

THE GREATEST AND THE BEST

County Fair is Now in Full Blast

GOOD RACING GOING ON

Every Department of Exhibits is Full and the Fair Should be Visited by All

The management of the Washtenaw Fair Association are to be congratulated in having pulled off one of the most successful fairs ever held in the county.

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In the fine art department in addition to the unusually excellent display of needlework, embroidery and other art work so dear to the heart of the ladies, a number of the merchants of the city have taken pains to make displays, among them being Mack & Co., showing household goods and furnishings; the Ann Arbor Music Co., displaying their well known Ludwig pianos and also the Heller piano upon which they are making an extra push just now; the Neale Catarrh Tablet Co., with samples of their goods; Gruner & Lutz, showing their lines of shoes; Wadhams, Ryan & Reule, with samples of their handsome suits and gents' furnishings; the Crescent Gold Mining Co., with samples of ores from their mines; White Sewing Machine Co., Haller's Jewelry Store and Alexander the Photographer.

In the vegetable and fruit department there is an excellent show of all varieties of vegetables and although it has been said that this was a bad year for this class of farm products, one would not think so from the display. The fruit display is somewhat lacking in that there is a dearth in the exhibition of peaches despite the fact that this is a peach growing county, but the show of apples amply makes up for the lack. In fact we doubt if there will be shown at any county fair in the state, this year, a finer or larger display of this fruit. The exhibits in the domestic and dairy departments, however, show a falling off from previous years, and that is the more surprising as this is a good dairy county.

The exhibitors in sheep, cattle and swine are few, but make up in quality what is otherwise lacking. Chas. E. Whittaker shows a fine flock of black top Merinos, while Mr. Inman has a handsome lot of Merinos, and B. D. Kelley, of Ypsilanti, E. E. Leland & Son, of Emery, display fine flocks of Shropshires. The cattle exhibit is confined mainly to four herds, those of B. D. Kelley and Pacey & Smith, who have some handsome specimens of shorthorns on the grounds, and Harvey S. Day, of Willis, and J. Selwyn Childs, of Whittaker, who show fine samples of the Holstein Friesian breed. Of swine there are but two varieties, those of Chesler Whites shown by C. B. Isbell & Son, of Saline, and some Poland Chinas whose owner appears to be too modest to publish his name.

The poultry department is the most complete on the grounds and lovers of the hen will take especial delight in inspecting the really fine specimens of "blue-bloodism" in poultry. Almost every known breed has its representatives and the display probably attracts more attention than any other on the grounds.

The horsemen are out in full force and judging from the records of many of the animals on the grounds there will be some of the best races ever seen here.

A pretty feature of the day was a leap made by "Tash" the king of diving dogs, belonging to the Mexican animal show. Tash is a little, black, shaggy spaniel. Yesterday at the call of his name he came running from the tent and springing upon a 60-foot ladder began to go up. The wind was blowing hard and Tash stopped now and then to take a breath, when his master urged him on with the crack of a raw-hide. A small platform was placed on the top and from this Tash leaped into a canvas held by the crowd below. The dog seemed hurt as it was picked out of the canvas, yelping and squealing. A leap will be made every afternoon.

The machinery exhibits this year are unusually fine. Two large windmills are running full blast on the grounds, owned by an Indiana company. A gasoline engine company is also represented by an Indiana firm. A curious little device invented by Mr. Woodmansee, of this county, is a dog or sheep power machine, used for churning butter, chopping fodder, etc. A

small black dog was placed on the tread and held by his fore legs. The machine revolved all right but the dog was too small for the machine and soon got tired.

Wednesday the fair grounds were crowded with school children, the afternoon being set aside by the school board as a holiday for the pupils of the city schools. In previous years, the district schools have attended the fair to a great extent, but this year their representations were scarce, presumably on account of the short time which had elapsed since the schools have opened. No entries have been made of kindergarten and grammar school work, a fact to be deplored, for it has always proved a most interesting exhibit and has been an incentive for good work among the pupils. The children who did attend yesterday had a happy day of it for there are pop-corn rounds and candy and merry-corn stands in profusion at which to spend their nickels.

The managers of the fair were very complacent over the large attendance yesterday, there being several hundred more people on the grounds than on the corresponding day last year.

Everyone seemed pleased and well satisfied with the exhibits made and the attractions which are offered.

The fine arts building proved the center of attraction for the ladies. The exhibits in this building are much more attractive than usual.

The Ann Arbor Music Co. occupies one of the most prominent booths and are displaying an example of the fine work which is done on the third floor of their building, in the finishing rooms. A Heller piano in an unfinished condition and its counterpart beautifully polished are shown. Several thousand sheets of music have been given away by this firm to fair visitors.

