowd of people were in attendance at the trial. Ex-Sheriff Archie Gauntlett and Albert Holland some time ago were out hunting, shot a large shepherd dog the property of Kinnear, who claimed the dog was very valuable and had an exemplary character. The defendants on the other hand claimed the dog had a very bad character and that they killed the dog in self defense as the dog was about to chew them up into ribbons, and save their bodies from being made into mincemeat. A large number of witnesses were sworn. Attorneys D. C. Salisbury and Frank Stivers represented the plaintiff and Frank Jones the defendant. The defendants say they will appeal the case.

IN TWENTY FOUR HOURS

H. T. Morton Can Organize to Build Saline Road.

Hudson T. Morton, who is just now promoting a proposed electric line between Ann Arbor and Saline said this morning: "I can organize a company in 24 hours to build the line if we had the franchise we want in this city and in one month I could have all the switches built. There must be no street sprinkling in the franchise. I can get the switches and curves needed in this city put in by the Illinois Steel Co. or the Page Iron Company within a month. These companies have the needed switches and curves already built for other lines on which work has been delayed. You can also get rails for the needed city line within that time. The T rails for the country line it would take longer to get. "If we put in \$75,000 towards starting this thing, they will build it to Adrian from Ann Arbor. Of course they will also want the mortgage bonds. The grading on the Ypsilanti line to Saline has already been completed for three or four miles.

IT'S HARD TO GIVE UP

DETROIT DOCTORS STILL WORKING FOR REMOVAL.

Knocked Out in the State Society They Want the State to Build a Homeopathic Hospital in Detroit.

It is very hard for the Detroit homeopathic physicians formerly connected with the homeopathic department to give up the idea of the removal of the homeopathic department to Detroit, although they have not recently been making much progress. At the meeting of the Michigan State Homeopathic Society held in Detroit, the president of the society in his annual message, recommended the removal of the homeopathic department at the university from Ann Arbor to Detroit. The committee to consider the message struck out this and recommended instead the endorsement of the homeopathic school in Ann Arbor and the establishment of a pathogenetic laboratory here.

Dr. McLachlan, whose confirmation as a member of the state board was secured by his promise to cease agitation of the subject opposed the society holding its next session here as the doctors might get too good an idea of the good work being done by the college here.

Now that the new homeopathic hospital is to be built here, the Detroit workers see that another good reason is apt to grow up against the removal of the department to Detroit, they are casting longing eyes towards the \$25,000 which was once appropriated for the removal of the department to Detroit and are pushing the appropriation of another \$25,000 to be put with this for the erection of a homeopathic hospital in Detroit.

VERY NARROW ESCAPE

EDWARD HOELZLE FELL BETWEEN MOVING CARS.

Saved by the Promptness of Agent Gilmore Who Held Him Down Till the Train Passed.

Edward Hoelzle, a member of Co. A, narrowly escaped being killed at the Ann Arbor depot yesterday afternoon. If it had not been for the presence of mind of Agent Gilmore he would have been cut to pieces. He tried to board the north bound passenger train while in motion and fell between the cars with his head and shoulders across the rail. Mr. Gilmore grasped Hoelzle and pulled him back between the rail and the platform and held his head down so as to clear the steps. At this time Hoelzle made an effort to get up by throwing a leg out. Mr. Gilmore quickly pulled this also into line and held Hoelzle down until the train passed. He got up without being injured and got on the train which had stopped. If he had not been held down as he would have been cut to pieces. As it was, barring a few scratches, he was uninjured.

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WHERE WAS ITS OFFICE

THE QUESTION IN ISSUE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The Toledo Ice Co. Claims Its Business Office Was in Ann Arbor and Not at the Lake.

Monday afternoon the time of the circuit court has been occupied with the case of the Toledo Ice Co. vs. Frank Munger. Some time in February last 14 of the employees of the Ice Co. sued the company for their wages and obtained a judgment, the company not defending. Later one of these employees placed his judgment amounting to \$13 and some cents and \$9 costs in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Munger. He levied on some of the company's property to satisfy the judgment. And the present suit in replevin is brought to recover possession of the property. The contention in the matter is over the question of the location of the company's business office and who their agent is. The papers in the suit of the men for their wages were served on Carnsey who appears to transact the business at Whitmore Lake, but the company claims he is not their agent but that E. S. Gilmore, of this city, is their agent and the papers should have been served on him and consequently that the judgment against the company was not valid. The case is still in progress.

IN THE PROBATE COURT.

Petitions in Two Estates Have Been Filed.

Charles Worden, executor named in the will of Mrs. Mary P. Wheeler, has filed a petition in the probate court to have the instrument admitted to probate. The will is dated Jan. 28, 1899. The bequest are 100 each to Thomas and Elizabeth Wheeler nephew and niece; to Betsy Kierstead a sister \$600, a family bible and certain other personal effects, Mary King a sister \$400, gold spectacles, etc., Elymer DeForest a nephew certain personal effects, Rev. John W. Bradshaw, a mahogany book case, and the Congregational Home Missionary society \$20. The residue to be given to his sisters. The estate is estimated at \$1,600.

A petition was filed to have an administrator appointed in the estate of John Cubitt, deceased, of Pittsfield, who died Feb. 22, 1897. The heirs are three minor children, Emma D., Louis Edward and Ellen. The estate is estimated at \$200.

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Senator Burrows says the state can't afford to dispense with the services of Senator McMillan at this time. The Columbian orator means that he cannot afford to dispense with McMillan's services.

The Michigan delegation in congress finds itself just now in possession of a little influence. The members have votes and the various candidates for the speakership are paying them court. Through this chance they may receive some good committee appointments.

When the peace conference at The Hague gets fully organized and down to routine, it will be time for some of the representatives then to waylay the Chinese representative and make him give up a chunk of Chinese territory before being allowed to participate farther in the proceedings.

Every indication points to early peace in the Philippines. Late news from there says a commission is already on the way to offer unconditional surrender. It must be apparent to the Filipino leaders that there can be no possible gain to them in continuing the war. Their armies are easily defeated in every engagement. What remains of their organized forces are practically surrounded and must either surrender or take to the mountains and cease organized resistance. It would seem that an early peace must be the outcome of such conditions.

The principal cause of the dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela over the boundary was the discovery of gold in the territory which England claimed. After this discovery, she extended her claims far beyond any previous contention and refused to listen to any appeal for a compromise until Cleveland's message of 1895. This amounted to a threat of war and it is surprising that Great Britain took it in the spirit she did. But it accomplished its purpose and led Great Britain to consent to do what she should have done a generation before, submit the dispute to arbitration.

Mayor Van Wyck testified before the Mazet committee that the republicans whom he appointed to positions in Greater New York were appointed at the suggestion of Platt. He made these appointments, he said, at the wish of Platt because Platt, being the boss of the republican party, had earned the right to make the demand. Such is bossism. At the time of the campaign, it was freely asserted and generally believed that Gen. Tracey, the Platt candidate was only a dummy, put up to defeat Low and insure the election of Van Wyck. The admissions of Van Wyck practically confirm the deal between Croker and Platt whereby the election of Van Wyck was made certain for a division of the spoils.

