

## ON A CHARGE OF MURDER

Bert Farrington, of Milan was Arrested

### TO BE TRIED THIS TERM

A. J. Sawyer will Defend Him—Coroner's Inquest was Held Yesterday

The coroner's jury at Adrian Tuesday on the death of Jesse Hooker resulted in a verdict of homicide, and Bert Farrington, the Milan butcher, has been placed under arrest on a charge of murder and will be tried during the present term of the circuit court.

A. J. Sawyer, of this city, will assist in the defense of the case.

At the inquest Chester G. Hooker, father of the dead man, testified he had talked with Farrington on two occasions when they lived in Milan, about the relations between his son and Farrington's wife, and he told him that he would talk to his son about it, which he did, but it seemed to do no good.

He was not well acquainted with Mrs. Farrington, but knew her husband for five or six years. He had heard rumors of trouble at Milan, but paid but little attention to it. He understood Farrington and wife had not been living together since last spring. He did not know where the woman had been since that time, but supposed she was living in Adrian, keeping house. He only knew of the intimacy between his son and Mrs. Farrington first from Farrington's talk last spring. He believed Mr. Farrington came to him to try and effect a separation of his wife and Jesse. He had tried to persuade his son, but to no good.

Mrs. Farrington would come to his house and stay two or three days at a time. Would eat at the same table with them. Never saw anything out of the way. Supposed Mrs. Farrington was sleeping in what is known as the middle room. A younger son, Clyde, aged 18, sleeps in a room off the room that the parents occupy.

The evidence given at the inquest brought out one important fact which Farrington's friends claim will militate greatly in his favor. Sheriff Shepard on the stand stated that Farrington had not shown any desire to go to the Hooker house after his first visit, when he saw his wife sitting on Jesse Hooker's lap. He came to the sheriff, told what he had seen, and was informed that this would not be sufficient grounds for a divorce suit. The second trip was then decided on.

The scene in the bed chamber, where the murder was committed, was told by the sheriff and Policeman Kruger. Both agreed that nothing could be seen of the occupants of the bed but their heads. Farrington, after firing the first shot, edged up closer to the bed and fired with deadly precision.

After the officers had escorted Farrington out of the room, and had handcuffed him, Kruger approached Hooker and asked if he had been hit.

"My God," was the reply, "I'm all shot to pieces."

There were a large number of Milan people present at the inquest and all of them are strongly in sympathy with Farrington.

## ANN ARBOR IS NEARLY STRAPPED

At Monday's common council meeting Ald. Hamilton called attention to the fact that (after all the attorneys have been paid) the city is very nearly strapped for funds. The condition is as follows:

Contingent	\$ 29 78
Bridge, culvert, etc. (overdrawn)	15 43
Street	11 97
Fire	3,623 50
Police	2,044 67
Poor	1,406 73
Water (overdrawn)	158 49

Although the mayor has said that he would not sign any bills that made an overdraft, Ald. Hamilton pushed a big bill for the Water company through last night and it made an overdraft on the fund.

The elderman suggested that the city borrow money from the bank, which would be as cheap as paying interest on overdrafts.

## MEYERS' LEG WILL BE SAVED

The condition of the two victims of Tuesday's street car accident is improving rapidly. Motorman Meyers can congratulate himself that both his legs will be saved and Mrs. Whitnor is recovering from her nervous excitement, and her injuries are not as serious as first thought.

## WILL STAY IN THE FIRST CLASS

ANN ARBOR POSTOFFICE INCREASING ITS BUSINESS

In the Past Three Months the Rural Mail Carriers Have Delivered 70,182 Pieces

The records at the Ann Arbor post-office shows that the handsome gains made by the office during the months of October and November, which were noted in these columns, were continued during December. The receipts at the stamp window for that month were \$4,220.10, as against \$3,906.01 for the corresponding month of last year, a gain of \$314.09.

The receipts for the quarter ending Dec. 31, were \$1,652.72 in excess of the same quarter last year.

The registry business for the half-year shows 2,555 letters and parcels received for transmission, while for the same time last year there were but 1,900, a gain of 655. Those received for delivery numbered 3,823 as against 3,111 for the same period last year, an advance of 712, thus showing that the people of this city received 1,268 more registered letters and parcels than they sent away.

The figures for the special delivery service indicate that 2,029 pieces of mail matter were delivered to Ann Arbor patrons, while there were but 1,675 for the same quarter of 1900, an increase of 372, while those sent out from this office increased 161 in number.

The money order business has been no laggard in the enterprise. During December 2, 883 orders were paid, amounting to \$22,562.41, and 1,496 orders were issued, amounting to \$8,137.73. It will be seen that Ann Arbor people received during that month \$14,424.68 more than they sent away. That showing is certainly favorable to our city, for although some of it no doubt found its way into the tills of the Hawks & Angus people, the merchants of Detroit, and other outsiders, yet the great bulk of it remained in Ann Arbor.

The figures for the month of December last year were 1,267 orders issued, amounting to \$6,603.92, and 2,500 orders paid, aggregating \$19,854.2. A fine increase, it will be noted.

The money order business for the entire quarter closing Dec. 31, 1901, has the unequalled record for the office of 4,002 orders issued, representing \$21,769.73, and 8,761 orders paid, amounting to \$70,309.96. These figures indicate that Uncle Sam is doing quite a handsome little business in this line in Ann Arbor.

The rural carriers going out from this office, have during the past three months delivered 70,182 pieces of mail matter, and collected \$829 for transmission. These figures show a handsome increase for the two carriers who were on duty for the corresponding quarter last year. Routes 3 and 4 had not then been established.

It is estimated that during the ten days including Christmas and New Year's there were upwards of 3,100 packages, ordinary and registered, delivered from the postoffice, and there were nearly as many dispatched. As it is not the rule to deliver ordinary packages, except on districts covered by the mounted carriers, the fact that their holiday packages were promptly delivered, is a favor that the patrons of the office certainly appreciate.

## PROGRAM FOR THE SALEM INSTITUTE

The following is the program of the Farmers' Institute which will be held in the Baptist church in Salem, Jan. 14, 1402. It will be conducted by Colon C. Lillie of Coopersville:

### FORENOON.

Opened by address of welcome by E. T. Walker, president of Farmers' club.

10:00—Up-to-date Stock Feeding and Management—Colon C. Lillie.

10:30—Discussion led by H. Smith.

11:00—C. Ross.

11:30—Discussion led by W. B. Thompson.

### AFTERNOON.

1:00—Rotation of Crops on the Dairy Farm—Colon C. Lillie.

1:30—Discussion led by James Murray.

2:00—Rural Home Life—Mrs. Judson Thompson.

2:30—Discussion led by Mrs. Kate Smith.

### EVENING SESSION.

Recitation—Daniel E. Smith.

Paper—Rural School Question—Miss Julia Ball.

Chicken pie dinner served at Congregational church, 20c; supper, 10c. Music in charge of Wm. Stambro.

Get your Wines and Liquors for family of John C. Burns, Arlington Place, Kentucky Whiskey, 50c to \$1.00 per quart. All California Wines and Cigars

The Argus-Democrat is only \$1 per year.

## WE MAY GET DOLLAR GAS

That's What the Gas Company Intimates

### ISSUE THEIR NEW RULES

Says That Cheaper Gas Depends Upon the Prompt Payment of Bills

Dollar gas is what the Ann Arbor Gas company says it is making an honest endeavor to give the consumers. The present rate of gas is \$1.50 for light and \$1.25 for fuel.

The new rules of the company went into effect January 1, and the following notice is attached to each bill sent out:

"To receive discount this bill must be paid on or before the 10th of the month.

"There is no reason why our best customers should pay bills for dead beats. If we were paid for every foot of gas we sell we could sell cheaper. We hope in the near future to sell all gas at \$1 per thousand, whether for light or fuel. This will depend on the absolute enforcement of the following:

"Rules Taking Effect Jan. 1st, 1902.

"1st. To receive discount all bills must be paid on or before the 10th day of the month. Failure to receive bill or absence from town will not constitute an excuse.

"2nd. Immediately after the 10th our collector will call on all delinquents, and if bills are not paid by the 20th gas will be turned off without further notice.

"Only current bills will be rendered, all delinquencies January 1st, being put in the hands of a special collector."

## SHERIFF GILLEN THE NEW SUPERINTENDENT

OF THE WASHTENAW COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

An Effort will be Made to Hold the Biggest Fair Ever Seen in the County

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Washtenaw County Fair association yesterday, Sheriff John Gillen was elected general superintendent in place of Fred Braun.

Mr. Gillen announces that he will try and see to it that Washtenaw has the biggest fair ever held in the county.

A special committee consisting of John Gillen, Fred Braun, James Bach and Andrew Reule was appointed to select the several fair committees and report at a meeting to be held the first Tuesday in February.

## THE FREE LIST SUSPENDS ITSELF

All records will be broken on Monday.

The opera house "free list" has suspended itself and those who have been in the habit of going into shows on passes in return for courtesies will pay the entrance fee the same as anybody else. The press, the dramatic correspondents, the bill board owners and the rest of the bunch have decided to give Dean M. Seabolt, the manager, all of the benefit that their "thirty per" can do.

It will be a novel sight. Don't miss it.

## THE DEATH OF PATRICK QUINN

Patrick Quinn, whose death at Ypsilanti occurred last week, was born at Limerick, Ireland, Jan. 15, 1819, and was therefore 83 years old. He was a resident of this city for over 50 years. Having sold his home on Twelfth street last July, he removed to Ypsilanti, where he purchased the home in which he died. His last moments were peaceful, in accordance with the conscientious Christian life that he lived. He is survived by his wife and a married daughter, Mrs. Hewitt, of Ypsilanti.

## HAD HIS EAR TO THE GROUND

President Steiner, of the National Racing association, evidently had his ear to the ground and heard the rumblings of the kicks from Ann Arbor about the suspension of the Driving club. At least he has written James Lepper suggesting that the club appeal the case to a special committee.

## ANNUAL REPORT ZION SUNDAY SCHOOL

A meeting was held Wednesday of the Zion's Lutheran Sabbath school teachers and the annual report for the year 1901 was read. There are at present in the Sabbath school 31 classes with a roll of 446 scholars. Sabbath school was held 46 times with a total attendance of 11,000 scholars and an average attendance of 282.

The treasurer reported receipts of \$520.45, expenditures \$241.69, balance on hand \$278.76. Collections for home and foreign missions amounted to \$200.71 of which \$105.50 has been expended.

The following officers were then elected:

Superintendent—Fred Schmid. Vice Superintendent—George Haller. Secretary—Anna E. Noll. Treasurer—Ernest Mast. Home and Foreign Missions—Albert Fiegel. General Secretary—Edwin C. Noll. Librarian—Ernest Muehlig.

## WHY THEY ARE SUPPRESSED

Don't Want to Give the City's Case Away

### TO WATER WORKS CO.

Mayor Copeland Wants His Attorney's Reports Kept Under Strict Cover

Mayor Copeland stated to us Wednesday that he has no objections whatever to the reports of Riggs & Sherman being officially printed.

"Of course," said he, "there is a lot of technical matter in the reports that is probably superfluous, but there is nothing there but what the people have a right to know if they wish, and I have nothing to say against the publication if the council orders it done.

"But," he continued, "I do not think that the reports of the attorneys on the water works question should be published. There are some matters in the reports that would state the city's side of the case and the publication would give the water works company an exact line on all our contention. It is not done in other cases. If you had a suit against a corporation you would allow your attorney's positions on fine technical points to be given over to the other side so that the corporation would have an opportunity to combat them. It is not the way law suits are fought and for this reason I deem it best not to publish them."

## CHAS. MATTHEWSON DIED TUESDAY

Charles Angell Matthewson died Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock at the rooms of his daughter, Mrs. D. M. Tyler, in the postoffice block. The funeral services will be held at his daughter's rooms on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Matthewson was born Sept. 14, 1816 at Pulaski, Oswego Co., N. Y. He was a miller by trade and came to Ann Arbor with his wife and daughter in 1871. If he had lived until February he and his wife would have celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary. For many years he was employed in the Ann Arbor agricultural works. He resided on Broadway on the Northside. He was much respected and had the confidence of his fellow citizens who elected him twice as alderman and once as supervisor. He was an Odd Fellow and Mason, filling all the chairs in the former order. He was a member of Golden Rule lodge 159, F. & A. M., under whose auspices the funeral will be conducted. Two years ago he had a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered. His devoted wife and daughter have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

## VERDICT OF \$500 FOR MRS. NEWMAN

The jury in the case of Mattie Newman vs. the city of Ann Arbor were sent to the jury room at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. They were out only an hour and a half when they came into court and brought in a verdict of \$500 damages in favor of the plaintiff. It is understood the first ballot they took was 8 to 4 for cause. Then when a ballot was taken as to damages, it ranged from \$100 to \$1,000. The verdict was probably a compromise between the different opinions. As to whether the case will be appealed by the city is not yet determined.

## RICHARD MASON RETURNS HOME

Had Wandered About for Thirty Hours

### WITHOUT SLEEP OR FOOD

Puzzling Thing is That the Exposure Seemingly Has Cured Him of the Pneumonia

Without anyone having recognized him, Hon. Richard Mason, the ex-state senator who got up out of a sick bed on Tuesday and wandered forth in a delirious condition, walked through the city Wednesday night, and much to the surprise and joy of his family entered his own home on N. State street. He was in an exhausted and half frozen condition.

The most remarkable thing about the case is that Mr. Mason had a severe attack of pneumonia when he left his home and yesterday the disease had apparently disappeared. The physician in charge stated Wednesday what any physician would thoroughly believe, and that is that the exposure of out-of-doors would be fatal to Mr. Mason before he could be found.

