

HEAVY STORM DID MUCH DAMAGE

Ann Arbor Loses \$5,000 on Streets and Culverts

STORM KING RAMPANT

Cellars of Houses Filled with Water—Trains Delayed for Hours

The heavy storm of Wednesday night did nearly \$10,000 worth of damage in Ann Arbor, and the city itself is a heavy loser. The Huron river, which for some days has been higher than known in many years, was on a rampage. Allen's creek burst all bounds and there were lakes of water everywhere, while Traver's creek did a vast amount of damage.

The bridge over Traver's creek on Broadway was completely washed out and the road for twenty feet is gone. This will be a very heavy expense to the city to replace. The residence of Mrs. Shadford, at this point, was flooded, the cellar filled and exit from the house was obtained only by wading.

Allen's creek washed out the culvert at the foot of William street, taking the Ann Arbor tracks away at this point for a number of feet; it tore out the bank at the foot of Liberty street; at Felch street the tracks were carried away for a long distance. At this point there was a big hole made 100 feet long and 10 feet deep. The culvert here is gone. The houses of George Sweet and "Doc" Collins were flooded both being surrounded with water.

At Miller avenue both ends of the culvert were washed out. George Coburn's house was flooded here and his chicken coop washed away. He lost 30 chickens, Officer O'Mara rescuing four. Mr. Coburn, while leaning over to rescue some of the wreckage, lost a book out of his pocket containing a \$5 bill, which rapidly sped from view. Officer Kelsey lost a shoe in rescuing wreckage here. Richards' coal office was flooded and the banks of the race of the Argo Mills were torn out.

A lake of water extended from Sauer's mill, on Main street, to Weinberg's park on Fifth avenue. Ferry field was another lake and South State street was badly washed. South Main street, in front of the Birk place, was washed out.

Property all over the city, but especially that in the west and south ends was damaged by water.

The foundation of the house at 316 Second street, which is occupied by Delbert Mallory, was washed away from the rear end. The house stands near a small creek which during the recent rains has overflowed its banks. During the storm last night the water overflowed the yard and rose so high that it completely filled the basement of the house which is occupied by the family as dining room and kitchen. About one o'clock the force of the water broke through the wall and carried away both the wall and all of the lighter pieces of furniture. The family became so alarmed that they moved out and spent the remainder of the night with neighbors.

F. Bernhardt's back yard, on South Fourth avenue, is a small lake and floating on the surface are sixteen drowned chickens.

Weinberg's garden, at the foot of Fourth avenue, is completely under water and all of the neighbors in that vicinity are confined to the house by the high water, unless they are fortunate enough to have a boat at hand.

The Huron river swelled so that the adjoining pasture on the south side was entirely covered with water.

The track of the Ann Arbor railroad leading to Dean & Co.'s warehouses settled, letting down several loaded cars.

Two of the electric cars on West Huron street were off the track during the night.

The wrecking crew on the Ann Arbor was sent for and arrived at about 3:45 this morning and went to work immediately to put their tracks in shape so that it was possible for trains to pass. The train from the north passed through this afternoon an hour and a half late.

When the east and west bound trains on the Michigan Central arrived last night at 10 o'clock the station was flooded to the entrance and it was with great difficulty that the passengers left the depot. Owing to the two washouts between here and Jackson, the trains were all late this morning. Two east bound trains were obliged to make the run over the Lake Shore road by way of Hillsdale.

People out at midnight had great difficulty in passing to and from the second ward and tried many street crossings before getting over.

Street Commissioner Ross and Alderman Schumacher were out all night trying to do what they could to save property and putting out danger signals.

Olivia avenue was badly washed out over its whole extent.

The road at the corner of Seventh and Madison streets was very badly washed out.

A number of people came in to see Gentry's circus. The circus got stalled at Chelsea. It was there yet at 11:30 this forenoon. No trains had come in from the west at 3 o'clock this afternoon and there had been no western mails in. It was expected, however, that the east bound trains on the Michigan Central would be through shortly after 4 this afternoon.

The cars on the D., Y., A. A. & J. were unable to get past Grass Lake and cars have been run to Chelsea and back to Ann Arbor. The theatre car from Detroit last night was held up until 4 o'clock this morning. A number of Ann Arborites were on board.

People were much surprised not to hear of great damage by lightning this morning. The reports were like artillery discharges and the rain came down in torrents.

All over the country the low lands were flooded. Much corn is under water and whether the land is high or low, all depressions in it became lakes. The damage to the crops was considerable.

ABLEST JURIST IN MICHIGAN

Kinne Should Have Supreme Court Judgeship

THOUSANDS OF VOTES

He Would Run Ahead of His Ticket if Republicans Take Hold of His Candidacy

The opportunity of the republicans of Washtenaw to place Judge Edward D. Kinne upon the supreme bench of Michigan is at hand and they should at once set in motion the steps necessary to do it. The following Lansing dispatch indicates that the whole matter of the supreme court judgeship is to be left to a state convention:

Lansing, Mich., July 1.—Just before leaving for Saginaw yesterday noon Governor Bliss said:

"I have decided to take no steps at present with regard to the appointment of a successor to the late Justice Long, preferring to leave the naming of his successor to the state convention."

While the governor declined to discuss the question further, it is known that the consensus of legal opinion is that it will be necessary to call a state convention to nominate a candidate for supreme justice, as a selection by the state committee would not be legal. It is expected, however, that this matter will be formally passed upon by Attorney-General Oren.

The supreme court, so far as a hearing cases is concerned, adjourned until the October term. A new justice would, therefore, have practically nothing to do until the middle of October at the earliest, because he could take no part in the determination of cases now before the court, not having participated in the hearing of such cases.

Judge Kinne is the peer of any member of the present supreme court. He is one of the ablest jurists in Michigan. He possesses the personal popularity which is needed by republican nominees this year. His ability is recognized over the state.

If the republicans of Washtenaw would take hold of his candidacy and push it properly Judge Kinne can be nominated at the republican state convention soon to be called. If so nominated, he would be appointed to fill the vacancy until the justice elected in November qualifies on January 1. That he would run thousands of votes ahead of his ticket in this section is beyond questioning.

If the republicans of Washtenaw want a place on the state ticket they can have it.

JUBILEE FOR TEACHER AS WELL AS PASTOR

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. John Neumann, mention of the celebration of which next Sunday is made elsewhere, is remarkable also for being the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. F. Fischer, the teacher of the Bethlehem Parochial school.

Both arrived here July 4, some 25 years ago. It is indeed remarkable that both pastor and teacher should remain here 25 years in the utmost harmony. The jubilee Sunday will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Gehrke, of Detroit, in the morning and by Rev. Paul Irion and other neighboring clergymen in the evening. The choir on this occasion is to consist of all obtainable members of the chorus who have been under Mr. Fischer's direction for the past 25 years.

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TRAINS THROUGH ANN ARBOR WILL RUN TO PITTSBURG

The Ann Arbor to Become a Part of the Wabash Railroad System

The Ann Arbor and Wheeling & Lake Erie to be Closely Joined—Through Trains Detroit to Toledo Via. Milan

Within the year the Ann Arbor railroad is to be made a part of the Wabash system.

As has been previously noted, the Wabash has secured possession of the road by the purchase of a majority of the stock. This does not mean that the road is to be used simply as a feeder to the Wabash line. It is to become part of the system and be operated as such.

For example, the Wabash will put on trains from Detroit to Toledo, running from Detroit to Milan by the present Wabash line and from Milan to Toledo by way of the present Ann Arbor line. This route, which may at first blush seem a roundabout one, is only seven miles longer than the Michigan Central route from Detroit to Toledo.

This will give Ann Arbor shippers two freight lines from here to Chicago and from here to Detroit and the east.

The Wabash has also acquired the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad which runs from Toledo to Wheeling, West Virginia, a distance of 223 miles, and

from there to Steubenville, a distance of 24 miles. This is not far from Pittsburgh, Pa., and the line will be extended to that city. All that has hitherto prevented this is the \$10,000,000 necessary to build the big bridge required over the Ohio and the Monongahela, and the heavy expense of entering Pittsburgh on elevated tracks.

This is gone into more particularly because it is believed that the Ann Arbor road and the Wheeling & Lake Erie will constitute practically one line, running trains from the lumber regions at one end and the coal regions at the other.

Thus, instead of Toledo being the terminus of the trains running through Ann Arbor, the eastern terminus will be Pittsburgh, Pa.

By the Wabash also Buffalo on the east can be reached and Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Des Moines on the west.

From the standpoint of the manufacturer the making of the Ann Arbor a part of the Wabash system will be of great advantage to Ann Arbor.

a very happy married life. The large number of valuable gifts which were received by the bride and groom attested to the popularity of both the bride and groom.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will be at home at 912 N. Main street.

LUTZ HAS DISAPPEARED

Brewery Agent Heard From in Chicago

WRITES HIS WIFE

Sends Her \$5.00 and Tells Her He will Not Return—Brewery is Notified

Gotthilf Lutz, agent of the Schlitz Brewing company, of Milwaukee, is alleged to have left the city permanently under peculiar circumstances.

Wednesday Mrs. Lutz received a letter from her husband enclosing \$5. The letter informed Mrs. Lutz that her husband would not return to the city. The letter was written from Chicago.

Before leaving the city Lutz had talked to several saloonkeepers, who were his customers. He was somewhat worried over believing that he would have to pay the state license law of \$300, whereas in reality the brewery company of which he was agent would have been the people called upon to pay the tax.

Lutz was best known by the nickname of "Schlitz." He had quite a number of customers here, one of his best being Joe Parker who almost exclusively handles the Schlitz brand of beer. Lutz was a considerable spender and it has often been wondered how he could be so lavish in his expenditures considering the income he was deriving from his business.

It is said that he did not get a salary from the Schlitz company, the agreement being that he must sell 400 barrels of beer a month before he would get a regular stipend. He was not able, it appears, to do that amount of business, and because of this it is said that he was greatly downcast.

His wife is quite prostrated over his disappearance. The Schlitz firm have been notified of his disappearance.

THE WEDDING OF MISS AILES

Miss Annette L. Ailes and Andrew R. Peterson were quietly married at the home of the bride, 319 S. Fifth avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The only guests at the wedding were the bride's sister, Mrs. Wm. Mahon and two sons, Ross and Will, and Andrew Madison, nephew of the groom.

The Episcopal marriage service was used by Rev. E. S. Ninde. The bride and groom stood before the southern bay window which was massed with potted plants and lovely blossoms, as the words were said which made them man and wife. After the ceremony light refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson left on the 4:58 train on the M. C. R. R. for a trip east.

Miss Ailes has for several years been the principal of the Ellisha Jones school, and has lived in this city for a long time. Mr. Peterson was a member of the firm of Swathel, Kyer & Peterson, and is at present a director of the Michigan Milling Co. He is a man of sterling qualities and has a large number of friends who wish him

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THIS SHOULD ELIMINATE STEARNS.

If reports are to be relied upon, Justus S. Stearns, in a Grand Rapids interview, said in substance what he refused to do and say at the Detroit convention immediately after he had been defeated for the gubernatorial nomination.

"Gov. Bliss has been renominated by the republicans of Michigan and it is our duty to elect him with the regular majority or a larger one if we can. Gov. Bliss is our candidate and we must stand by him loyally."

If Bliss was not a fit man to be governor of Michigan before last week's convention, what has since made him fit? If the serious charges made against Bliss by Stearns were true, or Mr. Stearns believed them true, what evidence has come to hand now which causes him to abandon those charges and advise all republicans as a matter of duty to support him?

It will be remembered that Mr. Stearns said before he became a candidate for governor this year, that he would never conduct such a campaign as was made two years ago, and if he ever became a candidate again it would be because the people wanted him, that is to say, he would never again be concerned in such a campaign of corruption as that of two years ago.

The erstwhile republican candidate for governor, Justus S. Stearns, is entitled to the respect of the people in one matter at least. After his rival had been named for governor an effort was made to drag Mr. Stearns before the convention for the purpose of getting him to announce his acceptance of the ticket.

THE MACHINE TRIUMPHS.

Once more has a mighty bad party precedent prevailed in Michigan at the expense of good government and the best interests of the people. As was expected, Governor Bliss was renominated at yesterday's republican state convention, not because he has manifested during the past two years any fitness or adaptability for the duties of the position he holds, but simply because the machine wanted him for another term and party precedent entitles him to a renomination.

Justice Charles D. Long, of the Michigan supreme court, whose death occurred last week, cannot be numbered, probably, among the greatest jurists of the state supreme court, yet he was a man of sterling worth and great power for work. When he was first nominated for the high judicial dignity which he held for fifteen years, he was named, probably, more on account of his record as a soldier than any pre-eminence as an attorney.

REPUBLICANS STAND BY THE TRUSTS.

The friendliness of the republican majority in congress for the trusts was never more clearly shown than in the action taken relative to the house bill granting a twenty per cent reduction on Cuban sugar. The great majority of the republicans were willing to give Cuba a paltry twenty per cent reduction on sugar, provided the differential, which is the protection given the sugar refiners, or the sugar trust, receives, is let alone.

At this distance it looks as though the action of the democratic state convention of Nebraska amounts to a practical turn down of Bryan. The democratic convention was given every opportunity to nominate Bryan for governor, but it did not take the hint. Then the populists named him, but even then the democrats did not show any sign of getting in the bandwagon.

THE PRESS AGREES.

Editor Helber has it hard, so far as politics are concerned. Mr. Townsend dropped him a line and suggested that he was not Congressman Smith, but that he was a neophyte from Jackson, a lover of good things, fair play and he hoped that the action of Smith and Roosevelt had not caused Helber to lose faith in Townsend and he hoped he could have the benefit of his personal and paper support.

him none. That he felt that the disgrace of the state administration was so pronounced, that he would not support Bliss, either. That's one vote the Judson combination drives off. Helber concludes his reply by saying that "it is a shame and a humiliation to be a republican at present in Washtenaw county." He need not limit the time to the present, nor the location to Washtenaw. He should have cut out all after the word republican. Still, we fear there is much of shame and humiliation over there in Washtenaw.—Adrian Press.

The third Michigan congressman marked for slaughter because he had had the courage to show some little independence of thought and action while on duty at Washington, has gone down to defeat for renomination, but he was strong enough to pull the machine candidate down himself when he went. Edgar Weeks, as was well understood, was not to have another nomination any more than was H. C. Smith and "Tip" Aplin, but one Williams, of Lapeer, was to receive the mantle in his stead.

