

## DID PINGREE MAKE PROMISES HE FAILED TO FULFILL

The Democrats of the Legislature Are Condemning the Governor for His "Gold Brick."

## SENATOR WARD MAKES A FORCIBLE STATEMENT

For Their Support of the Pingree Legislation, the Democrats Were to Get a Place on the Tax Commission and Some Oil Inspectorships.

Gov. Pingree is back from the east and finds harmony so intense in Detroit that he is actually thinking of running for mayor again. Before the mayoralty campaign opens and the fun begins, the governor ought to be really given something to talk about. With this in view the Daily Argus interviewed Senator Charles A. Ward on the promises made the democratic members of the legislature. In response to questions the senator forcibly said:

"If the governor becomes the republican candidate for mayor of Detroit, he will be elected, if elected at all, by democratic votes, hence it becomes pertinent at this juncture, to inquire by what title the Pingree managers presume upon votes that rightfully should go to the democratic candidate.

"It is a matter of history that Pingree's political successes have been largely if not entirely due to the numerous democratic following which he has, thus far, been able to attract to himself when the fight upon him in his own party was fiercest and his necessities were greatest. The governor is endowed with a latent affection for democrats which acquires an amazing intensity when he needs democratic assistance and cools quite as rapidly as soon as the emergency has passed into history. If he has ever done anything to merit the votes of democrats it has, quite contrary to the governors usual style, been done so quietly that it has escaped observation. It will be remembered that when the governor called the legislature in special session in 1898 for the purpose of passing the late lamented Atkinson bill the 18 democratic votes in the lower house were of supreme importance to the Pingree plan of campaign. Through that diplomacy, which is the last resort of Pingree tactics an offensive and defensive alliance was arranged between the Pingreeites and the democratic members. It was not long, however, before party politics made it expedient for the republican party to pass the Atkinson bill in the house. No sooner did it become patent that the bill could be passed by republican votes and without the assistance of the democrats than the executive office forgot that there were any democrats on the map and all bets with a democratic edge were declared off. That is throw down number one.

"In the election of 1898 the votes of misguided democrats re-elected Pingree by a majority which will be pointed to with feelings of pride and exultation or regret and mortification according to the vantage ground of the pointer.

"After an unlimited amount of boasting and bluster about electing a speaker, defeating Burrows, etc., etc., it developed on a show down, after the anti had elected their speaker and Burrows had experienced his walk-

over, that if the governor carried even an out-post of the enemy he must enlist democratic support. In view of the chilly treatment of the previous session did not embrace this opportunity to become appendages of the Pingree menagerie with the alacrity of a first love. But, inasmuch as the majority of the democrats were pledged to vote for the Atkinson bill the democratic caucus accepted the overtures of the Pingree braves and performed their part of the contract without a hitch or a break.

"The 'concessions' of the executive office for this support were to be one member of the assessing board under the proposed railway tax law and a fair share of those appointments whose chief purpose is to gladden the hearts of importunate constituents. Among the appointments which were to be so 'generously' shared with the democrats were the deputy oil inspectors.

"But with the childlike blandness and simplicity which is the essence of everything Pingreesque, the governor's recollection of his promises faded away with convenient dispatch as soon as it developed that his personal republican following included only six senators and 38 representatives.

"The Atkinson bill was passed and the names of three staunch Pingree republicans were sent to the senate for confirmation. The five democratic senators resented this breach of faith and by their votes helped to skin Irish and Oakman. Overtures were then made by the governor to save Oakman and he promised to consider the name of a prominent democrat and ex-justice of the supreme court for one position. While the governor was 'considering' the attorney general was constructing one of his 'made to fit the occasion' opinions that Bob Oakman could hold his job without confirmation and as soon as his interesting contribution to the legal literature of this state was filed in the executive office the name of George Buckingham, of Flint, was sent to the senate, the incident closed and the usefulness of the Atkinson bill with the exception of the salary grab was closed.

"This was the last the democrats ever heard of Pingree's promises. I don't think any of the democrats mourned very seriously over the breach of faith on the part of the Pingreeites for the one distinct advantage which the democratic members held over their republican brethren lay in the fact that having no patronage to distribute they escaped the importunities of the hungry horde who made life a burden for the members of the majority, and I only mention these things to show when measuring the future by the past, how little democrats, individually or collectively, have to expect from a propaganda that is organized solely for the personal advancement of the governor and his immediate followers."

case and claims that he has 20 witnesses to whom Schneider made like threats

The officers thought best to gather him in yesterday and to their faces he said that "he must shoot them." "It's got to be done," he added. When searched there were no weapons found upon his person.

This morning Drs. Kapp and Cowie were authorized by the probate court to make an investigation into Schneider's sanity "It is a very peculiar case," said Dr. Cowie, "and it will take me a week before I can make a final determination of it. But he seems to be entirely rational on every other subject."

In the meantime Schneider must remain in jail

## WORCESTER IS COMING BACK

RECEIVED IMMEDIATE ORDERS FROM MCKINLEY.

HAD MOVED INTO NEW OFFICES AND HIS RECALL WAS UNEXPECTED.

Manila, Sept. 14.—Col. Denby and Prof. Worcester, of the Philippine commission, have received instructions from President McKinley to return as soon as possible. They will embark on the steamer Empress of India, which sails from Hong Kong Sept. 26. The commissioners had just moved into new offices and expected to spend some months working on the establishment of municipal governments.

## A FIGHT AFTER SOME ALIMONY

About a month ago Anna Miller, of the township of Augusta, commenced a suit for divorce against her husband Isaac Miller. The couple had been married for 33 years. She charged him with extreme and repeated cruelty, specifying two instances when she claims he knocked her down with his fist. The husband denied all this.

But the main fight in the case will probably be over the property. He is the owner of 60 acres of land, subject to a mortgage of \$195, and also the usual personal property found on a farm of that size. She procured an injunction restraining him from disposing of the property. Now Mrs. Miller asks for alimony and makes an affidavit that she has no means to carry on her suit. And at the trial of the cause she will ask for a permanent alimony.

## BAD ACCIDENT IN YPSILANTI

A Runaway Horse Throws Out Two Men.

## COLLINS BADLY HURT,

Three Ribs Broken and Left Lung Injured but He Will Probably Live.

A serious runaway occurred on Main street Thursday afternoon about 12:45 o'clock. North Gass and Cornelius Collins drove up in front of the Home grocery store, where Gass stopped to answer some question asked by Will Clark. Gass was on his knees in the bottom of the box of the wagon he was driving, and Collins was in a similar position right behind Gass. The car passed east on the electric road, but the horse was not frightened. A moment later, apparently learning that the lines were loose, started to run east on Congress st. As the horse jumped, both men fell backward on their backs. Gass tried to reach the lines which were pulled from his hands when the horse jumped. He would have regained the lines but for the fact that the horse turned south on Huron st. As she turned, Collins was thrown upon the flag-stones with great force and slid along toward the telegraph pole on the corner, skinning his forehead badly. Gass was thrown out a rod farther south and struck the stone wall of the Savings Bank building, cutting a bad gash in his forehead and hurting his shoulder. The hind part of the wagon was left here and the horse turned west in the alley, running in behind the stores and tearing the light wagon all to pieces, making a total wreck of it.

Collins was very badly hurt. The physicians injected morphine to quiet him and an examination revealed the fact that he had three ribs broken on the left side and his left lung was injured, but if no complications set in he will probably live. Gass was not so badly hurt, but that he was to take care of the horse, which was not backed but little.

The animal appeared not to be frightened at all. It has run away before, and has a habit of starting if it finds the lines loose.

## HAS APPLIED FOR A DIVORCE

FRED FOVSTER SAYS HIS WIFE IS CRUEL.

HAD TO CLEAN HOUSE EVERY SUNDAY AND DO HIS OWN WASHING.

Fred W. Forster, the young man who objected to strangers accompanying his wife on the street and who made such a sensational scene on the streets a few evening since, has commenced a suit for divorce against his wife, Anna Forster. He charges her with extreme cruelty, alleging that while their two children were sick in 1896, she left them and went to a dance and did not return until a late hour. He further says that she has neglected to do the house work and it has become necessary for him to spend every Sunday cleaning the house, washing clothes and doing other work. He finally sets forth the trouble which arose lately and which caused the final separation.

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## WHILE WHIPPING HER HORSE

Miss Jane Lamb was Struck by Engine.

## HER NECK WAS BROKEN

She Tried to Get Across the Track but the Horse Reared.

The coroners jury in the case of the woman killed Wednesday on Fuller street, was convened this morning in Funeral Director Martin's rooms. Coroner Watts had summoned Edward Duffy, William A. Clark, George Feiner, W. K. Childs and James Bach. Their verdict was that Jane Lamb had come to her death by being struck by an engine of train No. 31, on the Michigan Central Railroad while crossing the track at the Fuller street crossing, on Wednesday, Sept. 13, 1899, and that no blame can be attached to the Michigan Central railroad company or any of its employees.

The first witness sworn was Engineer John Scallen. He testified that he resided 254 Adlor street, Detroit. He had been in the employ of the Michigan Central as engineer for 27 years. He was the engineer of the American Express train known as No. 31. When his train was approaching Ann Arbor from the east he shut off early on account of his having to take the side track. As he applied the air brakes he noticed a horse and buggy approaching driven by a woman coming up the hill towards the track. He had put on the air brake preparatory to slacking up. Saw the woman get up in her buggy and whip her horse. He concluded she intended to cross over the track and he made full application of the brake. The woman had something in her hand. She continued to whip her horse until they struck her. He was using the danger whistle consisting of short sharp blasts. He could not stop the train, which was going at 30 miles an hour. It was about 130 feet from the time he was her until the train struck the buggy. At a distance of 75 feet he made a full application of the brakes. When the train struck the woman, she landed on the bed of the engine plate. She stayed on it until taken off. The bell of the engine was ringing as he approached the crossing.

Chauncey W. Knight the fireman said steam had been shut off the engine on account of taking the side-track. The engineer gave the danger signal and applied the air brakes full force, the bell ringing at this time. He could not see the woman in the buggy until within a probable distance of twenty or thirty feet. When he did see her she was whipping and urging her horse. She seemed determined to cross the track and kept on coming until she was struck. The pilot struck the front wheels of the buggy. The pilot beam struck the horse on the hip. He did not see where the woman went until the train stopped. They went a little over a train length after striking the woman before they could stop. When they did stop, he went around the engine and saw the woman lying on the pilot sheet, her head hanging down between that and the saddle of the engine.

Joseph Cebulskie, residing at No. 113 E. Summit st., testified that he was a delivery man for the Hammond Beef Co. He saw the accident. Just as he was on Fuller st. going east, he saw a horse and buggy coming over the river bridge on Wall st., going west. He heard the train whistle, and stopped his horse within 20 or 25 rods of the track. When the buggy got across the bridge the train whistled for the crossing. He heard the electric signal bell ring. He saw the lady who was driving, whipping her horse. He then heard the train whistle for danger. Saw the lady raise up in her buggy and scream while urging her horse. When they got to the track the horse reared up on his hind feet, while she continued screaming and whipping. When the engine struck the buggy he saw the lady go up in the air.

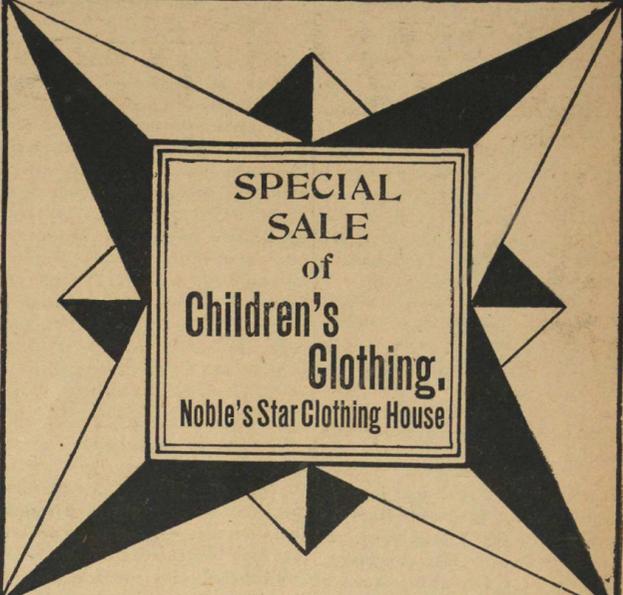
James Miller, residing at No. 313 E. Washington avenue, a carpenter working on the residence of Frank Minnis, heard the whistle and then the crash.

Mrs. J. F. Squires, of No. 1326 Fuller st., was at the window when the accident happened, and saw the collision. She saw the woman whipping her horse.