All that Mr. Mason could remember about the occurrence until Wednesday evening was that he was taken with an irresistible desire Tuesday afternoon to get out and get some fresh air. The next he recollects is that he was in a farmer's field Wednesday evening and was walking. He realized he was away from home and made his way to the road. He asked the first person he met the location of the place and ascertained that he was about three miles west of Ann Arbor. He got his directions and hastened back home.

He must have been walking continually during his thirty hours' absence as his clothes show that he had not laid down anywhere and he probably had nothing to eat during that time. That he could expose himself to the cold for this length of time and keep on his feet in his serious physical condition is most remarkable and his seeming recovery from the disease of pneumonia by the exposure is a puzzler for the doctors.

LOST—Near Emory, a hound, black and white, with long black spot on each side, tan head, gash on right side of nose. Reward given for return to Charles H. Boos, Rushton, Mich. 4

# THE RACKET

202. E. Wash.

Men and Women's best grades of Wool and fleeced Stockings at 10c to 25c.

JUST IN. A barrel of new pattern of Crystal Glass Sets consisting of Creamer, Sugar Bowl, Butter Dish and Spooner worth 50c per set, only 30c.

About 60 pairs of Men's Winter Pants usual price \$1.00, only 75c per pair. Sizes from 34 to 42 waists.

Table Oil Cloths, 3x Standard full width 15c per yard.

Don't forget that you can depend on RACKET UNDERWEAR; it's not 25c stuff dipped in fancy Blue dye, to impose on the eye. All sizes men, women and children on hand.

Wool and Cotton Toques and Tam O'Shanter, from 25c to 50c.

Lantern Globes 5c. 4 Hole Mouse Traps 5c. Lantern Burners 5c

Large Covered Tin Bread Raising Pans 60c each.

# The Racket

202 E. Wash.

## A Successful Season

We have just passed through the most successful season we ever had, but there still remains a few lots that must be closed and here are some of them.

- 57 Men's Suits, former prices \$20.00 now.....\$15.00
- 64 Men's Suits, former prices \$15.00 now.....\$11.25
- 48 Men's Suits, from \$15.00 to \$18.00 now.....\$10.00
- 69 Men's Suits, former price \$12.00 now.....\$ 9.00
- All \$6.00, \$8.00 and \$9.00 Suits.....ONE QUARTER OFF
- All \$25.00 Overcoats now.....\$18.75
- All \$20.00 Overcoats now.....\$15.00
- All \$18.00 Overcoats now.....\$13.50
- All \$15.00 Overcoats now.....\$ 11.25

All Odd Pants a QUARTER OFF,

A large lot of odds and ends in Manhattan Shirts, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 in this sale they are.....\$1.00 and \$1.50

At the reduced price of goods, we are unable to buy space to tell all we are going to do, but you must watch this space from time to time and we will keep you posted. This is a Clearing Up Sale and the goods must go

We are willing to make a sacrifice to keep our stock in good shape . . . . .

# WADHAMS, RYAN & REULE

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ALL RIGHT AS SENTIMENT, BUT THEY WANT NONE OF IT AS A WORKING POLICY.

When it was the fashion for the sake of sentiment to laud the utterances of the late President McKinley relative to reciprocity, made in his last great speech, republican leaders were wont to refer to this indication of the progressive spirit of the man with pride and to laud him as a seer and as one who had blazed the pathway the party of duty and destiny and great moral ideas was to follow. But how soon his words of wisdom have been cast aside for a more selfish policy. No sooner did the party have an opportunity to carry President McKinley's ideas of reciprocity into legislation than those who shape the party's policy turned down all that which they had, as an academic question, heralded as a bit of almost inspired wisdom. They want no change in the tariff and they will have no reciprocity except such as calls for all the concessions to be made by the other party to the agreement. Our great trust organizations demand that the bars shall be kept up although they are selling their products in foreign countries for less than the American consumer is compelled to pay for them here where they are manufactured. They would like to extend their foreign trade still more, but they are unwilling to make any concessions to foreign countries in our markets for the sake of this extension. Trade, to be easy and satisfactory, must be mutually advantageous. But the tariff fostered trusts do not propose to trade on any such basis, not even with our own people. Our commercial relations with the nations of Europe today are anything but cordial for the reason that our laws prevent anything in the nature of genuine reciprocity of trade. The European nations trade with us to a certain extent because they cannot get what they need elsewhere. Such trade is forced and there is no way to extend it beyond the necessities of the other party thereto. This kind of unwilling trade may mean much in years when goods needed cannot be purchased elsewhere, but if anything in the nature of real reciprocity was granted, vastly more would be purchased here, for it would be to the advantage of the European nations to buy in much larger quantities here rather than to go farther for less satisfactory supplies. The advantage in such an arrangement would largely be ours for the reason that our superior resources and facilities and location and value of production would enable these nations to trade here to their best advantage. It would make their trade relations with us friendly and permanent instead of unfriendly and temporary. Such a reciprocal arrangement would also be advantageous to the American consumers as a class. They are now compelled to pay the tax levied for the building up of infant industries, although those industries have grown to giant proportions. The continuance of these fostering duties are in prostitution of every principle of what has always been considered proper protection and are in the interest of monopoly and the direct use of the taxing power for private gain. But the unwillingness of these giants in baby clothes to make any concessions is a fine illustration of the selfish and greedy spirit which protection always creates in its beneficiaries. These giants of greed fully recognized the weight of President McKinley's reciprocity statements as a sentiment, but their selfishness will not permit them to practice these sentiments.

Judging from the way the Everett-Moore syndicate did business it looks as though it was dead easy to get money for any scheme provided only the scheme is big enough. There does not appear to be anything dishonest in their operations, but it is passing strange that they could interest timid capital in their enterprises as they did and without the investors knowing anything more of the basis on which the promoters were doing business than seems to have been divulged.

The hard times in Germany and a stringent money market throughout Europe is sending millions upon millions of American securities home for payment. Debts have to be paid sometime and as our exportations are not sufficient to take care of all our obligations that are now being returned, it is expected among the foreign experts that about the third week in January a flow of gold will begin to move toward Europe. And it is claimed that before the first of March \$50,000,000 in gold will have been exported. But all this can be taken care of out of the new gold that has been produced during the year with a nice balance of \$33,000,000 besides.

The "Outlook" some time ago commissioned one Ernest Hamlin Abbott to write a series of articles on "Religious Life in America." His fourth article is given to a consideration of the religious life of the Negro. He claims that there is a distinct tendency away from the old emotional, hallelujah kind of religion to something more intellectual and ethical among Negroes. The younger element of the race, he says, is ashamed of the emotionalism of the older element which was unrelated to conduct. He says that there is enough of the old kind left, however, but there is hope of better things in the fact that the younger element have little regard for this so called religion and yet are largely church-going. Church attendance and church membership are declared to be general among the southern Negroes.

With the retirement of Secretary Long of the navy and Secretary Hitchcock of the interior, it is now claimed, the disintegration of the McKinley cabinet is likely to end. The president is said to be pleased with Secretaries Hay, Root, Knox and Wilson, as he has found them congenial and well posted in those things which he expects his cabinet ministers to know. He is said to regard Secretary Hay as the best posted of the available men for secretary of state. He is also diplomatic and tactful and of the right temperament for the office. The president is said to regard the other three members of the old cabinet who will remain in the same light. It is quite a surprise that President Roosevelt should have found four of the eight advisers of President McKinley satisfactory to himself. Two men more radically different than McKinley and Roosevelt would be difficult to find, yet one-half of the former president's official family have proved themselves congenial and satisfactory advisers to his successor.

Senator Mark Hanna has again confounded his enemies and is still on top in Ohio state politics. Senator Foraker had laid a neat little scheme to down the dollar sign man, but while he kept Mark asleep for a time by leading him to believe that there was no dirty politics being played for the control of the Ohio legislature, the junior senator became satisfied that Foraker and his henchmen were setting up their pins for the control of Ohio politics and the relegation of Mark to the quiet of private life two years hence on the expiration of his present term. Then the president maker aroused himself and the way the members of the legislature changed front from the Foraker candidates to those of the dollar sign man was a caution. When the caucuses were held it developed that Hanna was in control in the house and Foraker in the senate. However, Mark had a vote more than Foraker and so, if Foraker is re-elected to the senate, it will be done by the leave of Senator Hanna. But Hanna said before, and he has reiterated the statement since, that he will do nothing to disturb his colleague, in fact, that he desires his re-election. Hanna's mastery is thus evidenced by his magnanimous treatment of his colleague, notwithstanding the fact that the present is the second sinning of Foraker in this same way. It is said that Mark may not be a candidate for re-election two years hence, but he does not intend to let his enemies put him out of the senate, should he then desire to remain. Mark is not expected to cut as large a figure with the present administration as he did with the McKinley administration, but he seems to be able as yet, at least, to take care of himself fairly well.

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### EVIDENTLY HELBER GIVES UP HOPE OF POSTMASTERSHIP

Evidently Eugene Helber has given up all hope of being appointed postmaster of Ann Arbor. At least, he rather jumps on President Roosevelt in the Nene Washtenaw Post and a man who is seeking an important appointment is not very likely to criticize the president in the manner in which Mr. Helber does in his last issue. One editorial he heads with words which, translated, mean: "Even President Roosevelt stands in with the contemptible navy clique." But the editorial which seeks to arouse the Germans against the president is as follows, when translated into English:

The German government has a just claim against the State of Venezuela in Central America, of about two million dollars. But this claim is refused by the insignificant state. In its refusal to pay this just claim of Germany they depend on being supported by our great Republic. There is even here no lack of German haters, who

would be ready to start war with Germany simply to please England and to show the world "that we can lick the damned Dutch." Since the conquest of the Spanish fleet before Manila this hatred exists and the peace between our fatherland and our new home is in danger. Even among our government officials this sentiment is very noticeable, and that even Roosevelt, in spite of his Holland ancestry, is not a great friend of the Germans he shows in his choice of his special advisers and friends, and that with Roosevelt's excitable, "burstable" disposition, surrounded by such German haters as Senator Lodge and others, it would not take much to destroy the peace with Germany and a disturbance of peace with our fatherland would certainly not be desired by us German-Americans. The German-American citizen ought to take more interest in politics and make his influence known for in that way only can he quiet the know-nothing sentiment of the Americans.

### MOTORMAN MEYERS AND A YOUNG LADY BADLY INJURED

Brake Would Not Work and the Car Went Crashing Into the Michigan Central Depot—Young Lady's Identity Not Completely Established

By losing control of his car at the top of the Michigan Central hill, Motorman Albert Meyers and a young lady passenger, Mrs. Daisy Whitnor, were terribly injured this noon. The brakes refused to work and the car went rushing down the hill and crashed into the depot building with such force as to be utterly demolished. Meyers could have jumped and saved himself from any great injury, but he stuck to his post, using his utmost strength to get the brakes set on the wheels. As a result the crushed car front imprisoned him in a small place, from which he was released after some difficulty.

In the meantime William Eldert and George Weeks rushed to the assistance of the unfortunate victims of the accident. The young lady was removed and they then took the stove out so that the imprisoned motorman would not be in danger from the car catching on fire. Medical assistance and ambulances were summoned immediately. It was found that both of Meyer's ankles were fractured and his jaw terribly cut. The young lady suffered a severe gash in the head and she complained of an injury to her back. She was asked her name and she replied that it was "Daisy Widner," but she was in such an excited state of mind that her address could not be ascertained at that time.

Martin's and Muehlig's ambulances conveyed the victims of the accident to the University hospital, where every attention possible is being given them. The only matter of congratulation

about the accident is that there were not more passengers in the car at the time of the accident. The name of the young lady injured is Mrs. Daisy Whitnor, of 207 N. Fifth avenue. She is the wife of William Whitnor, a motorman on the electric road. She had prepared her husband's dinner and went out to meet his car, but missed it, and so got on the next one, expecting to meet him on the way back and give him the dinner pail. Mr. and Mrs. Whitnor moved here from Chicago about three months ago. In that city city Mr. Whitnor was employed as a printer, but formerly he was a motorman in Jackson. They have a 6-months-old baby which will have to be weaned while its mother is in the hospital. She was resting easy last evening, but is very seriously injured. She has a big gash on her head and the doctors fear that her back is hurt. She may also have sustained internal injuries.

Motorman Myers is at present in much worse shape than the woman. Both ankles are injured and his right leg is broken in two places. His arms are cut, his jaw cut open and his lower teeth are gone. He will recover and probably will not show much of the effects of the accident. He is praised for standing at his post and doing what he could to avert the accident. His action was truly heroic. The statement is made that the motorman of the city line held a meeting recently and asked that the company put appliances on the cars so that they could be stopped on the depot hill.

imity. He appeared before the war meeting on his arrival at Manchester with his head bandaged, told the people what had been done and appealed for recruits to fill up the Manchester Guards, an independent local military organization, which was to form one of the companies of the three months regiment.

### WAS A PIONEER OF WASHTENAW

C. W. Owen, editor of the Quincy Herald, lived in Manchester when he was a boy, his father owning the farm now owned by John Gumpner on the Ypsilanti branch railroad in the east part of town. In the paper he says that the item on the death of Gen. Jabez H. Fountain at Los Angeles, Cal., "was read with more than usual interest by the editor of the Herald, as it revived many memories of our boyhood days at the old home in Manchester."

"We remember Mr. Fountain well as a prosperous and successful business man prior to and during the war. As an associate of a young relative of Mr. Fountain's who lived with him some time, we passed many happy hours at his pleasant home midway between Manchester and East Manchester."