Some months ago the house of representatives made unseemly haste to pass the Nicaragua canal bill without any proper consideration. It was supposed at the time that this was simply a bluff to gain a little cheap notoriety with the expectation that the senate would do the real legislating on this important subject. This the senate has done, and the house has fallen in line as was supposed it would do. Thus, not only is the house bill turned down entirely, but the Panama route is selected in place of the Nicaragua route.

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SURPRISED MISS KRAUSE

A party of young people, consisting of Misses Stanger, Krumm, Kuebler, Neumann, Schable, Clara and Olga Bissinger, and Messrs. Kroll, Emerson, Goetz, Fischer, Stierle, Wiedeman and Zieffe, gave a tin shower to Miss Flora Krause Friday evening. The affair was a complete surprise to Miss Krause, and she found herself quite deluged with good wishes and kitchen utensils, as her friends came in upon her so unexpectedly.

Admiral Dewey in his testimony before the senate Philippine investigation committee has exploded once for all the notion that has disturbed many honest people, that he, the admiral, made an ally of Aguinaldo and that the American government broke faith with him. The admiral's evidence absolutely puts to rest the issue. Dewey says he neither recognized him as an ally or made any promises to him.

"WAS A PEACH" SAYS GILLEN

He Referred to Convention of Yesterday JUDSON IS HOME But will Only Say That He is Delighted That His Man Bliss Got There

"It was a peach." That's how Sheriff John Gillen expresses himself on the republican state convention at Detroit last week. "Yesterday's affair at Detroit," went on the sheriff, laughingly, "is on a par with the recent district convention at Adrian. Both of them have suited me immensely and I think the same can be truly said of the majority of the Washtenaw democracy. It certain ought to be smooth sailing for the democrats now if they get the right men on their ticket."

Similar expressions of opinion were heard all over town today, a number of republicans joining with their democratic neighbors in expressing their disgust at the exhibition of boss rule that was seen yesterday in Detroit. One prominent republican business man who asked that his name be not used, said: "Yesterday's convention did the party a lot of harm in this county and I feel sure all over the state. But I don't know that I am so sorry after all. The party has been full of corruption in this state for some time, and I don't know that I would regret it if they were turned out of power this fall."

"And, by the way," he continued, "I noticed that Mayor Copeland was one of the most conspicuous persons in the convention hall. He had a box seat, and seemed to be intensely interested in the addresses of the speakers." "Billy" Judson was one of the last of the Ann Arbor contingent to return home. After the convention he had a love feast at the Russell house in Detroit with Governor Bliss. He had nothing to say, however, today except that the result greatly pleased him, which of course is not a surprise to those who know that Bliss is Judson's man for the gubernatorial office.

A number of the Washtenaw delegates are said to have remained in bed much later today than usual. This is accounted for through the fact that when they left for Detroit they each wore a "J" collar. When they returned the collars were useless, their reddish tint having become so strongly developed that it is said they were not disposed to appear on the streets with them.

Mr. Judson, the patentee of the "J" brand of neckwear was notified of the condition of affairs and is reported to have advised the delegates that now that the convention was over they might discard the variety of neckwear, at least until such time as he should notify them that they were again to publicly affect the Judson brand of manufacture.

Far from being "insulted" when the jolly parish priest is questioned concerning this singular usage, so gruesome to a Yankee traveler, he seems proud to be noticed and thinks his lazzaroni have found out the thirftiest dodge in the world just as they are getting out of it. If this is timely you may use it, with no name, however. A postscript to the above letter says that the writer is a Catholic and makes a rather indefinite reference to "the quarrelsome priest." It might be said that Father Kelly spoke of a coffin that he had bought and not rented. The above communication, it will be noticed, refers altogether to rented coffins.

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COFFINS AND GRAVE CLOTHES

An Answer to Father Kelly's Recent Criticism A CORRESPONDENT Tells of the Renting of Coffins and the Way Funerals Are Conducted in Naples

The following letter has been sent to the Argus for publication by a correspondent who requests that his identity be not known. It is evidently a reply to the recent criticism of Rev. Father Kelly on a coffin which he purchased from the county authorities, for a man who died at the county house, but which is said to have been badly damaged when it reached St. Thomas church:

One half of the world does not know how the other half lives. This is such a hackneyed saying that one scarcely realizes how very true it is. As for that matter, one half of the world does not know how the other half dies and is buried. If they had known a little more about it, there need not have been manifested a few days ago so much thin-skinnedness about rented coffins. But ignorance is a curse. And partial ignorance often leads to a heap of quarreling even if there is no bloodshed.

No one can have passed a few days in Naples sauntering around in and out of the churches there, without having learned how the poor bury themselves. And when I say "poor" I mean such miserable, abject poor as we can have no idea of in any part of this country.

In each parish there is a fraternity of these poor men who never expect to own a whole coffin to themselves when they die. They know they will never possess even the grave clothes in which they are covered. Membership in this society and the payment of an occasional obol, entitles each one to the use of both coffin and winding sheet—not by any means a regular shroud. And as soon as the paltry funeral is over, the dead man is disrobed and turned out naked into the earth. The coffin is kept for the next member.

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The probate court in the case of Ellen M. Flowers, of Ypsilanti, who contested the administration of her father's estate, the late Joseph Follmore, and asked for \$1,065 for alleged services rendered him during his lifetime, has given her \$75. Attorney Martin J. Cavanaugh, who represented Morton F. Case, the administrator, and the other heirs, said today: "I expected from the beginning that Mrs. Flowers would not get the amount she claimed. It seemed absurd on the face of it. She's lucky that she got \$75."



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ON THE LAST SAD JOURNEY

Dr. Loomis Taken to His Final Rest

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

Performed the Last Sorrowful Rites at the Grave of Their Departed Brother

The funeral of the late Dr. William S. Loomis, who died in the Philippines last April, was held from St. Andrew's church Sunday afternoon. The body was laid to rest in Forest Hill cemetery.

The remains of the young physician reached here on Saturday evening from Chicago, having come a distance of almost 10,000 miles. They were met at the Michigan Undertaking by a representative of the local firm of O. M. Martin, a party of Knights Templar and a few sorrowing relatives and friends. The casket which contained the body was unusually heavy. This was accounted for by the fact that there was an inner coffin lined with zinc. Both receptacles were of American make, the outer coffin being covered with black cloth, with heavy oxidized silver handles. On the name plate was engraved: "Dr. Wm. S. Loomis, Born 1865, died 1902, Manila, P. I."

As soon as the casket was taken from the train it was carried by the funeral director's assistants to a mortuary vehicle in waiting and conveyed to the O. M. Martin undertaking parlors on Fourth avenue. Here the lid of the casket was removed. A thick film of what looked like mist covered the glass underneath, completely effacing the body from view. After this film was wiped away, the first view of the young physician was had in Ann Arbor since he left here in January, 1901.

Beyond the fact that the body was quite emaciated, it otherwise was in a wonderful state of preservation, showing that the embalmers in the far away islands, where Dr. Loomis breathed his last, had done their work well. There was a somewhat pained expression on the face, but beyond this the features bore quite a natural expression. The body was dressed in a plain black suit, a white shirt and black bow tie. He wore the apron, the emblem of Master Masonry.

Around the inside of the outer casket was a deep band of heavy silk. Stamped upon it in gold were "Al. Doctor William S. Loomis" and "La Colonia China, P. I." This band, from its arrangement, evidently was meant to have hung outside of the casket, and thus it was shown on the way to the church and cemetery. In the casket were two cards, one attached to a small bunch of Philippine blossoms, which had withered away. This card told who the flowers had been sent by. It read: "With deep sorrow. Employees of the Hospital." The other card was an ordinary physician's visiting card. On it was printed, "Dr. S. Vinicio del Rosario, Mesik-Soler, 207 Telepono."

Yesterday the body lay in the undertaking parlors until the time came for the funeral to take place. Many friends of the late physician looked upon his still face during the day, and a number brought tributes of their respect in the form of floral offerings. The cards on some of the pieces read: "Dear Will, from Uncle Alfred and Lucy, Detroit, June 1902." "No. 13, A. A. Commandery, Knights Templar." This piece was in the form of a beautiful cross of white roses. "M. W. A." This card accompanied a wreath and was from the Modern Woodmen of America. "With sympathy of Charles E. and Mrs. Hiseock, a lovely bunch of pink roses." "Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Loomis," this card attached to a handsome spray of pink carnations, and "With sympathy of Mrs. Swift and family and Mr. and Mrs. Showerman," this planned to a magnificent bunch of pink and white carnations.

Shortly after 2:30 o'clock the mournful procession took up its march to the cemetery. Preceding the hearse were the Knights Templar in full regalia, following the hearse the active pall bearers, then the immediate relatives and friends.

On reaching the church the active pall bearers, Dr. A. C. Nichols, B. F. Watts, L. C. Goodrich, Chas. E. Hiseock, William Guerin and James R. Bach, lifted the casket from the hearse. At the door of the church it was met by the Rev. Mr. Gardam, rector of St. Luke's church, Ypsilanti. "I am the resurrection and the life," he began from the beautiful and solemn Episcopal service for the dead, and the procession wended their way to the place set apart immediately in the front of the chancel. The body was here deposited and the rest of the service read. The hymns were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me, Fast Falls the Eventide," beautifully sung by a quartet of mixed voices. At the conclusion of the service the remains were taken to Forest Hill cemetery, where the impressive service of the Knights Templar for a departed frater was performed.

The honorary pall bearers at the funeral were Prosecuting Attorney John L. Duffy, Dr. Nancrede, Dr. Yutzy and Dr. John Morton.

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THE RIBBON WORK OF THE W. C. T. U.

IT IS PROSPERING IN MANY TOWNS OF THE STATE

Mrs. Jennie Mitchell Gives a Report of the Proceedings of the State Convention

The regular meeting of the Union was held Thursday of last week. After devotional exercises conducted by the president and necessary business was transacted, Mrs. Jenny Mitchell, who was a delegate to the state convention held in Kalamazoo week before last, gave a most interesting report of the proceedings of the convention; she reported that the white ribbon work is prospering throughout the state; there are 400 unions with an aggregate membership of 8,000. Out of forty different departments of work the various unions carry on from ten to twenty-five of those best adapted to the locality in which they are situated. In the north much work is done among the lumbermen and miners, literature and comfort bags are sent them and as often as possible a minister to hold service.

In the lake shore towns work is done, reading rooms and cheap lunch rooms being provided, with evening song services to attract the men from the saloons; in Grand Rapids the hospitals and Soldiers' Home receive attention; all the almshouses in the state and most of the prisons receive welcome visits from the unions with distributions of fruit, flowers and literature and wherever organized the efforts of the union is to elevate public sentiment to purity of life and thought.

The officers elected for the year are: President, Mrs. Anna S. Benjamin, Portland; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Julia R. Parish, Bay City; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Bliz, Spring Lake; treasurer, Mrs. Stella B. Roben, Big Rapids.

At the close of her report, thanks were extended Mrs. Mitchell for the same.

The regular meetings of the unions will be discontinued during the months of July and August, but a series of Mothers' meetings will be held at the homes of the members in different parts of the city, on the second and fourth Thursday of each month; place and topic to be announced in the papers.

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JUDSON HOLDS A CONFERENCE

Sends a Hurried Call to His Retainers

JUDGE E. D. KINNE

His Chances for Supreme Court Appointment was the Topic Said to Have Been Discussed

When asked Saturday what he had to say as to the possible appointment of Judge E. D. Kinne to succeed the late Justice Charles D. Long on the state supreme bench, "Bill" Judson reflected a moment, thoughtfully rubbed the reddish hirsute appendage in the vicinity of his under lip, and with a "now don't give it away" air, replied: "I would like to see Judge Kinne appointed." Then he disappeared up the court house steps as if fearful that he might be quizzed further. Where he disappeared to when he got within the court house building is a mystery. A court house official said that he had just seen the red chieftain leave by a side entrance, that he was going at a clip that would leave Willie Vanderbilt and his automobile the "Red Devil" far in the rear.

Why the red chieftain was in such haste to take himself into seclusion was a mystery until another court house official, meeting the reporter, inquired: "Did you hear the conference that the king and his retainers had over on Fourth avenue a short time ago?" "On replying in the negative the reporter was informed that "Billy" had called a hurried meeting of his henchmen this morning to devise methods of having Judge Kinne appointed to the vacancy made by the death of Justice Long. It was further said that the meeting was called on the street so that reporters and other seekers for information might be thrown off the scent of the purposes of the gathering which might more readily have been gotten at had the conference been held in a hotel or some other place indoors.

What the red chieftain's plan of action will be in endeavoring to have Judge Kinne appointed to the vacant judgeship is not known, if indeed he makes any effort at all in that direction.

There are those who say that Judson's meeting with his henchmen this morning is nothing more than a blind. That Judson is really not for Judge Kinne for the supreme bench position.

This is somewhat explained by what a well known republican said this morning.

"This talk about Judson being for Kinne is, in my mind, the veriest rot. Judson knows the relation that the Michigan Central railroad holds to Bliss. Kinne would not accept an appointment, I don't believe, with the Michigan Central stamp upon it. Judson knows that and he also knows that the Michigan Central will have something to say about the appointment, at least that's my opinion, especially in view of the manner in which the machinery was greased at Detroit the other day."

Another attorney who said he hoped that Judge Kinne would succeed Justice Long, was inclined to believe that Judge W. L. Carpenter, of Detroit, would get the place. "I don't see how Bliss can do anything else," he said. "This is the opportunity for Bliss to elevate Justice John B. Whelan, one of his hardest workers in Wayne county. Yes, I'm inclined to believe that Carpenter will be the man."

Another story is that should the Michigan Central be opposed to Judge Kinne, John F. Lawrence and his former partner, Butterfield, would have a strong influence in bringing the appointment to Judge Kinne. This, especially in view of the fact that Butterfield, Lawrence's former partner, is the attorney of the Michigan Central.

The local members of the bar, who were seen this morning were almost unanimous in declaring for Judge Kinne as the successor of Justice Long, and if their sentiments have any weight in the appointment, Judge Kinne will have the place.

In the meantime, however, the Hon. William Judson is wearing a wise look, affecting the same sinister wink of the eye and keeping his index finger on his mouth, as if fearful that something might escape him which would give a clue to the appointment.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS.