Monmouth Miller, of No. 312 E. Washington st., also heard the collision.

Dr. Ernest A. Clark testified as to

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## WAS IN LOVE WITH THE GIRL

That Another Fellow is Going to Marry.

## VIC. SCHNEIDER IN JAIL

Because He Threatened to Shoot Her and Her Intended Husband.

Victor Schneider, a young man who has at various times worked at the butcher trade, is at present in jail owing to the fact that he is considered a dangerous man to two persons of this city and who are to be married tomorrow.

Schneider claims that he was at one time engaged to the young lady whose immediate relatives are some of the best known in business circles of Ann Arbor. But this the young lady denies.

About three or four weeks ago the announcement was made to her friends of her approaching marriage and immediately Schneider made threats against not only her life but that of the young man whose name she is about to take.

To Rev. Mr. Neumann yesterday he made the statement that "they would both be dead by Thursday night," meaning the two parties against whom he imagines he has a grievance.

Officer Paul Schall took charge of the

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FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 8, 1899.

At the New York Dewey reception 2,500 children's voices will greet the Admiral in appropriate songs of welcome. They will be placed upon a stand in such a way as to form an enormous letters the word Dewey.

Gen. Jimenez has arrived at Santiago and been received with open arms by the fickle Haytiens. But in a month they are just as apt to be going wild over some other favorite. It will all depend on Jimenez power to overcome them.

It is said that Hawaii was never so prosperous as she has become since her annexation to the United States. If this be true so soon after annexation, what may the islands expect when they get into full swing under America?

The National Bankers association at its annual meeting declared that the republicans must pass legislation making the gold standard the statutory basis for our money or suffer at the hands of the people at the coming election.

The expected contest for the position of commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at Philadelphia did not occur. The withdrawal of Judge Rassiur, of St. Louis, in favor of Col. Shaw, led to the colonel's election by acclamation. The next meeting will be held in Chicago.

Now it is said a conference has been held at Washington and a decision reached to send Gen. Merritt back to the Philippines. Merritt is all right, and will do good work, if the correspondents succeed in getting him there. The only trouble with the matter is that by tomorrow the correspondents will have some other general selected. But almost any old general they can succeed in getting to Manila will be an improvement on the present incumbent of the chief command there.

Now it is said the renewal of fighting in the Philippines may begin a month earlier than has been previously expected. The administration desires to get this mighty job off its hands before the new year begins and the political caldron begins to boil. The restoration of peace there cannot be brought about too quick to please the American people.

It is said that Secretary Root proposes dividing the Philippines into several departments and making the general in charge of each department responsible for the conduct of military affairs there. There would probably be advantages in such a plan provided Gen. Otis was deprived of the power to interfere with the operations of the generals. That he is narrow and jealous of his subordinates is well known and the greater freedom they have from interference by him, the better results will be obtained.

President Col. Jonast, of the Dreyfus court martial, declined to have the evidence of Col. Schwartzkappen and Maj. Panizzari taken by a commission and so the trial is near its end. It was not deemed good public policy by the German and Italian governments to present the above named gentlemen to go to Rennes, and hence their evidence will not be heard. At this distance all indications point to the re-conviction of Dreyfus. What will come after conviction is difficult to prophecy. The conspiracy of the generals is too deep a laid plot, and conditions in France are too peculiar to divine what may or may not be done. That the world outside of France considers the accused innocent, is undoubtedly true, but that may and probably will have but little effect. That France will be a heavy loser in the good opinion of the world because of her deliberate and unpardonable malignity, should Dreyfus be re-convicted, is true, nevertheless the army may be sufficiently powerful to compel the civil government to accept the odium and disgrace of such a national crime. Knowing the sensitive and chivalrous nature of the French people in their better moods, it seems almost impossible for them to permit the consummation of a crime of such an aggravated character and yet their past history shows how easily they pass from one extreme to the other.

President Schurman of the Philippine commission has brought his optimistic views of affairs there home with him and assures the administration that the end of the Philippine war is in sight. So mote it be but it will be remembered that Schurman thought he could bring peace through soft talk. It did not win however. We shall see what we shall see.

It is expected the world will soon witness the spectacle of the French senate sitting as a high court of justice to try certain persons accused of plotting against the security of the state. The senate sitting as a high court has unlimited discretionary powers in regard to its judicial action. There is no appeal from its verdict. At least one of the prisoners who will be tried is a member of the deputies. The trial will be a most interesting one because of the unusual court before which the trial will be held and the fact that there is but one precedent for resort to this extraordinary function of the senate.

Now comes President Kruger of the Transvaal and declares the Ulanders do not care a rap for the franchise, that is made the basis of their contention against the Boers. He declares they have been offered the franchise before but they preferred to remain aliens rather than assume the duties of citizenship. Of course the British residents and the British people care nothing about the franchise. The Transvaal contains much of the finest country in South Africa, and there are rich gold mines within its borders. England desires to possess the territory, and she simply makes the franchise an excuse. Right or justice cuts but a mighty little figure in the matter. While we do not like the bullying policies of Great Britain in every quarter of the globe, still it is this very aggressiveness which makes the Anglo-Saxon a leader in the world. While his acts are by no means always right, still he is the instrument of much of the advance of the world. He has probably worked out more of the moral and material progress of the world than any other.

The phonetic spelling fad being introduced into the Ypsilanti public schools is no new thing. It has been on earth for some time but has made comparatively little progress. If the language had been made to order, or if it could be unmade and then made anew there would be many advantages in phonetic spelling. But the language with its doubled letters, its silent letters, diphthongs and double diphthongs is with us, a growth and where is the authority to change it? Our dictionaries are all constructed to fit the language as it is said and whatever possible advantage can the phonetic speller have, therefore, in learning that particular method? Not one in a thousand outside of themselves will use it or even understand it when he uses it. It is artificial in the same sense the so called volapuk, or world's speech, invented by John Martin Schleyor, of which we heard so much a few years ago, was artificial. A universal language would be greatly advantageous no doubt, but language never develops that way. Neither does spelling. As it was found extremely difficult to secure a foothold for volapuk, in fact impossible, so it will undoubtedly prove relative to the reformed spelling.

THE DREYFUS VERDICT.

The expected has happened and again Capt. Alfred Dreyfus stands convicted of treason to his country. This verdict was expected not because the evidence warranted it, but for the vindication of the "honor of the French army." It is vindicated but at what a price. The world outside of France believes Dreyfus innocent and there was certainly no evidence establishing his guilt. Our military men who are familiar with the evidence, having followed the case with the greatest carefulness, hold that his guilt was not established. Able attorneys declare there was no evidence upon which to convict. The generals declared they had the most positive and incontrovertible evidence of his guilt, but they failed to produce it on the stand. They declared on their conscience that he was guilty, but the facts to substantiate the vehement and reiterated statement were not forthcoming. His guilt was not established and had the presumption that he was innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt been followed, he would have been acquitted.

The sentence is a strange one. Guilty but, with extenuating circumstances. This is simply ludicrous. A traitor to his country, a man with treason in his soul, going studiously about his purpose, in a time of profound peace, while in no danger or want, devilishly scheming to betray his fatherland—where are the extenuating circumstances. If Dreyfus is guilty

as charged the punishment is wholly inadequate to the crime. The verdict smacks of a compromise. It is said, in fact, that three of the seven members of the court were at first for acquittal but one was reclaimed by those who desired condemnation by the promise of the minimum punishment, the addition of extenuating circumstances and a request to the government to pardon Dreyfus.

But the end is not yet. An appeal will of course be taken. There are pretty strong reasons for believing that the verdict of the court will never be carried out. The court of cassation has already shown its hand pretty clearly and the reappearance of the case there is likely to result in the prisoner going free. But of course this would not establish his innocence nor restore him to his rank in the army. The military chiefs, in all probability, have successfully hidden their own part in this monstrous conspiracy, and will now wash their hands of the whole affair. But they have saddled upon France a grievous burden. The whole thing is a tragedy of injustice and it will appear upon the records of French civilization as a disgrace, and a sacrifice of human rights to French subserviency to military power.

It is said the condemnation of Dreyfus is likely to have a serious effect on the world's exposition at Paris next year. Exhibitors are already cancelling their orders for space.

Gov. Hazen S. Pingree has announced his intention of being present at the trust conference at Chicago, September 13 to 16. From his recent experience with Tom L. he ought to be able to evolve some points of interest to the general public if he only takes the right view of the matter.

President McKinley's administration has been famous for commissions. Three have been Hawaiian commissions, Cuban commissions, Philippine commissions, Porto Rican commissions and others too numerous to mention. The most recent to be heard from is the Porto Rican insular commission. The commission was sent to familiarize themselves with conditions in the island and report the facts to the president. But when they arrived on the ground their heads were so swollen with their importance that they considered themselves the whole thing and proceeded to frame a code of laws for the island and to root out everything Spanish and make the people as strong Yankee born in minute. They quarrelled among themselves and now the commission is a has been and the president is reported happy at having gotten rid of their services.

VACANT HOUSES ARE FEW

Only Seventy Three Left in Ann Arbor.

RENTALS ARE NO HIGHER

Only a Third as Many Vacant Houses as When Directory Was Made.

A visit to the real estate dealers shows that rental of houses in Ann Arbor this year is at least no higher than that of last year. But it is easily accounted for on account of the large number of houses that have been erected during the season.

W. H. Butler has just completed a careful canvas of the city to secure for his own use a list of just the location of all vacant houses. Said he: "I did not go to the extreme limits in some parts of the city. I find that there are 73 vacant, or partially vacant houses here, as against a total of 194 which Glen V. Mills reported when he issued his directory. I do not think the present total would reach 100 if every unoccupied hovel in the city was counted. There has been over 100 new houses erected and this would tend to lower rents but it has not, showing that there is an increased demand. But I have not felt it so much on account of people buying and building residences. This is due to the fact that the money market is easier."

Fred McOmber said: "The demand for rental of houses is not as great as last year and this is accounted for by the fact that people have gone direct to the man who is building and have either transacted their terms for rent through him or have bought the houses outright from the owners and builders. I think in some parts of the city the rents are even lower than last year."

Capitol War Guards Are Still on Duty. The extra guards who were hired during the late unpleasantness to prevent stray Spaniards from carrying off the capitol site have never been laid off. So the more stringent rules about looking through the grating at the money in the treasury building have not been relaxed. There might be another war with Spain some time, and there is nothing like taking precautions beforehand.

NOT LIKE THE FRENCH COURTS

Major Kirk Tells of the U. S. Court Martials.

METHOD OF PROCEEDURE

Stump Speeches Tabooed and No Such Scenes as in Dreyfus Trial.

Anent the termination of the Dreyfus court martial today and the strange stuff brought before the court and by courtesy called evidence, Major John P. Kirk this morning talked interestingly concerning the methods of a court martial in this country. It appears that in France any person who desires to make a stump speech under the guise of evidence is permitted to do so. Here a court martial is held down pretty closely to rules of evidence although he court is given great latitude as to what it will admit or will not admit.

A court martial here is composed of not less than five or more than 13 officers, and is not ordered by an officer lower than a colonel and generally an officer of higher rank. When the court organizes the officer highest in rank of those composing the court takes his place at the head of the table and is the president of the court. The member next in rank seats himself on the side of the table at the president's right and the member next in rank at the left and so on. The judge advocate is stationed at the other end of the table. Witnesses are examined after the manner of examining witnesses in a civil court. The judge advocate represents the defendant as well as the people the idea being that all connected with the court are educated gentlemen and disposed to do no injustice. The accused is also entitled to an attorney. The president decides all questions for the court but an appeal may be taken from his decision on any point in which case the court arises, the room being cleared by the judge advocate and then the members of the court give their individual views on the matter in dispute.

When the evidence is all in two ballots are taken one on the charge and the other on the specifications. A court martial has the power to change the charge and substitute something else and likewise to change the specifications when the facts brought out warrant.

When the punishment of an offender is being determined the following method of procedure is followed: Each member writes his view as to what the punishment should be on a slip of paper. If there is no agreement, and there is scarcely likely to be any, the lowest or least punishment named on any ballot is taken and voted on. If a majority do not agree on this, then the next lowest punishment is voted on and so on until an agreement by at least a majority is obtained. So the punishment finally meted out to the person convicted may be the punishment originally considered adequate by only one member. The balloting is in secret and when a verdict is reached that also remains secret and is sent to the reviewing authority which is the officer ordering the court. It may also go for review to the commander of the army and the president of the United States. There are many other interesting features of trials by court martial but the limits of this article do not permit reference to them. From what Major Kirk says it is evident that the court martial which has tried Dreyfus has not limited itself by any such rules of evidence as prevail in an American court martial.