Mack & Co. have probably the most attractive booth in the building. It is fitted up as a parlor and is most homelike in appearance.

Alexander, the photographer, has a most artistic display of his work. Mr. Alexander is very original in his ideas and his pictures are entirely lacking in the stiffness so apparent in the work of the ordinary photographer. The work of illustrating which Mr. Alexander has taken up is something entirely new. An example of this work is shown illustrating Dr. Samuel A. Jones' poem, "My Pipe and I." The illustrations are in soft brown tints and the posing of the figures and settings of the pictures are most artistic.

The display of fancy needlework is exceedingly lovely. Miss Loena Markman has a fine display of work. A Swedish stool done in pyrography and tinted design attracted a good deal of attention. A display of most artistic bows for the corsage and hair are displayed and a new and very becoming shawl is shown which is called "The Varsity" and which will undoubtedly prove most popular.

W. Sachman, of William street, has a beautiful display of burnt work on wood and leather. This is one of the best displays of the sort ever shown in the city. The ideas are original and artistic.

The entry of dolls is exceedingly small this year. A special premium of five pounds of candy is offered to the child who enters the best doll, dressed by herself. Miss Margaret Sessions easily takes the prize with her large doll dressed in a dainty gown of point de esprit.

Other exhibits are made by various merchants of the city. The one which drew the greatest crowd was probably the Was-te-na tooth powder booth in charge of Willis Johnson, who gave valuable premiums with every purchase of tooth powder.

The display in the Horticultural hall is not so large as usual, but one of the exhibits is so peculiar that the hall is specially worthy of a visit. It is a potato still attached to the sprout of the old potato and which measures about six inches in circumference. This freak potato was grown by Timothy Foley, of Webster, who claims to have discovered a new method of preserving old potatoes and of growing young ones without the ordinary means of earth, dampness or light. This example of a peculiarly grown vegetable is attracting a great deal of attention and Mr. Foley feels justly proud of his experiment.

The exhibit, in another building, of carriages by Walker Bros. is one of the finest shown in years. It consists of about twenty carriages, run-abouts and road wagons, which have been manufactured by the firm. They are the equals in beauty and comfort of any carriages built.

The machinery exhibits this year deserve a special looking into. No year yet has shown the improvements and the new inventions that the new machines of this fair show.

The Regal Fence Co., of Adrian, has a regular yard fenced in with their famous woven fence wire. The Angola Engine Co., of Angola, Ind., has its gasoline engines running at all times. Two windmills, one from T. W. Boatwright and one from the Aermotor Co. of Chicago, are going full sweep. Mr. Woodmansee has some special interesting small devices for the creamery and for farm work.

King Emil's wonderful show is one of the attractions well patronized, and Klime's vaudeville show is drawing large numbers. The German Village, in which a local orchestra is playing, also has its share of patronage.

The poultry exhibit is the best that this county has yet seen, and it will take hustling work to make another year as good in poultry. Ducks, geese, chickens, turkeys and barnyard fowls of all kinds are here. It is encouraging to know that our farmers are making such big strides in the care of poultry as to cultivate the fowls so that they develop into fine looking specimens.

The races were a trifle less in starting off, but went off fairly well when started. The 2:30 pace was pulled off first. There were four entries—St. Patrick, owned by Davis; Texana, owned by Marsh; Billie Green, owned and driven by Simpson, and Friday, owned by Johnson and driven by Platt. The others entered on the score card were absent. In the first heat there was some trouble in starting off. The drivers were in fairly good line and nothing was done until they had gone some rods past the stand, when they were called back. However, they did not hear the bell and made one round before they were stopped.

The first heat was pulled off after three attempts and was won by Texana in 2:27 1/4. Friday second, St. Patrick third, and Billie Green fourth. The second heat was again taken by Texana, Friday second, Billie Green third and St. Patrick fourth. Time 2:27 1/4. In the third heat, on the first lap St. Patrick (by Davis) was fouled and thrown from the bike, his shaft being broken and wheel smashed. Davis was unhurt. Texana won the heat, Friday again receiving second, Billie Green third and St. Patrick fourth on a foul. First money went to Marsh, the owner of Texana, who got three straight heats with ease. Purse of \$250. Second money won by Johnson. Third money won by Simpson.

There were ten entries in the 2:20 trot and but four raced. Davis drove Trelawney. Josie Wilkes driven and owned by W. Lewis. Frostus won by Teachout. Sidalis owned by Van Anken and Vervian owned and driven by J. M. Bauer. The first heat was won by Frostus, Trelawney second, Sidalis third, Vervian fourth. Time 2:24 1/4. In the second heat Frostus was first, Sidalis second, Vervian third, Trelawney fourth. Time, 2:21 1/4. Third heat—Vervian first, Frostus second, Josie Wilkes third, Trelawney fourth. Time, 2:23. Fourth heat—Frostus first, Trelawney second, Vervian third, Sidalis fourth. First money was given to Teachout. Second money won by Bauer. Third money won by Davis, VanAnken taking fifth money. The races were then closed.