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HIS LATEST GIFT TO THE U. OF M.

DR. LEONARD SENDS AN INDIAN WAND

It is Claimed that it Has the Power to Cure Diseases and Drive Away Devils

The University has recently received another gift from Dr. Leonard, who has sent so many interesting and peculiar gifts to the museum in the past.

The last gift is an Indian medicine wand which was owned by the great medicine chief of the Shoshone tribe. It is claimed that this wand will cure any ill which flesh is heir to. It is a most gorgeous affair and is valued at \$1,000 by the tribe which formerly owned it. It is decorated with bells of copper and shell beads of all varieties. Charms of various sort are strung along the whole length of the wand. Those of special value in charming away the evil spirit are the duclaus of deer, the crest of a falcon, eagle feathers and porcupine quills, and crowning the whole is the scalp of an enemy.

If anyone is pursued by black devils or has any particular ill, all that will be needed in the future will be to resort to the University, where Treasurer Soule will be glad to allow you the use of the wand.

SAVES A WOMAN'S LIFE.

To have given up would have meant death for Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass. For years she had endured untold misery from a severe lung trouble and obstinate cough. "Often," she writes, "I could scarcely breathe and sometimes could not speak. All doctors and remedies failed till I used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was completely cured." Sufferers from Coughs, Clods, Throat and Lung Troubles need this grand remedy, for it never disappoints. Cure is guaranteed by A. C. Schumacher, A. E. Mummery, Ann Arbor, Geo. J. Haessler, Manchester. Price 50c and \$1.00.

WAS THROWN FROM THE WAGON

George Sweet had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday morning. While delivering some feed to parties in the Fifth ward, his horse became frightened and started to run near the top of Broadway hill. The road just at this place is very stony and rough and the wagon was thrown violently from side to side. Mr. Sweet held the reins securely for some time, but was finally thrown out.

His head struck against a stone, and he sustained painful injuries which might easily have proved fatal. His head is badly cut in several places and he is badly shaken up and bruised. He was confined to the house for several days from the injuries.

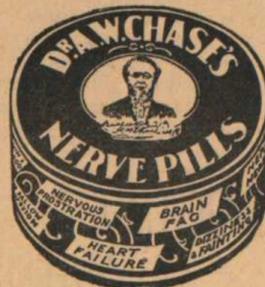
A Clear Head for Business.

A head that aches is a bar to business. Most headache medicines offered the public stop, but do not cure the attacks. Ease the pain but do not remove the cause. Do not give resistive power, act as sedatives or blanket agents, require continued use. Continued use means loss of effect or increased dose—possibly habit. Contrast this method of treatment with that of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills—A medicine that goes to the root of the trouble—a badly nourished nervous system—removes the cause removes it for good—gives back the power to think, to work, to act, by its unparalleled nerve rebuilding tonic properties. The only sensible, proper way to reach such trouble.

Lansing

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Ypsilanti

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ONLY PERFORMED LIGHT CHORES

Mrs. Flowers Said Not to Have Done Hard Work

SHE IS THE WOMAN

Who Asks for \$1065 for Services Rendered Her Father

The case of Ellen M. Flowers, of Ypsilanti, who is contesting the administration of the estate of her late father, Joseph Follmore, claiming that there is \$1,065 due her from the estate for services performed for her father during his lifetime, was on trial in the probate court. The administrator of the estate, Morton F. Case, was represented by Attorney Martin J. Cavanaugh, while Mrs. Flowers had John F. Kirk, of Ypsilanti, for her counsel. The first witness who was put on the stand by Attorney Cavanaugh was Nellie Follmore, a pretty brunette and the wife of the late George Follmore, who was Joseph Follmore's son. Mrs. Follmore testified that she was frequently at the home of her father-in-law prior to his last illness and that she never saw Mrs. Flowers doing any hard work. Mrs. Flowers, the witness said, frequently did small chores about the place, but they were not of a nature to call for a great deal of exertion. She also testified that Mr. Follmore, her father-in-law had only been confined to his bed about three weeks before his death. She did not think that Mrs. Flowers had given Mr. Follmore any more attention than the rest of the family.

During the testimony of the witness, Mrs. Flowers frequently prompted her attorney. When Mr. Kirk took the witness in hand, however, he was unable to shake her testimony. His rapid fire of questions would have non-plussed many a witness more accustomed to the surroundings of the court room. He tried to prove by the witness that she was not in a position to know what household duties were performed, and by whom, in the home of Joseph Follmore, he adroitly suggesting to her that her time would have been so taken up with her children that she would not have been able to give attention to what was going on at her father-in-law's house.

On cross-examination Attorney Cavanaugh made it plain how Mrs. Follmore could have had plenty of opportunity of knowing what was being done at the house of Joseph Follmore. In questioning the witness he showed that she had to go to the house of Joseph Follmore many times a day for water from a well there, there being nothing but cistern water at the house of the witness. He also very conclusively showed that both houses were within a stone's throw of one another and that the witness was in a position to know almost everything of importance that was going on in her father-in-law's house.

As told in the Argus a few days ago, Mr. Follmore died intestate. Commissioners on claims were appointed to settle up the estate, valued at about \$8,000. At that time Mrs. Flowers put in no claims, alleging afterwards that she did not know that the commissioners were looking into the property. On February 26, 1891, it is said that she filed an affidavit declaring that there were no debts against the estate. She now asks for \$1,065, which she says is due her for services in her father's house during his life-time.

WHEN YOU GO INTO A DRUG STORE

to get a bottle of Painkiller, examine it carefully to see if it is made by Perry Davis, and don't be persuaded to take something "just as good" because it is a few cents cheaper. There is only one Painkiller, "Perry Davis'." Large bottle 25 and 50 cents.

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WILL JOIN THE BOSTONIANS

Mrs. Walter Taylor, of the North side, well known in this vicinity as a singer and for a long time connected with the Carlton opera company, has decided to return to the stage. Mrs. Taylor has just returned from New York, where she signed articles with the original Bostonian opera company. She will remain in this city for a few weeks before going east to begin rehearsals with the above named organization. Mrs. Taylor will understand some of the prominent roles. Her many friends and admirers in this city congratulate and wish her every success.

WON'T RESIGN 'TILL SEPTEMBER

Vandawarker will Hold Job Until That Time

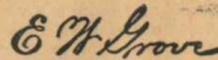
HIS ANNOUNCEMENT

Was Made Saturday—Mayor Says He Talked to Newkirk Last Night

City Treasurer George Vandawarker announced Saturday that he would not resign from the office to take up the duties of assistant postmaster to which he was recently appointed, until September 1.

It will be remembered that Judge Newkirk, who was recently offered the city treasuryship by the mayor, said that he was not certain whether he would accept the office, and from another source it was learned that the judge was not inclined to take up the duties of the position except he could assume them on July 1, as the tax collections come in during that month. With reference to the July collection, Mr. Vandawarker said today that the fall collection this year would be larger than those of last year, because of the State street paving tax.

When the mayor was asked what Judge Newkirk was likely to do in the matter of accepting the appointment now that Mr. Vandawarker had decided not to resign until September 1, he said he did not know. He had a talk with Judge Newkirk last night, he said, but nothing definite was agreed upon. "Anyhow," continued the mayor, the biggest tax collections are made in the winter and not in July, but really the appointment is yet still open. I don't think anything definite will be done about it until August."



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ANN ARBOR R. R. STEAMERS.

The Ann Arbor R. R. Co's Car Ferries are now sailing on regular schedule between Frankfort and points on west shore Lake Michigan.

One steamer leaves Frankfort at 9:00 p. m. daily except Sunday for Keweenaw and Manitowoc, Wis; another leaves Frankfort 9:30 a. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, for Sturgeon Bay, Wis., and Menominee, Mich., and 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Manistique, Mich. The public will find this route a desirable one between lower Michigan points and points in Northern Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula, and the fares lower than via any other line.

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DETROIT, YPSILANTI, ANN ARBOR & JACKSON RAILWAY TIME TABLE

In Effect April 1, 1901.

GOING EAST.

Through cars from Jackson to Detroit leave Jackson hourly from 5:45 a. m. until 9:45 p. m. Car leaving Jackson at 10:45 p. m. runs only to Ypsilanti.

Cars leave Ann Arbor for Detroit half hourly from 6:15 a. m. until 9:15 p. m. Then at 10:15 p. m. and 11:15 p. m.

Cars leave Ypsilanti for Detroit at 5:45 a. m. and 6:15 a. m.

GOING WEST.

Through cars from Detroit to Jackson leave Detroit on every hour from 6:00 a. m. until 9:00 p. m.

Cars leave Detroit on the half hour run only to Ann Arbor. Last half hourly car leaves Detroit for Ann Arbor at 10:45 p. m.

Cars leave Ypsilanti for Ann Arbor at 5:45 a. m. and 6:15 a. m.

Car leaving Ypsilanti at 6:45 a. m. runs to Jackson.

YPSILANTI-SALINE DIVISION.

Leave Ypsilanti: A. M.—6:15, 8:15, 10:15. P. M.—12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 8:15, 10:15.

Leave Saline: A. M.—7:00, 9:15, 11:15. P. M.—1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15, 11:15.

A special car will be run from Ypsilanti to Saline at 12:15 a. m. on arrival of theatre car from Detroit, for special parties of ten or more, on short notice and without extra charge.

The Racket

Respectfully calls your attention to the following Hot Weather suggestions.

Thin Underwear, Genuine Jeager Underwear that sold two years ago for \$1.00 per suit. A few days ago we cleaned up the entire lot of the biggest wholesale house in Detroit and can offer it to you at 45c per suit, or 25c per garment, or if you want, we will call two shirts a suit. When we get a bargain, we always pass it along to you, and this is by all odds the best thing we have had for some time.

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2 Quarts \$1.50 3 qt. \$1.75 4 qt. \$2.25

Regular dealers sell the 2 qt. for \$2.25

Ice Cream Dishes 10c and 15c These make a 5 or 10c dish.

Nothing will please your little girl so much as a PARASOL.

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Fly Traps, all kinds.

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Hammocks, all kinds, at... POPULAR PRICES

4th of July Fireworks

The largest stock in town. We will have a window full of 1c articles.

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VOLCANOES AND THEIR ERUPTIONS

Prof. Russell Talked of Them Last Evening

INSTRUCTIVE LECTURES

It Told of the Recent Disaster at Martinique, and St. Vincent

The first lecture of the season to be given during the summer school was given by Prof. Russell in Sara Caswell Angell hall Monday evening.

He told in a most interesting way of the investigations which he made recently of the volcanic eruptions at Martinique and St. Vincent. He told of the loading of the boat "Dixie" with supplies with which to relieve the sufferers at Martinique. This loading was done under the supervision of the government and was completed within four days.

The party which made the trip was composed of five expert geologists, 24 press representatives and 13 men from the army. There were also two men who owned property at Martinique which was destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Pelee.

The journey was a most interesting one, lectures being given on board by different scientists among the party. On their arrival at Martinique they found the decks of the steamers in the harbor at Fort de France covered with a fine dust to a depth of one or two inches. In the valleys the dust fell to a depth of fifty or sixty feet.

Martinique is on a group of islands composed of fragments of rocks. Mt. Pelee has for many years had a lake in its crater which was calm and peaceful as any woodland lake and not since 1851 has there been any sign of disturbance until the late awful catastrophe which destroyed completely so much property and so many human beings with its awful rain of fire.

To give an idea of the extent of the damage done several stereopticon views were shown. A statue 11 feet high and 9 feet in diameter was thrown with great force by the explosion 45 feet from its pedestal.

The people in the port had been scalded by the hot water which was thrown out of the crater by the eruption, the people on board the steamers in the port suffering equally with those in the town.

At St. Vincent the eruption was an explosion of steam which was directed downward. In this crater there was a lake similar to that of Mt. Pelee.

Red hot stones of various sizes were thrown as far as Georgetown and did incalculable damage. The destruction at both places was complete as far as the devastating lava and boiling water reached. The last eruption on May 20, completed the work begun by the first. The party of which Prof. Russell was a member arrived the day after the last eruption. The lecture given last night was largely attended.

THE PILGRIM AFTER UNIVERSITY SUPPORT

The Pilgrim, published at Battle Creek, is making a special bid for University of Michigan support. It calls attention to the fact that its editor, Willis J. Abbott, and his associate, Karl E. Harriman, are University graduates, that it has established a \$300 fellowship in English in the University, the present holder of which, Maurice G. Fulton, will contribute a series of articles to the Pilgrim; that through the Inlander it offered a \$25 prize for the best short story by an undergraduate, which it published, Ethelbert Waldron winning the prize with a story entitled "At Crow Wing Station," that Miss Lillian K. Sabine, president of the Women's League, contributed an article in the June number on "The Physical Training of a College Girl." The Pilgrim concludes its bid for University support with the statement that "By reason of its editorship and its publication in the neighborhood of Ann Arbor, the Pilgrim will naturally be of special interest to graduates of the University of Michigan." It further puts the name of Shirley W. Smith among its contributors of short stories.

JOHN E. TRAVIS GOES TO DETROIT

Mr. John E. Travis has accepted a position in Detroit with the large real estate agency of W. W. Hannan. Mr. Travis will have charge of all the vacant property listed with the agency. For ten years and a half Mr. Travis was manager for Mr. J. E. Beal's printing office and during these years the ledger showed a balance on the right side. Since leaving the employ of the Ann Arbor Printing Co. Mr. Travis has been traveling for a cigar house with a view to getting a position to his liking. He had three positions tendered him, one in Cincinnati, one in Rochester and one in Detroit, and chose the latter. He begins his new work next Monday and his friends wish him success.

SMALL POX IS IN SUPERIOR

IT IS IN THE FORM OF A LIGHT CASE OF VARIOLOID

Frank Stafford Who Lives Near the Salem Town Line is Down With Disease

Small pox has again made its appearance in this county. This time it is in the form of a light case of varioloid and the victim is Frank Stafford, who lives in Superior, near the stone school house on the town line between Superior and Salem. Dr. Walker, of Salem, is the attending physician. It is not known how Stafford contracted the disease.