FROM SALINE TO DETROIT

Saline, Mich., Sept. 9.—The Saline lodge, K. O. T. M., loses its commander, lieutenant commander and sergeant, through their removal from the village.

No one believes there are 37 less children of school age in the school district this year than last, as shown by the school census. Either one year or the other there must have been some mistake.

The Baptist Sunday school hold a picnic in the grove of Fred Russell this afternoon.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will run an excursion to Detroit over the new Ypsilanti and Saline road, Friday, September 15th, for 90 cents the round trip to Detroit, or \$1.00 to Belle Isle. Children under 10 years of age 25 cents. Three cars will start at 7 o'clock and if needed more will start a half hour later.

The vacant store in the Union block will be fitted up for the electric line waiting room. George R. Lutz will be in charge of it.

Judge W. G. Ewing, one of the most eloquent lawyers of Chicago, will give a free lecture on Christian Science at the opera house next Monday evening.

Victoria's Eyes. Queen Victoria's first trouble with her eyes came on long before she ascended the throne. As a girl she was quite near-sighted, and it was at one time feared she would have to wear glasses all her life.

Keep Your Hair Vigor. If you are young you naturally appear so. If you are old, why appear so? Keep young inwardly; we will look after the outwardly. You need not worry longer about those little streaks of gray; advance agents of age.

FOURTH HIGHEST OF A LIST OF 95.

DR. E. W. RYAN EVIDENTLY HAS INFLUENCE.

WAS ELECTED A DELEGATE TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE NEXT YEAR.

The Rev. E. W. Ryan was the fourth one of the eight ministerial delegates to be elected to represent the Detroit conference at the grand conference of next year.

There were 95 names voted for, and the fact that Dr. Ryan was the fourth one selected, shows that he has considerable influence among the ministers of the conference.

On the first ballot there were 262 votes cast. Rev. J. F. Berry, of Chicago, editor of the Epworth Herald, received 216 votes; Rev. John Sweet, of Owosso, 185 votes, and Rev. W. H. Sher, of Detroit, 145 votes.

It took the tellers about one and a half hours to get at the results of the second ballot. Only three men received the necessary 134 votes to elect, and they were: Rev. E. W. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, 167 votes; Rev. Arthur M. Edwards, Chicago, 149 votes; Rev. C. W. Baldwin, of Port Huron, 140 votes.

The third ballot resulted in the election of Rev. W. Dawe, of Saginaw, who received 140 votes. The last report of the tellers showed that Rev. W. F. Sheridan, of Pontiac, received 140 votes and he was declared elected.

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The doctor looked wise and said it was "nervous indigestion." But he didn't cure it. So Mr. Thos. G. Lever, of Lever, S. C., wrote to Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. And now Mr. Lever is well. Dr. R. V. Pierce is and for thirty years has been chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo. During this time he has probably treated more cases of chronic, or lingering, diseases than any other physician in the world. Invalids from all over the world write to him and receive advice free of charge. During the early years of his practice Dr. Pierce compounded his "Golden Medical Discovery" which he has used ever since in treating all affections of the lungs and bronchial tubes; for purifying the blood; for toning up the nerves and whenever an honest reliable non-alcoholic tonic was needed. In connection with it, he prescribes what other special medicine may be required in exceptional cases and gives directions as to diet and hygiene. The result is health. Mr. Lever writes: "I was afflicted with what the doctors called nervous indigestion. Took medicine from my family physician to no avail. I thought myself incurable as I suffered so much with pain under my ribs and an empty feeling in my stomach. I was getting very nervous and suffered a great deal mentally, thinking that death would soon claim me. I was irritable and impatient and greatly reduced in flesh. I could scarcely eat anything that would not produce a bad feeling in my stomach. I wrote Dr. Pierce. He prescribed his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets' and gave me some simple hygienic rules. I am well again. I believe the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets' will cure any case of indigestion, torpid liver, or chronic cold." Insist upon having "Golden Medical Discovery" for nothing else is "just as good."



## JUDSON DENIES IT ALL

He Never Invited Guests to Gen Alger's House. WRITES NO LETTLRS His Plan is to Talk To But One Person at a Time.

Billy Judson happened to drop into town for a few days—perhaps it is better at sometimes to play the part of Gen. Otis and not be near the scene of battle—and he is taking a little rest, so he says. "Is Gen. Alger a candidate for U. S. senator?" asked a reporter. "Well, he said so. If I told you I was going to run for sheriff, I wouldn't tell you the second time, would I?" "How about that meeting you called to convene at the general's house, Col.?" "Oh, that's made up of whole cloth. You know the News printed some stuff a while ago about the fight among the fellows when we had that military office, there's nothing in it as far as I know (emphasis on the 'I'). Why, do you suppose I'd call a meeting at your house? No sir; I might call one at my office, but I never talk to but one man at a time. Don't do to have too many around." "But suppose they get hold of some of your letters?" "I never write letters. They can publish any letters I write." "When will the governor be back?" "Guess he'll be back the last of the week. Yes, I think Marsh is an Alger man."

## A LITTLE GIRL HUNTER

BRINGS DOWN THE GAME AT BIRKETT. A RATTLESNAKE BITES A HORSE—THE CAMPERS HAVE DISAPPEARED.

Birkett, Sept. 6.—Miss Zoia Cole, who has been staying with her sister in Dexter, has returned home to stay. Dick Bell's horse was bit by a rattler one day last week. A couple of Mr. Birkett's fine deer died lately. Cause unknown. Six big men, friends of Dick Bell, spent Sunday with him. Miss Mary Garity is at Brighton visiting her aunt. Felix Courtney's family have just moved into their new house. Mr. Hill has a daughter from Brooklyn visiting him at present. Mr. Eisle's people entertained company last week. Bert Carpenter and wife spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Ann Arbor.

## THE BIG BRIDGE AT DEXTER

Dexter, Sept. 9.—The public schools open Monday. All the teachers will be the same as last year excepting Miss Genevieve Cross. The Webster Farmers club meets at E. N. Ball's in Hamburg, next Saturday. The new iron bridge over the Huron at this point has a 159 foot span and cost \$5,500. The Dexter cemetery will be enlarged by the addition of two acres to be purchased of E. Jedele. Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Dram are spending a month in New York and Philadelphia. Miss Mary Haab goes to Chelsea, where she has leased a store and is putting in a stock of millinery. The Dexter cider mill has been opened by John Wagner. Adam Bohnet has commenced the erection of the town hall in Dexter township. The Baptist ladies' aid society meets at Mrs. Thomas Quay's next Wednesday. Supper from 5 to 7. Emmanuel Staebler fractured his ribs a few days ago by falling from a hay loft and striking a corn sheller. The Dexter Leader says: "Another bit of interesting history is told concerning the old barn that is being torn down on Zera Burr's farm, mention of which was made last week. It was there that the first election in this township was held. It was also used at various times for church purposes. Seats were brought in on the ground floor for the elders, while the youngsters listened to the sermon from elevated benches in the loft, or on the beams of braces."

## SALINE SHEEP CASE IS APPEALED

Recently the Jackson Sleigh Co. commenced a suit in the circuit court against William J. Holmes, an agricultural implement and carriage dealer in Manchester, claiming \$538 for buggies sold him. Mr. Holmes puts in a plea and notice in which he claims that the buggies were purchased under a special contract and under special warranties. He says that he got them for \$35 each while the company asserted that they were worth as much as any buggy sold at \$40, wholesale price. Mr. Holmes, however, asserts that they were defective and made of practically worthless material. He says that he is entitled to a \$500 recompense.

## Bohemia's Strange Minerals.

Not far from Trebitsch, in Bohemia, are found many glassy-looking objects of a bottle-green color, and tending, when unbroken, to an egg shape, to which the name moldavites has been given. Dr. Suess of Vienna, from a recent study of these curious minerals, concludes that they are really meteorites, and should be added to the list of foreign bodies that have found their way to the earth's surface by falling from space.

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## NEWS NOTES FROM CHELSEA

Chelsea, Mich., Sept. 7.—Bishop Foley will visit St. Mary's church Thursday, Sept. 28, and will confirm a class of 70. A reception will be given at the Baptist church next Wednesday in honor of the pastor Rev. F. A. Stiles. The Methodists of Chelsea, have petitioned to have Rev. J. I. Nickerson retained for his fourth year. The work of decorating St. Mary's church, has been finished and the interior of the church is now an exceedingly handsome one. The Welch Grain & Coal Co. have been greatly improving the old Taylor elevator and are preparing to elevate and clean 500 bushels of wheat an hour. Ralph Pierce cut a deep gash in his foot Wednesday while chopping wood. There were 323 pupils present in the Chelsea schools on the opening day. J. L. Gilbert & Co. start up their evaporator Monday and expect to dispose of 20,000 bushels of apples this season. Charles Carpenter is back from the Klondike. Miss Myrta E. Irwin, of this village, was married at the home of her sister in Lansing Sept. 4, to Francis W. Tornbloom, of Lansing. Robert McCum is visiting Rev. Dr. Charles O'Reilly in Adrian.

## COOK-HOWE WEDDING

A YPSILANTI YOUNG LADY WEDS. THE GROOM WISELY PASSES BY DETROITS FAIR YOUNG LADIES.

At the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Cook, 418 Ellis st., there occurred last night at 8 o'clock a quiet and exclusive wedding, the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lena Cook to Mr. George Howe of Detroit. The Rev. Horton of the Presbyterian church officiated, and the ceremony was in the presence of the members of the family only. The happy couple remained at the bride's home last night and went to Detroit this morning. Miss Cook is a well known and popular Ypsilanti girl whose many friends wish her every happiness. The groom is head clerk in a department of the large wholesale bicycle establishment of Hillson Dogan of Detroit. He is a young man of excellent reputation and with bright prospects and having drawn the prize he has, in his matrimonial venture, are doubly bright. Mr. and Mrs. Howe will be at home, 562 14th avenue, Detroit, after October 1.

## AN INCREASED ATTENDANCE

ON THE YPSILANTI SCHOOLS THIS YEAR. THE TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS FOR THE FIRST WEEK IS 1010.

The first week of the fall term of the public schools closed last night with a somewhat increased attendance. Superintendent George reports that there are enrolled in the four years of the high courses 225 pupils to date, a few more than the first week last year. In the four grades or years of the grammar department there are 316 pupils, and 469 in the four years of the primary. This makes a total enrollment in all public schools of the city of 1010 for the first week. This is an average for each teacher, including the superintendent and special teachers, of 35 pupils. Of the whole number of teachers, ten are engaged in high school work, eight in the grammar schools and eleven in the primary. It requires of course more teachers in the high school, in proportion to the number of pupils enrolled, than in the other departments for the reason that several courses of study are offered, necessitating more classes. Superintendent George reports that the opening week has proved most satisfactory, everything assuming shape for strong, vigorous work, promptly and easily.

## DR. PALMER TO GO TO THE PHILIPPINES

Dr. Fred W. Palmer, of Jackson, who is a recent graduate of the medical department of the university and who made such a fine record as a surgeon with Dr. Vaughan in the 33d Michigan Volunteers in Cuba, has been offered the position of acting assistant surgeon with the pay of captain in the Philippines. The tender of the position comes direct from Surgeon-General Steberg, who thus recognizes his qualifications. Dr. Palmer has announced that he will accept it.

Ate with Fingers. Until the reign of Henry VIII, English sovereigns, as well as their subjects, ate with their fingers.

## AND BRESS IS MISSING

Advertised With Matrimonial Bureaus. WROTE LOVE LETTERS Dissolved Partnership by Taking the Pick of Firm Goods.

The matrimonial career of "Prof." William Bress, of Ann Arbor, seems to be ended, and his partner, William M. Sturgeon, mourns his loss. He left last Wednesday, as his partner believes, for Angier, Ohio, to try and marry a young lady. For a time Bress has been corresponding with a number of young ladies throughout the land. He secured these correspondents by the following advertisement: I am a manufacturing chemist and scholar, 33, good appearance, 5 feet 10, weight 155, dark brown hair and eyes, a perfect gentleman, attend churches, Theosophist. Desire prompt marriage if suited. Not particular about riches, several hundred dollars cash preferred. Address 208 E. Huron st., Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Monday evening, August 28, Mr. Sturgeon was in Ypsilanti trying to collect an account. He brought back with him some packages, and his little girl was with him, so that, both being tired, they stopped at home, and Mr. Sturgeon didn't come down town. When he did get down town in the morning he found that Bress during the night had removed all of the most valuable extracts and apparatus, over \$300 worth, leaving behind what Mr. Sturgeon considers practically of little value. An inventory of what was taken was lying on the table, with the following notice: "ANN ARBOR, Aug. 29, "The foregoing list of goods I took as my portion of the partnership property, leaving in your possession an equal amount and as much so that you can pay partnership debts. I hope this may be satisfactory, and if so let us consider our former relationship dissolved. "Yours, etc., "WILLIAM BRESS."