"Mr. F. was an enthusiastic republican, and during the exciting campaign of 1860 he commanded a large local company of Wide-Awakes, a famous republican organization of that campaign, whose torchlight processions, marching in roll fence order, presented a grand and inspiring sight. While we were not old enough, about 14, to march in the ranks and carry a torch, we followed them around with the rest of the boys, and hurrahed for Lincoln and Hamlin. "We well remember the first war meeting held at Manchester immediately after Gov. Blair's call for one regiment of three months troops, Michigan's quota under President Lincoln's proclamation for 75,000 troops. The governor and the military board met at Detroit April 16, 1861, and made arrangements to organize, arm and equip the First Michigan infantry without delay. On returning home from Detroit Mr. Fountain was injured at Clinton, being cut by glass from a shattered window in the car, resulting from firing in too close prox-

imity. He appeared before the war meeting on his arrival at Manchester with his head bandaged, told the people what had been done and appealed for recruits to fill up the Manchester Guards, an independent local military organization, which was to form one of the companies of the three months regiment. "If our memory serves us right, C. T. Allen, a tall, slender young country school teacher, and one of the most popular young men in that section, was the first young man to enlist. He afterwards served through the war in the Twentieth infantry and rose to the rank of captain. For many years he has been a popular Methodist minister at Detroit. The Manchester company was soon filled up and did good service at the front. On their return home in August they were given a grand reception and a big picnic dinner in the grove east of town. Those were exciting days which we can never forget. Little did we think then that the war would last four long years and that we would be permitted to serve in the ranks of the reorganized First from the Wilderness to Appomattox."—Manchester Enterprise.

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### PROMISES TO BE DONE BY JULY 1

BOLAND SAYS HIS CONTRACTS CALL FOR THIS

Says That the Everett—Moore Smash Up Did Not Affect His Plans

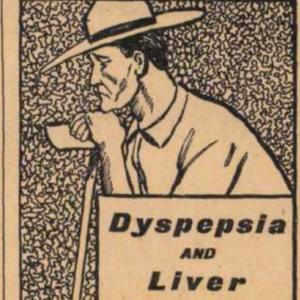
Battle Creek, Mich., January 6.—Wm. A. Boland was asked this afternoon when his electric road system between Detroit and Kalamazoo through this city would be in running order. He said:

"My contracts call for the completion of the road between Jackson and Battle Creek by July 1. I hope to see this stretch done a little sooner. Between Jackson and Detroit some pieces are done and work is going ahead fast on others. It will all, I hope, be done by July 1. No, the Everett-Moore smashup did not hurt my plans in the least."

Boland spoke also of his scheme to build the road clear through to Chicago, but would set no date for its completion. He said: "I believe the time is not far distant, however, when you can go to sleep in a car at Detroit and wake up in Chicago riding over electric rails."

### A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my household work." It overcomes Constipation, Improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at A. C. Schumacher's, A. M. Mummers's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haensler's, Manchester, drug stores.



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### Estate of Mary A. Richmond.

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 the 28th day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and one. Present Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mary A. Richmond, deceased: On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Densmore Cramer, praying that he may be licensed to borrow money by a mortgage on the real estate of said deceased. It is ordered, that the 28th day of January next, at two o'clock in the afternoon at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw. W. L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate GEORGE R. GUNN, Probate Register.

### VETERINARY SURGEON

After two years absence, Dr. F. Schrepper has returned to Ann Arbor, and will take up his practice as Veterinary Surgeon. He is regularly registered in the state under Act 191 of the Public Acts of 1899, which provide for the registration of veterinary surgeons and issuance of license by the State Veterinary Board. He can be reached by Michigan Bell phone 319, 2 rings. Residence 509 Spring street.

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### THE BIG DIAMOND ON HIS HAT

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EXECUTION SALE. Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in favor of George Stadel, plaintiff, and against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of George J. Gruner, defendant, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the third day of July, A. D. 1901, seize, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said George J. Gruner in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Being a portion of Turner Park property in the city of Ann Arbor, and lot three of George F. Keyes' plat thereof, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in the south line of Madison street in the city of Ann Arbor, one hundred and sixty-six feet east of the northwest corner of the Turner Park property; thence south one hundred and thirty feet parallel with the west line of Turner Park; thence east sixty-one and seventy-five hundredths feet; thence north one hundred and thirty feet parallel with the first line to Madison street; thence west along Madison street sixty-one and seventy-five hundredths feet to the place of beginning; all of which I shall expose for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder at the south front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan, on the seventh day of January, A. D. 1902, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day. Dated, Ann Arbor, Mich., November twenty-first, A. D. 1901. JOHN GILLEN, Sheriff. E. B. NORRIS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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# SHOT HIS WIFE'S PARAMOUR

Milan Man Killed the Violator  
of His Home

## IS UNDER ARREST

Bert Farrington, a Butcher,  
Takes Revenge Upon  
James Hooker, His  
Former Clerk

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 7.—James Hooker, who was shot by Bert Farrington of Milan here Sunday night, is dead. The wound in his abdomen was the one which caused death.

The shooting was the culmination of an illicit love affair which had lasted for nearly a year. Farrington, who has been for many years a butcher in Milan, had Hooker in his employ. Hooker and Mrs. Farrington, to whom Farrington had been married nearly 10 years, became infatuated with each other, with the result that Hooker was discharged and Farrington and his wife separated.

Hooker and Mrs. Farrington came to live together at the home of Hooker's parents here, and Sunday night, with the ostensible purpose of securing evidence for a divorce suit, Farrington, accompanied by Sheriff Shepard and Policeman Krueger, forced an entrance to the Hooker home after the family had retired. Hooker and Mrs. Farrington were discovered in bed together.

Before the sheriff had time to do more than light a match, Farrington drew a revolver and fired three shots at Hooker, all of which took effect. Another shot went wild.

After some slight resistance, the officers lodged Farrington in jail. He stated yesterday that, while if he had the matter to do over again, he might manage it differently, he had no regret for his crime. Sheriff Shepard states that Farrington told him he had no weapon, as otherwise he would not have been admitted to the Hooker home.

Mrs. Farrington is not under arrest. She takes the matter coolly and gives as the reason for her presence in Hooker's room the fact that he was sick and she was caring for him.

"Besides, I loved him," she added. Mrs. Farrington is a brunette of striking appearance. She and Farrington have one child, eight years old.

E. A. Farrington, a brother, together with Dr. E. F. Pyle, J. B. Lockwood and W. J. Schueneigh, all prominent and respected citizens of Milan, came to Adrian today to furnish bail in any sum and in other ways to look after Mr. Farrington's interests. They secured the services of Hon. H. C. Smith, ex-Judge R. A. Watts and Clarke Baldwin, composing the law firm of Watts, Smith & Baldwin, for the defense.

Dr. Pyle states that Mr. Farrington, who was born in Milan, thirty-one years ago, and has resided there all his life, is one of the leading business men of the place, respected by all, has no enemies, has never had a reputation for violence or quick temper and in the present affair has the sympathy of all his neighbors.

## PROHIBITIONISTS ARE ORGANIZING

The Prohibition Alliance of Ann Arbor held its first monthly meeting at the office of Dr. E. D. Brooks Monday evening.

A goodly number were present. The program provided by the national committee was mainly carried out. An encouraging report of the committee on membership was received.

The time for receiving charter members was extended one month. The election of officers for permanent organization was deferred until the first Monday in February.

A committee was appointed to find a permanent place for meeting and report at the next meeting, which will be held at Dr. Brook's office, 200 South Main street, Feb. 3, 1902, at 8 p. m.

## A Trying Position.

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This Advice.

A constant itching tries your patience. Nothing so annoying. Nothing so irritating.

As itching piles or eczema. To scratch the irritation makes it worse.

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Mrs. T. Martiny of No. 501 Detroit street, says: "I suffered a great deal from fever sores and at times the inflammation caused a burning sensation which was intense. I used numerous ointments and lotions but nothing ever gave me permanent relief. I saw Doan's Ointment highly recommended, and got a box at Eberbach & Son's drug store. On applying it, it relieved all the distress and irritation almost at once. I continued the use of it until the part looked healthy and nicely healed."

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Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

## PROMISED NOT TO DO IT AGAIN

A certain elderly, well-known citizen had a close call on Christmas night to receive a severe chastisement from an indignant young man. The story goes that while the young man and a young lady were sitting in the latter's parlor, they heard something on the snow outside. The young man started for the front door to investigate, when the young lady screamed, the face of a man appearing at the window. The young man gave chase and overhauled the man under an electric light and recognized who it was. The man begged off and promised that it should never occur again. It is surmised that this same man was the fellow that frightened so many ladies a year or two ago. No names are given out of respect for the man's family. He may, however, take warning that if anything of this nature occurs again, arrests and exposure will follow.

### EXPOSURE TO WET,

dampness and cold, invariably results in a sudden chill, which if not attended to immediately will cause a cold. By mixing a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of warm water or milk, the whole system will be heated and the danger of cold avoided. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Price 25c and 50c.

## ARMSTRONG GOT OFF EASILY

Judge Swan Put Him on Sus-  
pended Sentence

RHEAD WAS FINED \$60

Two Ann Arbor Cases in the  
United States Court  
at Detroit

William F. Armstrong, the former Ann Arbor mail carrier, arrested last summer for embezzling mails, was brought before Judge Swan in the United States court in Detroit Monday. He was severely reprimanded and allowed to go on suspended sentence. A number of petitions for clemency were presented to the judge and Col. Dean informed the court that Armstrong is now in his employ and he will see that he does not offend again.

Judge Swan said that if he ever heard of Armstrong drinking again he would be brought back and sentenced.

Clyde E. Rhead of Ann Arbor was sentenced to pay a fine of \$60 by Judge Swan of the United States district court in Detroit Monday morning for forging the name of an Ann Arbor woman to a postoffice money order which he picked up from the floor of the boarding house conducted by his wife.

Rhead, who is 24 years of age, gave as his reason for the crime that he was hungry. From the address of Rhead's attorney to the court this morning it developed that the reason that Rhead was suffering from hunger was that he had had a little difficulty with his wife and she had made him get out.

Rhead's previous good conduct and age saved him from the sentence of one year at hard labor in addition to the fine.

### BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c at A. C. Schumacher's, A. M. Mummary's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler's, Manchester, drug stores.

## SOME IMPROVEMENTS IN COURT HOUSE

The building committee of the supervisors, consisting of Supervisors Oesterlin of Ann Arbor, Holmes of Chelsea and Woods of Lodi met Monday. They let the contract for two vault doors for the register of deed's office to the Victor Safe and Lock Co. of Cincinnati for \$110 apiece. Koch Bros. received the contract for the tiling in the office for 75 cents a square foot and 15 cents for necessary cement. The committee has made a complete renovation in the basement under the register of deed's office that was a complete fire trap. They have had brick piers put in in place of wood braces. The register of deed's office will, when finished, be an almost, if not quite, fire-proof vault.

The committee gave careful attention to the three indexes in the probate office, which, after over 40 years' service are coming to pieces. They laid the matter on the table until their next meeting, when they will probably take needed action.

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Col. E. B. Spelman of the 9th United States Regulars, located at San Diego, Cal., says: "Dr. Miles' Special Treatment has worked wonders in my son's case when all else failed. I had employed the best medical talent and had spent \$2,000 in so doing. I believe he is a wonderful specialist. I consider it my duty to recommend him." "For years I had severe trouble with my stomach, head, neuralgia, sinking spells and dropsy. Your treatment entirely cured me," writes Hon. W. A. Warren of Jamestown, N. Y.

As all afflicted readers may have \$2.50 worth of treatment especially adapted to their case, FREE, we would advise them to send for it at once. Address Dr. Franklin Miles, 201 to 209 State St., Chicago. Mention this paper.

## LIVED HERE 75 YEARS AGO

Bethuel Clinton Farrand of Port Huron died after an illness of less than 10 days.

The deceased was born in Cayuga, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1820, and was a descendant of Nathaniel Farrand who emigrated from England and settled at Middford, Conn., in 1645. His father was the Hon. Bethuel Farrand, who came to Michigan with his family in 1825, and located in Detroit. A year later the family went to Ann Arbor, where the senior Farrand became the first judge of probate of Washtenaw county. B. C. Farrand received his early education at Griffin academy, Ann Arbor, and when 19 years old went to Detroit to carry out his cherished purpose of fitting himself for the legal profession. In acquiring his knowledge of law the young man had a hard struggle for existence, in which all the luxuries and most of the comforts of living were denied him. His courage and self-denial were severely tested, but by perseverance he won the battle and after becoming thoroughly grounded in the law was admitted to practice before the supreme court.

Upon being admitted to the bar in 1843 Mr. Farrand settled at Palmer, now St. Clair, but remained there only one year, when he went to Port Huron and had resided there continuously since.

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## YOUNG MAN WAS KILLED

Christian Hoerz Fell Down  
the Cellar Steps

### MISTOOK THE DOOR

In Nic Schneider's Place—He  
Had Started to go to  
the Closet

Christian Hoerz, a book binder, and son of Mrs. Christian Hoerz, 543 Seventh st., was accidentally killed Sunday evening by falling down the cellar steps of Nic Schneider's saloon. The distance was about ten feet and he struck upon the hard cement floor in such a way that his neck was broken and his skull fractured. He lived but 20 minutes after the accident although medical attendance was immediately summoned.

Mr. Schneider, the proprietor of the place, and who lives above the saloon, tells the following version of the sad accident: "I had a party of friends invited by myself and wife for an evening dinner. There came a rap at my kitchen door and I went down to see who it was. Mr. Hoerz stood there and said: 'Nic, I am sick and must get to a closet. Let me in.' He was very pale and I let him in. He went through the hallway toward the closet, but opened the wrong door and fell down the stairs."