IMPROVEMENTS AT UNIVERSITY

New Medical Building will be Completed

GROUND IS BROKEN

For the New Engineering Building—A New Boiler House and Other Additions

The cost of the building and remodeling which will be done on the campus this summer will amount to about a half million of dollars. Never before in the history of the University has there been so much work going on at any one time. The new medical building which is in progress of erection, will probably be completed by the first of October, but the completion of the building does not mean the end of expense attached to it for the contractors will leave it with merely bare walls. Then comes the fitting up of laboratories and lecture rooms, with desks, tables, cases and seats. The lowest bid which has yet been made on the furnishings for this immense building, is \$17,000. The work in and around the building will probably not be complete until nearly Christmas.

The ground has been broken for the new engineering building on the southeast corner of the campus, the cost of which will be \$140,000 and the cost of furnishing the interior of this building will undoubtedly be at least \$60,000 more.

A new boiler house and heating plant for the University hospital will cost \$25,000 more. The Palmer ward which is now being built will cost \$20,000 and the psychopathic ward will cost \$50,000 more.

The basement of the woman's gymnasium is being completed at a cost of \$10,000. A swimming tank with white tile lining, a large number of new lavatories and lockers have been put in, making the conveniences much greater for the girls than formerly.

Two new high pressure boilers will be put into the boiler house on the campus, which will add \$7,000 more to the amount of expenditures.

The heating and ventilating systems of the general library will be overhauled and a new mosaic floor will be put in on the entire first floor except in the book room.

In addition to these large improvements the usual annual budget of repairs will be made.

KRAUSE-WRIGHT WEDDING YESTERDAY

THE HOUSE WAS VERY PRETTILY DECORATED

A Wedding Dinner Followed the Ceremony Which Occurred at Two O'clock Yesterday Afternoon

A very pretty June wedding was that of Miss Flora S. Krause and Robert Bruce Wright, of Howell, which occurred at the home of the bride's parents yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The parlor, where the ceremony was performed, was most daintily decorated with white lilies and ferns; a bank of ferns which was arranged in the corner of the front parlor, made a pretty background for the bridal pair.

The marriage service of the German Lutheran church was read by Rev. John Neumann. The bride looked her loveliest in a gown of pastel green mistral over pink silk. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room, where a wedding dinner was served. The green and white color scheme was again used in the decorations of this room, the flower used being marguerites mingled with maidenhair fern.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright were the recipients of many valuable and useful gifts from their many friends.

The guests from out of town were Mrs. E. Wright, E. V. Holt and J. Johnson, of Howell; Mr. and Mrs. Greenleaf, Misses Minnie and Bertha Schumacher, of Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright left this afternoon on the Michigan Central for a short wedding trip. On their return they will be at home in Howell.

LUTZ HEARD FROM IN MILWAUKEE

Gotthilf Lutz, the local agent of the Schlitz Brewing company, mention of whose skipping out suddenly is made elsewhere in this paper, has been heard from again. John Berger, who was on his bonds, received a letter from him today post-marked Milwaukee. In this letter he states that it would do no good to hunt for him as they would not find him, as he would be thousands of miles away. The letter that his wife received yesterday was postmarked Chicago.

George H. Alber, the manager of the Toledo branch of the Schlitz brewery, was in the city yesterday and has placed John Berger in charge of the business here until other arrangements can be made. Mr. Alber will be here again next week to examine Lutz's accounts. He said that Lutz had received a salary of \$100 a month from the company.

THROUGH CARS TO KALAMAZOO

AMONG THE ELECTRIC RAILROAD POSSIBILITIES

A Detroit Paper Has Reports of Negotiations Between the Battle Creek and the Hawks-Angus Lines.

It is said that the Railroad Companies General of Philadelphia, which owns the electric line from Battle Creek to Kalamazoo, and is constructing a continuation of the line eastward to Jackson, is progressing so rapidly with the work that it may be reasonably expected that Kalamazoo will be connected with Detroit by a through electric car service by Oct. 1. Overtures for a traffic arrangement with the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor & Jackson line have already been made, it is asserted, and the Hawks-Angus syndicate is quite willing to make good terms. The Philadelphia people desire to secure some of their power for running their line of the D., Y., A. & J. railway.

There is an unsubstantiated report in this city that the option formerly held upon that line from Kalamazoo to Jackson by promoters had expired, and has not been renewed; and that the Philadelphia people are negotiating directly with the Hawks-Angus syndicate on most friendly terms. Mr. Angus this morning, however, declined to deny or confirm the report.

Meanwhile the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor & Jackson railway has made a cut in its through rate for single and round trip unlimited tickets to Jackson from Detroit. It will charge 90 cents for one through ticket and \$1.50 for a round trip ticket, the distance being 76 miles between the two terminals. The former rate was \$1.05 to Jackson.—Evening News.

RESOLUTIONS ON DR. BOYLAN

The following resolutions were adopted by Lombard Camp, No. 499, Royal Neighbors:

Whereas, It is with heartfelt sorrow that we are called upon to mourn the loss of our esteemed co-worker, Dr. John Boylan, our camp physician, who passed over to the farther shore June 26, 1902, bringing to our minds a realization of the truth that no one knoweth the day or hour that any of us may be called, be it

Resolved, That Lombard Camp, No. 499, has lost one who was ever helpful and trustworthy in our camp work;

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy in this their sad hour of affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our records and one sent to the bereaved wife, and that our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days in memory of our beloved neighbor.

MARY BLAKE,
DONNA GODFREY,
THERESIA GERSTNER,
Committee.

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Pure undyed silk in a weave resembling canvas and somewhat coarse in texture is called Arabian silk. It is used for tailor suits for morning and traveling wear.

Costumes of pure white, from plain taffeta parasol to shoe tip, will be one of the dominating features of summer dress, and these gowns will be worn morning, noon and night.

Lace insertions in every possible width and device are still used in unlimited quantities, and, whether the material is silk or cotton, the amount is as lavish in one case as the other.

Pretty yokes and vests for summer gowns are made of bands of taffeta or peau de sole between stripes of brier stitching, and the collar around the silk yoke is made of net, well covered with ribbon embroidery, dotted with jet and gold sequins.—New York Post.

The Argus-Democrat has news from all over the county. \$1 per year.

NEWS NOTES FROM SALEM

Salem, Mich., July 2.—The Salem Farmers Club met with Mr. and Mrs. J. Asplin, Wednesday and the attendance was very large considering the busy time of the year.

Prof. Lewis gave his farewell musical concert at Salem Monday night, to a crowded house.

Mrs. W. P. Lane was called to the bedside of her step-father, who is at present very ill. He resides near Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilkinson have returned after an extended visit with their daughter in Long Point, Ill.

Miss Nancy Bennett is on the sick list.

Dr. John Bennett, of Detroit, made his father, Asher Bennett, a short visit the past week.

Dr. C. S. Lane, of Whitmore Lake, made his people of Salem a flying visit Sunday.

The great abundance of rain in this section is doing great damage to growing crops.

Mrs. J. Austin is entertaining an aunt from Ohio; also her mother, Mrs. Shanklin, of Superior.

Miss Laura Austin has just closed a successful term of school in Superior district No. 4.

Eugene Mott, of Detroit, made his people in Salem a short visit over Sunday.

Salem has a dressmaking shop permanently situated on Main street.

BRIEF NOTES FROM SALINE

Saline, Mich., July 1.—Ashley Van Duzer, who had been ill for a long time, died 10 o'clock Monday night, aged about 40 years. He was born in Saline and will be greatly missed. So popular a man was he that he had held public office for years. The funeral will be held at the house at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of the K. O. T. M.

Mrs. Rachael P. Reynolds, a pioneer of this county died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Marsh, in Lansing Sunday night, aged 80 years. She had resided in Saline from 1835 up to a year or two ago when she went to live with her daughter in Lansing. The remains were brought to Saline Monday afternoon for interment in the Saline Central Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Marsh accompanied them.

Floyd and Lulu Fairbanks are visiting in Ohio.

The Y. P. S. C. E. held their monthly meeting at the home of E. Hill.

Mrs. F. Weinmann has been visiting friends in St. Clair.

Major Boynton, of Port Huron, Congressional Candidate C. E. Townsend, of Jackson, and other well known men will be among the speakers on Baccabee Day here, July 31.

Mrs. J. Fitzgerald and daughter, Grace, are visiting friends in Lansing. Thirty of the Masons went to Ypsilanti Friday night to confer the third degree and their team did good work. Refreshments and speeches followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crittenden are visiting friends in Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. G. A. Lindenschmidt and son, Reuben, are in Cleveland, Ohio, for a few days.

MILAN LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Milan, Mich., July 1.—A large number of the Milanites will attend the races at Ypsilanti Friday, the 4th.

Mrs. Kreuscher and son, Dale, left Tuesday morning for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. Hathaway, in Detroit.

Mrs. K. Barnes is entertaining Miss K. Lamb, of Tecumseh, this summer. Mr. and Mrs. Preston Rouse, of Lodi, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rouse.

Mrs. George F. Minto and son and Mrs. Wilkerson and maid, of Vernon, Mich., left for Cass lake, near Pontiac, for a two months' outing Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. Lockwood has returned from her visiting tour.

Mrs. G. R. Williams returned Friday afternoon from a four days' visit with her mother, Mrs. J. Sprague, at Ann Arbor.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. will celebrate the 4th by indulging in a basket picnic in Hock's grove.

Mrs. Sunburg is ill at her home on Hurd street.

Mrs. A. O. Kelley is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. Seavery, at Fort Wayne, Ind., for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miffling and daughter spent Sunday visiting friends in the country.

Mr. O. P. Newcomb is still seriously ill.

A game of ball was played on the Milan grounds Saturday between the first nine and the K. of P., both home teams, with a score of 23 to 3 in favor of first team.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Miller entertained guests from out of town the first of the week.

Mrs. Imogene Knight Salisbury, of Battle Creek, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Knight.

NEWS FROM REDNER DISTRICT

Redner District, Mich., July 2.—Horton Davis and son Harold have returned from Ithaca, where they have been spending a few days.

Miss Fuller has been visiting her uncle, Rev. Mr. Knickerbocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday on his farm.

Edith and Myra Sanderson spent a few days with their cousin, Charles Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey and daughter attended the show at Milan Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Sanderson and son Harold spent two days last week in Detroit.

Ada Payn is home spending her summer vacation.

Mrs. James Bemiss, of Ypsilanti town, died June 22 of heart trouble. Mrs. Bemiss was the mother of Miss Lottie Bemiss, who taught in this district a year ago.

William Dansingburg and son Lee were calling on friends in this place Thursday.

Miss Altha Darling, of Ypsilanti, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

YPSILANTI TOWN TOPICS

Ypsilanti Town, July 1.—The Misses Nettie and Grace Crittenden are visiting relatives in Ashland county, Ohio. The Ladies Helping Hand will meet with Mrs. Suggat at Highland cemetery lodge Thursday, July 10 in the morning.

The Kings Daughters will meet next Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Jewett Ammerman in Belleville.

Mrs. Caroline Phillips returned to Detroit Monday after a month's stay with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Pollard went to Jackson last Sunday to attend the marriage of her daughter Grace Champion, which was to occur Monday evening.

The funeral services of Mrs. Jennie Beemis, wife of J. C. Beemis, which were held Tuesday morning, June 24, were very largely attended.

THE DEATH OF MRS. LUCY CHILDS

Word has been received of the death of Lucy A. H. Childs, widow of the Hon. J. Webster Childs, at her home in Augusta, Wednesday, July 2. The funeral will be held at the Congregational church at Whitaker, Friday, July 4, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Childs' maiden name was Hubbard and she was born at Claremont, N. H., Sept. 13, 1825. She was married to Hon. J. Webster Childs, August 30, 1848, and has since resided in Augusta. Her husband was a very prominent man in Washtenaw and held many positions of trust, serving two terms in the house of representatives and three terms in the state senate. Mrs. Childs was a woman of rare attainments, remarkable business ability and bounteous hospitality.

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From Grand Rapids

Mr. Koch has returned. Reports a good time and lots of business. Bought more goods this time than on any previous trip. Bought a lot of odd Pieces of Furniture for Parlor, Dining Room and Library. Bought all the artistic styles and finishes—the solid massive Mission Furniture in weathered oak (the kind that William Morris the English Poet and artist loved so well) and the dainty French Louie XIV styles. Also the Choice Stuff in Antwerp and Golden Oak. 'Tis a goodly outlay and good to look at. Better still to have in your home. But that's not all. We've got a car-load of Student-room Furniture coming, too. Iron Beds, Dressers, Chiffoniers, Book-Shelves, etc. We're going to be very strong on this class of goods.

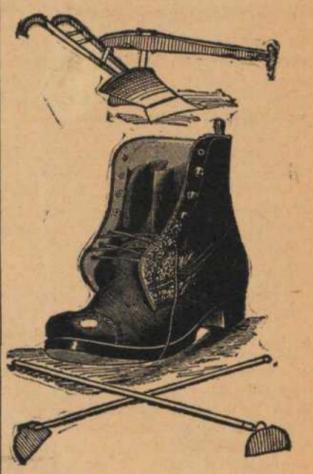
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LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Mary L. Maas is remodeling her residence on East Liberty street.

Jacob Dietzel and family have removed from S. Division street to 524 S. Fourth avenue.

Rev. E. S. Ninde will lecture at Bay View and Thousand Island assemblies during this month.

The Washtenaw fair book will be distributed throughout this county within a few days.

The Wabash took over \$2,000 in passenger fares out of Ann Arbor at the close of the college year.

A picnic is being planned by the officers of the Bethlehem Sunday school which will be given July 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Cosgrove have removed from N. Main street into the Effner house on W. Kingsley street.

Anton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Spies of West street, died Wednesday night of convulsions.

Anybody who has anything to exhibit for the county fair should communicate with Jas. R. Bach, secretary.

Dr. Austin McGuire and bride spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire, of N. Main street.

The vesper service at the Y. W. C. A. rooms next Sunday will end the Sunday meetings until September 7.

J. F. Schuh has a contract to put in systems of plumbing for Mrs. Tyler, Glen, the tailor, and for Mrs. Richardson.

W. W. Wedemeyer will deliver the speech at the Fourth of July celebration to be held at Tipton, Lenawee county, today.

John Walz, of the State Savings bank, accompanied by his family, will go to Whitmore Lake next week to spend two weeks.

Dr. John Foley, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the University hospital on Friday, is getting along very nicely.

Dr. M. B. McCausland, who has been on the University medical staff for the past year, has gone to Covert, where he intends to locate.