Some money exchanged hands at the "Maple" club, but at no time was the betting exciting.

DR. AND MRS. E. B. CALDWELL

MISS CLARA SHEFFOLD MARRIES DR. E. B. CALDWELL

They Will Reside in Shepherd—A Quiet but Happy Wedding Party

Miss Clara Sheffold, daughter of Mrs. Mary Sheffold, of Wright street, and Dr. Edward B. Caldwell, of Shepard, were quietly married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Wm. Burnett, of Carpenter's corners, Wednesday at 3 p. m. The only guests at the wedding were the immediate family of the bride and the bride's father. The bride was lovely in a green foulard gown trimmed with lace applique. The ring ceremony which united the lives of these young people was performed by Rev. Wm. E. Caldwell, father of the groom.

Mrs. Caldwell is well known in this city, having been prominent in Y. W. C. A. work for some time and having held the position of stenographer for the Alumnae association for the past two years.

Dr. Caldwell is an Ann Arbor boy, having lived here for a number of years. He graduated from the dental department last June and has been practicing his profession in Shepherd since that time. He acted as president of the city Y. M. C. A. for two years and has a host of friends who wish the couple a happy journey through life.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell left on the afternoon train for their home in Shepherd.

WILL EASE FALL PLOWING. Our farmer readers are not over joyful at the prospect of a hard fall plowing. The baked condition of the land in the fall makes hard work for those who do not use Wonder plow trucks, as advertised elsewhere. These are easily attached and will make plowing easy in the hardest soil. No farmer can afford to be without this great labor-saver. Write for particulars to the Wonder Plow Co., St. Clair, Mich.

THE FLAG PRESENTATION

To Ross Granger Command Spanish War Veterans

IMPOSING CEREMONY

Good Speeches Made by Col. Dean, Lieut. Pack, Major Granger and Capt. Hiscock

A handsome American flag was presented Wednesday evening to the Ross Granger command of Spanish War Veterans by Major Ross Granger, at the Armory. Welch Post, G. A. R., under command of Maj. Harrison Soule, was present in force. Company I, of the state militia, stood facing the gallery at attention. The Spanish War Veterans, under command of Lieutenant A. C. Pack, faced Welch Post on the other side. Maj. Granger stood at the end of the line in his command. After the usual impressive salutes, Col. H. S. Dean, supported by Major Soule, presented the flag. Col. Dean made a short speech stating that it was a great pleasure for the young and old soldiers of two generations to meet face to face under the old flag. He spoke feelingly of the colors of the flag and what it ought to mean to every man who had served under it.

Lieut. Pack accepted the flag on behalf of the command in a few well chosen words. He spoke of the good fellowship between the young and old soldiers and of the absence of any feeling of hate of the old veterans over the young and said that when the time comes the young generation represented in Company I would defend the flag as the Grand Army and the Spanish War Veterans had done.

Three cheers were then given by the command for Welch Post and were returned by the latter and Company I.

Major Granger was then called out and said that looking back at the military record and the military experience that he and his men had gone through he could see nothing but good that had come from it. He did not regret his enlistment and knew that no soldier under whatsoever had circumstances he had fallen into as a result of war would ever regret having served under the glorious flag. He gave good advice to the younger members of the militia. He told them that to succeed they must in every sense of the word at all times carry themselves as soldiers, and that they should follow in the footsteps of the G. A. R. veterans. He spoke of the help that the members of the G. A. R. had been to him and his company in time of need and that the fellowship of a soldier to a soldier is only felt by a soldier. He who wears the blue and serves under the flag only can understand this feeling.

Capt. C. E. Hiscock was then called upon and stated briefly that the soldiers present covered almost three generations of American soldiers and hoped that Company I would follow in the footsteps of the G. A. R. and of Company A.

Three hearty cheers were then given for the flag and the presentation was over.

A VERY PRETTY SALINE WEDDING

GEORGE LUTZ MARRIES GERTRUDE STANG OF SALINE

At the Home of the Bride—They Take in Buffalo on Their Wedding Trip.

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Stang and Geo. Lutz, of Saline, took place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride. The only guests were the immediate family and intimate friends.

The bride was charming in a dainty white wedding gown. She was attended by her sister, Miss Anna Stang. Dr. Loom acted as best man. After the ceremony an elaborate wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Lutz left on the afternoon train for Detroit, where they took the boat for Buffalo. On their return they will be at home in Saline in a new house which has been recently finished.