The deceased was a very industrious young man.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin sweetens the breath. Sold by H. J. Brown.

## THE FORESTERS ELECTED OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Independent Order of Foresters Thursday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:

- C. R.—Frank H. Warren.
- V. C. R.—Chas. Edwards.
- R. S.—Arbrose C. Pack.
- F. S.—Thomas C. Colburn.
- Treasurer—John D. Boyle.
- Orator—L. C. Goodrich.
- S. J. C.—W. F. Stimson.
- Organist—J. B. Willis.
- S. W.—R. M. Woodin.
- J. W.—A. L. Alexander.
- S. B.—George Wagner.
- J. B.—George Voelker.



## Nobility Recommends Nervine.

The above portrait is that of  
Countess Mogelstud, of Chicago,  
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Dr. Miles' Nervine prompted  
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## WAGONS

In buying a wagon for  
carrying loads to the mill  
or city, buy the best, the

## STUDEBAKER

is by all odds the BEST.

## CARRIAGES

High Grade carriages are  
built by me. Those who  
have them are suited with  
them. You will be, if you  
buy of me.

The prices will suit you.  
We sell also high grade  
arnesses.

Geo. W. Seabold,  
113 S. 4th Ave.

## Good Cheer

AND NOW WE'VE GOT BARGAINS FOR THE  
YEAR OF OUR LORD 1902

Going to give them all the year round and every day in the year.

Going to give Furniture bargains and Carpet bargains, Drapery bargains and Rug bargains, Trunk bargains and Dress Suit Case bargains.

In fact, this year we're going to make our big store more than ever the Bargain Store of Ann Arbor.

Not a bargain store that goes "steady by jerks" but one that you can depend upon at all times.

Going to keep a steady stream of bargains flowing all the time.

Any time you drop in you'll be able to get one, or more than one, or as many as you want.

Won't tell you about any of them this time—but after this you'll get them every week.

This is just our "HAPPY NEW YEAR" to you.

## KOCH'S Furniture Store:::

300, 302, 304 SO. MAIN - 'PHONE 50

## ASTHMA, CATARRH AND RHEUMATISM.

I cure all forms of those dreadful diseases caused by Specific Germs or Uric Acid poison in the blood which affects the Head, Throat, Lungs, Heart, Liver and Kidneys, in persons of all ages and both sexes, by a new and original method of home treatment. I have cured thousands and will cure you. I send 15 days trial free address Dr. A. S. Core, 68 Dexter Bld. Chicago

## SECRETS WOMEN KEEP AT THE PRICE OF SUFFERING.

A woman usually passes through several stages on her way to that condition of semi-invalidism which limits the activities of so many of her sex. For a time she suffers in silence and ignorance, not able to relate her sufferings to their proper cause—womanly disease. When, presently, she makes the discovery that her general health is related to the local womanly health, she casts about for help. She dislikes to see the physician, she shrinks from talking to a stranger of the intimate matters of her woman's life, and when at last misery drives her to the doctor, her modesty is up in arms at the faintest hint of examination, and she finds excuse to put the

was ulceration of the uterus, but I did nothing for it at the time, but as I gradually grew worse I began to see that I must do something, and having read a great deal about Dr. Pierce's remedies, I resolved to consult him in regard to my complaint. I did so, and received an answer advising me to try his medicines—'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I procured the medicines as soon as I could and began the use of them. I have taken four bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and used also the local treatment advised by Dr. Pierce. I experienced relief almost from the first, as it almost immediately relieved the bearing-down pains, and in about two months' time I felt that my health was wonderfully improved. I can most heartily recommend Doctor Pierce's remedies to anyone suffering from any similar complaint, and feel sure that if they will consult Dr. Pierce, they need suffer no longer."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It establishes regularity, dries disagreeable and unhealthy drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It is the best preparative for maternity, giving mental cheerfulness and physical strength and making the baby's advent practically painless. As a tonic for weak, worn-out, run-down women and nursing mothers, 'Favorite Prescription' is unsurpassed. It is a pure vegetable preparation and cannot disagree with the most delicate constitution.



matter off and goes home to endure another period of suffering.

It would seem a strange thing if the sacrifice of modesty were necessary to the restoration of womanly health. Such a sacrifice is not necessary. Women suffering from womanly ailments in almost all stages have found a perfect and permanent cure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

### A FREE OFFER.

To those women who suffer from disease in chronic form, Dr. Pierce offers the privilege of free consultation by letter, thus avoiding the unpleasant questionings, indelicate examinations and obnoxious local treatments deemed necessary by some local physicians. All correspondence held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

This offer of free consultation by letter should not be confused with offers of "free medical advice" which are made by persons without medical knowledge or experience, and who are barred, legally and professionally, from the practice of medicine. Though these people cannot be prompt to punish them, they can offer "free medical advice." Anybody can give advice without incurring the penalty of the law. It is well to remember, that the "medical" advice of an unqualified person, man or woman, is worse than worthless; it is absolutely dangerous.

As chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Pierce, assisted by his staff of nearly a score of physicians, has, in a little more than thirty years, treated and cured hundreds of thousands of weak and sick women. Write, therefore, to Dr. Pierce, and get the opinion of a specialist upon your disease.

"About two years ago my health became very poor," writes Mrs. Winnie Hamilton, of Akron, Plymouth County, Iowa. "I suffered with pain and soreness in left side of abdomen and such bearing-down pains across me. Could scarcely walk at times, and would have to go to bed until I felt better. I was told by a physician that my complaint

### DON'T PUT IT OFF.

Do not delay the use of 'Favorite Prescription' if you have any symptoms of womanly disease. Why drag around for years, enduring useless suffering, when a remedy that has cured hundreds of thousands of weak and sick women is right within your reach? Get 'Favorite Prescription,' take it, and be well.

"When I first commenced using Dr. Pierce's medicines," writes Mrs. Geo. A. Strong, of Gansevoort, Saratoga County, N. Y., "I was suffering from female weakness, a disagreeable drain, bearing-down pains, weak and tired feeling all the time. I dragged around in that way for two years, and then I began taking your medicine. After taking the first bottle I began to feel better. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and one vial of the 'Pleasant Pellets,' also used one bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Now I feel like a new person. I can't thank you enough for your kind advice and the good your medicine has done me."

"I have a sister who is taking your medicine, and it is helping her."

Whenever a laxative medicine is required, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets with "Favorite Prescription," as they assist the action of that remedy. Sometimes a dealer, tempted by the little more profit paid on the sale of less meritorious preparations, will offer a substitute for "Favorite Prescription" as "just as good." Judged by its records of cures of womanly ills, there is no other medicine just as good as "Favorite Prescription."

### QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

The questions which many a woman longs to ask are answered fully and freely in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. This great book, containing more than a thousand large pages, is full of wisdom for women, both single and married. It is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound volume, or only 21 stamps for the book in paper covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

# B. F. TUTTLE DROPPED DEAD

While Engaged in Unloading Some Hay

CAUSE WAS APOPLEXY

The Deceased was the Inventor of the Celebrated Cross Cut Saw

Chelsea, Mich., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Mark Armstrong, of Lyndon, near the village of Unadilla, died at her home on Monday evening, Jan. 6, 1902. Mrs. Armstrong's funeral will be held on Thursday, the Rev. E. E. Caster, D. D., of the Chelsea M. E. church, officiating. The husband of the deceased was frozen to death February 23, 1900, on his way home from Pinckney.

Vera, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Graham, of this village, is seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Thomas Murray, of Dexter township, is making arrangements to build a 20x60 barn on his farm to replace the one he lost recently by fire.

The Chelsea Roller mills are again in full blast. A. Merchant, of Battle Creek, the owner, is here in person, directing the business and the mill will be run under the firm name of the Merchant Milling Co. This same company have two mills at Battle Creek in full blast and the output of the mill here will be handled in connection with their other milling business.

George Bacon, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon, is confined to the house of his parents with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Quite a number of the residents of Chelsea are swollen up these days because of inflammation of the paratoid gland (mumps).

There was a match game at the Staffan bowling alley Monday evening between the Chelsea Experts and the Stars, which resulted in a victory for the Experts, who had a score of 260 points to their credit and now challenge any team in the county to meet them at any time in matched social game.

Yesterday afternoon our citizens were startled by the announcement of the sudden death of B. F. Tuttle. Between 12 and 1 o'clock Howard Beckwith, of Sylvan, drove into Mr. Tuttle's barn with a load of hay, and the latter went up the ladder to assist in unloading the hay that had just been drawn, but there was some hay in front of the door that was in the way and the deceased and the driver of the team were engaged in moving it out of their way. After moving a few forkfuls Mr. Beck-

with noticed that Mr. Tuttle was falling to the floor and at once went to his assistance, but found that he was unable to speak and so ran at once for assistance. Telephone messages were sent for doctors, who responded promptly but to no avail, as death had been almost instant, and the physicians pronounced apoplexy as the cause. Mr. Tuttle was a pioneer resident of this place and was a man who had a host of friends. He was the inventor of the cross-cut saw known throughout this state by his name and said to have been the first saw made equipped with what is known as rakers for removing chips and sawdust from the sawyers easier. Mr. Tuttle was a native of the state of New York and was in his 72d year. The larger part of his life has been spent in this community. He was a life-long democrat and had filled the office of justice of the peace for a number of terms. He leaves a wife, one son and three daughters to mourn his demise.

# ED. DOLAN'S HOME BURNED SUNDAY

Dexter, Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. James Tuomey visited friends in Scio Sunday.

Mrs. Michael Dolan and daughter, Anna, of Pinckney, spent Friday and Saturday with her brother and sister, Owen and Ann Sloan of Scio.

Rev. Fr. Hennessy of Howell exchanged pulpits with Rev. Fr. Ryan of Dexter Sunday.

The residence of Eddie and Clara Dolan, son and daughter of the late Thomas Dolan, of Dexter township, burned down Sunday.

R. M. Cole, proprietor of the saw mill here, has sent his teams to Manchester to draw ties for the M. S. R. R. Co.

Wm. Sloan of Jackson called on Scio and Dexter friends last week.

C. S. Johnson has returned home from a week's visit with friends and relatives in Monroe county.

Notwithstanding the cold weather engines take water at the reservoir west of Scio without stopping, as it is kept heated by steam.

Fr. Hennessy drove over to Northfield Sunday afternoon to call on Rev. Fr. Goldrick.

Orna Johnson is visiting her brother Chester of Scio.

# THIS POSTMASTER HAS RESIGNED

Delhi Mills, Jan. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Litchfield spent New Year's day in Detroit.

Mrs. Abbie Snyder and children visited at F. Litchfield's last week.

Mrs. H. M. Turner and little son, of Ypsilanti, visited at C. W. Alexander's

several days last week.

In the near future the post office will be located in E. E. Whitney's store, the present postmaster having resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Alexander entertained 12 at dinner on New Year's day.

Miss Lois Voorhes has returned to Ypsilanti after spending her vacation in Delhi.

Henry Davis was in Ann Arbor Monday on business.

Miss Ella Estabrook returned to Albion last Thursday, after spending some time at the home of her uncle, W. F. Estabrook.

# PLAIN TALK.

Straight Talk and to the Point—The Virtues of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills Told in a Few Words by an Ann Arbor Citizen Who Knows.

Mr. J. M. Haupt, of No. 429 Miller avenue, Ann Arbor, Mich., says: "I have been troubled for a long time with a nervous indigestion and a generally run-down condition of the nervous system. I had a good deal of distress and pressure in the stomach after eating and at night I did not rest well. I got some of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills at Mummy's Drug Store and though I used but one box I felt they touched the right spot and have done me a great deal of good and I can recommend them."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., are on every package.

# MISS POTTER TAKES MISS STRANG'S PLACE

Milan, Jan. 7.—News reached Milan Monday of a shooting affray at Adrian by Milan parties Sunday night. Mr. B. Farrington, one of Milan's leading merchants, shot a Mr. Jesse Hooker, a former Milanite, who he found in company with his (Mr. Farrington's) wife. He fired five shots, three taking effect. Mr. Hooker died Jan. 6, a little after 9 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Farrington is in jail at Adrian. Milan is much excited, as Mr. Farrington has always been an upright man.

Miss Eliza Fuller returned Saturday from a pleasant visit in Ann Arbor with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rainey.

Miss K. Lamb returned Saturday to her home in Tecumseh after a pleasant visit with Milan friends.

Miss Potter of Willis has been hired by the Milan school board to fill the vacancy made by Miss Strang, resigned.

Mrs. James Clark returned Saturday from a week's visit with Detroit friends.

Dr. Pyle J. Lockwood and Mr. E. Farrington visited Adrian Monday.

Mrs. James McMillen is entertaining guests from out of town.

Mrs. J. Sanbough is quite ill.

Mrs. V. Sayles east of Milan is entertaining guests from Ohio.

Mrs. John Taylor returned to her home in West Bay City Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Field returned Saturday from their visit to Roillins.

# BELLEVILLE NEWS NOTES

Belleville, Mich., Jan. 7.—Miss Ida Coates spent her vacation with her cousin, Miss Sarah Coates.

Miss Hannah Waters is the guest of Detroit relatives and friends this week.

Mrs. Robt. Fell is on the sick list. About 40 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Coates gave them a surprise last Friday evening on their twenty-second wedding anniversary.

About midnight J. R. Brayton presented them with a beautiful set of oak diningroom chairs, and then refreshments were served with the beautiful music of Mr. Fell's phonograph.