Mr. Sturgeon demanded to know where the goods were, but the "professor" would not give him any satisfactory answer. Mr. Sturgeon believes the partnership goods are still in the city, being secreted by either friends or private creditors. On Thursday Bress left the city. Sturgeon claims that Bress had himself and his trunk taken to Pittsfield Junction by dray.

For some time before Bress left he demanded that Sturgeon should raise him \$75, as he wanted to go to Buffalo, saying "you know what for." He assured Sturgeon that in four or five weeks he would have plenty of money and pay it back. Sturgeon refused to get the money, but suggested they dissolve partnership, Bress giving him security that all debts would be paid. Sturgeon was willing to give up everything if the creditors of the firm were taken care of. Bress became more importunate and pressed Sturgeon for the money, until he discovered that the latter would do nothing, when he said, "I am a doomed man; you have doomed me." This he repeated a number of times. Mr. Sturgeon estimates the debts of the firm to be about \$300 and Bress' private debts about the same. He says the young lady in Angier, Ohio, has been fully informed of the situation. Much sympathy is felt for the position in which Mr. Sturgeon has been placed. He has sunk over \$600 of his own money in the business, besides his time. Only two days after Bress left the note about taking the goods and dissolving partnership, he succeeded in getting hold of a check for \$7.60 from Pontiac, which he cashed. "Professor" Bress had the habit of making copies of his love letters which he would drop on the floor. A number of these are in Mr. Sturgeon's possession, one among the number being to an Ann Arbor girl. These letters were addressed to young women in Iowa, New York, Ohio and other states. The Buffalo girl seemed for a time to be the most desirable.

## AM OST WONDERFUL CURES

Eminent Physicians Pronounced it Consumption. Dr. C. D. Warner, Coldwater, Mich. Dear Sir:—I have received great benefit from your White Wine of Tar Syrup. I had a cough and the doctors gave up all hopes of my recovery and pronounced it consumption; I thought that it was death for me. I tried everything that we could hear of. Finally one of my friends prevailed upon me to use your White Wine of Tar Syrup. I took 1/2 bottles and am cured entirely. Such medicine I can recommend to those who are afflicted as I was. Very Resp'y Yours, JOSEPH E. UNDERHILL, Doland., South Dakota

## William Z. Burton vs. Eliza Burton.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, 22nd JUDICIAL CIRCUIT. In Chancery. Suit pending in the County of Washtenaw in chancery at the City of Ann Arbor, on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1899. William Z. Burton, complainant, vs. Eliza Burton, defendant. In this cause it appearing by affidavit on file that defendant, Eliza Burton, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Canton, state of Ohio, therefore, on motion of complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession. E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

(A true copy.) PHILIP BLUM, JR., Deputy Register. CALVAUGH & WEDEMEYER, Solicitors for Complainant. Examined and countersigned. PHILIP BLUM, JR., Deputy Register.

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## Estate of Daniel W. Amsdem.

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 Tuesday, the 1st day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Daniel W. Amsdem, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Louisa C. Amsdem praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 28th day of August 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 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. (A true copy.) P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

## Estate of Ann Canwell.

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 Thursday, the 24th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ann Canwell, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Louise Canwell, 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 herself, the executor of said will named or to some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 18th day of September 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 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 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. (A true copy.) P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

## Estate of Edward L. Walter.

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 30th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Edward L. Walter, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Howard O. Crane executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 28th day of September, 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, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered that said executor 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. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

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**A NEW LINE TO DETROIT**

Another One Has Been Projected.

**PIKES PEAK OR BUST**

This Line Must Run Through Pikes Peak—It Goes Through Superior.

Marshal Gerstner returned from Detroit last evening with a finely gotten up prospectus of a proposed new electric line running from Detroit to Ann Arbor, called the Detroit, Pike's Peak & Ann Arbor Railway Company. The prospectus is issued by Thomas Muir & Son., the well-known electrical supply house and contractors for electric plants, of 31 Larned st., Detroit. Pike's Peak is in Wayne county. The route covered is as follows: Starting from the city hall in Detroit, it will run west on Michigan avenue to Martin avenue, north to Warren avenue, west on Warren avenue to the old Ann Arbor road to Dearborn Mills, and thence alongside the main branch of the River Rouge to Pike's Peak and Plymouth, and continuing on to Ann Arbor. "From the accompanying map," says the prospectus, "it will be seen that the road will run between two steam roads and two electric roads, there being from one to six miles of well settled country between this central road and the other electric roads located north and south of it. Rights of way privileges and grading for the track, independent of the public roadway, have already been secured and provided for. The track for 34 miles, from Martin avenue to Ann Arbor, will be laid upon a wide boulevard and well ballasted, and thus be free from the dust on the public roadway.

"This railway," continues the prospectus, "will pass through a fine farming, gardening and grazing section of country, and is consequently well settled, giving about 25,000 people as patrons outside of Detroit and Ann Arbor, between which two cities there is quite a large traffic and travel. "The company will own valuable property at Pike's Peak, where they will have ample water power and suitable central location for power houses, shops, etc.

"It is contemplated to install a compressed air plant and equip the cars with this system, believing this to be less costly as an outfit, more economical for operating and maintaining and quite as efficient for service, thus doing away all objectionable features of pole line and electrical apparatus.

"The bond issue for the construction and equipment of the 38 miles (34 miles main line and 4 miles of sidings) at \$15,000 per mile, would be \$750,000 in 20 years, five per cent. First Mortgage Bonds. It is proposed to issue \$300,000 of stock (3,000 shares of \$100) for purchasing right of way privileges and organization."

The estimate of resources and expenses and cost of construction are interesting and will be given tomorrow. The prospectus accompanied by a fine blue line map, showing the proposed line and its relation to other electric and steam lines. The map shows that the line strikes Cherry Hill and Dixboro. There are eight post offices on the line.

**A Visit to the National Capital**

is a pleasure many Michigan people would like to experience when making a trip to the east. It doesn't cost any more to go through Washington to Philadelphia and New York over Pennsylvania Short Lines than it does over direct route of that system. Tickets are good for ten days' stop-over at Washington Ask F. M. Bushong, T. P. Agt., 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich., for particulars.

**WHILE WHIPPING HER HORSE**

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making an examination of the woman. He found a slight bruise on the right shoulder. Upon closer examination he found her neck broken. Her skin was not broken.

Albertus Hoxie, a medical student, also heard the crash of the collision.

Miss Jane Lamb was the daughter of the late James Lamb, of Russelltown Flats, Benharnis county, Ont., where she was born. She was 55 years of age. For the past 36 years she had made her home with her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Smith, of Dixboro.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at o'clock in the Dixboro church.

**IN A STORM OF MAUSER BULLETS**

B. F. Browne Proved Himself to be a Hero.

**IT WAS AT EL CANEY**

He Rushed to the Aid of a Wounded Lieutenant and Saved Him.

Sergt. John Larmee, who has just returned from the war in the Philippines, brought with him a letter to B. M. Browne, of the Courier office from his son, Sergt. B. F. Browne, also of Co. K, 22d Regular Infantry, who is as brave a soldier as ever fought for his country. Sergeant Larmee says that he is known as "Brownie," in the regiment, is chief of scouts, and many times has discovered by his reckless daring the hidden lairs of the enemy. He says the newspapers say a great deal about Funston, but many a private soldier has displayed more daring and nerve.

In the battle of El Caney, at Santiago de Cuba, Lieutenant Wassel, of Co. D, 22d regulars, was terribly wounded. If left on the ground death was certain. The regiment, at the time, was protected by trenches. The Spanish infantry poured from the front a hailstorm of Mauser bullets. "Brownie" rushed to the aid of the lieutenant and with the assistance of another hero, carried him to the surgeon's quarters, exposed all the time, from front and rear, to a storm of Mauser bullets, but as by a miracle of Providence they escaped, and Lieutenant Wassel's life was saved.

**COLLEGE PRESIDENT AT THIRTY**

A college president at 30 years of age! Such is the honor that has been extended to an Ann Arbor boy and a graduate of the U. of M. He can have it if he desires it. The proposition has been extended to him, but he has imposed certain conditions before he will accept. In casting about for a suitable head for St Stephen's College, situated on the Hudson at Annandale, N. Y., the governing board had the foresight to choose a young man for the place. With the vigor attendant to youth, when combined with executive ability necessary thereto in the direction of an educational institution, the college cannot help but be the gainer if the usual years of life are granted to the chosen one. And in selecting a young man, that governing board had the good judgment to call Rev. Lawrence D. Cole, whom Ann Arbor is proud to claim as one of her sons.

Born and brought up here, he passed through the successive stages preparatory to a university course, from which he graduated in Ann Arbor in 1892. He then took a theological course in the General Theological Seminary in New York and after a short rest entered Harvard, going from there to Columbia, where he took his degree of Doctor of Philosophy. So proficient was he in his studies that he was awarded a scholarship abroad, but he did not accept it. He went immediately into active fields and was soon selected as the Venerable Archdeacon of the Diocese of Northern Indiana, which really meant that he was the assistant bishop of that particular district. At less than 30 years of age he was in direct line for the bishopric, and his fine diplomacy in settling church matters in dispute made him well known in church circles.

St Stephen's College, which is backed by the Vanderbilts and the most wealthy of the Eastern Episcopalians, needs a president just now, and the tender was made to Rev. Lawrence Cole. He quietly investigated the situation and, unlike most young men, whose heads would be turned at the proffer of so high an honor, he stipulated that certain conditions must be agreed to before he would accept it. The governing board will meet some time this week and decide upon the matters he submits.

St. Stephen's College is at present a small college, but the fact that it is so heavily endowed that its tuition and incidental expenses are free makes its prospects bright for its future under careful management such as Rev. Lawrence Cole could give it. Should the conditions which he has

sought fit to impose be agreed to, he will add another to the already long list of college presidents who are alumni of the university. The list up to date is as follows:

- Charles Kendall Adams, '61, Cornell and Wisconsin.
- Harry B. Hutchins, '71, acting president of the U. of M. during President Angell's absence.
- Austin Scott, '70, Rutgers.
- Lewis R. Fiske, '50, Albion
- Mark W. Harrington, '68, University of Washington.
- Henry Wade Rogers, '74, North-western.
- George G. Groff, '76, Bucknel University, 1888-89.
- Hosmer A. Johnson, '49, Chicago Medical College.
- Park S. Donelson, '49 (deceased), Ohio Wesleyan Female College.
- Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer, '76, Wellesley College.
- Adonijah S. Welch, '49; Edwin Willets, '55; Lewis McLouth, '58, and Oscar Clute have all been presidents of Agricultural Colleges.

**Robbed the Grave.**

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cts., guaranteed, at Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester, Drug Store.

**Ten Day Stopover at Washington.** may be enjoyed by purchasers of tickets to Philadelphia and New York over Pennsylvania Short Lines. Tickets via Washington are sold at same fares as via direct line of Pennsylvania System. For special information apply to F. M. BUSHONG, T. P. Agt., 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich.

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**Notice to Creditors.**

**STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.** Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of John Kuebler, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 28th day of February, next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on the 27th day of November, and on the 28th day of February, 1900, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon each of said days.  
Dated, Ann Arbor, August 28th, A. D. 1899.  
H. WIRT NEWKIRK,  
Judge of Probate.