Miss Stang is a popular young lady in Saline. For several years she has been connected with the telephone exchange of Saline.

The groom is a young man of great business ability. He holds the responsible position of book keeper of the Saline bank.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TO TOLEDO.

The next Sunday excursion to Toledo over the Ann Arbor railroad will be given September 14. Special train will leave Ann Arbor at 10:25 a. m. Fare for round trip 50 cents. Children under twelve years of age half the adult rate.

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Dress goods business just now is centering in Waistings and Skirtings, with Waistings in the lead. And the big sales-record is due as much to our superb showing as to the prevailing fad for the separate waist.

We have everything that is new this fall, from the most inexpensive to the finest imported cloth, and in as many shades as the rainbow has hues. Stripe effects rule, but still there's a wonderful variety—cord stripes, satin stripes, wide band stripes, lacey effect stripes, etc.

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Table listing various fabric items and prices, including 3 Bales Good, Fine, yd wide sheeting, 20 yds for \$1.00, and various sizes of bleached cotton and linen.

TABLE LINENS

Table listing table linens such as 56 inch extra heavy Irish loom damask, 64 inch extra heavy Irish loom damask, etc.

TOWELINGS

Table listing towelings such as 16 inch unbleached linen finish crash, 17 inch brown bleached Twill Crash, etc.

TOWELS

Table listing towels such as 18x36 in. Linen Huck Towels, 17x35 in. old fashion homespun all linen Towels, etc.

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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET

- For Governor—GEORGE H. DURAND, Of Flint. For Lieutenant Governor—JOHN F. BIBLE, Of Ionia. For Secretary of State—JOHN DONOVAN, Of Bay City. For State Treasurer—W. F. DAVIDSON, Of Port Huron. For Auditor General—DAVID A. HAMMOND, Of Ann Arbor. For Land Commissioner—ARTHUR F. WATSON, Of Cheboygan. For Attorney General—W. F. McKnight, Of Grand Rapids. For Supt. Public Instruction—W. N. FERRIS, Of Big Rapids. For Member Board of Education—CHARLES F. FIELD, Of Hastings. For Justice of Supreme Court—BENJAMIN J. BROWN, Of Menominee. For Representative in Congress—Second District—FRED B. WOOD, Of Tecumseh.

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN TRUSTS.

The republicans say that there are trusts in England, and that the removal of the tariff is no remedy. But that is a statement that will not hold water. In a recent issue of the Baltimore American, itself a republican newspaper of the partisan type, it said that there was one consolation to the consumers in the Coal Trust situation, and that was that the Coal Trust could not put their prices very much higher, or Welsh coal would be brought here and would undersell them. That is the sense of the whole thing. If a trust-controlled article has no tariff on it, the trusts can't raise their prices above a certain point, else they will meet with foreign competition. But if there is a tariff duty on that article, the trusts can add just as much more to the price as the amount of the duty, and still not have to meet foreign competition. But it is not worth while to argue this question. Mr. Babcock, himself, has said that the tariff on American made articles, that are subject to export, should be abolished as they simply enable the trusts that control them to fix exorbitant prices to the consumer, and Mr. Babcock has not repudiated that statement, although he is chairman of the republican congressional committee. Is it not high time that this tariff "which enables trusts to fix exorbitant prices on the consumer" is removed? The republicans say that this is no time for tariff revision, however. It is evident then, that the people must look to the democrats for relief.

But for the fact that the state authorities of Pennsylvania are afraid of the coal operators the great strike might have been settled without the suffering and loss which have resulted from this warfare of capital and labor. Under the right of eminent domain, which belongs to the sovereignty of the state, the state might take possession of the mines and operate them in the interest of the public. But she hesitates. Her great industries are threatened with paralysis, a considerable part of her territory has to be patrolled by her militia at great cost to the people in order to keep the peace, so that the insolent coal operators may continue their refusal to settle the differences with their labor. These operators, by their refusal to arbitrate with their men, have brought ruin upon merchants, suffering upon thousands of women and children, increased prices for coal to the door of every consumer of coal, and yet the state of Pennsylvania hesitates to do its duty. No better illustration is needed of the menace of these huge trust organizations to the welfare of the people. The government established to guarantee and protect the rights of the people stands

paralyzed through fear of the enormous aggregation of money included in the anthracite coal trust. In other words, the tremendous economic power wielded by the trust gives it political power so great that the state itself is subordinated to it and put in such a relation that it fears to act in the interest of the whole people.