The Grangers are getting on fine with their new hall.

Vera Atyeo is the guest of Detroit relatives this week.

The masquerade given at the Music hall New Year's Eve was largely attended.

Dr. E. B. Kellogg has moved into Dr. Fell's office.

Daniel Round was buried Sunday at 11 o'clock under Masonic auspices.

There will be a dance in the Music hall of this place Jan. 11. All are cordially invited.

Ed. Atyeo was home on a visit last week.

# BISHOP HANDY SAYS

"I take great pleasure in acknowledging the curative effects of Peruna. At the solicitation of a friend I used your remedy and cheerfully recommend your Peruna to all who want a good tonic and a safe cure for catarrh."—JAMES A. HANDY.

Prominent members of the clergy are giving Peruna their unqualified endorsement. These men find Peruna especially adapted to preserve them from catarrh of the vocal organs which has always been the bane of public speakers, and general catarrhal debility incident to the sedentary life of the clergyman. Among the recent utterances of noted clergymen on the curative virtues of Peruna is the above one from Bishop James A. Handy, D. D., of Baltimore.

# OTHER NOTABLE CURES.

## A Husband Escaped the Pangs of Catarrh of the Lungs.

Most Cases of Incipient Consumption are Catarrh.



Edward Stevens.

Mrs. Edward Stevens of Carthage, N. Y., writes as follows:

"I now take pleasure in notifying you that my husband has entirely recovered from catarrh. He is a well man today, thanks to you and Peruna. He took six bottles of your medicine as directed, and it proved to be just the thing for him. His appetite is good and every thing he eats seems to agree with him. His cough has left him and he is gaining in flesh, and seems to be well every way."—MRS. EDWARD STEVENS.

Any internal remedy that will cure catarrh in one location will cure it in

any other location. This is why Peruna has become so justly famous in the cure of catarrhal diseases. It cures catarrh wherever located. Its cures remain. Peruna does not palliate; it cures.

Mrs. Frederick Williams, President of the South Side Ladies' Aid Society of Chicago, Ill., writes the following words of praise for Peruna from 973 Cuyler avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

"My home is never without Peruna, for I have found during the past six years that there is no remedy that will at once alleviate suffering and actually cure, as Peruna does. Four bottles completely cured me of catarrh of the head of several years' standing, and if my husband feels badly, or either of us catch cold, we at once take Peruna, and in a day or two it has thrown the sickness out of the system."—Mrs. Frederick Williams.

Mrs. W. A. Allison, of 759 Sheffield avenue, Chicago, Ill., is the Assistant

Matron of the People's Hospital. She has the following to say about Peruna:

"I have had frequent opportunities to observe the wonderful curative effects of Peruna especially on persons suffering with a congested condition of the head, lungs, and stomach, generally called catarrh. It alleviates pain and soreness, increases the appetite and so tones up the entire system that the patient quickly regains strength and health."—Mrs. W. A. Allison.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



Mrs. W. A. Allison.

1858 Is your watch running to the minute?



We employ only skilled workmen and everything is under the personal direction of Mr. George Haller.

If you want a new watch you can rely on our reputation, which is at stake, that you get a good one at the lowest price.

(Official watch inspectors of the Ann Arbor Railroad.)

HALLER, the Jeweler.

# OPPORTUNITIES

To buy first-class clothing at a real bargain, present themselves but very rarely. We are just completing our seventh year in the clothing business and are in a position to give our customers the greatest bargains ever offered by any clothing merchant in Ann Arbor. No cheap, trashy stuff, but the very best merchandise manufactured in America for

## Men, Boys and Children

Our Men's Clothing is manufactured by THE STEIN-BLOCH CO., and MICHAELS, STERN & CO., of Rochester, N. Y. and there is no better in the world. Samuel W. Peck & Co. of New York manufacture our Boy's and Children's Clothing and nothing finer is made anywhere. This high-class of merchandise is going to be sold AT ONCE and at such low figures as to enable you to buy the very best at the Lowest Possible Prices.

They must be sold in order to make room for our Spring Stock and the considerations are Cash and

# CASH ONLY

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE BARGAINS:

- Fur Coats \$15.00 to \$18.00 at \$11.50.
- Usters reduced \$3.00 to \$5.00 each.
- Overcoats reduced proportionately.
- Men's Suits you never bought as cheap before.
- Boys' and Children's Suits at closing out prices.
- Childrens' Usters and Overcoats cut in half.
- Underwear less than manufacturers prices.
- Just received 1 case of fleece-lined heavy weight 50c value at 28c per garment.
- Brown Derby Hats at prices to pay for the trimming.
- House Jackets, Bath Robes and Mufflers and all heavy winter goods included in this sale.



We wish to thank all our customers for their patronage the past year, and ask for a continuance of the same in the future.

All accounts should be paid during the month of January, especially those of long standing.

Do not fail to drop in at once for this sale will mean an immense saving of money for you.

# Lindenschmitt & Apfel

## Excelsior Diaries for 1902

If you have never kept a diary, we want to call your attention to our line of Excelsior Diaries. If you are in the habit of keeping a record of daily happenings, you must know that the Excelsior is the best diary, and that it is made in a variety of shapes and sizes, bindings of cloth and leather, and that

THE PRICE IS FROM  
**15c to \$2**  
**WAHR'S**

A party of eighteen of the young people of Ann Arbor gave a charming party Tuesday evening at the Ladies' Library at Ypsilanti. It was a very informal party, chaperoned by Mrs. Carl Braun.

The regular meeting of the Sunshine Circle of the King's Daughters of the Baptist church will be held at the home of Miss Mildred Sherk next Monday evening. All members requested to be present.

The next regular meeting of the Ann Arbor Unterstuetzungs Verein, the first in this year will be held next Monday evening. The annual election of the society will be held Monday evening, Jan. 20, at 7 o'clock p. m.

George Walsh, the township treasurer of Dexter, is the first man to pay taxes to the county treasurer. He called Wednesday and paid County Treasurer George Mann \$700 on state taxes and \$500 on county taxes.

On next Sunday morning at 9:15 Prof. Coler will give a lecture on the Hebrew Republic. The lecture will treat of the period of the Judges. Students are invited to attend. The class meets in Room 1, Newberry hall.

Mrs. M. Milward entertained the M. G. R. pedro club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. George Dengler carried off first prize. Mrs. John Henry won second. Owing to a misunderstanding, the consolation prize was not awarded.

The Modern Woodmen gave the second of their series of parties at their hall Wednesday evening. There was a good attendance, everyone enjoying the evening greatly. The Chequamegon furnished delightful music for the dancing.

Warren Lewis has sold half interest in his high stepping park mare "The Queen," to John Splan. The handsome mare will be shipped to Chicago Saturday to be sold at the great auction sale in the Coliseum building, Jan. 14 to 18.

Justice Gibson during the last six months had 18 prosecutions under the ordinance before him. Sixteen of the cases resulted in conviction and two were dismissed. He collected \$50.61 costs, \$14 fines, and \$9.20 costs were uncollected.

Mrs. Anella W. Kelly has sold two lots on N. State street opposite the St. Thomas school, to Miss Mary Sullivan. She will grade and improve the lots and put them in the market in the spring. The sale was made through the Carr agency.

At the meeting of the Michigan passenger agents held in Detroit Wednesday, John J. Kirby, the popular general passenger agent of the Ann Arbor road was elected president. His many friends in Ann Arbor will be pleased to hear the news.

W. E. Whitnor, the motorman on the car that became unmanageable on the Michigan Central hill last Monday, states that he did not jump from the car. He says that the man who acted as conductor may have done so, but that it was not him.

Miss May Eggleston gave a progressive pedro party to twenty of her friends Tuesday evening. It was an enjoyable party. Miss Grace Wait carried off first prize and George Waters won consolation prize. Light refreshments were served.

The insurance on the house and personal property of the Thomas Dolan estate, which was burned last Sunday, was carried in the Northwestern Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Chelsea. The house was situated in Dexter township, two and a half miles from the village.

The Rebecca lodge installed the following officers Wednesday: Mrs. Hillman, N. G.; Mrs. Shaw, V. G.; Mrs. Clark, rec. secy.; Mrs. McLaren, fin. secy.; Mrs. Olney, treas.; Mrs. St. Clair, warden; Mrs. Elmer, conductor; Mrs. Sweet, chaplain; Miss Jessie Wise, pianist.

The petition of Alvin Warner of Sheridan, St. Clair, guardian of Milo Henry Warner, aged 19, to sell two and one-half acres of real estate in York, was filed in the circuit court, an order made confirming the sale to David Craig for \$112.50 being signed by Judge Kinne.

Prof. H. B. King of Oberlin will deliver five lectures at the University Y. M. C. A. on Jan. 17, 18 and 19. His subject will be Reconstructive Philosophy. Prof. King is very well known in the college world, having delivered lectures at Cornell and other eastern institutions.

The funeral services of John George Franz Huhn were held yesterday afternoon at his late residence on S. First street, Rev. John Neumann, pastor of the Bethlehem Evangelical church, officiating. The remains were interred in the family burial lot in Forest Hill cemetery.

Henry Feldkamp of Lodi was in the city yesterday. He reported the Saline gravel road good, barring exceptional patches of ice. Last week when he was hauling a load of hay to the city, the wheels commenced slipping on the ice and the high wind blowing at the time blew over his load.

Bert Young of Dexter during this fall bought at his mill in that village 15,000 bushels of oats, 14,000 bushels rye, 10,000 bushels corn, 3,000 bushels wheat, 2,000 bushels beans, 2,000 bushels buckwheat, 5,000 bushels potatoes, 2,000 bushels apples, 150 tons hay, besides a large amount of straw.

The local hay market has taken a drop within the last few days. Yesterday there were over 15 loads in the city and \$8 was offered for the best clover. A few days ago the price ranged from \$9 to \$10 a ton. If the offerings continue large there will be no recovery in price. The market was as good for a few days as in Boston, Mass.



1-5 Off

OUR 2nd ANNUAL

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# Inventory Sale

The Entire Stock of our FANCY and MIXED SUITS and OVERCOATS will be put on sale for the Next 30 Days at 1-5 OFF.

Every Garment marked in plain figures.

Every Overcoat included in This Sale.

Every Child's Suit and Overcoat 1-5 OFF.

Fancy Percalé Shirts, stiff bosom, detached cuffs \$1.50 now \$1.15.

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Boys' Outing Flannel Waists 50c now 25c.

Boys' and Children's Caps and Tamoshanters 50c and 75c now all at.....25c.

Fleece Lined Underwear at 75c per suit

"THE NEW STORE"

1-5 Off

## TAEBLER & WUERTH

1-5 Off

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Ida Lane has moved from Hill street to 1236 Washtenaw avenue.

City Marshal Warren reported 10 arrests last month, of which four were for being drunk.

Miss Mattie Galpin, who has been dangerously ill, is regaining her strength slowly.

Ernest Woertz of Brook street died Tuesday evening of apoplexy. He had been married 35 years.

William Herz and Titus F. Hutzler were in Detroit Monday to attend the funeral of Otto Behr, Jr.

The overdraft of Washtenaw county on Jan. 1 was \$34,470.80. This is not very creditable for a rich county.

Mrs. William Vought, of 325 S. Fifth avenue, has removed to Philadelphia, Pa., where her husband is located.

Miss Florence Reemer, who was in a very critical condition after an operation for appendicitis, is on the gain.

Arrangements are being made by the Oddfellows to give a dancing party at their hall next Wednesday evening.

Walter Seabolt writes from Sacramento, Cal., that he and his family are well and had a very pleasant trip so far.

The annual election of the German Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be held in the court house Monday, Jan. 13.

The newly elected officers of Ann Arbor lodge No. 27, A. O. U. W., were installed last evening. After the work a little spread was enjoyed.

The sewing school received contributions during the past week from Mrs. J. L. Babcock, Miss Ida Péase and Mrs. J. R. Wines and Miss Victoria Morif.

Mrs. Christman of South State street caught an owl in a trap yesterday. It was a large one and being ugly was killed. She will probably have it stuffed.

Charles Dwyer & Co., the monument men, will move into the shop formerly occupied by Harvey & Lane, and previous to them by R. C. Barney. It is next to the postoffice.

The funeral of Chas. A. Matthewson was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter and was largely attended. The funeral was conducted by Golden Rule lodge.

C. H. Schroen has resigned his position as manager of the cloak department for Mack & Co. and accepted the position of manager of Cutting, Reyer & Co.'s clothing store.

The clock face for the east side of the court house tower has arrived at last and is being placed in position. This will be good news to those who have missed the face.

Louis Hagen of Salem was in the city yesterday. He is one of the sureties on the liquor bond refused by the town board. He has a fine farm of 200 acres with new buildings.

Nelson Garlinghouse, sexton of the Fairview cemetery for the year 1901, reported the expenses for the year at \$70.37 and collected \$21.50. Eight lots were sold and two graves dug.

Arthur Ganzhorn has left the employ of A. A. Pearson and has accepted a position as fireman on the Ann Arbor road. He is a willing worker and will probably advance rapidly.

Ernest William Hulbert died Tuesday evening at the home of his uncle, Charles Cornwell, 923 N. Main street, of pneumonia. He was 18 years of age and was engaged as a printer.

The funeral of Ernest William Hulbert yesterday was largely attended. The floral designs were beautiful. Rev. Mr. Ninde officiated and the interment was in Forest Hill cemetery.

A number of the members of the faculty of the University attended the meetings of the Modern Language association, held at Cambridge, Mass., and Champaign, Ill., where they read interesting papers.