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**For Sale Cheap.**  
Small house, barn, store and post office; also good well of water; two acres of land and some fruit trees. Situated in town of Augusta, Stony Creek, seven miles south of Ypsilanti, on Ridge road. Inquire Plymouth, Mich., box 33, or Richard Hopson, P. O. M., Stony Creek, Mich. 38-0

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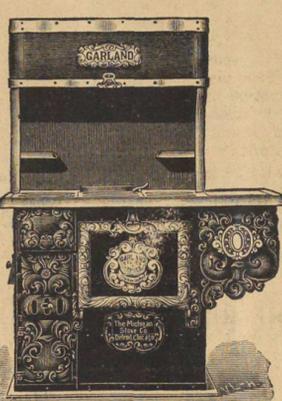
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**High Grade Percherons AUCTION**

Henry C. Waldron the Percheron horse breeder of Washtenaw County will hold his annual sale of grade Percherons at the Fair Grounds in the City of Ann Arbor at 1 o'clock on Thursday the 3rd day of the Washtenaw County Fair October 5th Stock not to be removed until Friday the last day of the Fair. No by bidding permitted. The consignment consists of 30 head composed of

- 5 Geldings, 3 and 4 years old.
- 5 Brood Mares, 6, 7 and 10 years old.
- 1 span matched, 2-year-old Mares.
- 1 2-year-old Mare.
- 1 1-year-old Mare.
- 1 Weanling Filly.
- 3 General Purpose Horses.
- 2 Drivers.
- 4 Percheron Stallion Colts, Weanlings.
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These young stallions are in color Gray, Bay, Brown and Black. They are a gilt edged lot, bred from the best of dams and sires and will develop into \$500 or \$600 horses. In the stud they will cover just as many mares at just as high a service fee as a stallion that will cost \$2,500. The Brood Mares are right in their prime and are first-class breeders. They will do a farmers' work and at the same time pay for themselves every year in the colts they raise.

The Geldings will make horses that will weigh from 1,500 to 1,800 pounds, good track horses.  
There is no stock in which one can invest at the present time and make as much money as he can on colts or young horses for they will be ready for market right in the zenith of the horse boom. Next spring horses will bring 100 per cent. more than they will now.  
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- Best Ingrain, 12c per roll.
- Window Shades, complete and ready to hang for 10c each.

**George Wahr**

310 S. State St. and Down Town, Opposite Court House, Main St., Ann Arbor.

**LOCAL BREVITIES**

From Tuesday's Daily Argus.

George Moore's horses spilled kerosene oil from Ann St. to William st., yesterday in a runaway.

The painting of the April block, occupied by John Koch was done by O. O. Sorg and presents a handsome appearance.

Dr. Charles B. Nancrede and family are moving into the new house built by Mrs. Bond, corner of Thayer and S. University ave.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Beta Weinmann and William Seyfried to take place Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. Doretha Weinmann, No. 219 E. Washington st.

The Ann Arbor Arbeiter Verein last evening decided to celebrate their annual anniversary on Thursday evening, November 2. John Meyer, Titus F. Hutzler and Julius Loreke were appointed as a committee to arrange a plan for the celebration.

There are now six Japanese students in the city, and they expect that there will be an increase of three or four more of their countrymen here this year. At least one more Japanese will be here. He is on his way now. His name is K. Nakamura, and his home is in Tokio, Japan.

Chris. Seyfried went to Whitmore Lake today to appear before Justice Moss on a charge of selling liquor to a young man named Van Fleet on a certain Sunday last April. The young man came from Brighton and the complainant was laid before a justice of this county and as near Brighton as possible.

Fred Frey, of Lima, was in the city yesterday with some very sore toes. In building a cellar for a new house, while unloading a stone boat, a large stone rolled over his foot, badly bruising the toes of the right foot. Mr. Frey's physician has advised him to rest for a week but this is a great punishment for a man with such an active spirit. Mr. Frey expects to build his house next year.

"Yes," said a gentleman who was in business in this city five years ago, "I believe in advertising. The first year I was in business in Ann Arbor my partners and myself spent \$400 in advertising. We did a good business and made money. One of our partners objected to the expense so vigorously that the next year we only spent \$25 on advertising. The effect was that our business was cut down one half and we made no money. I got out of the business."

From Wednesday's Daily Argus.

The trespass case of Paris Banfield vs. Isaac Perrine has been appealed to the supreme court.

All the Methodist ministers who were in the county last year are returned to their charges this year.

Marriage license issued: John Nichols, 39, Jackson, and Ricka Schnearle, 38, Ann Arbor.

Acting Asst.-Surgeon F. W. Palmer, of Jackson, a former Washtenaw boy, has been ordered to San Francisco, for assignment to duty, which probably means to go to Manila.

There were 2,755 deaths in Michigan in August, which is 356 more deaths than in July, the major part of the increase being in the death of children under one year of age.

The dates of the Ypsilanti Horse Fair, trotting, pacing and running meeting are Oct. 10, 11, 12 and 13. H. P. Glover, president; R. W. Hemphill, treasurer; Ode Russ, secretary and Warren Lewis, assistant secretary.

The artist, A. L. Alexander, has completed and delivered a bust portrait of Hon. A. J. Sawyer. Mr. Sawyer is very much pleased with Mr. Alexander's work. He has great talent and deserves a large patronage.

Ann Arbor will be represented at the Dewey Day celebration at New York, Sept. 25. W. H. Butler and Dr. Morton are in training for chest expansion so that they can holler as loud as any other delegation to honor the Hero of Manila. They expect to leave for their trip in a few days and are trying to induce Dr. A. C. Nichols to accompany them with his stentorian voice.

**YPSILANTI LOCALS**

From Tuesday's Daily Argus.

Sadie Raymond, of the township of Ypsilanti, asks for a divorce from her husband, Daniel E. Raymond, on the grounds of non-support.

The training school at the Normal college started in the second week of the year with a total enrollment of 196, distributed as follows: First grade 23; second grade 28; third grade 22; fourth grade 28; fifth grade 34; seventh grade 29. The kindergarten department will not be open until the first of October.

Postmaster Bogardus has made changes in post office hands which appears in the following schedule: On and after Sept. 15, the postoffice will open at 6:30 a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m., standard time. The carriers windows for evening delivery of mail will be open from 6:30 to 7 p. m. Thus giving patrons of the office their evening mail thirty minutes earlier than heretofore. Bear in mind that standard time only is used in all matters pertaining to the mail service.

The Ypsilanti Trotting Horse association held a meeting last night and arranged a series of races for October 10, 11 and 12. There will be three races each day, and purses ranging from \$250 to \$350 have been made up. It is expected that there will be some very fine racing. A \$500 reserve fund was put up to meet any unforeseen contingencies. There will be a committee meeting next Thursday night to arrange all preliminaries. The men behind the association insure a successful meeting. Its officers are as follows: President, Henry P. Glover; treasurer, Robert W. Hemphill; secretary, O. A. Russ; superintendent of track, W. H. Lewis.

From Wednesday's Daily Argus.

Otego is well represented in the Normal College, Misses Frances Conrad, Mae Watson, Josephine Nevins and May Blakeman, of that village, are among the students.

At least four Ypsilanti people were made happy today by the fact that the county clerk issued two marriage licenses. Anthony M. Burke and Gladys Holly will be made Mr. and Mrs. Burke, while Florence A. Brown will soon be known as Mrs. Robt. W. Lenglan.

Rev. Eugene Allen, who has just been appointed pastor of the Preston M. E. church in Detroit, is a son of Rev. Dr. C. T. Allen, pastor of the Ypsilanti M. E. church. He was stationed last year in Birmingham and is regarded as one of the most capable young men in the Detroit conference. His brother, Rev. Clarence Allen, is pastor of the Havens M. E. church in Detroit, where he was last year.

Rexfords received yesterday the first shipment of Saline flour over the new electric road.

The second Baptist church of this city will hold a camp meeting at Saline beginning Sept. 14th and continuing until Sept. 28th inclusive. Good talent will be present and the various services will be interesting profitable to the spiritually minded.

**Milan.**

Fall weather has arrived in Milan.

Mrs. Alex Smith is visiting in Detroit.

One case of typhoid fever on Main st.

Dr. S. Chapin visited Ann Arbor Wednesday.

Allen Alderman is at Mt. Clemens taking baths.

Mrs. J. Bernap has returned from her Addison trip.

M. A. Palmer & Clark have a fine line of fall opening.

Miss Alma Sill visited Ann Arbor the last of the week.

Claud Chapin has returned from his Grand Rapids visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatch have moved to Ann Arbor.

Mrs. L. Vanwarmer has returned from her Toledo visit.

Miss Cecil Gauntlett has returned to school at Ann Arbor.

Atty. G. R. Williams was quite ill Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stimson are visiting friends in Saline.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lockwood have returned from Toledo.

Charles Taylor and family have returned from their Lake Erie outing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hitchcock have returned from their Northville visit.

Miss Bessie Brown, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Miss Lelia Kelly this week.

Miss Anna Brown is taking an English course at the Normal college this year.

The Free Methodist Minister Rev. M. Boyer will return to Milan another year.

Miss Jessie Loveland is attending the Perrin Institute of Stenography at Detroit this fall.

Mrs. N. R. Waterman, of Salt Lake City, Utah, is quite ill at her fathers, J. C. Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barker, of Wabash st., have returned from their eastern trip.

Miss Sarah Wheaton, of Chicago, left for a few days visit with a sister at Oakville, Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Sloan left Wednesday morning for a few days' visit with friends in Lawton, Mich.

The Milan K. of P. ladies report a glorious time at the Pythian day entertainment at Dundee Tuesday.

Bruce Pullan has returned from his Canadian outing and is at the post office handing out mail as of old.

Dr. W. R. Turner, of Monroe City, is the guest of C. M. Debenham and family a few days this week.

Miss K. Sauer and Miss LaRue, of Saline, will make their home with Mrs. W. H. Houseman this winter.

Rev. F. O. Jones, of the M. E. church has been returned to Milan and begins his fourth years work Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Leach & Son, of Harris-hill, Ohio, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Murry, of County st.

Mrs. Mae Ostrander will move to Ann Arbor this week, she having rented a fine house on Main st. She intends keeping roomers.

The Presbyterian ladies held their tea social at the residence of Miss M. A. Palmer on Main st. Tuesday. All had a very enjoyable time.

School opened Monday with a good attendance. Prof. Chas. Carrick and his corps of teachers are pleased to be at their duties again after a pleasant vacation and refreshing rest.

Miss Maud Aniba, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Miss Edna Zimmerman. There have been a number of thimble parties given in her honor. Miss Edna Zimmerman had a pleasant party Tuesday evening.

**A Thousand Tongues**

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor and Geo. J. Haessler, Manchester, Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.



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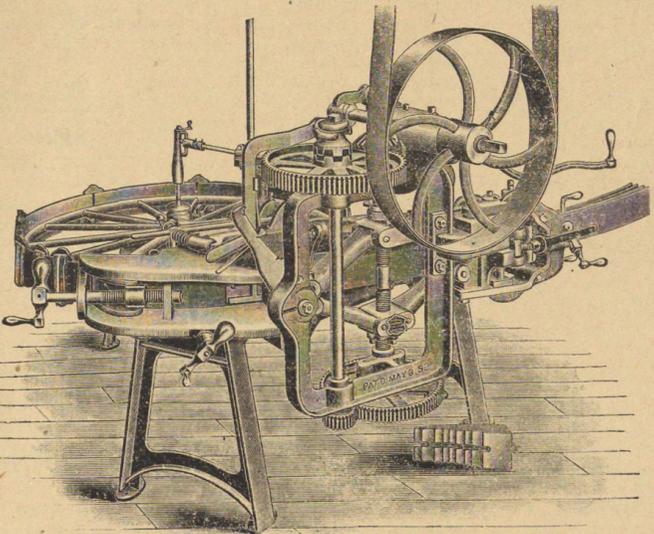
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

From Friday's Daily Argus. Dr. Blair is busy at his home attending to a son one day old. A Milan dispatch says that Hon. Benjamin E. Hammond, one of the oldest settlers of Milan township is dead, aged 80 years. Secretary Mills, of the Washtenaw fair, has employed five men to go through the county posting bills. It is to the interest of every citizen of the county to make the fair a big success. They can do it by not only attending the fair but making exhibits. A good exhibit of fruits and field products, horses and cattle, etc., means a higher price for farm lands. Prof. Julius Schlotterbeck, Dr. Gordon and Ottmar Eberbach returned Wednesday evening from the annual meeting of the American Pharmaceutical association at Put-in-Bay. Prof. A. B. Prescott was elected president of the association. Mr. Eberbach says the meeting was very satisfactory and much work was done. The islands are suffering as much from the drouth as the main lands. The Jackson Press says: "Chas. H. Manly, of Ann Arbor, who has taken the contract to compile a set of abstract books for Jackson county, is in the city looking for a residence. It will take some years to complete the contract and Mr. Manly may be considered a permanent resident."

A postal card last evening to the Daily Argus from L. E. Mills, of Meriden, Conn., says "I noticed in the Argus that you were agitating the raising of tobacco in and around Ann Arbor. I thought that it might interest you to know that it is raised with success here in Connecticut and Massachusetts, which, I think, are fully as far north as Ann Arbor. I have several large fields of it all through Massachusetts."