Just why the president should be so extremely tender in his efforts to explain why his recent remarks relative to trusts are not to be construed as indicating that he is against corporations or wealth, is not apparent. Mr. President, no one misunderstood. All understand perfectly that what you said about trusts contained nothing of strenuousness. No one will suppose for a moment that you intend any fight against the trust violators of law. The president's remedy for trust evils, if he can be said to have any remedy, is one that cannot be applied until after four years from the expiration of the presidential term immediately following his present term. This puts the issue off so far in the future that it makes mighty little difference now what his remedy is. There were those who thought Teddy really meant to do something with the trust issue when he commenced the suit against the Northern Merger and the Beef Trust, but later developments have caused much change of belief. The trusts have nothing to fear from Teddy. That show of teeth is but a natural deformity and does not indicate any fierceness against these wrongdoers.

THE SPIRIT OF THE TRUSTS.

The spirit that has created, and the methods that are employed to keep the trusts in control of the machinery of the republican party are as soulless and unscrupulous as ever animated the most despotic form of government the world has known. It is the same thing manifesting in a more civilized age and on a different plane; but, still the same spirit that has in all governments resulted in the overthrow of all nations and civilizations. They pursue their object of greed and avarice under various disguises with infinite art and endless activity. They have moved under the cloak of religion and called themselves holy. They have clamored for so-called social order, and leagued many of the quiet and peaceful under their banner. They have strenuously defended whatever existed, in the form of special privileges, and arrogated to themselves the epithet of conservative; while aristocratic traitors and mushroom rich civilians have sheltered themselves beneath their aegis. They have called self-defense an assault and punished it by the confiscation of many people's freedom. Has any kingly crest or coat-of-arms sullied its professions with deeds more terrible than these of the trusts?

There is reported to be a ray of hope in the strike situation at last. It is reported that J. P. Morgan sent to President Mitchell to enquire what the smallest concessions were that the miners would accept and return to work. The inquiry was also made whether President Mitchell would meet a representative of Morgan at some place and the time when such meeting could be held. The communication from Morgan is said to have been made to Mitchell on Labor Day, last Monday. After his last speech on that day, he met the representative of Morgan and held a conference. It is hoped something tangible in the way of settling the strike may result. It is understood that this move was made by Morgan in response to the insistent demand of the public that the intolerable conditions be abated in some way.

That endorsement of Governor Bliss' record by Gen. Alger, senatorial candidate, lacks much in enthusiasm and strenuousness—in fact it is mighty near the realm of "damning with faint praise." The senatorial candidate thinks the governor did what he thought was right in signing the ripper measures for Detroit. Of course what Bliss thought was right was what Tom Navin, et al., told him to do. But the people remember that Tom has been known to go wrong. And what Bliss thought was right in this instance, the overturning of the principle of home rule, was as wrong as some of Tom's financial operations of years past.

Ripperism takes away the responsibility of municipal officers to the people of the territory over which their authority extends and thus adds a great danger to the local community. It puts officials in charge of the interests which most deeply concern the local community who could never be elected by the people themselves. It destroys local self government.

LABOR DAY LESSONS.

Labor Day has come and gone again and it is not too much to say that this latest observance was the greatest in the history of the day in this nation. Throughout the country the demonstration made furnished conclusive proof that organized labor is marching on and that its ranks were never so numerous as now. Rivalry among the various trades represented in organized labor was confined to getting out the membership of the various orders and making the biggest show possible. And no thoughtful man can read the accounts of the doings of the occasion throughout the country without being convinced of the power of the order and its possibilities for the uplifting of labor when this power comes to be understood and wielded for the advancement of all the interests of the laboring man.

Organization is doing much for labor in all of its interests. It is doing great things for the laboring man in a social way. It is making more of a man of the laborer in conference. It is teaching him how to conduct affairs relating to the betterment of the condition of labor in a peaceful and orderly fashion. It is placing each man under the control of himself more fully than he has ever been before. It is making them strong in conference and council. Organization is disciplining them, teaching them tact and diplomacy. It is educating them and making stronger and better men of them. It is securing for them better wages and causing the powers that be to recognize the worth of the labor element as a large part of our citizenship. While laboring with their hands, organization is rapidly teaching them the power of brain also in the conduct of their affairs and in their efforts to reach a higher plain of living.

Again, organization is giving to the laboring man a better opinion of himself. He is coming to understand the power of the ballot and to use it for his own welfare in securing better government. Through organization he is coming more fully into his own as the bone and sinew of this nation, the class upon which its future welfare in so large a degree depends. And as labor continues to grow in self respect, it is bound to grow in general estimation and to become an ever increasing factor in the affairs of this nation. May this onward and upward progress continue and the standard of living and life grow better and higher for organized labor.