The "Great Western" waiting room is being well patronized by friends of the genial proprietor, Michael Brenner. He is never happier than when the room is crowded with people waiting for the Chelsea car.

After the two accidents that have occurred at the Michigan Central station in the past two days, it would seem that something should be done to make a repetition impossible. Either the track or the station, which ever would be more convenient, should be moved.

Miss Roxie McClure, a senior in the high school, slipped and fell on the ice Monday afternoon and broke her wrist in two places. She had been calling on a sick schoolmate on W. Washington street, and when coming out of the house she stepped on some ice alongside of the walk and fell with the above result.

Smith's hospital, located in Niles, has been sold to Dr. Homer S. Carr, a graduate of Harvard and the medical department of the University of Michigan. The property has not been used as a hospital since the death of Dr. Smith. The new professor will put it in thorough repair and reopen it for the treatment of patients.

Otis A. Critchett of El Paso, Tex., is in the city. He has come from Monroe, where he took the remains of his mother, who died at his home, for interment in the family burial lot. Mr. Critchett is a graduate of the pharmacy department of the University, and for a short time was an assistant in Mummy's drug store.

The many friends of Milo Pulcifer will be greatly shocked to learn that he died at 12:25 a. m. Wednesday at his home on S. Fourth avenue. Mr. Pulcifer has suffered for some years from a cancer. He was very low yesterday, so that his end was not unexpected. A widow and five daughters survive him. For many years he was in charge of the Western Union telegraph office in this city.

Installation of officers of Protected Home Circle was held Tuesday night, at which Past. Pres. Dr. Belsler installed the following officers: A. Mummery, past pres.; E. Knapp, pres.; Mrs. A. Benham, vice pres.; Mrs. E. Knapp, guardian; Mrs. M. Kittlewell, secretary; F. Wuerth, accountant; Mrs. J. Cebulskie, treas.; Mrs. T. Wilson, chaplain; Miss E. Jewell, guide; Mrs. M. Buehlow, companion; Mrs. S. Neff; E. Buehlow, watchman.

The annual meeting of Forest Hill cemetery was held Tuesday morning at the drug store of H. J. Brown. William Wagner, Eugene Hall and Frederick Schmid were elected directors for the regular term, and Dr. Fleming Carrow to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Daniel Hiscock. The board was organized by electing Henry S. Dean president, Frederick Schmid vice-president and Henry J. Brown secretary and treasurer.

## Going Out of Business

"Clearing Sales," "Reduction Sales," Etc., will be the order of the day now in every store. Bargains galore will be offered on every side—but, among all the tempting opportunities, which one can compare with ours!

Here we **MUST Close Out** our stock. Here, not a few things, but **Everything** is cut to the quick.

The genuineness of the bargains offered appeals to the economical buying public. Here there is no exaggeration, no juggling with prices, but just a plain decisive reduction on **Everything** in stock.

The crowds that throng the store everyday speak in no uncertain tones of the public's appreciation of this sale. Do not miss your share of the good things.

**CLOAKS** Some 50 or 60—27 inch, 42 inch, and 56 inch coats—still here for your choosing. The "CUT-PRICES" on these garments have received another big slicing and two weeks will probably see the last coat sold.

**DRESS GOODS** Many excellent DRESSES and our shelves ly by buying your ne

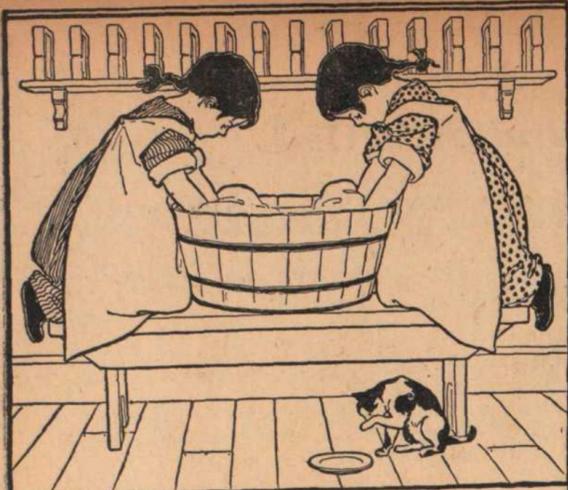
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Want the best BECAUSE....  
It all burns out of the lamp,  
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### TUB TRUTHS.

**A** DROP of ink will color a whole glass of water. It is an inch of yeast which makes a pan of bread rise, and a single cake of soap containing unabsorbed alkali can ruin a hundred times its cost in laces and fine embroidery. After all, is it wise to take such risks with common soap? Of course you can get along without Ivory Soap. So can a wagon without axle grease—but it goes hard.

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### A BLIND TIGER SAID TO BE RUNNING

IN THE WESTERN PART OF SYLVAN TOWNSHIP

Carpenter Post G. A. R. and the W. R. C. Held Public Installation Last Saturday

Chelsea, Mich., Jan. 6.—Julius M. Klein, of St. Louis, Mo., who has been spending the past week with his father, returned to his home today.

This week will be observed by the churches as a week of prayer.

The members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. had a banquet and public installation of officers at their hall Saturday.

This village has been headquarters for a number of tramps the past week.

It is currently reported that there is running in full blast a "blind tiger" in the western part of Sylvan township.

The K. O. T. M. of this place are making great preparations for their social Friday night of this week.

### IT GIRDLES THE GLOBE.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Bolls, Ulcers, Felons, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only infallible pile cure. 25c a box at A. C. Schumacher's, A. M. Mummy's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haeussler's, Manchester.

### PERSONAL ITEMS FROM PITTSFIELD

Pittsfield, Mich., Jan. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sperry and son Earl returned from their holiday visit at Nashville, Mich., yesterday.

Mr. Charles Eaton is seriously ill with pneumonia. Dr. George is attending him.

Miss Sadie Bullock entertained a number of friends at her house last evening. Pedro and light refreshments were indulged in.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clough, last Saturday morning, a 9-pound girl.

Miss Edna Smith returned Saturday from her vacation spent at her home in St. Joseph.

School commenced Monday morning with a good attendance.

### FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

### PROMINENT FARMER WAS FOUND DEAD

Manchester, Jan. 3.—John G. English died New Year's day of heart failure. He had been ill for some time, but on the day of his death was well enough to be around his farm, and was found dead in an outhouse. He was born in Ireland, came to Manchester when a small boy and was a prominent farmer, well known and highly esteemed.

Frank Baker, a railroad engineer at Maitoon, Ill., and a former Sharon boy, was killed recently. The funeral will be held in the Sharon Center church today.

Miss Edith Kapp has accepted a position in the Detroit schools.

J. Fred Schaible has purchased the brick block in Manchester recently occupied by Lehn & Hardenburgh.

Miss Maudie Van Arsdale of Lowell has been appointed a teacher in the Manchester schools in the place of Miss Kapp, resigned.

The Southern Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. has levied an assessment of 50 cents on each \$1,000 of stock. Amaranth Hitchcock and W. E. Pease were elected directors.

### A LADY

came into our store and said: "I am going to take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for my cold. It kept us free all last winter from every kind of cold. It is a great remedy and a perfect laxative." Sold by H. J. Brown.

### LOST CONTROL OF STREET CAR

The great crowds of students returning on every train was too much for one street car which met the 2:10 train Monday afternoon. In its hurry to get to the station, the motorman lost control of the car and as it flew down the hill, seeing that a collision with the station was imminent, the conductor jumped. It crashed into a hack but, fortunately, it stood in such a position that the horses were not injured. The combined efforts of several men succeeded in straightening the wheels, the horses were hitched up again and went off as though nothing had happened. The street car returned up the hill a little more decorously.

Terrible plagues, those itching, peevish diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

Read the Argus-Democrat, the only democratic paper in the county. \$1 per year. Subscribers now.

In every town and village may be had, the **Mica Axle Grease** that makes your horses glad.

### 509 MEMBERS IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian society held Monday evening, proved a time of special interest and thanksgiving. Fully 150 persons partook of the turkey supper prepared by the ladies, and after the plates were removed the business of the evening was taken up.

Messrs. S. W. Clarkson, E. L. Seyler and Jas. L. Babcock were selected trustees for the term of three years.

The treasurer of the society, Mr. Grove J. Ray, made a very good showing for the finances; \$3,695.29 have been expended. Mr. Wade, chairman of the board of trustees, stated that it had often been his duty to act the part of a highwayman at these meetings—that is, to call upon us to stand and give up our money. But in the happy condition of our finances the trustees decided he might be excused from that duty this year. The pastor reported that by the efficient aid of his immediate helpers there had been some 1,300 calls made. Of this number he himself had made 505. He had attended 19 funerals, married eight couples and preached a total of 92 sermons and other discourses.

Mr. S. W. Clarkson, the clerk of session, reported the present membership of the church 509. Whole number received the past year 67. Of this number 24 united on profession of their faith the first time. The report of the deacons by Mr. Arthur Hawkes showed that the poor of the church had received material help and sympathy, and the needs of the communion services cared for.

Dr. W. J. Herdman, the treasurer of our benevolent fund, reported a decided increase in the gifts of the church. The amount raised by pledges and by cash for

Home Missions .....\$304.62

Foreign missions ..... 168.48

Education ..... 28.60

Freedmen ..... 41.63

Seaman's society ..... 11.25

Church erection ..... 20.19

Mr. Horace Purfield, treasurer of the Sunday school, reported an average attendance of 200, that they had raised and expended \$215.39, giving in benevolence \$77.49.

The reports of the Endeavor societies were so admirable as to elicit general applause.

Master Howard Jackson reported for the Juniors, that they have 38 members and have given to missions \$39.95. Thanksgiving they provided a liberal dinner for a family in the city. At Christmas some of the boys made sleds and the girls dressed dolls, which were given to the primary department of the Sunday school. Nine of their members united with the church during the year.

The report of the Senior Endeavor was read by Miss Harriet Warner and showed the present membership to be 310. They aim in their religious meetings to give spiritual uplift; by their frequent socials to promote acquaintance and friends; by hospital and county house work and towers for the sick to scatter sunshine; and by the missionary spirit to better follow Christ. They gave within the year \$160. Of this sum \$25 is a memorial offering by Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Robinson. It is worthy of note that this society is so far as statistics show, the largest Endeavor society in the United States.

Mrs. L. D. Parker reported for the Woman's Home Missionary society, that they had raised during the year \$296.60.

Mrs. S. W. Clarkson reported that the Woman's Foreign Missionary society had raised \$231.09.

Mrs. Anna Bach, president of the Ladies' Aid society, reported that they had received from Mrs. L. D. Parker the very useful gift of four and one-half dozen knives, which she was sure would make our church supper more interesting. "We are looking now," said she, "for some one to give us six dozen more." The society has raised in the year \$337.06. Of this amount \$237.20 is being kept as a fund to buy a new carpet. Mrs. Bach stated that over twice this sum would be needed, and they were inviting the men to become honorary members of their society so as to help them out.

These reports show that aside from maintaining the current work of the church there has been given in benevolence to outside objects \$14.13.

"Little colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big ones, too, down to the very verge of consumption.

### REV. D. R. SHIER GOES INTO BUSINESS

The following will be of interest to not only Ypsilanti and Manchester citizens where Mr. Shier was formerly stationed as pastor, but also to many in Ann Arbor who knew him:

"Rev. D. R. Shier, former pastor of the Morenci Methodist church, has been spending the past week among his friends here. The occasion of his visit was an important business engagement, the result of which is that he will act as traveling salesman of the gas machines manufactured by Messrs. Clark & Campbell, who constitute the Michigan Brick and Tile Machine Co. of this place. The elder has his "little joke" about the gas business in connection with the ministerial profession. Morenci will be his headquarters, and so we shall often see him. It will be recalled that at the last M. E. conference he assumed the superannuate relation, and for some 80 days thereafter traveled on the lakes as the guest of the captain of the "John J. Hill," a large freighter. He acted as night watchman, even as occasional stoker, and lived a life of general freedom, all for the benefit of his health. He now feels able to engage in business, and the Observer, in wishing him success, predicts that he will be a valuable representative of the company.—Morenci Observer.

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Ald. Koch said he did not agree with Mr. Hatch, as he believed the country trade was worth more to the city than that of the people who would go to the University.

Ald. Schlenker thought they might as well come in on S. Main street to Madison, then west and then north, and join the Hawks & Angus line on Huron street. Then the road would have no railroad crossing.

Ald. Schumacher said the German park was open twice in a season while the athletic grounds were open 75 times.

Ald. Hamilton thought action should be deferred. The gentlemen had told the committee they could not get a foot of iron in nine or ten months, so it would do no harm to wait. Ald. Koch said there were lots of young people in the second ward who wanted to go to the high school and athletic grounds, and they wanted the cars in the second ward.

Ald. Jenney said he was ready to vote for any new road that wanted to come into the city. Ald. Schumacher wanted it to pass the athletic grounds.

On motion of Ald. Clancy the franchise was laid on the table until the next meeting.

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Chelsea Boys Using the Sticks for Fish Poles

### DR. PALMER INJURED

Milford G. Curtis Died Very Suddenly in Chicago Thursday

Chelsea, Jan. 4.—About 15 couples of this village gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Winans, on Middle street west, and gave them a rousing surprise, the occasion being the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage.

Quite a number of the boys who have been fishing during the past week or so have been poisoned by using sumac for sticks to fasten their line to.

The group meeting at Grass Lake, yesterday, was attended by members of the Chelsea Epworth League.

Word was received here yesterday that Milford G. Curtis, a former resident of this place, was found dead in Chicago on the morning of Jan. 2, at the foot of the stairs leading to his room. He leaves two daughters and one son, who reside with their mother in Charlotte. The parents separated some years ago and were divorced.