A special meeting of the Spanish War Veterans will take place Monday evening next for the purpose of receiving applications for membership.

Miss G. Mabelle McDonald, a graduate of this year's high school class, entered the class which was organized at the school of shorthand Monday.

Madeline Dunn, little daughter of Larry Dunn, who has been ill with appendicitis for the past week, was removed to the University hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. N. Hadley and Miss Fannie Wines have returned from a four months' visit in the east. They are again at home at 832 E. University avenue.

Herbert Randall, who has been visiting in the city for the past few weeks, returned to his home in Hartford, Conn., accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Schoff.

Otsenigo lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., installed the following officers, July 1: Dr. W. S. Mills, N. G.; Geo. P. Stanch, V. G.; C. L. Pray, R. S.; G. H. Miller, Treas.

Supervisor Charles Braun, of Ann Arbor town, left a hay rake out in the field and the heavy rain sunk it so deeply that it is now in the ground up to the seat.

The pulpit of the First M. E. church will be occupied by Rev. M. T. Seelye, of Tecumseh on July 13, and by Rev. Wm. Dawe, of Detroit, on the Sunday of July 20.

Mrs. Mary L. Maas, of East Liberty street, leaves the latter part of the week for Negaunee where she will spend the summer with her mother and other relatives.

Letter Carrier W. J. Miller of this city was made a member of the legislative committee at the meeting of the State Letter Carriers convention in Bay City Monday.

The members of the Bethlehem church are making arrangements to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. John Neumann next Sunday.

The Misses Eugenia and M. Katherine Mogg very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends Tuesday evening in honor of their brother, Otto, and his bride.

Miss Carrie Close gave a very pretty party to a number of children on Monday in honor of her niece, who is her guest. The afternoon was spent in playing ping pong.

Miss May Clarken, Miss Bernice Perkins and Earl G. Killen have been engaged by the College Lecture Bureau, of Hillsdale, to tour through the month of March next.

Evert H. Scott, the Washtenaw avenue farmer, has experienced considerable difficulty in getting his hay in and his fellow city farmers accuse him of hanging his hay up on clothes lines to dry.

The fire department were called out Tuesday by a small fire in the house occupied by Louis Clarke at 1229 Broadway. The flames were quickly extinguished and very little damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Oesterlin celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary Sunday at their residence, 513 West Huron street, by giving an elaborate family dinner. It was a very pleasant gathering.

Jack McIntyre, of Strawberry lake, looked too freely on the flowing bowl on Saturday evening. As a result he was ordered to register with Mine Host John Gillen until July 3, by Justice Gibson Monday.

The regular Saturday evening suppers furnished at the Y. W. C. A. rooms have been postponed until fall. The members of the association are, however, given the privilege of the rooms at any time.

A topical Bible class in charge of Miss Sager has been organized by the Y. W. C. A. It meets every Tuesday evening at the association rooms at 7:30 o'clock. Pupils are solicited and cordially invited to join.

The Huron Valley Building & Savings association has sold the house at 410 Fuller street to Joseph Seabolt for \$2,000. Mr. Seabolt will immediately remodel the house and move thereto within a few days.

Al. Shetterly and son Clifford and Frank Pack have gone to a point about 300 miles north of Toronto, where they intend to camp for some time. The nearest point where there are white men is 50 miles away.

The brick walls of the new store being erected by the Mack estate on S. Main street, will have to come down, the heavy rains having undermined the foundations so that they settled yesterday, throwing the walls out of plumb.

John Neff, arrested Sunday on the charge of tapping the till of Albert Rohde, the liveryman, and taking some small change, was released Monday by Justice Gibson on payment of the costs and return of the stolen money.

A wedding took place in the private office of County Clerk Blum yesterday, the contracting parties being William Otto Schanz, of Sylvan, and Miss Elizabeth Keal, of Whitmore Lake. Justice Doty tied the wedding knot securely.

A telegram was received from Thos. F. Kearns Saturday evening on his arrival in California from the Philippines. He was discharged last Friday and was at Barstow, Cal., at the time he sent the telegram. He will arrive home this week.

Anton Sheffold, of 1223 Wright street, died at his home on Saturday, aged 61 years. The funeral was held from the house Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Grafton officiating. Mr. Sheffold leaves a wife and four daughters, two of whom are married.

At the close of the session of congress Congressman Henry C. Smith found on his desk a loving cup eight inches high, with the inscription, "From friends in Adrian, as an appreciation of the efforts that he made for the progress of the town."

The Y. M. C. A. band, which is composed of 15 members, is in a very flourishing condition and is doing fine work. The director and president are G. L. Gordon and Dr. Brooks respectively. The band meets regularly twice a week for practice at the association rooms.

Mrs. Frank Showerman, of Ypsilanti, died Tuesday at Dr. Lynd's private hospital. Mrs. Showerman underwent an operation last Saturday from which she never rallied. She was a sister of J. A. Brown, of this city, and is survived by her husband and two little daughters.

Miss B. Locker gave a luncheon on Monday afternoon in honor of her cousin, Miss Carr, who is her guest. Covers were laid for ten guests and the table was daintily decorated with red roses and dainty green vines. The place cards were decorated in water-color and made very pretty souvenirs of the affair.

The Herrick Grocery Co. have bought the Johnson stock of groceries from W. N. Salisbury. Mr. Herrick is an experienced groceryman. He has restocked the place and will run a first class grocery store. Mr. Herrick tells us he bought the goods at a large discount and will be able to sell the goods right.

A very cheerful letter was received from Virgil McNitt recently by one of his friends here. Mr. McNitt a short time ago accepted the city editorship of the Conneaut, Ohio, News. He is delighted with his surroundings and enjoys his work very much. The office, Mr. McNitt says, is a very pleasant and elegant one.

H. E. Douglass, a former University student, who was with J. J. Goodyear for a time as pharmacist, is now one of the chemists of the Alpena Portland Cement company, located a few miles out from the city of Alpena. Mr. Douglass has a fine position and enjoys his work.

A male chorus is to be organized in Ann Arbor. The membership is not yet entirely made up. Anyone wishing to join may leave word with any of the following: A. J. Becker, G. L. Gordon, Rice Davis or John Stanger. Tenors are especially urged to send in their applications.

George Rauschenberger, the saloon-keeper of Whitmore Lake, says there is no truth in the report that he went to the assistance of a man who had been ejected from the saloon of Adam Meyer at Whitmore Lake. Mr. Rauschenberger says that he has no relations whatever with Meyer and does not go to the latter's place.

The president of the Woman's League has appointed Mrs. Charles Cooley, 703 Forest avenue, Mrs. Joseph Drake, 632 Forest avenue, and Mrs. V. M. Spaulding, 548 Thompson street, as a committee on student employment for the coming year. Anyone wishing to employ women students will do the committee a favor by communicating with them.

The horses attached to Peavey's ice wagon became frightened Tuesday and ran down Main street, creating a great deal of excitement. When they reached Ann street one of the wheels hit the curb, throwing the wagon over. A woman and child were passing the spot and barely escaped being crushed by the overturned wagon.

Preparations are being made by the Y. W. C. A. for the outing which will be held at Whitmore Lake, beginning July 21. Already several have signified their intention of taking advantage of this excellent opportunity. Others desiring to join the party will kindly notify the secretary, Miss Woodmansee, before July 8, in order that the necessary preparations may be made.

A closely contested ball game was played Sunday at Hamilton Park between the Lowell paper mill team and the nine from the Ann Arbor Organ company. The score was 10 to 9 in favor of Ann Arbor. Grover Gillen pitched for Ann Arbor, doing some fine work, while Harry Millman made a fine showing at the bat for the home team. This is the second time that Lowell was defeated by the players from this city.

Wirt I. Savory, who graduated from the literary department of the U. of M. last year and afterward accepted a position as teacher in the Philippines, has returned to the states. He was in the city yesterday en route to his home in Salem. Mr. Savory's early return is due to illness, the climate of the islands not having agreed with him. He was ill at the hospital at the same time Dr. Loomis was, the former being there two months.

At the home of Mrs. Hall, Alice street, on Wednesday afternoon, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, Rev. E. S. Walker performed a ceremony that united in wedlock Bella, daughter of Mrs. Hall, to Alfred Myles, of Ann Arbor, son of John Myles, Rochester. The couple were supported by George and Clara Hall, brother and sister of the bride. The couple left on the evening train for Detroit, thence for a trip up the lakes. They will reside in Ann Arbor.—Essex, Ont., Free Press.

The usual monthly meeting of the Aged People's Home association was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Bach, on S. Main street, Monday afternoon. Gifts of money were reported from various parts of the state, also words of cheer and promises of substantial aid from many others. This manifested interest from outside Ann Arbor is very encouraging to those who have this good work at heart, and the fact that at every meeting there has been reported donations and letters of promise, speaks for the future of this worthy object. It is our hope that the day is not far distant when such a bright, cheery home for those of growing infirmity will find place in our midst. The meeting adjourned to the last Monday in September.

The solicitor for the department of state, Judge William Lawrence Penfield, about whom the controversy arose which resulted in the attempt on the part of Senator Joseph Bailey, of Texas, to slap the face of Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, is a native of Michigan and graduated from the University of Michigan in 1873.

In the heavy rainstorm of Wednesday night Officer Stollecker, of Whitmore Lake, brought in Jim Preston, accused of using highly abusive language in the presence of Mrs. Flintoff, of Northfield, whose house he wanted to enter. He was brought before Justice Doty yesterday morning and let off on suspended sentence.

There is a story going the rounds that recently a man was brought to one of the hospitals here for an operation. His case was diagnosed as one of appendicitis and the operation was duly performed. As soon as begun it was discovered that the man did not have appendicitis. The story goes that the wound was closed and the man shipped back to his wife with a note which read as follows: "Opened by mistake." The story sounds like a joke.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church is to have a fine orchestra next year. The contract has been signed by G. L. Gordon, who is busy making arrangements for the completion of its membership. Rehearsals will begin the first of September. The orchestra will probably consist of 30 members and not less than 20. There are still a few vacancies left. Anyone wishing to join will kindly notify G. L. Gordon, who will continue to receive applications until the first of September. The best applicants will be chosen.

A PRETTY EARLY MORNING WEDDING

SOLEMNIZED IN ST. THOMAS CHURCH YESTERDAY

The many friends of Miss Anna Z. Sullivan of this city will be surprised to learn of her marriage, which was very quietly solemnized yesterday morning at 6:30 at St. Thomas church by Rev. E. D. Kelly. The groom is Dr. Thomas McCue, who graduated from the medical department of the University of Michigan in '98. He is now located at Caseville in the northern part of Michigan, where he enjoys a good practice.

The bride and groom were attended by the former's brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. P. Sullivan, of New Orleans, La., who are here visiting the bride's mother.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride, corner of State and Kingsley streets, where a wedding breakfast was served.

The bride, who is one of Ann Arbor's most charming daughters, is a graduate of the Ann Arbor high school and the University of Michigan. After receiving her diploma from the latter institution she accepted a position as assistant in the chemical department of the Ann Arbor high school. This she resigned some time ago when she went to New Orleans to spend several months with her brother, Dr. P. Sullivan.

Dr. and Mrs. McCue left today on the noon train for their home. They go with the best wishes of a host of friends.

MANY OFFICERS FROM TWIN CITIES

The Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., are in session at Grand Rapids, and delegates from Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti are present. Many of the grand officers are from these two cities and the following are recorded as present: Grand Senior Warden T. S. Roadman, of Ypsilanti; Grand Junior Warden Samuel Bayles, of Ann Arbor; Grand Secretary Ed. J. Lewis, of Ann Arbor; Grand Treasurer John A. Freeman, of Ypsilanti. The principal speaker last night was Joseph Preston, of Ypsilanti, the legal representative of the order in the state.

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STANDS BY MISS JOHNSON

Letter Written the Editor of the Omega

CARLOS MARIA LOPEZ

Condemns Philippine Friars—Father Kelly Says Letter is Not German to Point at Issue

The following letter addressed to the editor of the Omega was sent to the Argus on Friday of last week:

Dear Sir—I have read Miss Johnson's letter from the Philippines and wish hereby to endorse all she says. I am a Catholic, and know the Lengayen district even better than Judge Johnson's family, because I was born there. While we regret the existence among the lower classes of the superstitions and degrading practices to which all truthful correspondents allude, we are convinced that the admission of the facts is no insult to religion, nor calumny of its followers.

All Philipinos, high and low, are Catholics. The educated class abhors the foul friars, and rejoices that the Vatican, assisted by the United States delegates and commissioners, will soon eradicate them and their teachings from our country. Our hope is in good, sound religion and clean, upright clergy, such as exist here. When the public schools introduced by the American government shall have been in operation a few years, and the effects of Spanish intolerance erased, we have reason to expect that even the humblest classes in every district will enjoy the benefits of the enlightenment that will follow.

CARLOS MARIA LOPEZ.

Cleveland, June 23.

The Miss Johnson referred to in the letter is the young woman whose letter from the Philippines appeared in the last annual issue of the Omega, the high school publication, and is the letter which the Rev. E. D. Kelly, of St. Thomas church criticized from the pulpit last Sunday. The letter was printed in full in the Argus on Monday last. When Father Kelly was shown the above communication from Carlos Maria Lopez, he said:

"This letter is wholly irrelevant to the point at issue. I had nothing to say of the friars in my rebuke of Miss Johnson's letter, which was printed in the Omega. I contended that the Philipinos were not idolators and I still hold to that position. The Lopez letter is not at all german to the question involved in my review of Miss Johnson's letter, consequently I do not feel that I should say anything further about it."

BREEZY NOTES FROM WHITMORE LAKE

Whitmore Lake, June 27. Mrs. Fred Perry has gone to Montrose to visit relatives.

The Misses Emma and Rena Esslinger, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of Fred Jarendt and family.

Jas. Nesbit has the frame of his elegant residence up and will have it ready to occupy in August.

Ex-Postmaster Bert Royce, of Hamburg, called on Jas. Nesbit today.

Dr. Harry Nichols is on the sick list.

Mrs. Frank N. Barker and daughter, Carrie, visited friends in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti yesterday.

Prof. Kempf and family have been rusticated at the Wideman grove for the past few days.

A party of 20 citizens of Cincinnati, Ohio, are quartered at the Wideman grove for a month's enjoyment.