Tom L. Johnson was practically the whole thing in the democratic state convention at Sandusky yesterday. He is a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor next year and for president in 1904. Thousands of Johnson buttons were distributed at the convention bearing the legend "Tom L. Johnson in 1904." Johnson is a great deal more than a band wagon, in fact, in spite of his peculiar ideas on some questions, he is a very able man. He has shown his ability to work all around Mark Hanna in Cleveland matters. He is a man of the people in spite of his great wealth and the masses have confidence in him. He proposes to make a campaign of the state and will hold meetings under a big tent which he carries with him. He is likely to become a formidable candidate in 1904 with his nearness to the people, his broad grasp of public questions and the means at his command. There is no question but that he is strictly honest and sincere and a genuine friend of the people.

REPUDIATED AND FORGOTTEN.

One year ago now, the last great speech of President McKinley, on reciprocity, was before the American people. He had been stricken down by an assassin, and lay at the point of death and the people, especially that portion constituting his political followers, heralded the utterances of that speech as prophetic of the coming more liberal and progressive tariff policy of this nation. Here are some of the utterances which were declared to have been spoken with the foresight of the seer:

"We must not repose in fancied security that we can forever sell everything and buy little or nothing. If such a thing were possible it would not be best for us or for those with whom we deal. * * * Reciprocity is the natural outgrowth of our wonderful industrial development under the domestic policy now firmly established. * * * The period of exclusiveness is past. The expansion of our trade and commerce is the pressing problem. * * * If perchance some of our tariffs are no longer needed for revenue or to encourage and protect our industries at home, why should they not be employed to extend and promote our markets abroad?" But how have these alleged prophetic

utterances been treated by the dead president's political friends? Not one of these ideas have been adopted and carried into practice. On the other hand they have been brushed aside with contempt and every time one of them has shown its head in the halls of congress it has been done to death by its supposed friends. The new, liberal, progressive policy of the dead leader has been repudiated and forgotten.

It is reported that Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, and Senator Platt, of New York, are strongly in favor of calling a special meeting of the Pennsylvania legislature, and that Governor Stone has the project under advisement for the purpose of passing a compulsory arbitration law or some other measure to compel the coal operators to settle the great coal strike. It would seem to be about time that the interests of the public in this war were considered.

Governor Pingree claimed to have pardoned Generals White and Marsh for the reason that the Henderson-Ames people were not also prosecuted for their part in the great republican military steal. He also used severe language against Judge Wiest. But could he revise his opinions now, he would have an apology to make to justice and to Judge Wiest.

NEED THE LEGISLATURE, BUT NOT BECAUSE OF SENATORSHIP.

In calling attention to the desirability of electing a democratic legislature as well as democratic state officers, Chairman Whiting has acted wisely. This is a matter that ought to be impressed upon the voters of the state. For it is necessary that the law-making branch of the government be in harmony with the executive in order that any substantial reforms may be effected. A hostile legislature might thwart every effort of the governor to bring about the important remedial legislation which he should advise.

Hence it follows that if the people of Michigan are in earnest in their desire for a primary election law, for taxation reform, for establishing legal safeguards against ripperism, for the adoption of the principle of the initiative and the referendum, they must see to it that a legislature is chosen that will be in sympathy with these propositions. The election of Judge Durand and of a legislature in accord with the splendid platform on which he was nominated will mean the overthrow of demagogism, ringism, and jobbery; of incompetency and spinelessness in the executive department, and extravagance, and ringism in the legislature. It will mean the complete emancipation of this great and intelligent state of ours from the control of a disgraceful clique of politicians—the smashing of machine rule and the re-assertion of the people's right to govern themselves.

Such a victory is worth striving for, it is worth the sacrifice of partisan feeling for once and the working together of all the friends of good government, republicans and democrats alike, for its accomplishment. But it cannot be full and effective unless it includes the election of a reform legislature as well as a reform governor.—Hastings Herald.

The new mandate that has gone forth is to the effect that neighboring districts must consolidate in order to build a good central school building, with several rooms and several teachers, and a consequent opportunity for grading the scholars. It is further decreed that the children must be brought to this central school on a co-operative plan, in suitable conveyances for protection from cold and wet and fatigue. Further, it is in the air that the new consolidated country school must adapt its methods of instruction to the real conditions of life. It must be a social and intellectual center for grown-up people as well as for the children of the region. It must have an ample piece of ground, and this must be kept in the most perfect order, as one of the primary interests and duties of the school. Nature study must enter largely into school life and work, and a positive taste for rural pursuits and for the elements of the natural sciences must be inculcated. The school grounds must furnish object lessons in the planting and maintenance of trees and flowers, and, in so far as possible, may well be utilized to teach practical gardening. A certain amount of manual training for both girls and boys should enter into the work of the school, and every neighborhood should strive to surpass all others in its zeal to secure good teachers by offering proper inducements.—From "The Progress of the World," in the American Monthly Review of Reviews.