Dan Walker, of Lima, is visiting the farmers in this vicinity buying up a car load of choice lambs.

John Gates, of this village, just sold to Detroit parties a carload of choice beef cattle that he has been feeding at his farm in Lima.

The waiting room for the D., Y., & J. line is nearly ready for occupancy.

Next Monday will be Epiphany and the pastor, A. Schoen, will hold services in St. Paul's church at 10:30.

As Dr. W. W. Palmer, of this village, was returning home from Lima, where he had been to visit a case, he thought that he would pass by a team of oxen as just ahead of him, but in so doing the cut struck a stone and the doctor was thrown backwards from his cutter striking his head against two gashes in the horse dragging him some distance before it stopped.

After getting up the doctor found him in a faint for one of his business in the profession and called Dr. H. Schmidt, who took several stitches in the patient's scalp and only bandaged his head and sent him about his usual avocations.

Michael Scholinger, of Sylvan, suffering from water trouble at his farm. The water pipes are all open up and the water drivers have spent the day all week trying to have them closed, but so far their attempts have failed.

MANY MILLIONS OF WAGONS

The United States, although regarded as one of the most powerful nations of the world, spent many millions for wagon expense during the past century.

DETROIT, YPSILANTI & ANN ARBOR RY TIME TABLE.

Table with 2 columns: Leave Ypsilanti, Leave Saline. Rows include times from 6:45 a. m. to 10:45 a. m. and 12:45 p. m. to 10:45 p. m.

A special car will be run from Ypsilanti at 12:45 a. m. on the arrival of the Opera car from Detroit, for special parties of ten or more, on short notice and without extra charge.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hoppe, of Fifth street, a 10-pound boy. John Baechle and wife, an indigent couple from Manchester, have entered the county house. Herbert Goulding is having plans made for an \$8,000 house, which he intends to build on Hill street. There will be public installation of the newly elected officers of the Lady Maccabees next Tuesday evening. Mrs. Fred Schmidt, who has been visiting Mrs. Margaret Diehl, has returned to her home in Bridgewater. "The Story of China," by J. Martin Miller, has been presented to the Ladies' Library by Mrs. Prof. Prescott. John Smith, of Kingsley street, had a family reunion last Sunday, all his children and grandchildren being present. The houses of John Burg and Charles McGee have been very handsomely redecorated by C. H. Major & Co. A. C. Schumacher presented each member of the "Skat" club with a present, as a New Year's remembrance. Last Saturday, Dr. O. A. Griffin, assisted by Dr. Holzworth, operated upon R. J. Jackson for empyema of antrum. Curator Sargent is at work on the fourth floor of the museum building some new cases and rearranging the exhibits. Mrs. Edward A. Maas and daughters will leave the 20th inst. for Alhambra, Cal., where they will make their future home. In the chancery case of Elsie E. Richards vs. Thomas Richards, notice has been given to take testimony in open court. A stipulation discontinuing the case of Frank Wood, surviving partner, vs. Arthur J. Kitson, has been filed in the circuit court. "The Crowd" passed a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Wines Friday evening. Light refreshments were served. Miss Grace Nickols entertained a few of her friends at her home on Pontiac street Friday evening. A very enjoyable time is reported by all. W. T. Gordon and family of Washtenaw avenue will move into a portion of the house now occupied by H. L. Perkins on the same street. At the meeting of the Altar society of St. Thomas' church, held Sunday afternoon, four ladies were appointed a committee to visit the sick. Dr. and Mrs. Huber very pleasantly entertained friends Friday evening at their home on E. Ann street. Cards, music and a social good time were indulged in. Mrs. Mary Friederich, of Kingsley street, had the misfortune to fall in the cellar at her home, last Sunday morning, and break her hip bone. Dr. Burr is attending her. Mrs. M. W. Milward entertained a number of her friends at Pedro Friday evening. Refreshments were served and the occasion was a very enjoyable one for all present. Andrew Peterson of the Michigan Milling Co., who has suffered much of his time during the past months by reason of "Job's comforters" is again enjoying good health. Miss Lelia M. Childs, who has been spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Childs, returned to Michigan City Sunday, where she is teaching. The Michigan Rock Salt Co., recently organized, filed amended articles of association with the Wayne county clerk Friday afternoon, increasing the capital stock of the corporation from \$10,000 to \$600,000. The main offices of the company have been removed from Ann Arbor to Escorse, where its mines are located. Work on the plant has been in progress about a month, and is being pushed with all possible speed. It is expected that the plant will give employment to upwards of 500 men. The organizers are: Ernest C. Miller, George A. Cooper, Thomas E. Griffin and William H. Ashwell.

The executive board of the Ladies' Library held their regular monthly meeting Monday. Eight new books were ordered, and they will be received in the course of a few days. The coal bunkers of the University have a capacity of from 800 to 1,000 tons. Although there is some coal on hand the bunkers are far from full. Six teams are employed in hauling coal. M. J. Furnum of 1402 Washtenaw avenue received several premiums at the Ypsilanti poultry show that took place the past week. He received three firsts, one second and one third prize. The Michigan Milling Co. have in the last few days received among their orders one for 2,250 barrels of flour and another for 400 barrels. About 150 to 200 barrels can be loaded into one car. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gibson entertained a number of their friends Friday evening. It was an informal affair and was heartily enjoyed by the guests. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. Mrs. Jerome Parker, of Lima Center, died Sunday morning of pneumonia, aged 74 years. She leaves a husband and one son. The funeral was held on Tuesday at 1 o'clock from the house. The members of the Country club gave a delightful party at the club house Friday evening. Mrs. Tyler furnished the music for the dancing, which was the chief feature. A fine supper was served. The Northside Lyceum held its regular meeting Saturday evening. A very interesting program was given, one of the best numbers being a report of the "Northside Knockers," by the editor, Willis Kent. Over \$10,000 of Hoosier Boy Mining Co.'s stock is held in this city. News has been received that the company's stamp mill started up this week. It is understood the company has sold all its treasury stock necessary. The tiling of the roof of the tower of the transformer station of the D., Y., A. & J. railway on W. Huron street was completed Friday. It looks very ornamental and the building when finished will be very pretty. The three-story Pardon block on S. Fourth avenue and Liberty street has been purchased by George J. Frey, a young man living on West Liberty street. The consideration was \$5,700. Emmett Coon acted as agent. Prof. James H. Brewster of the law department is reported to have narrowly escaped drowning in the Huron river Friday afternoon. While out skating he broke through the ice and got into the water up to his armpits. The remains of Ezra Philip Smith, who died in Ann Arbor town last Thursday, were taken to Brighton township last Sunday. The funeral was held from the Kensington Baptist church and was very largely attended. Supervisor C. H. Cady visited Cadillac last week. He says he saw the finest little city hall in Michigan. It cost \$22,000. Over \$400,000 have been paid out for potatoes this season. Business is booming and every one is in good spirits. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Tweety Kane, of Mt. Pleasant, to John Carroll, of the same place, which will take place the 10th of this month. Miss Kane is well known in Ann Arbor, having relatives and many friends here. Murray & Storm, as attorneys for James Nisbet, have filed a motion for a new trial in the case of the Detroit Brass & Iron Co. vs. Nisbet. The motion is a long one, consisting of 15 typewritten pages. The 9th of January is set for the hearing. Timothy Walton, a former resident of Ann Arbor, died in Cheboygan, January 1, of apoplexy, at the age of 80 years. The remains were brought to this city on the 1:48 train last Saturday and were taken direct to Forest Hill cemetery for interment. At the Unitarian church next Sunday morning, Rev. Dr. Crooker will begin a short course of three sermons on "The Unitarian Church," explaining its present position, purpose and prospect. His topic next Sunday morning will be "The Task of Unitarians Today." The M. G. R. pedro club were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Ernest Hurd Friday afternoon at her home on E. Liberty street. Mrs. Leo Gruner carried off first prize and Mrs. Showerman won the second. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs. S. W. Beakes gave a charming thimble party to about 25 friends on Saturday afternoon, to introduce Miss Steele. The house was prettily decorated in flowers, the diningroom looking particularly pretty, being all in pink and white. Lunch was served by the hostess. John Mead died at his home at 711 N. Main street about 7 o'clock Monday night. He leaves a wife and six children. The remains will be buried in the St. Patrick's cemetery in Northfield. Mr. Mead had been married about 22 years, was 49 years old and at one time a farmer. Henry Smith, an old colored drayman, died after a week's illness, Saturday morning at 2 o'clock, at his residence on Observatory street. He was one of the pioneer draymen of the city. He had a happy disposition that made friends of every one who knew him. He was very reliable and much respected. How old he was is not known, some estimating his age at 90. A widow and two sons survive him. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

An agent of the Alma beet sugar factory is reported to be in the city trying to make contracts with farmers to grow sugar beets. It is said that he proposes to rent land for five dollars an acre, the company to supply the seed and the farmers to be paid for their work and teams in raising the crop. Mr. Benjamin Stoker, an old resident of Homer, N. Y., and his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Bockus, of the same place, started for home Monday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Lambert, of S. Main street, since Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert accompanied them to Detroit, where all will make a short visit with friends. Miss Minnie M. Davis entertained a few of her intimate friends at her home on Division st. Friday evening. She favored her guests with a piano recital, which every one enjoyed and appreciated. Elaborate refreshments were served, and everyone present pronounces it one of the prettiest house parties of the season. The Y. P. S. C. E. of the English Lutheran church has elected the following officers for the next six months: President, Clara Allmendinger; vice president, C. G. Keller; secretary, Mary Fredlund; corresponding secretary, Olive Smith; treasurer, W. M. McNair; organist, Hazel Bailey; chorister, Louise Allmendinger. The postoffice department will make all future appointments to the position of rural mail carrier from the classified list. The examination which applicants for the position of rural mail carrier must take will be simple, and will consist of tests in reading addresses and making out blanks which are used in their business. Miss Gertrude Straw entertained the 20th Century club on Saturday evening at her home on Thompson street. The guests were in masquerade costumes, some of them being very funny indeed. Dancing, cards and a marshmallow roast made the evening a very jolly one. Miss Straw proved herself to be one of the best of hostesses. There will be an installation of officers of the G. A. R. next Tuesday evening, Jan. 14. The members and young people are invited to be present. A good entertainment has been arranged the program consisting of orchestra music, war songs and reminiscence of the war. The entertainment will take place in the G. A. R. hall. When asked in regard to the amount of business he has done in the past year, Oliver Martin replied that his books show that he did a larger business than he has done in several years, it being much larger than heretofore. He had the unusual large number of 174 cases, which averages 14 a month. So far this year he had had 5 cases. In the chancery case of Margaret Kearney et al. vs. Fanny Alexander et al., a stipulation dismissing the cases without prejudice or costs to the parties has been filed. It is signed by A. J. Sawyer & Son, solicitors for Clay W. and Max Alexander, Frank A. Stivers, solicitor for Fanny Alexander, and Cavanagh & Wedemeyer, solicitors for Margaret Kearney. About 20 friends of Joseph Hertchen tendered him a surprise Monday evening, it being the occasion of his birthday. Cards were the chief feature of the evening. The good supper that had been prepared was exceptionally fine, and was thoroughly enjoyed. All present had an enjoyable evening as did the host, who was completely surprised, although agreeably so. County Clerk Philip Blum has his hands full at present in preparing the returns for the supreme court in three law, one criminal and one chancery case. In the law and criminal cases he has to make certified copies of all the papers in the cases. In the chancery case he has to send the original papers to the supreme court, which after the hearing are returned to him. John Mead, of N. Main street, died Monday evening at 7:15 at the age of 48 years. He has been ill for several years. All his family were at his bedside, when death came, with the exception of one daughter, Mrs. Crawford. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Thomas' church. Interment in Northfield. The deceased leaves a widow and six children. The sale of reserved seats for the May Festival will open Saturday morning (Jan. 25), at 9 o'clock. More course tickets have been sold this year than ever before, which indicates that the interest of the general public in the May Festival is increasing. Ann Arbor is one of the few cities in the union that has been able to keep up a May festival for nine successive years. The sad tidings were received late Saturday afternoon that Otto, the oldest son of Otto Behr, of Detroit, had succumbed to an operation for appendicitis. He was a very promising young man and was at the threshold of what appeared to be a bright business career. The many friends in this city of Mr. and Mrs. Behr will deeply sympathize with them in their great bereavement. He was 21 years of age. The 11-year-old boy of James Koskaus, the Greek candy store man, has disappeared. Friday, Dec. 27, just before supper time, Mr. Koskaus scolded the boy for some misdemeanor. The boy did not come to supper and the father has not heard of him since. He is almost distracted and is afraid that perhaps some harm has come to the little fellow. The boy is of small stature, very thickset, weighs 103 pounds and has a dark complexion. The third finger of his right hand is stiff and there is a mark on his right cheek near his eyes. The father would feel greatly relieved if anyone could give him a clue as to his whereabouts.