From Saturday's Daily Argus. Miss Mary Goddard will lead the meeting at the Y. W. C. A. at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Mrs. Magdalena Kuenzler, widow of Rev. Gottlieb Kuenzler, is moving from Manchester to 420 W. Liberty.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow will be led by Henry Purfield, instructor in wood working in the university.

William Neumann, of Romeo, son of Rev. John Neumann, engineer '98, has been appointed inspector of harbors at Pentwater, Mich.

In the circuit court case of Fred Joerndt vs. William F. Rehffuss and Abram Wallace, the defendant's attorneys, Lehman Bros. & Stivers, have filed a motion for security for costs.

Dr. Fred W. Palmer, of Jackson, a Washtenaw county boy and a U. of M. graduate, who served in the 33d Michigan, has been offered a position as acting assistant surgeon for service in the Philippines.

The engines on the Michigan Central will hereafter be run through from Detroit to Michigan City without change. The faster trains which have been taking water at Ann Arbor will take it at Jackson.

John G. Fischer, the W. Huron st. butcher, has purchased a 16 months old steer from Mrs. Haines, of Scio, which he says will dress over 700 pounds. He thinks this is doing pretty well for Washtenaw county.

Mrs. Catherine Eggers, aged 70, died this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Goetz, on W. Liberty st. The cause of her death was old age. The remains will be taken to Philadelphia this evening for interment.

John Southwick, an honest agrarian, of Milan, was in the city last evening and, not being used to the ways of a large city, became overcome with tangle foot. Marshal Gerstner gathered him in and today Justice Doty said \$5.88 fine and costs or 10 days in jail. He will pay.

The Grass Lake News, in writing up a marriage, speaks of "the fairy land where love cooeth and warbleth at the twilight hour, and the sky is arched with rainbows, and joy turns somersaults in hopsy glee, and happiness fans herself with Cupid's wings." That certainly can't be Grass Lake. It must be Chelsea.

In the case in the circuit court of Catherine H. Fillmore vs. The Great Capm of the Knights of the Maccabees for Michigan, and Arbor Tent, No. 296, Knights of Maccabees, an amended answer has been filed. It is short and makes the point that after the case had been appealed to the executive committee their decision was final and could not be reviewed. This is the well known case in which the Maccabees expelled Ald. Fillmore for owning stock in the Ann Arbor Brewing Co., and refused to pay his widow the amount of his certificate.

From Monday's Daily Argus. There are 337 children of school age in the Milan district.

The trolley road did an unusually large business yesterday, the Detroit business being very large.

There will be a very important meeting of the Lyra Singing Society this evening in their rooms.

Architect Falkenberg is in the city to superintend alterations and improvements on the Cook house.

St. Thomas' Conservatory of Music opened up this morning. The attendance promises to be better than ever. A new teacher from Monroe, Mich., has been added to the staff.

C. A. Heath and family, of Milan, have removed to this city. Their son, George M. Heath, enters the university.

Harris Ball left this morning for Dexter, Pinckney, Anderson, Gregory and Stockbridge to post bills for the Washtenaw fair.

Harry Wallace has taken the place of J. Warren as assistant in the waiting room in this city of the Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor electric road.

Prof. Davis starts his survey of the St. Clair Flats today. Messrs. Hannan and McNaughton are already on the ground, or rather water, to make the preliminary arrangements. Milton H. Guy has secured a position on the survey.

The members of the Young Men's Christian association hold their monthly business meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Reports of work done and plans for the coming month will be the order of the day. The night school and lyceum course especially will be subjects for discussion.

With today the Ann Arbor post office will run strictly on standard time. The government not recognize Podunc time. It would be a pleasing thing to chronicle that the university and public schools would have the courage to do away with the constant confusion of two standards of time.

The death of Mrs. Augusta Barr occurred at her home, 910 E. Washington st., last night. She was 52 years of age and had been a sufferer with consumption, which was the cause of the demise. She was a member of the local hive, Ladies of the Maccabees. The funeral will take place Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the house.

W. G. Doty has received word from the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Kansas that he and three others of the Grand Commandery, of Kansas will accompany the remains of the late Charles M. Jones to this city and they will take charge of the funeral, filling up the quota of grand officers from past commanders of Ann Arbor commandery. Ann Arbor commandery will act as an escort.

The "Three Musketeers," under the direction of E. D. Stair, received a warm welcome in the Athens Theatre Saturday night. It was worthy opening of the cosy, pretty theatre for the season. The audience was not as large as the excellent company deserved but it was sympathetic and did not hesitate to express its appreciation. It was the first evening in many months that there was no annoyance from fresh youths in the gallery.

J. B. Steere reports that the celery blight which threatened the crop is disappearing on his Pittsfield fields, and the crop of flowing well celery will be very large. Three years ago this same blight almost destroyed the celery crop of Michigan. Mr. Steere has this year planted a number of specialties such as celeric, or, what the Germans term, root celery. These roots in the rich soil of Mr. Steere's lands are developing very finely.

YPSILANTI LOCALS

From Friday's Daily Argus. Complaints was made that the water supply of Ypsilanti was not pure and the board of health submitted a sample to the state laboratory at Ann Arbor, and the official decree is that the water is wholesome, and free from sewage contamination. The odor of the mineral springs, and the aroma that comes from some Ann Arbor people who wash their feet in the river during warm weather, rather got what few users of water there are in Ypsi. a bit worried. Now they know that no insect bigger than a bed bug can get into the water mains, and they feel better.—Adrian Press.

The Normal College Lecture course this year will be the best ever offered. Among its attractions will be Professor Peckham, of New York, who will give an illustrative lecture on liquid air. He will show its effects in cooling the air and freezing mercury. He will drive a nail with it, and make it into a bar on which he will hang heavy weights. He will freeze an ice goblet, fill it with liquid air, then insert a carbon and this cause combustion. Many other strange and novel experiments will be shown. The lecture course this year will cost \$400 more than last year's course. Announcements of the completed course will be made later.

From Saturday's Daily Argus.

Rev. T. W. McLean, of Trinity church Bay City, formerly of St. Luke's church, has accepted a call to St. Mark's parish in Minneapolis.

John M. Graves is the champion bicycle rider of Ypsilanti town, having ridden from Whitmore Lake to his home in an hour and a half. This was a quarter of an hour faster than he made the trip to the lake. Like a good horse he is at his best when headed for home.

Henry F. Homer who fell from a ladder a week ago, falling on his spine which was seriously injured is out again. He fell 12 feet and was fortunate that he was not more seriously hurt.

Wm. Wilson, of the Ypsilanti fire department, and wife, who have been visiting Mr. Wilson's parents at Paris, Ontario, have returned home, arriving last night. They also visited at Brantford and other places. They were gone fifteen days.

Service in St. Luke's tomorrow, (Sunday.) Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer, sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening prayer,

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No. 55. Four Handkerchiefs. Four Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 18 1/2 x 18 1/2 inches. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 56. Six Handkerchiefs. Six Ladies' Pocket Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 12 x 13 inches. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 57. A Pair of Scissors. Made by the best American manufacturers and well finished, 5 1/2 inches long. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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No. 59. Razor made by J. R. Torrey. The J. R. Torrey Razor is known as the best made in the United States. The printed guarantee of the manufacturer goes with each razor. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 28 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 60. Lady's Belt. Latest style, grain leather tan color 1 1/2 in. wide, nickel plated buckle. Belts are following sizes only, give size in inches when ordering, from 22 to 26 in.; from 27 to 32 in.; from 33 to 36 in. Sent postpaid on receipt of a 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures cut from the wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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No. 64. A Kitchen Knife. Will cut bread, slice ham and saw the bone. Serviceable, and should be in every kitchen. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 14 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 65. A Lady's Pen Knife. Has two finely finished blades. Handle beautifully variegated in imitation of onyx. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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No. 69. A Gentleman's Watch. The "New Haven" is a watch of the ordinary size. Stem wind and stem set, dust proof, nickel-plated case, solid back. Quick beat movement, highly polished steel pinions. Modeled after a standard watch, reliable time-keeper. The printed guarantee of the maker accompanies each watch. Sent postpaid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 90 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 70. A Porcelain Clock. Imported porcelain frame, beautifully decorated. Movement made by New Haven Clock Co., guaranteed by them a good time-keeper, 5 inches high, same width. Sent by express, charges prepaid by us, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 115 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

No. 71. Enamelled Alarm Clock. Highest standard of Alarm Clock. Seamless frame, ornamental hands, French pattern and second hand. Will run thirty hours with one winding. Sent by express, charges prepaid, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 80 signatures cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office and your Post Office as well.

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lecture, 7:30 p. m. The subject of the Rev. Wm. Gardam's sermon tomorrow morning will be "Contrasts."

Editor Munroe of the Commercial called on the Argus yesterday and inquired if it was true that the Argus had purchased the Commercial. He was informed that it was not. Accordingly he announced the fact in his paper yesterday that the statement was not true.

The West Congress-st. and Oakwood avenue Sewer on which Hading and Sbafer were the contractors has been completed and it was accepted yesterday. The work appears to have been entirely satisfactory to the board of public works. This sewer begins on West Congress-st., about half way between Summit and Normal streets, extends down Congress to Oakwood and there turps north and runs four hundred feet on Oakwood avenue.

Early in the week Frank Brown of near Milan, was tried in Justice Childs' court for stealing a bicycle of Ed Dalsen on July 4th. Lawrence Alexander was tried at the same time for receiving and disposing of the property. They came to Ypsilanti Thursday to settle their fines and costs, which in the case of the former amounted to \$24, and the latter \$8.75. The same day Dalsen rented a wheel to a man who gave the name of H. Morgan, who claimed to hail from Ann Arbor. The wheel was a gentleman's Referee wheel, No. 9529. It also had a private No. 10 on the side. Neither the wheel or Morgan has been seen here since. Dalsen is beginning to think the bicycle livery business is mighty uncertain. It is but a few days since he recovered the lady's Waverly which he rented to Frank Brown on July 4th, and now another one has been taken. The stolen wheels must take off a good bit of the profits.

All druggists guarantee Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS to stop Headache. "One cent a dose."

Lord Rosebery a Literary Man. In a week that has seen the publication of an article by Lord Rosebery, and the issue of a volume of his lordship's "Appreciations and Addresses," it may be noted that it is almost nine years since a contribution to periodical literature from the ex-premier's pen has appeared. Lord Rosebery has had many requests for a magazine article, and in yielding to an appeal from the editor of the Scottish Liberal—a short lived weekly, which appeared on February 7, 1890—he began his article on "Reform of the House of Lords" in that journal by stating that he had been invited "to a task which was unfamiliar. But the political struggle is now so keen that perhaps no one should stand aside simply from a sense of incapacity."

Too Clever by Half. A Paris manufacturer named Person has just been convicted of selling canned horseflesh as potted duck, hare, etc. He said like Sam Weller's friend, that it was "all in the seasoning," and that he could make horse into duck or hare according as tastes differed. The letters on the cans, "M. T.," meant not "Mention honorable," as purchasers had supposed, but "Melange hippopotamique." The judge gave Mr. Person eight months.

Petroleum on the Coast. The petroleum output in southern California now amounts to about 45,000 barrels a day, and it is all consumed upon the Pacific coast. It was discovered about ten years ago, and has been in use for about five years. A tank steamer runs regularly between Santa Barbara and San Francisco, carrying refined petroleum to the latter market. The Southern Pacific runs its local trains by oil, and it is also consumed as fuel in several manufacturing establishments in this section. There is no smoke and no cinders. The locomotive tenders on the Santa Fe road are big tanks, and the engineer feeds the fire with a key.

Sheriff's Sale. BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the County of Wayne and State of Michigan in favor of Joseph S. Visger, plaintiff, to be directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Ullyses T. Foster, defendant, I did on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1899, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Ullyses T. Foster, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the Township of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan. Known and described as follows: The east half of the southeast quarter of section 23, also the north half of southwest quarter of section 24, also north half of east half of northeast quarter of section 25, also northwest quarter of east half of southwest quarter of section 24, all in Town 2, South Range 6 east, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan.

All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder as the law directs, at the south front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, (that being the building in which the Circuit Court of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan is held) on Monday the 16th day of October A. D. 1899, at 12 o'clock noon (local time). Dated, August 28th, 1899. JOHN GILLEN, Sheriff.

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In the Estate of Daniel W. Amsden. 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 28th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel W. Amsden, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lorinda C. Amsden, praying that she may be licensed to mortgage the real estate whereof said deceased died seized. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 25th day of September 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, 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. [A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

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Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, etc.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw. I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of December, 1898. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, L. Gruner, Directors. Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$150,000. Resources, \$1,000,000.

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JUST AS CRAZY AS A LOON BUT STILL WAS DEEMED HARMLESS.