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A BROKEN BLISS PLEDGE

Why the Anti-Judsonites Cannot Support Him

TOLD IN A DETROIT PAPER

They Say He Had Pledged Himself Not to Appoint Judson or Give Him Any Consideration

The Detroit Evening News correspondent gives his account of a broken Bliss pledge and why anti-machine republicans in Washtenaw cannot vote for Bliss in the following dispatch: Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 5.—The real reason why Washtenaw anti will never vote for Bliss, even had the governor not chosen Boss Judson for his chief adviser and the controller of his second administration (if he gets one), dates back to the campaign of 1900. In that campaign the anti confined their efforts to defeating the Judson county ticket, hoping to prove to the state that the boss could not elect his own men in his own county. They supported the state ticket more loyally than did Judson, for the boss, it is claimed, traded off the state ticket in his efforts to elect Newkirk judge of probate. The anti also voted for Congressman Smith, not because they failed to realize that Smith was wearing the Judson collar, but because they feared that the house of representatives might go democratic, and thought it better to elect a congressman who would vote with the republicans part of the time, than an out-and-out democrat. In their support of Bliss, however, they were relying on positive promises from the colonel that Judson should be shorn of his influence in state politics. Before the Grand Rapids convention of 1900, Col. Bliss, at a G. A. R. gathering, in the presence of four prominent G. A. R. men, from different parts of the state, one of them being a well-known Washtenaw anti, said in answer to a point-blank question as to what he would do with Judson: "Gentlemen, I solemnly promise you that Mr. Judson will never receive any appointment or consideration from me." And at the Grand Rapids convention, after the ballot which indicated that Bliss would be nominated on the next ballot, Col. Bliss said to another anti, who had been for years his close friend: "I am under no obligation whatever to Mr. Judson, and have made him no promises." On these two assurances from Col. Bliss himself, the anti went in and supported him. The state remembers how the governor kept his solemn promise, and will understand why the anti will not vote again for Bliss. The governor has made Judson a state issue and the anti will teach Bliss that Washtenaw county voters are not in Judson's control.

WERE AMICABLY ADJUSTED

THE DEMANDS OF EMPLOYEES OF ORGAN COMPANY

A Strike Averted by a Reasonable and Conciliatory Policy—An Example to Employers of Labor

For some weeks back there has been some dissatisfaction among the employees of the Ann Arbor Organ Co. in regard to the number of hours they should work. It has lately threatened to develop into a strike, but in a conference of the committee of the employees with Supt. Henderson Friday all matters were settled amicably and to the entire satisfaction of all parties concerned. The following is the history of the case. On the first of June a committee representing the men of each department asked for a nine-hour schedule. A compromise was made by giving the men a half day off on Saturday with full pay, until the company could decide the question. In this condition affairs rested until the first of September, when the committee again called upon Mr. Henderson and asked that the question be decided. The matter was put over a week that the officials of the company might study the case more closely. Yesterday the committee again went to Supt. Henderson with a petition signed by practically all of the employees, asking for Saturday afternoons off. Supt. Henderson explained to the committee that their prices were already fixed for the year and that all contracts were out and that they could not make any money if he granted the demand. After talking it over, the men readily conceded the point when looking into facts as they stood. The Organ Co. employees are an unusually intelligent body of workmen and Mr. Henderson has been extremely anxious to give the men a shorter day. The men, however, have been promised the Saturday afternoons off for next summer and are well satisfied with the result of what threatened to be a bad strike.

Don't delay a minute. Cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea come suddenly. Only safe plan is to have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry always on hand.

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When there is a falling off in flesh in woman or man there is "something wrong." And that something wrong is generally a loss of nutrition due to disease of the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition. Sometimes this loss of flesh is accompanied by variable appetite, but in many cases the appetite does not fail and there may be a constant desire to eat. Langour, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness, are symptoms often associated with this loss of nutrition and falling off in flesh. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of food so that lost flesh is regained and the physical health re-established.

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LOST FATHER IS FOUND

Pearl Bradshaw Joins Her Father in Allegan

HE IS A HOTELKEEPER

He Read of the Toledo Escapade and Sent for the Girl, Who is Now with Him

Pearl Bradshaw, the young Ann Arbor girl, whose escapade in Toledo, where she was found in a house with a shady reputation, will be remembered, has been restored to her long lost father by the notoriety thus secured.

The Argus has told how she came to be adopted by the late Rev. Mr. Bradshaw and his wife, and that her father, who had lost his wife, was unable to care for his children at the time. His name was John Evans and he was then sick in a hospital in Detroit. All trace of him was lost.