Clarence J. Sweet, formerly with the Moebis Cigar Co., of Detroit, has accepted a position as agent for the Lion coffee firm of Toledo. He left Sunday for his territory in north-eastern Ohio. During her short stay in Ann Arbor, Mrs. Sweet has made many friends who will be sorry to have her leave. The best wishes of their many friends go with them. Mr. and Mrs. Sweet will make their home in Youngstown, Ohio. August and William Rohde returned Friday from Marion on the Ann Arbor road, where they purchased seven forty (280 acres) of woodland two miles from the station. The land is covered with beech and maple and they expect will cut 15,000 cords of stove wood. After the land is denuded of the timber it will be good farming land. Before leaving after their purchase they started men at work cutting. Coal is becoming a decidedly rare article along the Ann Arbor road, and the stuff is being used with the greatest care. Coal operators cannot get cars to deliver the coal they have received orders for, and rather than wait and go up against an actual coal famine along the line, the Ann Arbor company is drawing coal from Columbus, O., in its own cars, using its own trainmen. This plan will be carried out until a good supply is on hand. A very pretty and enjoyable party was that given by the Elks at their hall Monday evening, in compliment to those who participated in the Elks' minstrels, which was recently given here. The hall was effectively decorated with the stars and stripes, and deer's heads in electric lights. About 60 couples were present, all of whom enjoyed a program of 20 numbers, for which the Chequamegon orchestra furnished excellent music. Punca and wafers were served. Seneca Litchard may always be weak-minded. Mentally he shows little improvement. He talks and jabbars away and says nothing sensible. He has never been able to give a connected story of his accident. It bias fair to always remain a mystery. Litchard has been removed from the surgical to the medical ward. He will not have such an opportunity there to bother the patients. The man is kept strapped to his bed to prevent his walking around, as he would not know what he was doing. The "Dutch supper" given in honor of three Kentucky ladies by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Matzek Saturday evening was a decided success. There was nothing missing in the affair. A few German songs were rendered. Among those who attended were Misses Louisa Bennick, Louise Krekow, Anna Krekow, of Louisville, Ky., Mamie Frank and Otilie Lutz, and Messrs. Karl Zieffe, William Murray, Mat. Fischer, Oscar Kirschgessner, of Manchester, and Martin Zwiefuss, of Detroit. A. E. Jennings of the Hawks-Angus interests, says the Jackson Press, believes the crossing matter at Ann Arbor can be arranged soon so that the large suburban cars of the Hawks-Angus line can be run into Jackson when the road is opened, in a few weeks, between Ann Arbor and Jackson. He is anxious to see nothing but the large cars of his road run into Jackson. If the crossing at Ann Arbor is not provided for, some of the small Hawks-Angus cars may be run here for a short time. The Lincoln club of Jackson is arranging for a big gathering on the evening of Feb. 12, and all the candidates for the republican nomination for congress in the second district have been invited to be present. Two of these, Hon. Henry C. Smith and W. W. Wedemeyer, have already signified their acceptance of the invitation, and Charles E. Townsend, Jackson's candidate, who is a member of the club, will surely be present. Mr. Smith has selected as his subject, "Our President," and Mr. Wedemeyer will speak on "Our Martyred President." Impossible to foresee an accident. Not impossible to be prepared for it. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Monarch over pain. Get your Wines and Liquors for family of John C. Burns, Arlington Place. Kentucky Whiskey, 50c to \$1.00 per quart. All California Wines and Cigars.

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## SUPPOSE YOU SEND 19 CLAIMS

Are You Stuck for the Fee of  
Twenty-Five Dollars?

### NEW COLLECTION PLAN

Which Business Men Better  
Investigate Before They  
Sign the Contract

Business men of Ann Arbor may look well into a concern represented by a woman who is a brilliant talker and who claims to collect "uncollectable accounts" such as where parties have gone into "bankruptcy, outlawed claims, etc." Most every business man has such claims and upon the face of it the feature looks perfectly innocent. You are asked to become a member, no fee is asked, on the contrary in large type is written "the member has nothing to pay unless he receives collections or makes settlements with debtors whose names he reports to the Union's office." You will naturally ask, "Where then is the harm? If I give them a lot of worthless accounts and they cannot be collected, am I out anything?"

The harm is in the few innocent lines in small print which follow the foregoing stipulation. You pledge yourself to pay the "first \$25, or any part of it which you collect, or for which you accept settlement from said 20 debtors." You are to hand in 20 claims within ten days and the first \$25, or any part of the \$25, goes to the concern you contract with. Now let us suppose you send twenty claims nearly all of which are outlawed and good for nothing. Let us further suppose that there are two or three out of the twenty claims from which something may be collected. This concern will get \$25 cash and you will get nothing, unless more than this is collected. At all events every dollar up to \$25 goes to that concern. Under their arrangement you must do all the work and pay all the postage for letters, etc. You see they have a perfect snap. They are under no outlay or work and when you collect \$25 you must send it to them.

There is another thing in the contract that is mysterious. The woman that goes around has given the impression that you need not send twenty claims unless you wish. She has said that about three-fourths of the claims can be collected. In the first place the contract expressly stipulates that any statements made by the agent shall have no effect unless a written consent to such statement and agreement, if any, be in writing and signed by the "secretary." Hence anything which she says is no defense to you, unless the contracts uphold it. Now the contract says that unless you send the concern twenty memoranda of claims forwarded to your debtors, within ten days, "then the full membership fee of \$25 shall be due and payable." So that if you should send them nineteen memoranda of claims, and not a dollar is collected, you are in for \$25. At least it would seem so to one who has studied the contract and if this is the right view the plan is a catch. After all it is wisest for men to entrust all such matters to those in their midst, whom they know and whom they can trust, rather than go after every novel scheme for the only reason that it is novel and represented by strangers.

## S. S. OFFICERS OF TRINITY LUTHERAN

Trinity Lutheran Sunday school elected the following officers for the present year:

Superintendent—H. W. Schwab.  
Assistant Superintendent—A. A. Stuhlman.  
Secretary—Hazel Bailey.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Stipley.  
Librarian—William Kreugar.  
Organist—Hazel Bailey.  
Assistant organist—Sadie Hammel.  
Primary superintendent—Clara Allmendinger.  
Assistant superintendent—Flora Christensen.  
Superintendent home department—Albert Stuhlman.  
The Sunday school starts into the new year with rich promise of growth and successful work for the church.

## WOMEN WANT TO SEE FARRINGTON

Adrian Telegram: All day today the jail office was besieged by visitors to get a peep at Farrington. Sheriff Shepherd states that at least 600 people have been at the jail office since the shooting, wanting to get a view of the prisoner. Many of them are women, who come in "to look through the jail." They never have seen it before and this has been an incentive to look in. They all wanted to know which was Farrington and then went away satisfied.

This afternoon Frank Sayles, the father of Mrs. Farrington, came here and had a whispered conversation with Farrington in the jail office. It was apparently concerning the financial portion of the difficulty.

## STARTED DIVORCE LAST SUMMER

BUT FARRINGTON WANTED IT  
DISCONTINUED

Attorney Seth C. Randall Warned the  
Milan Butcher Against This  
Determination

Attorney Seth C. Randall, of this city, was retained by Bert Farrington, the Milan butcher who shot James Hooker, as long ago as last summer to commence divorce proceedings against Mrs. Farrington.  
"I had everything ready," said Mr. Randall, "to prove Mrs. Farrington's relations with Hooker when Bert came to me one day and wanted the case discontinued. He said that he thought he could get his wife back to live with him as a wife should. I told him that I would do as he wished, but warned him that he would find only trouble ahead of him. I told him that he was a young man of good habits and could start again and live a happy life with some deserving woman, but that he would never look upon his present wife in the same light as before. He seemed to think he could reclaim her, and the divorce case was dismissed."

## IT NOW HAS 341 MEMBERS

In Northwestern Washtenaw  
Farmers Insurance Co.

## HIRAM PIERCE VERY SICK

Rev. F. A. Stiles will be Given  
a Donation Party by  
the Baptists

Chelsea, Mich., Jan. 9.—Hiram Pierce, a pioneer farmer of Sylvan, whose farm is situated on the territorial road adjoining the south village limits, lies in a critical condition at his home.

The members of the First Baptist church of this place will hold a donation at the church parlors for the benefit of their pastor, Rev. F. A. Stiles, next Tuesday evening.

The Misses Nettie and Grace Crittenden spent last week visiting relatives in Jackson and Napoleon.  
Miss Emma Cross is home after a long stay with her sister at Cherry Hill.  
The New Year's dinner given by the L. H. H. at Rawsonville was well attended and scored a success socially and financially.

Daniel Rounds, an old resident in the Model district, died Thursday morning, January 2, after a short illness. The funeral was held Sunday at 11 a. m. at his late residence, Rev. T. Stanley Shaw officiating, and the Masonic order taking charge of the burial at the cemetery. Mr. Rounds was a very honest, upright man and was highly respected. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. Chas. Munroe.  
Mr. Rawson is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. Zibell in the Elwell district.  
The Masonic lodge at Belleville gave a very pleasant surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Eaton Saturday evening, the crowd bringing the oysters for the newly made Benedict.

H. M. Eaton is now seen, like his fellow Benedict, going to town after house supplies. He seems to fall into the rank and file with easy grace and considers it a huge joke when he had to go to town soon after the wedding day for—notably a wash boiler and a mop.

## DIRECTORS FOR THE CRESCENT MINE

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Crescent Gold Mining Co. Tuesday night 550,000 shares were represented. The directors for the ensuing year are L. C. Weimann, Fred Barker, A. R. Peterson, Wm. A. Gwinner, Wm. G. Henne, George J. Mann and John Christensen, resident director. Everything is harmonious and work at the mine is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

## NEW DRUG FIRM IN SALINE VILLAGE

Saline, Mich., Jan. 7.—The week of prayer is being observed here, the meetings being held alternately in the various churches.

A large party of Saline ladies went to Detroit Monday sight-seeing.

Earl, the 10 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rogers, died Sunday at 11 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will be held Wednesday evening after prayer meeting.

Frank Tower shipped a fine lot of apples Monday to Detroit.  
Julius Lindenschmidt and Ralph Walker are the new drug firm.

Miss Rhona Schaffer is attending the business college at Ypsilanti.

Ed. Barnard has accepted a place on the Lake Shore, as fireman on an engine in the Toledo yards.

Dr. C. A. Vincent will deliver his lecture "The Man Behind the Gun," on Tuesday, Jan. 21, under the auspices of the Saline High school.

## ANN ARBOR DRIVING CLUB

Suspended by the National  
Association

## ON GOLDBERG'S PROTEST

Because the Club Would Not  
Pay Him the Purse on  
a Fake Race

There is a heap of trouble among the horse racers of Ann Arbor.

Not only has the National Racing association suspended the members of the Ann Arbor Driving club and its officers, but the track at the fair grounds is placed on the black list.

This means that no member of the club can race his horse in an event on any track in the country which is governed by the national rules. It also means that any horse driven on the Driving club's track under national rules will be suspended. And this judgment will be in force until the suspension is removed.

The trouble came about in this way. Last fall the Ann Arbor Driving club gave a race meeting. Among the events was a free-for-all in which three horses were started and any one of these racers could hit the track close to 2:10. "Satin Slippers," which won the race has a record of 2:09, yet the horses jogged around in the slow time of 2:27. It showed so plainly that the race had been fixed up in the stables and that it was a fake that the Driving club refused to pay the purse.

Mr. Goldberg, the owner of Satin Slippers, protested the club to the National association with the result above stated. The only way the Driving club can be reinstated is by paying the purse.

A LADY  
came into our store and said: "I am going to take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for my cold. It kept us free all last winter from every kind of cold. It is a great remedy and a perfect laxative." Sold by H. J. Brown.

## STAGES OF KIDNEY DISEASES.

FIRST STAGES.  
Irritation, lassitude, chills, deposits in urine on standing, scalding, backache, or pain in loins, fickle appetite, indigestion.

SECOND STAGE.  
Inflammation, muscular pains, red or white brick dust deposit, albumen, loss of flesh, pallor, erratic condition of bowels, hot and dry skin, flatulence, dyspepsia, frequent unnatural desire to void urine, especially during the night, headaches and insomnia.

THIRD STAGE.  
Acute Bright's disease, chills, fevers, vomiting, headache, thirst, shortness of breath, tenderness over the kidneys, a scanty dark-colored urine, very albuminous, which scalds in passing, swelling of eyelids or ankles, retching. The system is rapidly enervated, and other diseases often supervene; pneumonia, bronchitis, heart disease, pleurisy or uric acid poisoning.

FOURTH STAGE.  
Chronic Bright's disease, pronounced dropsical swelling, albumen and casts in urine, extreme pallor, feeling of suffocation, loss of appetite, wakefulness, failure of perspiration, attacks of midnight chills and fever, nervousness, progressive debility and accumulative convulsions.

Lansfield's Liver, Stomach, Blood and Kidney Cure cures all stages. But the first stages are the easiest cured. Do not delay treatment, but write H. R. Lansfield Medical Co., 128 Lafayette avenue, Detroit, or see H. R. Lansfield at the Sanitarium, Ypsilanti, the third Monday of every month. Lansfield's medicines are safe and unfailing remedies and recommended by thousands of previous sufferers of Washtenaw county, now enjoying good health.

## LIVE POULTRY WANTED

I will pay the Highest Market Price for all kinds of fat poultry.  
G. W. JOHNSON,  
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## THIRD WEEK OF OUR GREAT

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NOT A GARMENT EXCEPTED DURING THIS SALE

In which this season's finest productions from the best manufactures in this country goes to the slaughter.

THREE PRICES \$4.95, 6.95, 9.95

COVER OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES' COATS



\$20 and \$18 Raglans and Three-Quarters Coats, marked for choice..... \$9.95

\$16.50, \$15.00 and \$12.50 English Box Coats, 27-inches long, at \$6.95

\$10, \$8.50, \$7.50 English Box Coats all marked one price..... \$4.95

Ladies Short Coats, finest materials have sold for \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 to close at..... \$2.95

## Ladies' Finest Tailored Suits

Divided into 3 Great Lots

\$25, \$22 and \$18 Ladies' Tailored Suits, marked to close at..... \$13.95

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