The Wm. Dunlop grove is fast filling up with tourists, and they are a jolly lot.

Both the Lake and Clifton hotels are enjoying an immense patronage, the registers showing 19 states represented.

Geo. W. McCormack is the champion fisherman so far this season, having caught as many as 100 after 5 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winans visited his parents in Superior yesterday.

The farmers have nearly all decided not to commence haying until after the Fourth, the latest for this region in 20 years.

Prof. Wells D. White has been engaged to teach our school for another year. This gives general satisfaction.

Fred Smith, son of Dr. Elias Smith, was run over by a handcar at Howell on Thursday and had three ribs broken and his hips badly hurt. Fred is now home here and is rapidly improving. Dr. Huntington attended him.

SHE WILL BE WOMAN'S DEAN

The position of Woman's Dean of the University has been filled by the appointment of Mrs. Frederick Jordan, of this city, to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Dr. Eliza Mosher. Mrs. Jordan is well fitted for the duties which she will assume as Woman's Dean. She is a woman of exquisite culture and refinement and just such a woman as is needed to impress the young girls who come to the University with her sweetness and interest for their best welfare. The opportunities of the Woman's Dean are many and it is a foregone conclusion that Mrs. Jordan will make the most of them.

Mrs. Jordan is the wife of Frederick P. Jordan, assistant in the general library. She received her education in the Battle Creek high school and attended the University of Michigan for two years in 1899 and 1890. She has had several years' experience in teaching and has always met with marked success.

THE THRUST OF A LANCE

is scarcely more agonizing than the recurrent pains in the abdomen which follow the eating of improper food or too free indulgence in ice-water. The immediate cause of cramps and colic is often the distention of the bowels by gas. Quick relief follows the use of Perry Davis' Painkiller. Careful housekeepers give it the place of honor in the family medicine chest.

THE ARGUS-DEMOCRAT HAS NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY. \$1 per year.

SOME DOINGS IN WEBSTER

Webster, Mich., June 30.—Mr. Bert Kenny, our supervisor, is in Detroit on jury duty.

Mrs. Londe, of Jackson, is visiting at Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Morrison's.

The Misses Margaret and Nancy Phelps, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Bert Kenny.

Mesdames Frank and Ralph Williams delightfully entertained the Webster Missionary society at their spacious home near the Webster church last Thursday.

The Misses Charlotte and Lizzie Latson spent several days in Detroit last week.

Miss Anna Latson is entertaining friends from Lansing.

The ice cream and strawberry social held at the home of Osbert Williams was very largely attended. A fine musical program was rendered and all did full justice to a fine supper. Over \$13 was cleared.

Communion services will be held in the Webster Congregational church next Sunday. Five new members will be received into the church.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 25 cents.

BRIEF NOTES FROM CHELSEA

Chelsea, June 27.—La Fayette grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland, in this village, Wednesday, July 2, at one o'clock.

Charles W. Miller, of this village, who graduated last week from the Detroit Dental College, will locate at Augusta.

Orin Riemenschneider, son of Postmaster Riemenschneider, and a recent graduate of the Dental department of the U. of M., has located at Kalamazoo, where he will practice his profession.

At the Methodist church next Sunday will occur the last quarterly meeting of the conference year. Love feast will be held at 9:30 o'clock; preaching service at 10:30, sermon by Presiding Elder Ryan. Quarterly conference will be held in the church study Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Henry Heiminger, of Lima, a few days ago brought two samples of milk to the creamery here from the same cow to be tested. One was from the very first milk taken from the cow and the other from the last. The first sample tested but 1.4 per cent butter fat and the last 7.4 per cent.

The members of St. Mary's parish held an ice cream social at the opera house Wednesday evening, and they presented Rev. Fr. Considine, who leaves shortly for Rome, with a purse of over \$500.

On Wednesday, June 25, at Waterloo, occurred the marriage of Rev. A. T. Camburn and Miss Anna Sweet, both of that place. Rev. Dr. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, performed the ceremony.

There will be a special meeting of the O. E. S. this evening for the purpose of initiation.

The Juganvrien of St. Paul's church have changed the hour of their meeting from 7:30 to 6:30 as heretofore.

CAR WHEELS MADE OF MONEY.

Every year our government destroys nearly half a billion dollars' worth of soiled or torn bank notes, and after they have been reduced to pulp are used for making railroad car wheels. From a bank note to a car wheel is about as radical a transformation as the one brought about in the case of all weak, nervous and sickly people who will use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the favorite American remedy for stomach, liver and bowel complaints. A wineglassful before meals will put the stomach in good condition to digest the food and prevent the bowels from becoming constipated. Every one should keep it in the house to prevent belching, flatulency, insomnia and nervousness, also to cure indigestion, dyspepsia and liver and kidney troubles.

THE LADIES AID SOCIETY WILL MEET AT MRS. H. P. DODGE'S ON WEDNESDAY.

The social at Richard Henry's on Saturday evening was well attended but resulted in a broken arm for Mrs. Prof. W. D. White. While returning home about 3 a. m. in the murky darkness the vehicle containing six persons was overturned with the above result. Dr. Swartz reduced the fracture and the patient is as comfortable as could be expected.

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Miss Rose Marsh spent last Sunday in Jackson with her sister, Mrs. J. Huddy.

Bradley Drake and daughter, Ella, went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Drake's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis spent last Sunday in Northfield with Mr. Anthony Ryan.

Mrs. Frank Poole, of northern Michigan, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Downer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Court are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter.

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And says some other salve, ointment, lotion, oil or alleged healer is as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, tell him thirty years of marvelous cures of Piles, Burns, Boils, Corns, Felons, Ulcers, Cuts, Scalds, Bruises and Skin Eruptions prove it's the best and cheapest. 25c at A. C. Schumacher's, A. E. Mummery's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler's, Manchester, drug stores.

BREEZY TOPICS AT WHITMORE LAKE

Whitmore Lake, Mich., June 29.—Wm. Naylor has just completed a handsome 60 by 30 ft. barn with 18 foot posts and an eight foot stone basement under the whole structure. It is finished off with two handsome cupolas which give it a fine appearance and Will says he will fill it full of hay this season if it ever stops raining. Fred Jarendt the tinner, has the job of putting on 180 feet of galvanized everthroats.

Frank N. Barker has added a 16 by 20 foot addition to his already large residence and the inside arrangements are very complete, making it one of the most up to date residences in this vicinity.

Frank Roper, the mason, has more work with his crew of four men than he can complete before cold weather comes, all of which goes to show the steady growth of our beautiful resort.

W. N. Lister, ex-county commissioner of schools, who has been at the Lake House since Friday, called on Prof. W. D. White and says he is having as good a time as possible under the frigid conditions of the atmosphere. He leaves for Ann Arbor tonight after a supply of overcoats and heavy underwear.

O. D. Richards, master mechanic of the Ann Arbor road, wife and daughters, are at the Lake House.

Miss J. H. Morse, of Chicago, is registered at the Lake House.

Mrs. Dr. Breakey, of Ann Arbor, is at the Lake House for a few days.

We notice that Mr. Fred T. McComber the live Ann Arbor real estate man and lady spent part of a day at the Lake House.

Mr. F. Sturm, brother of Prof. Sturm of Ann Arbor, who has just returned from Germany, is enjoying himself at the Lake House.

Miss E. Carrow Patterson, of Ann Arbor, is at the Lake House.

Messrs McNeal and Gage, of Ann Arbor, who have an enviable reputation as fishermen, were registered at the Lake House and trying hard to maintain their reputation.

Landlord Stevens is in communication with Columbus and Cleveland parties and says that within ten days there will be a large crowd from these cities who will make things lively.

Miss Helen Stevens and Mrs. Ann Brown, sisters, have six elegant rooms for tourists in their residence on Babcock street.

J. C. Seabolt, of Ann Arbor, hardware agent, is at the Clifton House.

On the afternoon and evening of the fourth there will be a grand ball at the Clifton house. Prof. Smock, assisted by the Quackenbush brothers, will be added to the Whitmore Lake band, which insures first class music.

A good harness maker, who will locate at this point will do a land office business as there is not a better opening in the county. Farmers have to make a ten mile trip to get their repairing done and the demand for such a business is daily spoken of.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. H. P. Dodge's on Wednesday.

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day fishing and they report excellent luck.

Miss Marguerette Rane was the guest of Miss Mae Dunlop yesterday. At the Clifton House, H. H. Crane, of Pinekey, is holding forth and when not fishing is selling tailor made clothing.

Timothy Fohey, a farmer of Webster, says for 40 years he has planted potatoes in the old fashioned way by carrying the seed around in a basket on his arm, but this year an idea struck him and he clinched the idea by putting it into practical use. He says he made furrows to draw his seed into and then constructed a stone-boat that would hold eight or ten bushels of cut seed. He then hitched one horse to the stone-boat and started him in the furrow, he getting on his knees and dropping the potatoes in the furrow in front of the boat, thus planting as fast as a horse can walk, and he is very much pleased with the experiment.

Mrs. McGownder and daughter, Emma, will visit friends in Jackson over the Fourth.

Wm. Winans is putting a coat of paint on the farm residence of G. M. Fields, between showers.

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NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I, D. W. Barry, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, will, on the tenth day of July, A. D., 1902, at the lower end of drain on the e 1/2 of n 1/2 Section 21, in the Township of Augusta, in said County of Washtenaw, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out of a certain Drain known and designated as "Bishop and Cady Drain," located and established in the township of Augusta, in said County of Washtenaw and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing 130 feet west of the Southeast corner of the n 1/2 of s 1/2 of n 1/2 of Sec 21, T. 4 S. R. 7 E, thence running in a westerly direction across a portion of Section 21, and to the e 1/2 corner of the n 1/2 of the e 1/2 of Section 20 and thence north.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of said Drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioner, in the County of Washtenaw, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notices further hereby given, that at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the letting, the execution in said will named and appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 9th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Anna Maria Miller, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed by order of said Probate Court, for Creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of the deceased in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, on the 3rd day of September, and on the 3rd day of December next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated Ann Arbor, June 3rd, 1902.

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F. A. Stivers, Attorney.
File No. 9270. 12-489.

Estate of Henry Gerlach.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.

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MANY BANDS TO COME HERE

Tri State Reunion is Set For Next August
 KNIGHTS TEMPLAR BAND
 Has Made Arrangements for Big Event Which will Draw Many Visitors

Arrangements have been made to have the annual reunion of the Tri-State Band association held in this city in August. Messrs. Theodore Backhaus, Frank Case and Louis Otto, three of the enterprising members of the Knights Templar band of this city, have had the undertaking in hand for some time and they now feel that their efforts to secure the reunion for Ann Arbor is assured.

Between fifty and sixty bands will take part in the reunion, comprising band organizations from Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. It is also almost definitely arranged that the well known Berlin band, of Canada, will be here. This is one of the best known and most proficient of Canadian musical organizations and its presence here no doubt will draw a large number of visitors to the city. Efforts will be made to have the railroads give excursion rates from surrounding cities and towns for the occasion. The reunion will last two and probably three days.

In talking of the event today one of the promoters said: "It seems to me that the city ought to give some support to an enterprise of this kind. It means the bringing of considerable money to Ann Arbor and it also means that the city will be advertised through having this reunion here. It is very probable that we shall ask the council to give us an appropriation to further the undertaking. Ann Arbor is a musical city and I am sure that the people here will appreciate the entertainment that fifty bands would give them during a two or three days' stay in the city."

The local Knights Templar band, to whose efforts is due the bringing of the Tri-State band reunion to Ann Arbor, is one of the growing musical organizations of the state. It is made up of some of the best young men of the city to whose personal efforts is due the success of the organization and the proficiency the band has attained. They have not previously asked for support from the city, and they feel that now since they have made arrangements for the Tri-State reunion here that they will be given liberal support.

NEED MORE HELP.

Often the over-taxed organs of digestion cry out for help by Dyspepsia's pains, Nausea, Dizziness, Headaches, liver complaints, bowels disorders. Such troubles call for prompt use of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are gentle, thorough and guaranteed to cure. 25c at A. C. Schumacher's, A. E. Mumery's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haessler's, Manchester, drug stores.

PICKED UP IN WASHTENAW

Brief Notes From the Towns of the County

INTERESTING TOPICS

About People and Things Which are Told in a Short and Crisp Manner

The state veterinarian, who examined the cattle on the farm of Benjamin Feldkamp in Bridgewater, several of whose cattle have recently died under suspicious circumstances, advised Mr. Feldkamp to remove his cattle from his farm and to keep no more there for a couple of years. The doctor thought the disease was a fever brought in by Western stock.

William Baxter died in Manchester Friday from apoplexy, aged 92 years. He had been in the dry goods business in Manchester for over 50 years, and will be greatly missed. He leaves two sons, Charles Baxter, of Ann Arbor and William Baxter, of Pennsylvania, and two daughters, Mrs. Henry Townsend, of Manchester, and Mrs. Dr. Brown, of Cincinnati.

Eva, the nine year old daughter of Edwin S. Blythe, died June 20 in Detroit, where she had been taken from her home in Manchester for treatment of an injured knee.

Rev. A. T. Camburn, of Waterloo, has married a Miss Sweet of that place and his parishioners are wishing him a happy married life mingled with much sweetness.

William Merriman, of near Manchester, who for a long time has been in poor health attempted suicide last week by cutting his throat with a razor.

Hon. J. K. Campbell and daughter, Miss Anna, of Augusta, are attending the International Sunday School convention in Denver, Colorado.

Bert Youngs is getting ready to rebuild his mill in Augusta, which was recently burned.

Edward Brown, for thirty years a resident of North Lake, is dead, leaving a wife and eight children. He was born in England in 1835.

Otto Jarrandt died June 25 in Wyandotte, of consumption. He formerly lived in Saline and his remains were brought there for burial.

George Riley, of Lyndon, had his hip fractured the other day by being thrown out of a wagon while the team was running away.

There are twelve members of the Dexter lodge of Maccabees and four of the Lady Maccabees buried in the Dexter cemetery.

Round trip tickets are sold on the Hawkes-Angus line between Jackson and Grass Lake for the small sum of five cents.

Victor Savits, of near Milan, has lost the middle finger of the left hand by getting it mixed up in a grub pulling machine.

The May payments for butter fat and hauling at the Saline creamery was \$3,689.84, the largest month in its history.