One of the greatest and most interesting contests in history is about to begin at Paris. This is the arbitration of the disputed boundary between British Guiana and Venezuela. The tribunal which will sit as a high court of justice to arbitrate the differences between the two nations is composed of Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer of the United States supreme court, representing Venezuela, the lord chief justice of England and Justice Collins representing Great Britain and Prof. Martens of St. Petersburg selected by the other arbitrators. Ex-President Harrison sailed for Paris on Wednesday where he is to act as leading counsel for Venezuela. The ability represented upon the board of arbitrators and by the counsel, is of the highest order. The land in dispute and the whole history of the case combine to make a most important mile stone in the onward march of the principle of arbitration. For 50 years England had kept the question a brewing and declined to listen to any settlement except on her terms. To President Cleveland belongs the honor of finally bringing her to book in the matter through his famous message which startled the world. The spectacle of this great legal contest, substituting arbitration for the usual appeal to force, ought to be an inspiration to the peace conference sitting at the Hague.

Aguinaldo ought to be convinced by this time that Gen. Otis does not deal in armistices.

The peace conference at the Hague does not meet under the most favorable auspices. While Russia is the prime mover in the matter, her treatment of Finland and her continued aggressions in China indicate her faith is still pinned to the principle of the "right of might." Germany is seizing another chunk of Chinese territory and England is said to be preparing to gobble the Transvaal and even Uncle Sam has some little unpleasantness in different quarters of the earth.

The leading newspapers of Germany are saying that the Monroe doctrine no longer obtains in the affairs of the United States since our acquisition of the Philippines. They therefore advise Germany to inaugurate new colonial schemes in South America. They assert that Germany is now strong enough to acquire sovereign rights in South America and she should proceed to do it. But they make a grave mistake in supposing that the Monroe doctrine is dead. It was never less a corpse than today. Germany could very readily find this out by proceeding to do what these newspapers advise.

Gov. Roosevelt is expected to call a special session of the New York legislature to amend and improve the Franchise Tax bill which recently passed at the regular session. Boss Platt is alleged to have told the governor it was a proper bill for his veto and that it should not become law. Teddy showed his teeth, as is his wont, and then his courage by his determination to call a special session to improve the bill. It will require much courage to do this because it will displease the very powerful element upon whom this new burden of taxation is laid, an element which is generally powerful enough to avoid all taxation on such property.

What Cuba needs more than anything else just now is workers. If the Cuban soldiers could be transformed into workers, as is done in the United States, the Cuban problem would soon be settled. The leaders are probably the greatest hindrance to this. Having tasted the sweets of authority, they apparently contemplate the return to prosaic pursuits of private life with anything but satisfaction. They seem to think the laying down of arms will lose to them utterly an authority which they already feel is slipping from them. They have little appreciation of real republican government. Their conception of it is that which prevails generally in the Spanish American republics, that power having been once acquired shall be maintained by any means possible as long as possible.

Gen. Brookes seems to be in a fair way after all to settle the question of surrendering the old guns held by the Cuban soldiers without doing violence to any sentiment they may hold on the subject. The Cuban military assembly before it disbanded voted that the arms be surrendered to the mayors of Cuban towns. This the Cuban officers are willing should be done. Now these officials are appointees of Brookes' and are Spaniards and friendly Cubans. It would appear, therefore, that the arms will be safe in their hands and will not find their way back into the hands of the soldiers again who might desire to turn banditti. Brookes' plan contemplates the presentation of the soldiers identification papers to the mayor of the nearest town along with his gun. The mayor will then give him a certificate upon which the presentation of which to the United States paymaster he will receive his portion of the \$3,000,000 fund. Why is not this a satisfactory solution of the problem?

Rayman Reyes Lala, a Filipino by birth, but a long time resident of the United States and an American citizen has an interesting article in the New York "Independent" on the conditions in the Philippines. He says that to the casual observer it might seem that nothing is now left the rebels but to surrender, but nevertheless, Aguinaldo has not yet played his last card. He thinks the Filipino leader has arranged to hold out as long as possible, by retreating to the swamps and mountains, if need be, with the expectation that in time some foreign assistance may come to him or that there may be large accessions to his forces at home. His idea is that the Americans should continue as they have begun and crush the rebels at the earliest possible moment. He says it is the belief of the best element of his countrymen that the Filipinos are not yet able to govern themselves, but are capable of self-government under American supervision. He says the Filipinos are easy

to govern, if they are dealt with gently and firmly and their confidence secured. He declares that the great body of the people have never been in sympathy with the so-called government of Aguinaldo and they are weary alike of foreign oppression and domestic tyranny and are eagerly awaiting American rule. He believes the United States will give the Filipinos an able and beneficent government.

WASHTENAWISMS

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co. has not only sodded the west entrance to the tunnel but has set out flower beds, put in a fountain, etc.—Howell Republican.

Miss Fannie Warner has been appointed manager of the Bell Telephone Co.'s interests here. Workmen have been at work all the week changing the wires and switchboard and the office is now located in the Kempf bank block.—Chelsea Standard.

There were about 30 of the stockholders in the Manchester creamery and cheese factory in attendance at the meeting last Saturday afternoon, and a permanent organization was affected. Ten per cent of the capital stock, which is \$4,000, was paid in and the association will be incorporated under the state laws. J. A. Lowery, of this village, George Walter, of Bridgewater, John Doerfler, of Norvell, Matt. Alber, of Freedom, and Bert Rose of Sharon, were elected directors for the coming year and they elected James A. Lowery president, and Ed. E. Root, secretary and treasurer.—Manchester Enterprise.

The following from the Manchester Enterprise is in line with what the Daily Argus published some time ago. At the time it caused some attention by parties interested in the village. The question of what is underneath the town can be solved by the citizens if they will be public spirited and put up the money. "Rev. Fr. Greenwald, of Detroit, who has been visiting Fr. Heidenreich, was formerly from Pittsburgh, and knows something about minerals, and he was positive that there is iron underneath this town and in paying quantities. He examined some of the soil and vows that it is so rich in iron that it would pay to have it smelted. There are plenty of people here who believe that there are valuable minerals here, but they won't invest their dollars in making a test. It would cost about \$3,000 to get a practical man to come here with apparatus to sink a well, say 1,000 feet, but if we could strike coal, iron, oil or gas in paying quantities Manchester would take a boom that would set half our inhabitants crazy. Perhaps that's the reason they won't try."

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Estate of Phoebe Washburne.

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 Wednesday, the 10th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Phoebe Washburne, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Ellen Hurd, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Ernest W. Hurd or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of June next, at 10 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, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Estate of Jane Freeman.

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 8th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jane Freeman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of S. W. Beakes, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself the executor in said will named or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, 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 Court, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Estate of Lydia Sutherland.