HE WAS BUYING 1500 MORE HORSES FOR HIS SPANISH ARMY. An exceedingly strange stranger was on Ypsilanti streets last Saturday. When he first attracted attention he was in Fulton's saloon on the east side. He entered and taking the two cigar lighters from their sockets cooped them in his hands. Officer P. W. Ross noticed his peculiar actions. When accosted he said he had been out all night, was cold and was trying to warm his hands. He had two halters which he tried to sell. The officer brought him to Prosecuting Kirk's office, where it appeared that he was as crazy as the proverbial March hare. He said he was born at Ecorse in 1875, and had been in the army since he was 7 years old. He claimed he was a high officer in the Spanish army which had combined with other European armies and thus formed a force of 15,000,000 men of which he was in command. This combination he said included 1500 kings, while the United States, which they proposed to fight, only numbered 16 kings, including President McKinley. He said he was buying horses for the service. He had 8001 and needed 1500 more. As he appeared to be harmless, the prosecutor directed the officer to let him go. He was told he had better leave town, as there were a great number of workmen who would be on the street in the afternoon and they might make him trouble when they understood he was here buying horses for the Spanish army. He left with his two halters. There should be some place to confine such people until their friends can be communicated with. While they are apparently harmless, there is no knowing at what moment they may become dangerous.

SALINE LADY WANTS \$10,000

Starts a Suit Against the City of Ypsilanti.

FAULTY SIDEWALK: SUIT Alleged Injuries were Recieved Last March Upon Hamilton Street.

Some time ago the city of Ypsilanti was compelled to pay a \$1,500 judgment to Virgie Comiskie for injuries received by reason of not having a crosswalk where one should have been placed.

The city now has a \$10,000 defective sidewalk case on its hands. In many places of the city the plank walks are built so that the boards run at right angles to the street. When two persons are walking side by side and one of these boards happens to be loose at one end, a party stepping on the opposite end of the plank is liable to cause at least some inconvenience to the other party.

On March 20 last Ella A. Glazier, a milliner of Saline, came to Ypsilanti. As she was walking up Hamilton st. with her escort, the latter did unconsciously just what was referred to above, when in front of No. 410. The end of the plank in front of Mrs. Glazier flew up, causing her to fall heavily, and it resulted in such serious injuries that she claims that she has since been unable to conduct her millinery business in Saline.

A. J. Sawyer & Son, who represent her, ask for \$10,000 damages against the city.

W. H. HOLMES PUTS IN HIS DEFENSE

Recently Joseph Gauss, of Bridgewater, sued John Hauessler, of Freedom, in the justice court at Saline for the value of 50 head of sheep which he pastured on the latter's land and which he claims were kept from water so that they died and the remainder became valueless. The jury was out three hours and returned a verdict of no cause for action. Now Blum & Avery, attorneys for the plaintiff, have appealed to the circuit court.

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 28th day of August, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Catharine Kuebler, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 28th day of February next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 28th day of November, and on the 28th day of February, 1899, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. Dated, Ann Arbor, August 28, A. D. 1899. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

KILLED BY AN ELECTRIC CAR

Aretus A. Bedell Struck Near Dearborn.

A RESPECTED CITIZEN The Motorman Was a Near Neighbor and an Intimate Friend.

A distressing accident occurred yesterday morning, resulting in the instant death of a respected Ypsilanti citizen, Aretus A. Bedell of the east side. Mr. Bedell was an enthusiastic wheelman and early yesterday morning he, in company with Eugene Sweet and Don Woodward, started to wheel to Detroit. They had got out to within about two miles of Dearborn, when the first electric car came along from the west about 7:40 o'clock. Messrs. Sweet and Woodward were two or three rods ahead of Mr. Bedell. The bicycle path at this point runs right up by the end of the ties of the electric railway. The two men ahead got off their wheels to pass over a patch of sand, but Mr. Bedell tried to ride through it, but was obliged to dismount. As he dismounted he stood on the end of the ties and his companions, noticing the car rapidly approaching, shouted to him to look out. He being somewhat hard of hearing apparently misunderstood, for he pulled his wheel out of the path as though to let a wheelman from behind pass. Messrs. Sweet and Woodward again warned him, and he turned his head to look over his shoulder and seeing the car jumped, but it was too late, the car struck him on the left side, breaking the ribs from the spine and also breaking the left leg just above the left knee. He was thrown 25 feet and was dead when he struck the ground. He was taken aboard the car and carried to the waiting room at Dearborn, where a jury was empanelled and reviewed the remains. He was then brought to his home in this city. Norvel Ayers, the motorman of the car which struck Mr. Bedell, is a long time and intimate friend of the deceased. He lives right beside him and when Mr. Bedell was an engineer on the Michigan Central years ago, Ayers was his fireman. Ayers is greatly distressed over the accident. Mr. Bedell was about 56 years old and was for years a railroad man and more recently in the boot and shoe business. He leaves a wife and one son. When the remains were brought home, Mrs. Bedell and her mother were alone, the son, Aretus A. Jr., being in New York on his vacation. The inquest will be held at Dearborn this afternoon at 2 o'clock. No arrangement have yet been made for the funeral.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND Will Deliver the Address at the Dedication OF ST. THOMAS CHURCH

Rev. E. D. Kelly Has Secured the Loved Archbishop for the Occasion.

Rev. E. D. Kelly has just secured the promise of Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, to deliver the address at the dedication of the new St. Thomas' church in Ann Arbor, which will take place about Christmas time. Archbishop Ireland is one of the most eloquent pulpit orators. He is recognized as the head of the progressive element of the church in this country and is a thorough American. No better selection could be made and Fr. Kelly is to be congratulated upon securing so talented a speaker and such a high dignitary in the church for the occasion. The new church is one of the most handsome in the state. It is well located, admirably designed and has been well built. The occasion of its dedication will be one long to be remembered in this city.

England's Coal Stock

It is estimated that England's stock of coal will last 200 years longer, and North America's 600 years. It is not likely, however, that these supplies will ever be needed, as it is probable that before many decades have passed power will be gained in other ways.

CHELSEA IS STILL A THRIVING VILLAGE

The Grass Lake News man is nothing if not a humorist. About the only live thing in Grass Lake, he has long derided Chelsea, while Chelsea has been forging rapidly ahead, being in many ways the liveliest and most thriving village in Michigan. Hence these tears! The Grass Lake News this week says: "Anson Patchin made his last mail delivery at Sharon last Saturday, and on Tuesday James O. Raymond took out letters and other mail matter to rural patrons on the newly opened route southeast of Grass Lake. Meantime the excitement over the heavy loss of mail patronage and business generally consequent upon the new order of things, has arisen to a white heat in Chelsea. Traveling men bring word that tradesmen in that village only buy goods from hand to mouth, as they are justly fearful that their chief trade, that from the south and southwest, is lost to them for all time. It is even hinted that some of the poor fellows are casting about for other fields, the future has such an unpromising look; while all are reducing their help and cutting down expenses in every possible way. On the other hand, here in Grass Lake the merchants are laying in heavier fall stocks than ever before and already a marked increase in business is noted from the neighborhoods favored with rural mail delivery. The News feels much sympathy for Chelsea in its retrogradation and decline, as it is really a pretty little hamlet, but the laws of trade are inexorable and its eyes are 'set.'"

DIAMOND RING WAS A STUD

The Ring Was Stolen at the Cook House.

S. R. KELSEY ARRESTED

For Receiving Stolen Property.—He Pawned it in Detroit.

The case of the people against Stephen R. Kelsey, of Ann Arbor was heard in Justice Childs' court Friday morning. The charge was receiving stolen property. It will be remembered that Bert Amsden, of Ypsilanti, had a diamond ring stolen from the wash room of the Cook house on April 19 last. He left the wash room leaving the ring and returning in a few minutes found the ring had been taken. Sheriff Gillen was put on the case and finally located the ring in the possession of a Detroit party. Sheriff Gillen found the ring had been pawned at the Pratt loan office in Detroit on April 24 by S. R. Kelsey for the sum of \$20. The ring had been redeemed by a man named Louis Polise. The set had been removed and made into a shirt stud which was owned by one Frank Curtis. The sheriff got the ring by paying \$38.50 for or giving his check for that amount. Last night Kelsey was arrested by Deputy Zina Buck and taken to Ypsilanti. Today he told on the stand his story of his relation to the ring. On April 24 he in company with one Jim Miller and Don Starks went to Detroit and becoming strapped Miller gave him, Kelsey, the ring and asked him to pawn it for \$20 which he did, not knowing the ring was stolen. Later, sometime in August, Miller gave him the pawn check and told him to sell it for \$10 which he did putting the money to his own use. He claimed he had previously loaned Miller \$10. He swore that he did not know the ring was stolen until the night before Miller left Ann Arbor. Amsden swore, however, that Kelsey told him he knew the ring was stolen within 10 minutes after he had pawned it. If so Kelsey knew when he sold the pawn ticket for \$10 and appropriated the money to his own use that the ring was stolen. Kelsey swore that Miller told him his mother had the ring. Starks swore that Miller told him the ring was his, Miller's. As the testimony indicated that Kelsey had knowledge that the ring was stolen, Prosecuting Attorney Kirk asked that Kelsey be held to the circuit court. Justice Childs rendered a decision accordingly, fixing Kelsey's bail at \$300.

HER CALLING CARDS.

Even ladies' visiting cards are now put up in book form. The new method consists in binding the cards in book form, a line of perforations separating the card proper from the stub. By this means the cards are always kept together, do not become soiled and take up but little room in the pocket.

SEA GULLS CATCHING MOLES.

A farm manager at Fodderly, Dingwall, Scotland, watching a mole catcher at work, saw sea gulls hovering over, and occasionally alighting upon a turnip field, in which the observer and others were at work. A particularly large and handsome bird attracted his attention by the graceful way it floated slowly over the drills, intently scanning the surface of the ground. Suddenly, steadying itself a moment, it dropped, dug its bill into the heaving ground, and rose with a mole for its prey. Resting a few minutes, it gracefully began again a further search for prey. In a few minutes a second mole was unearthed.

HE CONFESSED TO ARSON

George Maier Burned Archie Sellick.

AFTER THE INSURANCE

He Saturated the House with Gasoline and was Unable to Rescue Boy.

Friday Geo. F. Maier confessed to setting fire to his house in Jackson in which Archie Sellick, the Ann Arbor boy who was employed on the storm sewers by Hutzel & Co. as water boy, was burned so that he died. Maier is 25 years of age and formerly lived in Ann Arbor, where he married his wife, Sellick's sister. They were married when she was 16 and she is now 19. Maier's confession as given in the Jackson Press is as follows: "Maier was troubled about little debts, and it was said he was strictly honest about paying his debts and always made a strong effort to do so. He figured by packing away the most valuable of the household goods and burning the rest the collection of the insurance would help him out nicely. He claims his wife opposed the idea Sunday night when he explained the advantages of his scheme. She could not agree to it and went to bed to save argument.

"He said the plan looked feasible; that he set to work to pack the goods. Once started on his plan, it seems as though he was held to its prosecution by an unusual and powerful motive. After burying the trunk and hiding his gun and other valuables, he then aroused his wife and baby and had them leave the house by the back door. He then showered the house with four gallons of gasoline. He claims to have gone half way upstairs before lighting a match to give him a start of the fire in awakening the boy. The moment he lighted the match and threw it down stairs there was an explosion and the house inside was completely in flames. "He rushed to the boys bed, awoke him, told him to follow him out of the window onto the shed roof. Maier escaped through the window and thought the boy was just behind him until a few moments later he realized the boy was still inside in the flames. He went back and found his foot had caught in the bed springs. He at last got he boy out, but burned his own face in so doing, and the boy was terribly burned. He said he wanted to confess the matter to ease his mind, and he thought perhaps it would be better for his wife not to have the delay of a trial. He said he wished he could be dead and the boy alive.

"The death of Archie is a great weight on Maier's mind."

Maier was arraigned yesterday afternoon on the charge of arson and waived examination, bail being fixed at \$3,000. The Press further says: "Mrs. Archie Kay, of Ann Arbor, a sister of Mrs. Maier and young Archie Sellick, has an interesting theory which may prove of value. "Mrs. Kay says her sister was carried from the burning house by Maier, who then returned and awakened Archie, and then made his escape out of the window in Archie's room. After Maier was safely out of the house Archie was seen at the window trying to make his escape, but for some reason fell back in the burning room. He then grouped around in a helpless fashion for some little time, finally throwing himself bodily from the window. He then threw himself down under a tree in the yard, where Mrs. Maier saw the terrible condition he was in, and the sight was responsible for her present condition. Mrs. Maier says when she was awakened the house was a mass of flames and Maier was in bed by her side. He carried her out, then went back to awaken Archie. She was sure her sister was not aware the house was to be burned that night, though the matter may have been discussed between the husband and wife, Mrs. Maier strenuously opposing the idea. Mrs. Maier had she been awake and aware of what was going on, and knowing the nature of gasoline, would surely have looked out for her brother. A young and active boy should have had no difficulty in escaping if in a normal condition.