Alfred Miller and Fred Jerry, of Saline, are said to have captured a rattler on the Hurd marsh with 12 pairs of rattles.

A horse on the H. R. Palmer farm in Bridgewater fell through the floor into the basement without injury to itself.

Dr. E. B. Kellogg was married to Miss Cora Fletcher at the home of the bride's mother, in Sharon, June 25.

Mrs. Caspar Raby died in Manchester June 22 aged 81 years. She broke her hip about four months ago.

A number of shoes and grain bags have been found between Dexter and Delhi near the M. C. tracks.

Potato bugs have destroyed many of the tomatoes set out for the new Manchester canning factory.

Ernest Brighton and Miss Cora Gauss were married in St. Mary's church, Manchester, last Thursday.

There are two cases of scarlet fever in the family of Mrs. Maggie Lehman, in Manchester.

Webster farmers greatly regret the fact that they did not sow more wheat for this year.

Conrad Buetler died in Bridgewater June 21 of Bright's disease, aged 74 years.

C. C. Dorr and family, of Sharon, are back from a visit in California.

Little Mary Bryce, of Bryce's Corners, has broken her arm.

Michael Alber is building a 36 by 70 foot barn in Saline.

John Pidd is building a new barn on his farm in Lima.

A new band has been organized at Dexter.

SHE SECRETED HIS DIAMONDS

Norton Says His Wife Hid His Sparklers

HE THREATENED HER

Then He Recovered the Stones—Denies Charges Made by His Wife in Her Bill

A demurrer to the suit for divorce begun a few weeks ago by Laura A. Norton was filed in the county clerk's office Monday by John J. Norton, her husband, through his attorney.

Among other things Norton says that his wife is not a resident of Ypsilanti as she alleged in her bill of complaint, but of Detroit. He further says that he is not a resident of the United States, but of Winnipeg, Canada, and consequently claims that the court has no jurisdiction in the suit.

To that part of her complaint which accused her husband of beating her, Norton says that she has overdrawn the facts. He admits that he tried to scare her on the occasion, when he says she took his diamonds, valued at \$3,000 and hid them away, so that he was unable to find them for several days. When he was not able to coax her by tender words into telling where the stones were, he had to resort to threats.

When he left Ypsilanti, he declares, to go to Winnipeg to engage in the farming business, he left his wife with rents to collect of from \$50 to \$60 a month, which, he says, she collected. On returning home he states that he found "the house in filth and dirt with such an odor that when he opened the door it nearly knocked him down."

It appears that at this time Mrs. Norton had taken her departure to Detroit. He denies most of the allegations made against him by Mrs. Norton and is apparently ready to fight her attempt to sever the bonds which bind her to him.

Hives are a terrible torment to the little folks, and to some older ones. Easily cured. Doan's Ointment never fails. Instant relief, permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN TOLEDO AND FRANKFORT. Commencing July 1st the Ann Arbor railroad will discontinue its own sleeping cars and substitute Pullman Buffet Frankfort. Sleeping Cars between Toledo and J. J. KIRBY, Gen. Pass. Agent.

Frau Berger's Story.

BY CELIE GAINES.

"YOU look very happy this afternoon, Frau Berger!"

"Why not?" she answered. "My man is coming, you know."

Frau Berger was a typical old German lady, very "thick" as to proportions and very rosy as to complexion. Her hair, which had evidently been blond, was now perfectly white, and the knitting in her fat little hands was the brightest of scarlet stockings.

We were sitting on the piazza awaiting the arrival of the stagecoach. Her blue eyes sparkled so pleasantly behind her eyeglasses that I involuntarily drew my rocking chair nearer.

"How pretty she must have been as a girl!" I thought.

Perhaps she read my thoughts or something in my expression suggested confidence, for she presently smoothed out her knitting meditatively.

"Ach, ja! I have been in America 40 years, and I have also been married 40 years, fraulein."

"How did you happen to come?" I inquired eagerly, and with the funniest little accent she began:

"I tell you bout that—something very strange. One day I met my husband, next day I love him, next day I marry him! You laugh? We also laugh about it now."

"It was the first day of June. The winter had been a time of much sickness in Germany, and my father and mother had both died in less than three months. I had no brothers, no sisters, and I was but 18 years old."

"We were not rich people, and I knew not what to do at all. "One of my cousins was married, and I went to her house, but her husband was an old man and very cross. She was so kind as a sister to me, but he was jealous that she loved me so much and seemed always to be angry to me. I helped take care of the children and worked what I could, but he did not like me, and I was so unhappy. Many times I thought I would go away, but did not know where to go."

"One day I walked out with the little girl. She was running ahead of me, but all at once she stumbled and fell. I hurried to pick her up, but before I reached her I saw a young man stoop down and lift her up. She was generally a very shy child, but her little head lay quite quietly on his shoulder as he comforted her. I was frightened, but something in the way his great, strong arms held her little form gave me courage, and I tried to thank him."

"Your sister?" he asked, glaring from her to me.

"No," I replied; "my cousin. Shall I not take her? And I held up my arms—so. But she only buried her face on his shoulders and would not look at me. But he looked at me very hard. I knew my cousin's husband would scold because I had let the child fall, and I was so miserable the tears just came into my eyes and ran down my face. He saw it, I know, but he turned to the little girl again."

"What is your name, little one?" he asked.

"Lottie Muller," she answered.

"And where do you live?"

"I show you! And when he put her down she took hold of his hand and pulled him after her, for it was not far."

"Now you know, fraulein, there are so many Mullers in Germany like there are Smiths in America, but when we came to the house he said, 'Why, here lives my friend Muller!'"

"And, sure enough, we all went in. Then I heard his name, Carl Berger, for Herr Muller had known him since he was a little boy and was very glad to see him. They talked a long time, and that young man laughed and seemed to be so happy. 'In two days,' he said, 'I am leaving the fatherland to go to America. I seek my fortune there. A young country is better for a young man!'"

"I had thought many times of America myself, and it seemed to me for a minute as if he was an angel sent to tell me about it."

"Oh, sir," I cried, 'please tell us more about America!'"

"What have you to do with America?" asked Herr Muller, frowning.

"Some day I may go there," I said.

"Nonsense!" he answered crossly and seemed angry that I had spoken. But the young man smiled and said, "So, fraulein, you would like America, you think? And then he told much about it, and by and by my cousin got some wine, and we all drank his health and luck and a good voyage, only I was very quiet afterward, because I dare not speak any more."

"And my face was burning so much because I had been spoken to so unkindly before a stranger that I left the room and went out into the little garden in front of our house. Pretty soon I heard them saying goodby and knew that he was going. I hoped he would go through the garden without noticing me, and so I turned my face away and began to break off a rose from a small bush. But he must have seen me at once, for he came just up to where I was standing and held out his hand. "Will you not say goodby to me, fraulein?" he asked. Then like a foolish child and not knowing at all what to say I put into his hand the rose which was in mine."

"Ah, little one," he said, "that is a very sweet goodby, but let us say instead, Auf wiedersehen, yes? But suddenly his joyful, laughing face grew serious as he whispered earnestly: 'Are you not happy here, fraulein?' I tried to answer, but my lips were trembling so I could not, and I turned and ran quickly away into the house, but as I went into the door I looked back and he still stood in the same place holding the flower in his hand."

"You know, I was but 18 years old, and joys and sorrows were all very great to me—very real, indeed. Am I tiring you?" asked Frau Berger. "Please go on," I begged. "I am afraid the coach will come before I hear the rest."

"It is really not much of a story. In truth it was far too short. Well, the next morning I was dusting, when suddenly the bell rang. Herr Muller was just going out, so he opened the door."

"I stopped and listened. I knew that voice. Had I not been dreaming of it all night? It was his. In a moment they would both come into the wohnstube. Ah! I remembered the rose of yesterday and was so ashamed. What if Herr Muller should know of that? Was it very wrong? Why did he come back after saying goodby? A hundred thoughts like that went through my mind in a moment. What could I say? Where could I go. I was standing near the sofa. It was a high backed, old fashioned one."

"Come in! Come in!" heard Herr Muller saying. "Very friendly, I am sure, to come to see us again before you go."

"Ah, how I had wished to see him again, and now I would rather have seen the whole German army come into that room as that same pleasant young man, and just as the door opened I fell on my knees behind the sofa and was quite out of sight."

"Then they took seats and began to talk. Every word they said I remember like it was only yesterday."

"Herr Muller, I have something to ask you."

"So? What you want ask me, eh? And that young man answered, 'I want you to let me ask the fraulein, your wife's cousin, if she will marry me.' 'Thunder weather!' roared Herr Muller, which in the German language is an extremely bad swear. 'What man! You will go to a strange land to make your fortune, and now you want to take that "kind," that child, with you for your bride! You can never be such a fool!'"

"Then I heard that young man laugh a little. 'I understand how you think about it,' he said. 'Most always a man in love is called a fool, but I cannot help it. I love her more than all the world. Since yesterday I have thought of nothing else. It is true, I have not much money, but so long as I have two hands she shall want for nothing!'"

"By and by my cousin came in and talk a long while. His family, she said, were old friends of hers, and she knew he was a 'very fine young man also,' but America was such a very far country, and I was very young. Oh, how my heart beat there behind the sofa on my knees! It seemed to me that they must hear it almost."

"I nearly tried to stop my breathing. I was so still—so afraid they would find me, you know."

"After awhile I heard young Berger say: 'All I ask is that you allow me to speak to her. If she will not marry me now, I will go and work alone, and after a few years I will come back for her, for of one thing I am entirely sure—only with her can I be happy.'"

"Then my cousin went to call me, and she called and called, but I made no answer, and Herr Muller became angry."

"Where is she gone?" he asked. "She is never there when you want her. What a crazy, harum scurum that girl is!"

"Then he called very loud, and at last he ran out into the garden, where I often used to go, to seek me. I was trembling all over, but I peeked out from behind the sofa, and there sat my poor Berger with his elbows on his knees and his face in his hands. I got up very softly and came out. The first thing I noticed was that he had a faded rose in his coat. I stood quite still for a moment looking at him, and presently he sighed and raised his face and saw me. Ah, I don't know how that was any more now, but when my cousin and her husband came back into the wohnstube Herr Berger's arm was around my waist, and somehow, I was afraid of nothing—not even of Herr Muller."

"Well, the next morning after that we got married. Yes, it is true, it was very quick, but you see he had bought his ticket already, and he must go. I had not indeed much—what you call trousseau. I had some linen of my mother's, like every German girl have, and my cousin gave me some more things."

"Berger laughed, and I thought he looked so nice when he laughed."

"The greatest travelers," he said to me, "always have the least luggage to bother them. Everybody will think we are old travelers."

"But it all seemed like one dream to me until we stood on the deck of the big ship and I saw Deutschland and my cousins' faces growing farther and farther away every minute and at last could see them no more, and the ocean and the life before me seemed so strange, so wide."

"But my husband's arm was around me, and I tried to look up at him and smile, although the tears would come into my eyes, and I was so glad when he said I was a brave girl."

"Thank God, I can say now, when I am a white haired old woman, that a better man never lived, and we have also had very good luck. At first we both worked hard, but now we have all that we could wish, and the best thing that I could ever say to my children is that they should try to be like their father."

"Ah, here is the coach!" And in another moment all my romantic imaginings were shattered by beholding my fat little heroine, panting with the exertion and delight, towing into the hotel a huge, corpulent, florid faced, bald-headed and very jolly looking German, whom I afterward learned to know as the millionaire brewer, Mr. Carl Berger."

THE SEASON ON.

THE day so long awaited
 Has rolled around at last,
 And cranks and fans and rooters
 Again are breathing fast,
 For on the baseball diamond
 Again the heroes pose,
 Each thrilling with excitement
 From head down to his toes.

The grand stand's overflowing,
 And packed are bleachers, too;
 Through knotholes in the fences
 The peepers take a view.
 On nearby poles and houses
 The nifty urchins roost,
 And every one is ready
 To give the game a boost.

Soon forward comes the umpire,
 The chap who knows it all;
 Around he proudly glances,
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The subsequent proceedings
 Are very much the same
 As those so often witnessed
 In playing of the game.
 The cranks again go crazy
 O'er unexpected feats,
 And rooters in their frenzy
 Tear up the bleacher seats.

There's sprinting round the bases
 While watching thousands cheer,
 And when there comes a homer
 They wreck the atmosphere.
 At times a raw decision
 Makes trouble in the game,
 And "Kill dat rotten empire!"
 Wild bleacherites exclaim.

But soon the trouble's ended,
 And onward goes the fun,
 The rooting and the roasting,
 Until the game is done,
 And then at every corner,
 As in the days of yore,
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 The question, "What's the score?"

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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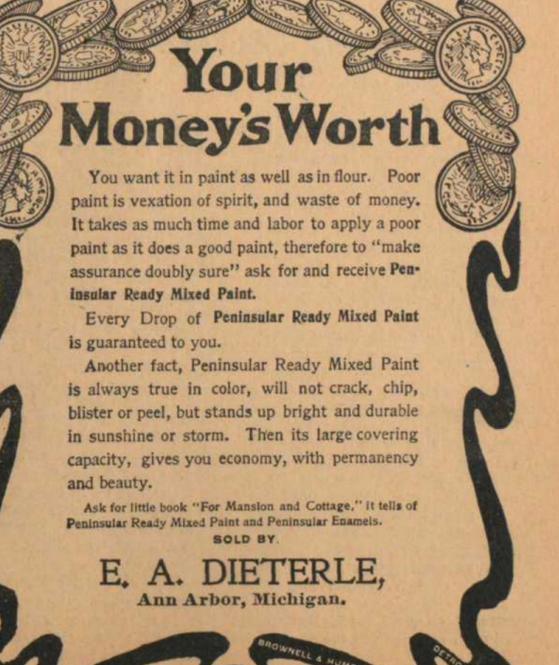
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Judge Cheever Writes of the Tax Law SUPREME COURT CASE

Are Cited Which Appear to Prove That "Doc" is in a Bad Fix

Doctor Rose and his saloon seem to be still before the public. The common council have endeavored to legislate his saloon out of existence, but our prosecuting attorney has given the opinion that in any event he cannot be ousted until the expiration of a year from the time he filed his bond and paid his tax, upon the ground that the tax law is in effect a license law. The people of our state have generally been laboring under the impression that there was no license law for the sale of intoxicating liquors in the state of Michigan. The earlier decisions of our supreme court virtually so decided. We quote a portion of the head note in the case of Youngblood vs. Sexton, opinion by Judge Cooley, 32 Mich. 407: "The constitution (Art. IV. 47) prohibits the legislature from authorizing 'the grant of license for the sale of ardent spirits or other intoxicating liquors.' This does not preclude taxing the liquor traffic, a tax not being a license, in either the legal or common understanding of that term, and in the payment or non-payment of the tax not effecting the right to carry on the traffic, which, since the repeal of the prohibitory law, is lawful whether the tax is paid or not." Also in the case of People vs. Walling, 53 Mich. 264, opinion by Judge Sherwood, part of the head note is as follows: "Taxation and regulation of the liquor traffic does not amount to licensing it, but is an exercise of the police power of the state." We find, however, a contrary opinion in the following cases: In the People vs. Sykes, 96 Mich. 452, 454, opinion by Judge Long, the court uses the following language in regard to the liquor traffic: "The right to carry on the business is in the nature of a license to the party who complies with the statute." Also in the case of Sherlock vs. Stewart, 96 Mich. 193, opinion by Judge Grant, on page 197, the court used the following language, viz.: "The system, in this state, is not purely a tax system. The fee to be paid as a condition precedent to entering upon the business is called a 'Tax,' but there are other conditions precedent which are inconsistent with a purely tax system. These provisions partake of the character of a license." The people of our state ought to wake up to the fact that they now have, practically, a full fledged license law.