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 28th day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lydia Sutherland, deceased.

Charles H. Worden, the administrator with will annexed of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 29th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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, 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 administrator 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 circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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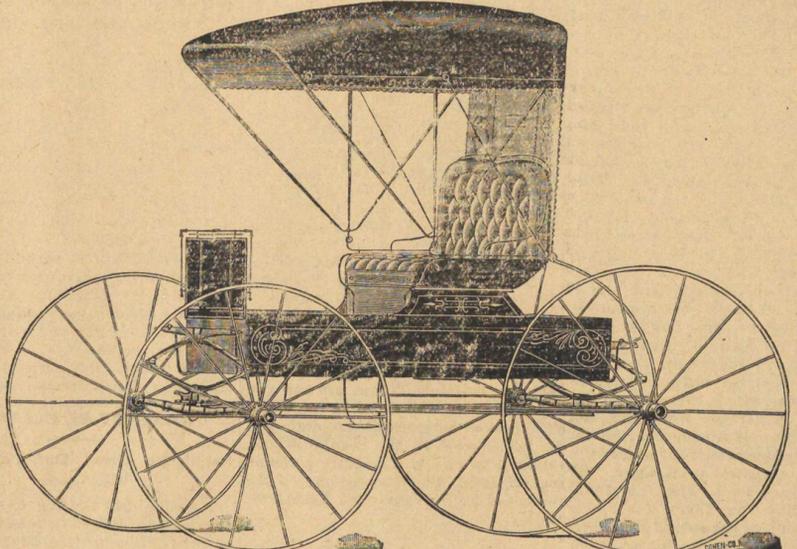
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PINGREE VS BOONE.

(Continued from first page.)

the mater will take the trouble to look up the history, he will find that the various principals of the institution have not been long lived. President Boone is already approaching the limit. During the administration of the saintly Estabrook, life was made a burden to him and he was finally driven out. He was followed by Dr. McVicar who in order to maintain himself was forced to ride rough shod over certain of the faculty. He found the position so unpleasant and unsatisfactory that he took the first opportunity to lay the burden down. He was followed by Edwin Willetts whose term was brief. He left to become president of the agricultural college. The institution never felt his individuality. Then came J. M. B. Sill. The institution prospered under his administration but a considerable element of the faculty was against him and intrigued to get him out. He was considered a weakling and his suggestions and advice were scorned and defied. President Boone has never been a figure head. He has been an ever active, forceful, progressive factor in the life of the institution. The changes which have been made in the faculty upon his recommendation have generally resulted in strengthening the faculty. Better work was never done in the institution than now and it never stood higher. Dr. Boone's ability as an educator is unquestioned. He is in demand at all sorts of teachers' gatherings and summer schools as a lecturer and he has given the State Normal College a reputation far beyond our state which it has never had before. He is likewise an author of note.

It is altogether human that there should be differences among the members of so large a faculty as that of the State Normal College, but when these become so great as to threaten the highest interests of the institution, they or the persons responsible, should be cut out, root and branch. And when the time comes that the good of the college demands the retirement of President Boone, there are others who should go with him, for their responsibility for the existing difficulties is not small. The same remedy that was applied by the board of regents to the homeopathic medical college here will then serve the best interests of the school.

It is alleged that President Boone does not pay his bills promptly. For whatever of truth there may be in this charge, the Argus has no word of defense. But it is at a loss to understand why so much is made of the charge by citizens, when it is known that at the time of President Boone's appointment, various prominent citizens used their best endeavors with the state board of education to secure the appointment to the presidency of the college of a former professor of the institution who removed from the city with various unpaid bills some of which at least were still running at the time said citizens desired his appointment to the presidency. This would indicate that there must be some other animus.

It is understood the state board of education is split in two in the middle that the two who are opposed to President Boone are Perry E. Powers and Jason E. Hammond. These men are mere politicians and birds of a feather. The institution is most unfortunate in having two such men on its board of control. The furthering of their own political ambitions is the matter of first importance with them. The rule under which every person on the pay roll of the college, from the president down to the janitor, is "re-hired" each year, a rule which lowers the dignity of every position in the faculty, is a conception of theirs. It was alleged at the time this regulation was passed that its object was to enable these two members to get President Boone out of the institution. But under this rule he has been re-engaged for the coming year and it is not clear how they can get him out, if he declines to resign, which he undoubtedly will do. There is concerted action emanating from some source to bring about the resignation of President Boone. It is understood a letter is extant over the signature of Gov. Pingree in which his purpose not to sign any appropriation bill for the Normal College while Dr. Boone is at its head, is declared. The short sighted people who are responsible for bringing on this row at the present time, may thus find that they have done an irreparable injury to the institution in their zeal to "down" President Boone. Should this result come upon the college, those who have been responsible will have an account to settle with the people. The end is not yet.

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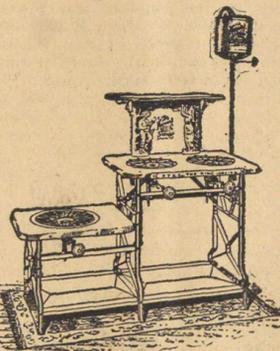
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

From Friday's Daily Argus.

There will be two weddings celebrated in St. Andrew's church the first week in June.

The Harugari Society will give a dancing party in Germaniana hall May 30. All members of Co. A will be admitted free.

The drinking fountain secured by the city last year has been placed on the north side of Brown's drug store. It will prove of great convenience and be much appreciated.

During the month of April, 166 patients were registered at the University hospital of the University of Michigan. The average number of patients was 82, the highest number 86, the lowest 76.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Rev. Henry P. Horton, assistant in St. Andrew's church, to Miss Cecil A. Bond, daughter of Mrs. Chester R. Bond, of S. Thayer st., at St. Andrew's church on Tuesday evening, June 6, at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. John Parker, a sophomore engineer student, narrowly escaped losing an eye while in the foundry room of the mechanical department Tuesday. The molten iron in the ladle splattered over and some of it struck his face and burned his left eyelid severely.

The large plate glass window on the northeast corner of the April block facing Liberty st., was smashed yesterday. A large piece of the tin roofing was hanging down in a dangerous condition. Marshal Gerstner ordered it removed. A long rope was attached, the end of the rope being in the hands of William Aprill. The tin struck the glass and a big smash was the result.

Miss Bertha, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Finkbeiner, of Lima Center, and Mr. Benjamin Huehl were married Wednesday at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. J. Schmaus, of Freedom, officiating. Some 30 friends and relatives were present who wished the happy couple a happy and useful life. They will make their future home in Chelsea.

Arthur Brown, the agent for L. Gruner, has disposed of all but one lot on the opened Catherine st. Some of the purchasers are Arthur Brown, J. R. Bach, Peter Lehman, Gottlieb Luick, Wm. Arnold, Christine Haller, while Mr. Gruner retains one. The purchasers will erect this summer houses varying in cost from \$1,800 to \$2,300 on the lots.