"Mrs. Kay is of the opinion from this line of reasoning that both her sister and Archie must have been drugged before going to bed, in order that no troublesome witness of the act should be present. "Mrs. Maier said this morning she would answer all questions, and when the drugging theory was made known to her asked 'Do you think George would do that?' But her condition is still critical and it is not yet deemed safe to interrogate her.

"Mrs. Kay is an intelligent appearing woman, and her theory seems quite reasonable."

Archie Sellick, the boy who was burned was well known here and formerly lived on S. Fifth ave. and on Packard st. His father was Charles Sellick, a baker by trade. The family came to Ann Arbor from Delhi. Archie has three married sisters living in the city. George Maier, who has confessed the arson, worked at one time in Northfield as a farm hand coming to this city, where he married. He was known here as a hard working, honest and frugal man. Still after he burned out in Jackson at a former fire stories were afloat as to his setting the fire. The Jackson papers say he had a fire

## IN TWO SHORT WEEKS

The student population return and begin their yearly piano rental contracts, consequently there is but a short time for those desiring bargains in slightly used pianos to have a variety to select from. These pianos are put in first-class condition and a parent desirous of starting a child in music is wise who takes one of them at \$50, \$75 or \$150, overlooking a few mares rather than postpone purchasing 'till he feels like investing \$300 or \$400. As a child can make just as rapid progress on such a piano it should not be obliged to allow those golden years of childhood to go by unimproved.

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AGAINST THE D. Y. & A. A.

Plaintiff Took Advantage of Local Rate of Fare Through Fares.

The case of Thomas Kissane vs. the D. Y. & A. A. has been affirmed in the supreme court and the plaintiff can collect a judgment for 12 cents with costs not exceeding \$25. Kissane boarded a car in Canton township for Detroit. He tendered the conductor 10 cents fare to Inkster, the conductor demanded 15 cents and thereat 5 cents was paid under protest. At Inkster he tendered a ticket to Detroit, which the conductor refused to accept and under protest collected 20 cents to Detroit, which was 7 cents more than the ticket cost. The regular fare from the point where the plaintiff got on the car to Detroit was 35 cents. By working his little scheme he expected to go to Detroit at a cost of 23 cents, and the supreme court has just said that he may.

## \$100,000 STOCK COMPANY

Will Be a Condensed Milk Factory.

There is a project on foot here which if carried to a successful issue, will add a very important industry to the city of Ypsilanti and be equally advantageous to the surrounding country. The scheme contemplates the building here of a large factory for the preparation of condensed milk, condensed coffee, chocolate and cocoa. The plan is already far advanced, and everything looks toward an early completion of all the preliminaries. The scheme contemplates the formation of a company with a \$100,000 capital and the erection of a large plant. It is calculated that the plant will cost \$50,000 and that an additional \$50,000 will be needed to run it for the first month. A hundred hands will be needed to run the establishment, as the tin cans in which the product will be put up are to be manufactured also, necessitating a factory with a capacity of 20,000 cans a day. The necessary capital appears to be in sight to put the project on its feet. C. F. Rogers, of Detroit, the discoverer of the condensing process and inventor of the machinery therefor, is interested, and agrees to take one-fifth of the stock. Several Ypsilanti capitalists, it is understood, have agreed to put up the rest of the money needed as soon as convinced that the claims of the promoters are correct and that there are cows enough to provide the milk in the neighborhood of the city. The evidence to convince the capitalists has been produced, and the thing seems now to be assured. In securing the evidence as to the number of cows that would become tributary to the factory the promoters traveled out 4 miles east, 7½ miles north, 4 miles west and 7½ miles south. Included in this radius they found 4,200 cows whose milk would be furnished to the factory. This number does not include the cows in the above mentioned territory which are kept for family purposes. C. L. Clark, of this city, who is promoting the project, reports the farmers as enthusiastic in the main for it. A guarantee of a dollar a hundred for their milk is made the farmers, but it is thought a better price can be made them.

Three or four sights for the factory are under consideration, but no one has been definitely determined upon as yet. A sight near good water will be necessary, but for obvious reasons no one can be designated at present.

The project was first started about the middle of June, and at that time an effort was made to buy out the creamery here, but the stock could not be obtained at par, and so it was decided to proceed upon the idea of a wholly new factory. Mr. Rogers, the discoverer of the process of condensing and inventor of the machinery, is an expert in the business, having spent his life in it. He first started a factory at Northville, where he failed. He then went to Detroit and started again, and finally succeeded in bringing out a product which won the first place at the New Orleans Exposition. Later he was interested in the Lansing condensed milk factory with which the late James M. Turner was connected and which is today making large money. Various other factories have since been established in this state and others which are doing a fine business.

All those talked with relative to the matter think it a good thing, promising most satisfactory profits. The capitalists who are interested in it are men whose names give confidence and assurance to any business project which they stand back of. It is to be hoped there will be no hitch in the progress of the plans and that Ypsilanti will soon have this important industry well under way.

Tickets Good via Washington.

If a trip to Philadelphia or New York is made over Pennsylvania Short Lines a ten days' visit to Washington may be enjoyed without additional costs for fare, as tickets over this line may be secured via National Capital at same rate as over direct line. For particulars address F. M. Bushong, T. P. Agt., 66 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich.

## WELL KNOWN MINISTER

Rev. Seth Reed Becomes Rejuvenated.

Word comes from Northville that Rev. Seth Reed, unquestionably the best known Methodist minister in Michigan and a former resident of this city, was to be married Wednesday to a well-known Flint lady. The wedding took place at Orion, where the elder owns a beautiful summer home and where the bride is also spending the warm months. Mr. Reed is 80 years of age and was presiding elder of the Saginaw and Flint districts for many years. His first wife died about a year ago. He is the oldest Methodist clergyman in the Detroit or Michigan conference.

While in this city Rev. Mr. Reed and family lived on Washtenaw ave., and his daughter was the wife of Prof. Stowell, of the university. Although his residence here was several years ago, he was then considered a very old man.

## BIRTHRIGHT FOR MESS OF POTAGE

ALEXIS RENWICK SOLD IT TO HIS AUNT.

AND THEN TRIED TO SAVE THE POTAGE—IT IS IN THE COURTS NOW.

Mary Renwick, widow of George Napoleon Bonaparte Renwick, of Salem, has filed a bill of complaint against the administrator of the estate of Alexis Renwick, deceased. After the death of the father of Alexis Renwick, John W. Renwick, an arrangement was made by Alexis with his aunt, Mary Renwick, whereby she was to take care of him, furnish him medicine and in fact adopt him, and in consideration of this she was to have his share in his father's estate.

Two deeds were made out. One was from Alexis to Mary Renwick which was placed on file. The other was from Mary to Alexis which was placed in care of Judge Barriman and it was understood that it was to become in force in case Alexis survived Mary. But Alexis borrowed the deed one day and placed it on record. At his death Mary found that she was out all remuneration for her care of Alexis.

Now she wants that deed set aside and Alexis' share set over to her.

## WASN'T EVEN TOUCHED

John Larm was in Ten Battles.

Sergt. John Larmee, foot-sore and with greatly swollen ankles, due to his forced marches with Wheaton's Flying Brigade, is home from his target practice in the Philippines.

His parents reside in Dexter, but he was brought up in this city, and is at present visiting his uncle, Chris. Larmee, 807 Miner st. He is as full of fight as a Frenchman of enthusiasm. He has a fine battle record as is shown by his discharge papers, he having served his full five years in the United States army. It is as follows, and shows that he was in the Santiago, Cuba, campaign, as well as in the Philippines:

### CUBA.

Battle of El Caney, July 1.  
Night attack on San Juan Hill, July 2.

Bombardment Santiago de Cuba, July 3 to 17.

### PHILIPPINES.

Battle of Pasig, March 13.  
Battle of Malinta, March 26, (in which his regiment lost its second colonel inside of a year).

Skirmish at Paterea, March 19.  
Battle of Colocan, March 25.  
Battle of Norazagay, April 22.

Battle of Bustos, May 2.  
Battle of San Bernardino, May 18.

In all he was in three Philippine campaigns—those of Pasig, Malatos and San Isidro.

"How would you like to go back to that country?" asked the Argus.

"I had just as soon, if I had a commission, and I think I have earned it," he replied.

"The 22d Infantry, to which I belonged," he continued, "went into the Santiago campaign with 500 men and only 175 came out. Some were shot and some were sick. We were then recruited up to 1,300 men and were taken to Manila. Under Lawton we had 34 days of continued marching, and many a time we had sharp skirmishes."

During both the Cuban and Philippine campaigns Larmee was in the midst of the flying bullets, but luckily was not touched. Just before leaving the Islands the rainy weather had set in, a continued downpour lasting for eight days and eight nights. He made a visit to the outposts to bid good-bye to his comrades and oftentimes had to wade through flooded streams up to his arm-pits.

"How long do you think the war will last?" was asked.

"I think the United States ought to subdue the Philippines as soon as the rainy season is over. At least they will squelch it for a time."

"What do you think of Gen. Otis?"

"Oh, well, I guess I won't say anything about that," and any effort to get him to offer any criticism of his officers, their methods of campaign, or even to give some of his personal experiences, were fruitless.

What's In a Name.

Ask those who use the Ann Arbor Brewing Company's beer.

## REV. W. E. HOWARD IS TO MARRY

Took Out Necessary Licence this Morning.

MARRIED TWICE BEFORE

He is Well Known from His Connection with Electric Sugar Refining.

Rev. Wm. E. Howard, of Milan, the man who was connected with the notorious Electric Sugar Refining fraud and for which he received a sentence of ten years in Sing Sing, stepped into the county clerk's office Thursday and procured a marriage license to marry Mrs. Alice Leonard, of the same village.

"What is your occupation?" asked Deputy Blum, when he reached that question.

"I'm on the retired list," Rev. Howard answered.

The license shows that he is 62 years of age, while his intended bride is 47 years old.

The marriage license also shows that this makes the third matrimonial venture for each party, both having been married twice before.

## THE YPSILANTI CREAMERY

IS REACHING OUT FOR MORE TERRITORY.

HENRY D. PLATT, THE MANAGER IS INTERVIEWED BY THE DAILY ARGUS.

Henry D. Platt, of Pittsfield, manager of the Ypsilanti Creamery was interviewed this morning by the Argus relative to the result of his recent visit to Cherry Hill for the purpose of interesting the farmers there in a project for the establishment of a skimming station there. He said no definite results had been obtained yet and that he would not know until next week what the outcome will be. This station, if established, will be in the interest of the Ypsilanti creamery. The milk will be taken to Cherry Hill and then skimmed and the cream hauled here. The Ypsilanti institution is not run to its full capacity for the reason that it finds difficulty in getting as much cream as it needs. According to Mr. Platt it can do three times the business it is now doing with its present held. Yet just as much help has to be kept to run it. For this the Ypsilanti Dairy association is trying to reach out for more cream. If a skimming station is established at Cherry Hill it will make considerable more territory contributory. The creamery now has 264 patrons and but a very few of these would take their milk to Cherry Hill, so what ever product the creamery may obtain from there will be practically gain. The Ypsilanti association is also trying to get the business of the Saline creamery. The stockholders have been offered three per cent on their investment to let the cream come to Ypsilanti. It is understood the Saline factory is paying nothing on its stock at present. If that should be combined with the Ypsilanti creamery just a skimming station would be retained at Saline. These creameries are purely co-operative. The creamery here pays three per cent on the stock and all other profits over and above the cost of running are divided among the patrons in proportion to the amount of cream delivered to the factory.

When Mr. Platt was asked about the prospects for the new condensed milk factory here, he said he did not believe it could be made to pay. To begin with it would cost much more than has been stated and secondly there is not enough milk to supply the needs. He said the creamery here and likewise the sterilized milk factory were unable to obtain enough to meet their needs and yet they were paying more than the projected concern proposes to pay and more than the Hamen condensed milk factory pays. Then farmers who take their milk to the creamery have the skimmed milk to take back to the farm whereas the condensed milk factory consumed the entire product. The concern is able to pay the farmer most for his milk will of course get it.

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