There are a good many restrictive statutes in our state, which were published by Washington Gardener, secretary of state in 1895, which may be of general interest. On page 30 we find statutes prohibiting the sale of liquors on boats. On page 31 is a statute that prohibits a saloon within a mile of the soldiers' home. On page 33 sale of liquors on election days is prohibited. On pages 34 and 35 there are statutes prohibiting the use of liquors of any kinds by prisoners in state prisons or jails except for medical purposes. This statute has been openly and grossly violated in the past in regard to our jail, if common report can be credited. On page 37 is an act providing that children shall not be apprenticed to saloon keepers. On page 37 there is also an act prohibiting the use of intoxicating drinks by railroad employes. The language of this act is as follows: "3367. S. L. 1873, Act 198, Article IV. Sec. 5. No person shall be employed as an engineer, train dispatcher, fireman, baggage-master, conductor, brakeman or other servant upon any railroad, in any of its operating departments, who uses intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and any company in whose service any such person shall knowingly be employed shall be liable to a penalty of five hundred dollars for every such offense, to be sued for in the name of the people of the state of Michigan.

"3368. Sec. 6. If any person shall be intoxicated while in charge of a locomotive engine, running upon the road of any such company, or while acting as the conductor of any train of cars on any such road, he shall be liable for all damages incurred or produced in consequence thereof, and shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor: Provided, That this shall not effect or release the railroad company from any such liability."

On page 38 is an act providing that minor children under sixteen years of age shall not be permitted to remain in any saloon. On page 39 is an act prohibiting the sale of liquors within two miles of a place where any religious society shall be actually assembled for religious worship. On page 40 is an act prohibiting the sale of liquors at parades and encampments of militia. On page 41 is an act prohibiting the saloons within one-quarter of a mile of cemeteries.

Very respectfully,
NOAH W. CHEEVER.

Prosecuting Attorney John L. Duffy, when seen with reference to the above letter, said:

"The validity of the ordinance referred to can be finally determined

only by the supreme court of this state. I am not in the habit of anticipating its decisions and certainly don't want to be so understood. Any proceedings now will be taken under this ordinance and with this of course I have nothing to do."

THE DEATH OF MR. BURCHFIELD

The many friends and acquaintances of Wm. G. Burchfield, a former resident of this city, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred Monday morning at his home in Texas City. The cause of death was apoplexy. Mr. Burchfield lived here for a long time previous to his departure for Texas about five years ago, where he has resided ever since. While in this city he conducted the merchant tailoring establishment which is now carried on by his son, Sam W. Burchfield. He lost his property during the Galveston disaster, but the lives of his entire family were spared. He leaves a family of a wife and five children, Sam W., of this city, Dr. C. E. Burchfield, and Mrs. John St. Clair, of St. Joseph, and two daughters who lived with him in Texas City.

JUDSON'S MAN SEES SAWYER

Wants Letter to Run for Prosecuting Attorney NOT FOR \$1,000,000

Would I be Mixed Up With the Republican Organization This Year, Says Sawyer

Lieutenant General William Judson is already going about the work of preparing his fences for the county election this fall. He has been looking for a man for prosecuting attorney and has sent one of his commands to see Andrew J. Sawyer, Jr., to inquire if he would accept the office. Sawyer gave Judson's man an icy stare and told him he would have no connection with the Judson regiment. That he would not enlist with the Red Chieftain's forces for any consideration.

Mr. Sawyer admitted that he had been approached by a Judson lieutenant and asked to run for prosecuting attorney.

"I wouldn't be on the republican ticket this year for \$1,000,000," said Mr. Sawyer. "I don't want to be prosecuting attorney, but even if I did I wouldn't want to be mixed up with the republican organization this year."

Since seeing Sawyer, Judson's lieutenant has called on several other attorneys, with what result has not been definitely learned, but it is understood that one of the lawyers called upon agreed to make the race providing Judson would throw the whole force of his regiment towards him.

It is the evident intention of Judson to get control of the judiciary, hence his early seeking about for a man for the prosecuting attorney's office.

"If Judson should have the naming of a man for prosecuting attorney I would want to get out of the county," said a prominent republican this afternoon. "It's bad enough to have Judson and his cohorts run the Governor's office at Lansing, but if he attempts to influence the election of officers to judicial positions there will be an uprising in this county that will drive Judson and his \$2 gang of politicians to the woods."

It is said that Carl Storms and Frank A. Stivers are mentioned for the office, but one of Judson's lieutenants said Tuesday that he had not seen either of the gentlemen and did not know that they were considering the office.

BURNED BY A GASOLINE FIRE

What came near being a serious accident occurred at the home of Mark G. Richmond, of 632 E. University avenue, Tuesday afternoon. At about 5:30 o'clock, Mrs. Richmond went into her kitchen to start the gasoline stove in order to begin preparations for supper. The gasoline overflowed the cup and spread over the bottom part of the stove and when Mrs. Richmond touched a match to the oil, the fire spread instantly over the lower part of the stove and set fire to some clothing which was hanging near by. Mrs. Richmond tried to save the clothes and burned her hand and arm quite severely. The flames attracted the notice of the neighbors and they hastened to Mrs. Richmond's assistance, saving her from more serious injuries. The stove was thrown out of doors and the flames extinguished without other assistance. The damage done to the house was slight.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TO TOLEDO.
The next Sunday excursion to Toledo over the Ann Arbor railroad will be given June 29th. Special train will leave Ann Arbor at 10:25 a. m. Fare for round trip 50c. Children under twelve years of age half adult fare.

MUST SAVE NORMAL COLLEGE

Other Normals Endeavoring to Encroach Upon it A MAN FROM WASHTENAW

Should be Named for State Board of Education--Strong Reasons Advanced for This

Is it not about time for Washtenaw county to awaken to a more lively sense of its own interests, relative to the State Normal college, if it expects to protect its own interests in this state educational institution? The fever is on to build up other normal schools, and judging from the drift of things at present, this is likely to be done at the expense, in a greater or less degree, of the State Normal college. Washtenaw should move, and at once, for a local member of the state board of education. She should also see to it that the two members of the lower house of the legislature are men who will be abundantly able to take care of the local interests in this fight. No men should be permitted to get on either ticket who are not thoroughly alive to this great interest. The same course should be pursued in the matter of senatorial candidates.

It was the purpose of the law changing the name of the Ypsilanti institution to the State Normal college to maintain that institution at the head of the normal school system of the state, and the other institutions established and to be established, in a certain sense as feeders thereto. That is to say, it was not thought necessary to equip several more normal schools with as extensive and expensive plants and furnishings as are those of the Normal college. The idea was to thus save the state much money, and yet at the same time take care of every interest in the Normal school line. To this end it was felt that the new normals established and to be established should devote their energies to the courses of study fitting teachers for the work of the rural schools and the lower grades of the village and city schools, while the State Normal college should cover this field also and offer the more extended courses fitting teachers for the higher grades of work in the public schools. Undoubtedly the Normal college, with its fine equipment, could easily take care of all who may desire to take the higher courses. Thus the other normals would become feeders to it, and a large sum of money thus be saved annually to the taxpayers of the state. And the burden of tax has already reached that weight where the taxpayer should be heard in this matter. Besides, there is no necessity whatever for as extensive and expensive plants at each and every normal school established and to be established as the state has at Ypsilanti.

But events have progressed far enough to make it plain that the other normal schools are by no means satisfied with this arrangement. The one at Marquette has already been granted the privilege by the state board of education to confer life diplomas upon its graduates. Mt. Pleasant is moving in the same direction and will ask for a change in the law creating it in this particular at the next session of the legislature. She is very likely to get what she asks for. What is Washtenaw going to do in this matter?

The other two normal schools to all intents and purposes already have local members of the state board. The upper peninsula has a member who is closely identified with the interests of that section. P. H. Kelley, of Detroit, was a long time resident of Mt. Pleasant, and for many years superintendent of the city schools there, and that institution will unquestionably have his support in the move it is now entering upon. Supt. Fall's interests are largely with Albion college. Who is going to look out for the welfare of the State Normal college in this scramble? Is it not about time for Ypsilanti and Washtenaw county to get a move on also? It is too late, of course, for Washtenaw to get a candidate on the republican ticket, but one from this county should be named on the democratic ticket. This great interest should be had in mind also when nominations are made for the legislature, both for house and senate. Unless Washtenaw indicates a live interest in this institution, it is certainly destined not to grow any more for years, but to actually retrograde in the point of numbers. And with a falling off in numbers, there will also surely follow a cutting down of appropriations.

BROKE INTO SUMMER COTTAGES

Some vandals have been breaking into the cottages at Portage lake and committing all sorts of depredations. Not only have they stolen many dollars worth of fishing tackle belonging to Ypsilanti owners of cottages, but have committed various other acts of pure cussedness. The association owning these cottages has offered a reward of \$75 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the scoundrels, and Sheriff Gillen has added \$25 to the amount. Some of the acts committed indicate a spirit of pure wantonness. The whipping post is the only proper punishment for such villains.

OUR GREAT SEMI-ANNUAL Dress Goods SALE

Continues Until Saturday, July 12

WITH still greater inducements to buyers, still greater cutting of our regular prices than we have heretofore given, being determined that our stock shall be lowered to the lowest possible point.

The selections offered, are all you could ask for in both **WOOL and COTTON DRESS FABRICS**—Not necessary to remind you that the weather during June greatly retarded our Sales in these goods, making our offerings now all the richer in consequence. In wool goods, you buy the same styles in this sale that will confront you next fall and at saving to you, you cannot well afford to miss.

39c

At this price you can purchase from us while this sale continues 36in. wide all wool **FLANNEL SUITINGS** that make up well into Bathing Suits, Shepherd's checks in brown, blue and black. All wool **ALBATROSS**, every piece of which is of this season's purchase, never sold less than 50c, go down to **39c**.

42c

VENETIAN CLOTH, BASKET WEAVE and CREPE VOILE in black, and a full line of the best colors. These are goods we have reordered for our fall trade, and will no doubt be as popular then as they have been this spring. The price when sold regular is 50c, this Sale **42c**.

50c

THE BEST VALUES AT THIS PRICE THAT HAVE EVER COME TO YOU. Among them being 48 inch wide **BLACK CHEVIOT**, 50 inch wide **SERGE** in black and colors, 38 inch wide **BLACK and COLORED** Mohairs, suitable for bathing suits and many other fabrics the staple values of which are 65c, 70c and 75c.

59c

FINE ALL WOOL VIGOREAUX, 50 inch Black Storm Serge; 45 inch fine Hair Line Suiting; 45 inch black and white hair line Mohair and a half dozen other makes we have been selling at 75c, 85c and \$1.00, are marked to sell at one Price **59c**.

69c

BLACK VENETIAN CLOTH, THE \$1.00 VALUE, Black Mistral Cloth marked \$1.00, Black Mohair always 85c, Black Grenadine and Venitian 85c and 90c materials to close at **69c**.

79c

Fine Mistral Cloth in Black, Blue, Gray and tan, 44 inch Wool Grenadines in Black and colors, 54 inch Black Cheviot, 44 inch gray Mohair, 50 inch Black Secilian, 52 inch dark and light gray Stripe Venitian, not a single piece of which has ever been offered at less than \$1.00 and from that to \$1.25, choice of the entire lot **79c**.

89c

50 inch Basket Weave Cloth, in black only, 46 inch Black Batiste, 44 inch Crepe de Chine, 44 inch Black Mohair and all other goods in our stock in black or colors for which you have been paying \$1.25, can now be purchased for **89c**.

\$1.19

BEAUTIFUL FABRICS IN BLACK and COLORS in Basket Weaves. Silk Warp Henrietta, fine light Broadcloths, Priestby's Cravenetted Cloths, elegantly finished Poplins and Melrose Suiting, Staple Styles you buy the year around and pay \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$1.75 for, are given to you in this Sale at **\$1.19**.



Cotton Dress Goods



There are always many who do not find the time to provide for future wants, and when the contingency arises are compelled to make hurried purchases of whatever selections there are left. For once fortune favors this class, since those who purchased their dress goods early have been denied the benefit of early wear while the cost of the materials and making is now substantially reduced and the choosing is as satisfactory as at any period of this season.

Our Entire Stock of Cotton Dress Goods at Prices to Close

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- 18c **LAWNS AND DIMITIES**, all choice patterns, every piece selected with special reference to its beauty and style to close at..... **11c**
- 25c **LAWNS**, correct copies of imported styles are with the close outs at..... **14c**
- 25c **MERCERIZED ZEPHYRS** that have by their style and finish deserved your admiration are now marked..... **16c**
- 30c **IMPORTED SCOTCH ZEPHYRS**, 38c Panama Suitings, two splendid lines in fancy and plain effects are now marked..... **21c**
- SILK MUSLIN, SILK AND CHAMBRAY**, unequalled for style, of weave color combinations and finish, displaying in the highest degree the skill of the world's best artists, sold in many places for 60 and 65c, all priced to close..... **39c**

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