A very enjoyable occasion was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fellows, of Saline township, Thursday, May 18, it being the marriage of their youngest daughter, Anna, to Theodore Hill, of Lodi. The rooms were beautifully decorated with ferns and flowers. The immediate relatives of the families were only invited. Rev. P. J. Perrin, a cousin of Mr. Fellows, officiated. The young couple left on the afternoon train for a short trip and will be at home for their friends after the 25th.

The difficulty with securing a franchise for the Jackson and Ann Arbor road through the township of Lima, seems to lie with its location. One of the parties interested makes the statement that they were told by a member of the township board that if the road was run through Lima Center a franchise would be granted, but not on the direct road from Dexter to Chelsea. It was also said the people living along the latter road were all favorable to an electric road.

Ex-Mayor Christian Eberbach is one of the old firemen of Ann Arbor. He was a member of the German fire company. They served the city free of charge. A rival company was started and those members wanted \$10 a year. Of course under these circumstances the German company also received \$10 a member. They used their money to purchase what is known as Fireman's park in the Second ward.

M. John Lewis, of Ann Arbor, visited his brother-in-law, Emory Richmond last week, returning home Monday morning. While in Jackson on his journey here, he was robbed of a purse containing \$12.—Stockbridge Sun.

Dr. Dennis J. Kearns, of Alpena, had a stroke of apoplexy Saturday evening and was found dead in his office. He was a graduate of the medical department of the U. of M. of the class of 1883. He leaves two sons aged 15 and 17 years of age.

Willard C. Gore, a graduate of the University of Michigan in the class of 1894, has just been appointed to an important position in Armour Institute Chicago. He will be principal of the academic department of the Institute and associate professor of English in the technical college. Mr. Gore pursued graduate work at the University during the year 1894-95, receiving in 1895 the degree of Ph. M. He was also assistant in English in the university. For the past three years he has been principal of the high school at Riverside, Ill.

"The Answer of History to the Voice of Prophecy." This is the general title of a series of Sunday evening lectures to be given in the Adventist church, corner Liberty and Division sts., on the book of Daniel. The first lecture will be given Sunday, May 21, at 7:30 p. m., and will deal principally with the great metallic image of chapter 2. A chart prepared especially to illustrate the prophecies of Daniel and the revelation will be used in these lectures. The Adventists believe that there is no portion of the Scripture that is more interesting and instructive than is the book of Daniel, and that, rightly studied it is easy to understand. The people are invited to hear then Judge.

The managing committee of the American School of Classical Studies at Rome met last week in New York. Prof. Francis W. Kelsey, of the University of Michigan, was re-elected a member of the executive committee and was invited to go to Rome as a professor in the school for the year 1900-1901. The American School of Classical Studies prepares advanced students for more efficient work as investigators and as professors and teachers in colleges and schools. Hereafter the instruction will be carried on in substantially the same way as at the American school in Athens, the resident staff being each year strengthened by the addition of a professor from an American university.

A hundred and two things happen every day that we newspaper men never see. We do our best. We have our eyes and ears always open but we are only human beings after all and neither omniscient nor omnipresent. You often wonder why this thing or that was not published and may be you will say the newspapers have their favorites. Well, we admit the newspapers do have their favorites. They are the people who are thoughtful enough to send what news they have to the newspaper office. Just an item or two from each of its subscribers would add wonderfully to its list of locals, and help you to know what your neighbors are doing as well as others. If you know of any births, marriages or suicides, drop the editor a postal while the news is warm and thereby add your name to the list of favorites and we feel sure you will receive your just reward.—Ex.

Miss Barnes, the Y. W. C. A. secretary for Michigan and Ohio was given a reception at the Y. W. C. A. rooms which was one of the pleasantest affairs ever held there. The pleasant rooms were crowded, the company being about equally divided between the girls of the association and the ladies who are sustaining members or committee workers. Quite a company from the Ypsilanti association were among them. Miss Mays, their new general secretary. After a social hour the ladies listened to short talks by the leaders, and dainty refreshments then appeared. To the delight of the girls it was learned that the silver cake basket, spoons and knives sent over by Mrs. R. A. Beal, were not loans, but gifts. Now the girls at the noon lunch will not need to borrow from their neighbors when they need a knife. Miss Barnes will speak at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Miss Stewart the head of the Michigan associations, will have charge of the Sunday meeting, at 3:30. Miss Rose French and Master Harrison Van Valkenburg will furnish the music for this meeting. All are welcome.

From Saturday's Daily Argus.

A little son was born to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Ball Thursday night and congratulations are in order.

Ex County Treasurer Philip Blum, sr., of Lodi, is reported to be quite ill. Deputy County Clerk Philip Blum, jr. is at his bed side.

The case of Philip Lavere and William Koch charged with cruelty to animals was adjourned today by Justice Doty to next Wednesday, May 24.

Attorney Charles Awrey, of Saline, is acting deputy county clerk during the absence of Philip Blum, jr., who is at home on account of the illness of his father.

In the case of Fleming B. Miller vs. Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor railway. Attorney Outcheon & Stellwagon have entered their appearance for the company.

Little Ray Easton who was seriously hurt by falling under a stone wagon Thursday afternoon is improving, although he cannot yet use one arm and his hip is badly bruised.

The returns for the township of Webster show 16 births last year, equally divided between boys and girls. In Superior township there were three births, all girl babies of which two were twins.

Judge of Probate Newkirk this morning listened to the arguments on the claim of waste of the George Saunders estate against the Cynthia Saunders estate. Prof. B. M. Thompson appeared for the Grove Saunders estate and Judge J. Willard Babbitt for the Cynthia Saunders estate.

Mrs. Jennie Ward, who was picked up on the street on the morning of May 2 in a partially demented condition, is still at the county jail. This morning County Superintendent Wilson communicated with the sheriff of Ann Arbor and he will probably come this afternoon and take the woman back to Ann Arbor where she belongs.—Jackson Press.

Negotiations have been on for some time between the Evening Times and the Inland Press, looking toward the removal of the Times to the Inland Press building. Today the deal was closed and contracts signed. The Times will move into its new quarters June 1. The Argus does not understand that there is any consolidation of the two concerns, but just that the Times will move into the same building and do its work there on certain contract conditions.

From Monday's Daily Argus.

'Mr. and Mrs. Emil Staebler, of W. Washington st. are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

'Rev. J. M. Meister, pastor of St. John's church, Rogers' Corners, filled the pulpit in the Bethlehem church last evening.

'The excursions to be given next Sunday by the Lyra Gesang Verein and the Washtenaw Times Band will give those that desire an opportunity to spend a day at Put-in-Bay.

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The Detroit Sunday Free Press of yesterday contains nine beautiful views of the city of Ann Arbor. The views with the article, make the paper one to be sent to friends abroad. Such papers do the city good in truthfully showing that it is the finest residence city in the northwest. They also encourage the citizens to really appreciate the town they live in.

The faculty concert to be given in Frieze Memorial hall Thursday evening, June 1, will be the last one of the season. This announcement means that it will be the opportunity until next fall, to hear the artists who compose the faculty of the University School of Music. Those that appreciate music in the city know what these concerts are. Single admissions are 25 cents.

Newspaper men a great many times, are blamed for a lot of things they cannot help, such as partiality in mentioning visitors, giving news about some folks and leaving out others. They simply print the news they can find. A reporter should not be expected to know the names of your uncles, aunts and cousins, even if he should see them get off the train. He will be pleased to have you tell him about it.

Mrs. Mary P. Wheeler, aged 80 years, died this morning. Her funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of her sister Mrs. Betsey Krestead, No. 519 N. Fifth ave. Mrs. Wheeler was the daughter of Isaac DeForest and Harriet Branson DeForest. She was born in the village of Amsterdam, Montgomery county, N. Y., and came with her parents at an early day, to Washtenaw county. Mrs. Wheeler was married twice, her first husband being a Mr. Grisson and her second husband Thomas Wheeler. For some time past she has been living at No. 212 S. State st.

Charles Gale and his mother Mrs. Myrtle H. Gale, of Owosso, passed through Ann Arbor this morning on their return from Ypsilanti where they spent Sunday with old friends. Mrs. Gale's maiden name was Wilber and she removed to that city with her parents 68 years ago. Mr. Gale is one of the solid men of Owosso. He is a member of the board of public works. In speaking of the schools in Owosso he said Superintendent E. T. Austin, (who is an old Salem boy,) was doing splendid work. The schools were better organized than they had ever been before. Mr. Gale thinks there will be considerable building in his city during the summer.

HISTORICAL LANDMARK

IS BEING TORN DOWN ON NORTH MAIN STREET.

How Randolph Rogers the Sculptor Behaved at a Fire in This Building Years Ago.

The brick building on N. Main st. near Miller ave., being torn down by Frank Pardon, is an old landmark and has quite a history. In these later years it was owned by Charles Kitson, deceased, and used for many years as a saloon. It became well known on account of the many sudden deaths which are charged to have occurred there. The building must have been built nearly 60 years ago. It was then known as the Lyman block. It was once occupied by the Argus office. A. A. Terry in speaking of the old building told of a little incident that took place at a fire. The building caught fire in the second story. At that time Mr. Terry was visiting with his friend Randolph Rogers, afterwards the sculptor, who was clerking for John Pettee, dealer in West India goods. When they heard the cry of fire they rushed around, Randolph Rogers climbed onto a beam that was in the rear of the building. Two men handed up a big tub of water that was there. When it reached the roof it somehow tilted over pouring the water down upon the men. Rogers declared it was an accident. Mr. Terry at this time was employed by the Michigan Central at a salary of \$1.25 a day payable in state scrip which was worth about 25 cents on the dollar. His duties consisted of doing the leveling for bridge timbers and the strips on which the strap rails were laid. Mr. Terry explained that West India goods consisted of pickled and bottled goods which were imported.

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Eberbach & Son Ann Arbor and Geo. J. Haebussler Manchester Drug Store.

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MUSTERED IN AND OUT

31st Was First and Last of Volunteers.

MEDICINE CHEST OPEN

At all Times In Dr. Belsler's Tent for Soldiers.

And It Nearly Drove the Hospital Dispensary out of Business.—Was Only One Death in Co. A, and He Was at the Time on Detached Duty.

The Detroit Evening News among other things concerning the 31st Michigan, says: The history of the 31st Michigan volunteer infantry is unique. The first of Michigan regiments to be enlisted and placed in the field, it is the last to be mustered out and returned home, while its year and a month's service has been wearily barren of adventure. Just what was responsible for the holding back of this more than ordinarily well-equipped and well-conditioned command has never been satisfactorily explained, and will apparently always remain a matter for surmise. The men, however, have from time to time expressed the opinion that political influences militated against their being sent to the front and suffered them to endure an inglorious career of camp monotony. But in serving thus they set an example of patient fidelity to duty quite as worthy of emulation as heroic exploits. They did all within their power, and won for themselves a respect and admiration quite as lasting as that gained by others under Spanish fire.

Co. A, Ann Arbor, was the first of the regiment to be mustered in, its transfer from the militia to the volunteer branch of the service occurring at Camp Eaton, Island Lake, on Sunday, May 8, of last year. The conversion of the other companies quickly followed, the muster roll of the entire regiment being confirmed on May 12, when it first appeared as a perfected part of the volunteer army. At this time its strength was 1,025, but the following month it was recruited to 1,325. The number discharged since that time was something over 20. The regiment left Camp Eaton for Chickamauga on May 15. It remained in the historic but unhealthy park until August, when it bade a glad good-bye to Camp Thomas, and went to Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tenn., arriving there on the 22d. It remained in this favored spot until Jan. 9, 1889, when it proceeded under long-awaited orders to Camp Onward, Savannah, Ga., from which station it on Jan. 25 boarded the transport Chester bound for Cuba. It remained at Cienfuegos a few days and on Feb. 9 was stationed at Amaro. It arrived off Savannah April 17.

Foremost among the line officers in the affections of the rank and file was Lieut. Martin L. Belsler, of Co. A, Ann Arbor. The lieutenant is a physician, and the medicine chest he had with him was always open to those who were ailing. He early drove the hospital dispensary out of business.

The records show that of the 1,500 men who have been members of the regiment since its organization, 26 have died, 16 of this number passing away at Chickamauga, where the conduct of division hospitals was little less than shameful.

The only death in Company A, was that of F. von Walthensen, of Bay City, who died in the division hospital at Chickamauga of typhoid fever, Aug. 11.

STRUCK ON HER HEAD

MRS. O. M. MARTIN FELL FROM HER PORCH.

And Was Unconscious for Three Hours and a Half.—Concussion of the Brain Was Feared.

Mrs. O. M. Martin met with a serious accident Friday evening. She had been out watching the parade and when she returned home at about 9:30 o'clock she was unable to reach the key which had been left on the side porch. She climbed upon the railing to get the key when she fell striking upon the pavement a distance of some feet below. She struck on her head and was unconscious until 1 o'clock. The doctor stated that her hat and hair was all that saved her life. At first serious concussion of the brain was feared, but happily this did not occur. She is resting easier this afternoon but no visitors are allowed to see her. Her escape is almost miraculous when it is considered where and how she fell.

Blondin's Bicycle. The wooden bicycle used by Blondin in his famous ride across Niagara Falls on a rope is still in existence and was sold in Paris not long ago for about 60 cents.

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Rouse the Liver

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LOSSES ADJUSTED.

Stock Will Be Taken Out of the City to Sell.

The loss by the Mack Furniture Co.'s fire Monday afternoon was adjusted by the insurance men Friday. They took the stock saved and will pay \$23,000 on the policies of \$23,500. It is understood that a Chicago man named Gans who is in the business of buying damaged stocks purchased the stock for \$8,000. He will take the goods out of the city. This relieves the Mack Furniture Co. of all its assets. In an interview with Christian Mack, he said they had not yet decided what they would do. Mr. Koch one of the principal stockholders had gone to Grand Rapids and they had not talked over their future plans. It would be 60 days before the building would be ready to occupy, which would be the time to get ready for the fall trade. If the company would continue business or not, was entirely a matter for future consideration.

The workmen have commenced the work of repairing the William April block today. The plate glass windows have been boarded up to prevent the further breakage of glass. Architect Charles Sauer is superintending the work. Mr. April says he is not certain if the insurance money will cover the cost of rebuilding or not.

Another Divorce Wanted.

Caroline C. Crombie, of Ypsilanti, by her solicitors Randall & Jones, has filed a bill for divorce against her husband Robert L. Crombie on the grounds of cruelty, and non-support. Mrs. Crombie's maiden name was Caroline C. Andrews. The couple were married, Jan. 5, 1858, Rev. Smeely, of Troy, Oakland county, officiated. The couple had three children, one of which, Louis P. Crombie, aged 32, survives. They lived together until Jan. 7, 1889.

OLD LODI ACADEMY.

Death of Dr. E. B. Ward Recalls Some Interesting Reminiscences.

The Detroit Journal prints an interesting story of the old Lodi academy. It is written by Jerome W. Turner, of Owosso, Mich.:

"Dr. E. B. Ward who died at Laingsburg the other day, has in his death revived memories of the old Lodi academy. In 1853 the writer of this was with him at the preparatory school. There were many others—George Landon, of Monroe; Robert Miller, a younger brother of Sidney T. Miller, of Detroit, who afterward died at Frankfort-on-the-Main; Ed. Thurber, now Dr. Thurber, of Paris; Dr. Samuel P. Duffield of Detroit; Ed. Wright, of Chicago; Alvin Higgins of San Francisco, if he yet lives; Densmore Carmer, of Ann Arbor; Cleveland Hunt, of Detroit; Edwin Willits, who died at Washington, D. C.; Col. William McCreary of Flint, now deceased, and Alexander McPerson, of Howell, and now president of the Detroit National Bank.

"In those days the 'academy' was presided over by Prof. Nutting, who had formerly kept the school at Romeo, a fine classical scholar but with a little capacity for mathematics as is attested by Combe the phrenologist!

"He often depended on some of the more advanced students to attend to the 'figures,' while he most ably conducted the studies in the languages. The fame of his scholarship was quite considerable, and his school out there on the 'plain' was in its day quite notorious and successful.

"Its bucolic features were not overlooked. It was in the midst of a beautiful farming country, and was about six miles from Ann Arbor the nearest town that could be reached by students who had any inclination to the folks and gaieties of life.

"We all 'boarded around' among the farmers. I remember that Landon, Thurber, Miller, Duffield and myself lived at Ira Howe's—a mile and a half from the school. The most of us, however, were expecting to go to the university, and so we often, on Saturday's, did a little extra walking, and went down to the 'Athens' of the state and moderately enjoyed ourselves in anticipation of the time when we should be full fledged collegians. Directly across the road from the school there was in those days a Presbyterian church, whose pastor was the Rev. Marsh—father of Theodore Marsh, D. D. We were all expected to attend there, and I remember many a lonesome Sunday when we listened to him in his high pulpit. The minister seemed to regard himself, as in a good measure responsible for our Christian welfare, and did not confine his efforts to his usual and general Sabbath ministrations, but pursued us personally on many occasions when perhaps we strove to avoid him. I use the word pursued, not to express any aversion to him, but rather to portray our own untoward conduct, in sometimes trying to escape from him. He was a brave, good soul, long since gone to his reward.

"Dr. Ward's father lived on the 'plains,' but curiously enough, he was a member of the Presbyterian church at Saline, and I distinctly remember one occasion when Rev. Laird, who was then the preacher, called out to the old gentleman, right in the midst of his sermon, 'Brother Ward, wake up, or you will lose this sermon, and I will too!' I think he had considerable 'grace,' for he did not seem to be angry, but appeared to contend against sleepiness, through all the rest of the discourse. He died finally, I believe from poison—a mistaken overdose. Yesterday—after the lapse of all the time since 1853—I saw the remains of his son, the doctor, taken to the cemetery.

ROUSING RECEPTION

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With All Their Parrots and Accoutrements.

Made a Fifty Five Minute Run from Toledo and After Being Expected for Hours Got Here Ahead of All Expectation.

Company A returned at 7:05 o'clock Friday evening, having made the run from Toledo in 55 minutes, leaving their baggage at Toledo. They were given a rousing reception on their arrival at home. The whole town had been on the streets practically since the forenoon and many people had come in from the surrounding country. In fact the crowd was larger if possible than when the boys went away. Every scrap of news regarding their whereabouts was eagerly gathered up. A big stream of callers serged in and out of the Argus office all day anxious to know where the boys were and when they would arrive. All day long both telephones were ringing with inquiries. At first the news went out that the soldiers were delayed but would be in so one o'clock. The time kept lengthening with more or less definite snatches of information, but the company was not really definitely located until at 6:30 word was received that the train bearing them would be here in 35 minutes. This was correct, but the notice was so short that the parade was practically spoiled by not being in position when the train arrived and a place made for the returning soldiers to form. They dismounted on a densely crowded platform and at once were the center of a rush of friends and relatives. Inquiries were made as to where the parade was but no one knew and it took a very short time to disperse the most of the returning soldiers.

The right royal welcome given the members of Co. A. was not quite as had been laid down in the program published but it was none the less hearty. When the train pulled into the station a dense mass of people greeted the soldiers as they stepped from the train. They were taken by the hand, but it was difficult often for fathers and brothers to reach their loved ones on account of the many friends who surrounded them.

Ann Arbor was in gala dress. Flags and bunting were in evidence everywhere. Not only were the places of business decorated but also many private houses in the city. In some instances the decorations were very elaborate. Everywhere from every place and corner, on every countenance could be read "Welcome." The city was proud of its sons and it had a right to be.

The program as laid down had been prepared to meet the soldiers at noon. During the morning telegrams were received that the train had left Cincinnati at 7 o'clock and that it might be expected in Toledo about 2 o'clock. Later dispatches indicated it might be later, but it was hoped that it would reach the city in time to take the regular afternoon train. Then at last came a dispatch that the train was pulling into the Union depot in Toledo. This was about 5 o'clock. The Ann Arbor road had put itself out of the way to do honor to the boys of the town whose name it bore. No time was lost in making the transfer and in only 55 minutes, including three crossing stops the train was in Ann Arbor.

Never in the history of the city were such crowds on the street. There were people who waited for hours for the train. The day was very fittingly treated as a half holiday. The streets were lined with people. When the procession moved it had difficulty at times to pass through the mass of humanity. The procession formed on Ashley st. and from there passed over the route. The members of Welch Post, G. A. R. turned out in full force. They must have thought of their home coming 30 years ago. Another generation was passing through their experiences. Ann Arbor Commandery, Knights Templar made a splendid appearance. The University and Washtenaw Times Bands enlivened the line of march with stirring music. But the guests of honor had been dispersed owing to the very short notice of the time of their arrival preventing the local procession being in line to receive them. About 20 of them formed in line, but they were not assigned a position through some mistake. The only soldier who marched over the entire route was Max Wittlinger of the fire department. He marched along with a gun on one shoulder and a parrot on the other leading a dog.

When the parades opened ranks at the armory for the defenders of the nation's honor to pass through, Max Wittlinger marched along between the ranks amid the acclamations of the populace. That Ann Arbor truly welcomed its home coming sons was certain. The whole object of all the preparations and the crowd of people was to demonstrate this, and this was fully accomplished. Mothers, sisters and sweethearts embraced their loved ones. They kissed the bronzed faces in that hearty way which meant they were so happy that they did not care who knew it. No attempt to carry out any program was made at the armory, where a dense throng gathered. The address of welcome and presentation of the armory was postponed until the banquet Monday night.

A BIG FIRE SALE

To Be Inaugurated of the Mack & Co. Furniture Stock.

Mack & Co. have purchased the entire stock of Mack & Co. Furniture consisting of from \$25,000 to \$30,000 worth of furniture, carpets, draperies and bazaar goods of Samuel Ganz, manager of the western wrecking agency. The latter had purchased the stock and was about to ship it to Chicago. The fire sale will begin Saturday at the armory and the stock will be closed out inside of 10 days.

A NEW FLOWING WELL

Put Down By the Ann Arbor Water Company.

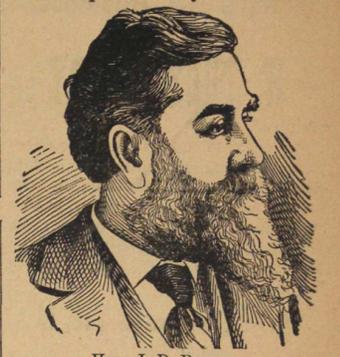
A new six inch well of the Ann Arbor Water Co. was drilled in Saturday morning at the station on W. Washington st. A splendid flowing stream of water was struck at a depth of 93 feet. It is estimated at 25,000 gallons a day. When the pipe is cut off level with the pump house, the capacity of this well will be increased three fold. What is very peculiar about this well is that there are other wells within 15 feet where flowing water was struck at a depth of about 70 feet. This shows the present well taps a lower vein of water. The Water Co. can well congratulate itself on the location of its W. Washington st. plant. Wherever a well has been drilled flowing water has been secured. Its excellent quality is also so remarkable, the water having been analyzed by Profs. Vaughan and Novy repeatedly. They declared it almost absolutely pure. The slight trace of iron is very health giving.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

From Tuesday's Daily Argus.

The first sleeping car on the Ann Arbor road north yesterday contained three passengers.

The following marriage license was issued today: Jacob M. Bock, 28, Owosso; Minnie E. Klein, 31, Salina.

Martin Wackenhut, of Chelsea, has filed in the county clerk's office his oath of office as deputy game and fish warden.

Application has been made to the probate court to declare William Barr insane. The hearing will be tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mlle. Hortense Rhea, the great actress who was such a favorite in Ann Arbor theater circles, died in Montmorency, France, last week.

Rev. McElroy, pastor of the M. E. church has extended an invitation to the members of Co. A to attend his church, Sunday evening, June 11, when he will preach a special sermon.

A number of improvements are being made in the First Presbyterian church of the city. The steam heating apparatus is being overhauled and considerable painting is to be done.

U. S. recruiting officers are to be sent through the state in an effort to get members of the 31st Michigan to enlist in the regular army. It is not likely that they will get many of them in this city.

County Treasurer Mann last evening awarded the contract for his new home to John Walz the builder for \$2,200. It is to be built on W. Liberty st. and will contain all the modern improvements.

John Williams, of Ann Arbor, was before Justice Doty today for obtaining a pair of \$3 shoes under false pretenses. He pleaded guilty, paid for the shoes and the costs. He was arrested in Detroit yesterday by Marshal Gerstner.

James Frederick Sumner, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sumner, of State st., and also the four months' old son of Dr. and Mrs. McNaughton, of Port Huron, were baptized by the Rev. Henry Tatlock in St. Andrew's church recently.

Miss Eva Mae Babbington, a well known and respected young lady of Corunna, died Sunday evening aged 24 years. She was a milliner by trade and at one time resided in Ypsilanti, where she made many friends. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Babbington.

Rev. Mr. Golder, of Cincinnati, O., last evening filled the pulpit in the German Evangelical M. E. church. He preached a very earnest sermon. Mr. and Mrs. Golder are visiting relatives in the city. Mr. Golder formerly was the pastor of the Ann Arbor church. Mrs. Golder is better known as Miss Ida Schlotterbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeager, two old residents of Ypsilanti, celebrated their golden wedding Saturday. The couple are 74 and 68 years old, respectively. Mr. Yeager was born in Dauphin county, Pa., Mrs. Yeager is a native of Michigan. The couple have lived in Ypsilanti for 47 years.

All soldiers are cordially invited to meet with Welch Post, G. A. R., at their hall Sunday morning, May 28, at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp to attend devine services. W. A. Clark, Commander.

From Wednesday's Daily Argus.

Earl F. Chase, of Manchester, regimental postmaster of the 31st Michigan, has been offered a position in the post office department in Cuba, and may go back.

Fred Krause, auctioneer and farmer, reports this year to have found an unusual number of grasshoppers. He says that while plowing, his horses and whiffle trees were covered by millions of "hoppers."

In the case of Joseph C. Demosh and Geo. B. Demosh vs. the Michigan Telephone Co. the jury was charged right after the opening of the afternoon session of the court and is still out as the Argus goes to press. It is thought there will be a disagreement.

The executive committee and all other officers of the Washtenaw County Pioneer Society and others to whom this notice is sent are earnestly requested to meet in the circuit court room at Ann Arbor, on Saturday May 27, at 3 o'clock p. m., to make arrangement for the next meeting of this society at the fair grounds in Ann Arbor.

St. Thomas' high school will have its commencement exercises on Tuesday evening, June 20, in the school hall. Miss Genevieve Duffy will deliver the commencement address. The university examination was made some weeks ago and the graduates will enter the university next year for the A. B. course. Ann Arbor now has two schools on the university list.

The Ann Arbor Chicory Co. is still daily making contracts for planting roots. Some of the farmers are beginning to appreciate what it means to start up a new industry which will be largely for their benefit with almost no risk to them as the price of the crop is guaranteed at \$6 a ton. The cold nights at present will allow the sowing of chicory to be continued up to June 1 and possibly a few days later. Those farmers who have contracts this year will be favored next spring. This in itself is an inducement to put out half an acre or more this year.

County Commissioner of Schools Lister, did a very handsome thing for the teachers who attended the Washtenaw Teachers' Association at Saline last Saturday. There were 80 teachers

in attendance and when adjournment was taken at noon, Commissioner Lister invited them to dinner in the parlors of the church. A most palatable repast was served which every body thoroughly enjoyed. It was a handsome thing that the genial commissioner perpetrated upon his teachers and whereas he is already popular with them, this will not tend to make him less so. All present agreed in wishing that his shadow may never grow less. The declaration in the case of Fanny B. Miller vs. the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor Railway Co., was filed in the county clerk's office today. The plaintiff lives east of Ypsilanti. She claims \$1,000 damages for the cutting down of trees in front of her property.

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From Thursday's Daily Argus.

Dust is again flying on Main st. and vigorous street sprinkling will be in order.

The new house being erected by Ottmar Eberbach adjoining his home on S. Fourth ave. is enclosed.

It is nearly time for Saline to begin preparation for the celebration of German day this year.

Mrs. George Johnson, of Lodi, gives a reception this evening for her sister Mrs. John Burg and Miss Hager, of Marquette.

The ladies who are working up an increased membership in the L. O. T. M. put in 21 applications at the last meeting.

It is stated sub rosa that a wedding is to take place in Ann Arbor Saturday. The interested parties intend to surprise their friends.

Notre Dame University has selected Prof. T. C. Trueblood and Rev. E. D. Kelly as judges for the oratorical contest to take place there.

M. H. Carmody, the U. of M. cartor will speak at Fairview cemetery in the Fifth ward at 2 o'clock next Tuesday, Memorial day.

The brick in the walls of the third story in the April block are being taken down. How far the removal will extend has not yet been decided.

Miss Louise Stanger, who was hurt by a fall from her bicycle on Ashley st., Monday, is still quite ill, the fall having been more serious than at one time expected.

Rev. W. Alber, of Jackson, will preach in the Bethlehem church next Sunday evening at the seventh anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Sheriff Gillen took Chas. Tomlinson, of Chelsea, to the Pontiac asylum today. Tomlinson is the man who recently escaped from St. Joseph's retreat at Dearborn.

LeRoy Warner, of Wayne, plead guilty in justice court in Chelsea yesterday to simple larceny from Archie Clark, of Lyndon, and was remanded for sentence in two weeks.

As next Sunday will be "Memorial Sunday," Rev. J. H. Crooker, as has been his custom for 25 years, will give a sermon on a national topic. His subject will be, "A New Era of American Responsibility."

The U. of M. Toastmasters' Club will visit Whitmore Lake Saturday and will hold a banquet in the evening at the Clifton house. About 35 will make up the party. H. J. McCreary, lit '99, will preside at the banquet.

Demosh & Son obtained a verdict of \$162.50 against the Michigan Telephone Co. yesterday for damages to a team of their horses and rig caused by a telephone wire that was down across the road, into which the rig was driven at night.

The well being drilled for the Ann Arbor Chicory Co. by the Norris Drilling Co. was down 68 feet last evening in quick sand. Water is not expected to be found until hard pan is struck. As the company will use much water in washing its roots, a good flowing well will be a great money saver.

Supt. E. T. Austin, formerly of Salem, has been offered the position of superintendent of the Michigan City, Ind., city schools at a salary of \$1,800 with the promise of a \$200 raise the second year. The offer is a very flattering one, as his salary in Owosso is but \$1,400. He will undoubtedly give the school board his answer tomorrow night.—Owosso Argus.

Edwin Mason, of Kalamazoo, is 96 years old at his next birthday. He moved to Richland, formerly Gull Prairie, in May, 1832. At that time there were no settlements between Ann Arbor and Richland. This corroborates the story told by the late Hon. Emanuel Mann. He said the first Sunday he spent in Ann Arbor in May, 1830, he visited David Allmen dinger west of the city. About where the old German church, known as the First Evangelical church, of Scio was built, they met two ox teams, from Kalamazoo, loaded with wheat. Their drivers were hunting the mill at Dexter.

The hearing of the claim of W. J. Webster vs. the estate of James W. Waugh, deceased, of York, occupied the attention of Judge of Probate Newkirk. This is the case recently mentioned in the Argus. Mr. Webster held a lano contract of Mr. Waugh which was not signed by his wife and the supreme court held it invalid. The present claim is for work and the money he expended, by which he hopes

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to recoup himself for the loss of the land. Randall & Jones are the attorneys for Mr. Webster, and E. B. Norris and M. J. Lehman for the heirs who are opposing the claim. The probate room was filled with spectators and witnesses.

Milan. Asa Whitehead was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Guyhas returned from her Detroit visit.

H. Brakman has a fine new hack on the road.

W. H. Hack is buying wool this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis have returned from their Flat Rock visit.

Editor W. H. Houseman, of the Milan Leader, gave Whittaker a call Tuesday.

Geo. M. Chandler, of Dundee, gave Milan friends a call the last of the week.

The school will have to be enlarged again, one more room, at least, is greatly needed.

Mrs. McLachlan is improving her home on Tolen st. this spring with paint and new roofing.

Miss Imo Whitmarsh, of Detroit, came out to Milan by invitation and favored the audience at the junior exercises with a beautiful solo. She visited friends here a few days.

Xura Swick, Leo Burgess and A. Avery are the Milan boys that have returned to their Milan homes from Cuba. They were members of Co. G, 31st Michigan.

Mrs. H. C. Markham, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. W. E. Spragne and son of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. G. R. Williams the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Rouse and Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Rouse and family, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rouse the first of the week.

Floyd H. Pepper returned Saturday to Elkhart, Ind., after a week's visit with his mother and friends. The B. Y. P. U. and his classmates gave him a very pleasant surprise party during his stay here.

The junior class entertainment was a success from start to finish and the decorations were beautiful. Prof. C. H. Carrick with his usual push procured fine music and each and all participant deserve much credit.

Rev. Geo. E. Wilson, of Clyde, Ohio, will preach the memorial sermon for the G. A. R. at the opera house Sunday p. m., and he has been engaged to deliver the address Decoration day. Prof. Carrick has engaged him to deliver the baccalaureate address for the class of '99 in June. Evidently Rev. Wilson is quite a favorite of the Milan people. He preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

It was with the deepest regret that the Milan citizens learned that Prof. Chas. H. Carrick had handed in his resignation, as everyone was feeling so pleased when they thought he was to remain in the Milan school another year. During Prof Carrick's stay with us he has endeared himself to all and his work has been noticed by the Milan people in the rapid advancement of the school. No pains or labor has ever been spared to make the best out of existing circumstances. He has been the means of gaining Milan and vicinity many an intellectual treat that they could not have otherwise had, through the organization of the H. S. L. C. He will leave Milan to take up a course of study in the U. of M. next year. The best wishes of the Milan people go with Prof. Carrick and family.

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There will be an important meeting of the members of the Light Infantry at the officers' room in the army next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Applications for membership will be received and other business transacted.

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