He is now a hotel keeper in Allegan, Mich., and has married again. He saw the account of the escapade in the papers and went to Toledo to find his daughter. There he found that the police officers had raised a purse and forwarded the girl to a relative in Wheeling, W. Va. He communicated with Wheeling, and finding her there, sent for her. Yesterday, Pearl Bradshaw, or Pearl Evans as her proper name is, arrived in Allegan and joined her father.

FOUND HIS DAUGHTER.

Romantic Story of Separation of Allegan Father and Child.

Allegan, Mich., Sept. 6.—The finding of a daughter from whom he has been separated for eleven years, has made a happy man of John Evans, proprietor of the Lake Shore house of this city.

The girl arrived in Allegan yesterday from Wheeling, W. Va., where she was living with a relative.

Mr. Evans says that eleven years ago, while in Detroit, he was taken sick, and while incapacitated for work—in fact, under the impression that he could not recover—his wife eloped with another man, leaving him with two little girls, aged three and four years. One of these, Pearl, he left at the Foundlings' home in that city, from which she was taken by Rev. John Bradshaw, a Congregational minister of Ann Arbor, Evans signing papers which made his daughter the legally adopted child of the clergyman.

The recent flight of Sara Charlotte Bradshaw from the Bradshaw home at Ann Arbor, her rescue from a disreputable house in Toledo, and her final settlement with an aunt in Wheeling are familiar to readers of the newspapers. When Evans saw the accounts the father's love, which had never died, was aroused and he investigated the case. When he became satisfied that the girl was really his daughter he sent for her, and she is now with him.

A PARSON'S NOBLE ACT.

"I want all the world to know," writes Rev. C. J. Budlong, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine, all-around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50 cts. Satisfaction is guaranteed by A. C. Schumacher and A. E. Mummary, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, Manchester.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING

A YOUNG LADY RESCUED BY HER COMPANION

They Were Canoeing on the Huron, When Their Boat Was Overturned

Miss Elma Jenkins and George Crawford had a narrow escape from drowning Friday afternoon while canoeing on the Huron river. In some way the canoe was overturned and the occupants were thrown into the water. Mr. Crawford is an excellent swimmer, but he had a great deal of difficulty in rescuing his companion as she was dressed in a very heavy golf skirt, which pulled her under the water in spite of his efforts to save her.

Miss Jenkins showed remarkable presence of mind and aided by her efforts, Mr. Crawford was enabled to swim to shore.

The canoe, however, floated off down stream and is probably still pursuing a peaceful journey.

Miss Jenkins and Mr. Crawford are students, who had only just returned to Ann Arbor.

BIG FIGURES.

100,000,000 bottles of Perry Davis' Painkiller sold in 60 years. Just think! Nearly enough placed end to end to reach around the world. What other remedy can boast such a record of services to humanity in curing stomach and bowel complaints and the many other ailments and accidents constantly occurring even in the most careful homes. There is only one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Beware of imitations.

Y. W. C. A. GIRLS HAVE WAKED UP

AND ARE READY FOR FALL WORK IN EARNEST

Some of Their Plans for September Work Which Will Prove Effective

Now that the season is about to open and everyone is ready to settle down to work after their vacations, a stir is being made in Y. W. C. A. circles, and it is the effort of its promoters to make this year a successful one and to open a wider sphere in the continuation of the work that has been begun here and that has already been carried on successfully for the benefit and help of its many members who have derived both enjoyment and help through its influence.

The rooms which have been closed, except at the noon hour, during August are now open and Miss Woodmansee will be found there at the usual hours.

Saturday afternoon, Sept. 13, from 2 o'clock till 4:30, the Girls' Branch will hold its first meeting. It will be in the nature of a rally and all girls who think they would like to join the branch are cordially invited to be present.

On the evening of Sept. 15 the quarterly meeting of the association will be held.

Night school will reopen the first week in October. Any one desiring to take up work in any or all of the classes may communicate with the secretary, Miss Woodmansee.

The association has an employment bureau, and has now the addresses of people who want good capable girls. It has the addresses also of many girls who want to do this kind of work.

A woman has been sent out by the association to solicit for the rummage sale. Everything given to her will be thankfully received.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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GEO. W. TURNBULL HAS PASSED AWAY

THE OLDEST MEMBER OF THE WASHTENAW COUNTY BAR

One of the Prominent Lawyers of the County and a Man Who Will Be Greatly Missed

Chelsea, Mich., Sept. 8.—Geo. W. Turnbull is dead. After nearly three weeks of sickness, during which time Mr. Turnbull was several times reported near death's door, the final end came Saturday afternoon and although our citizens were prepared in a measure for the announcement, it cast a gloom over the entire community. Mr. Turnbull will be missed in this part of the county in more ways than one, and probably it will be many years before this place will have a man who will in all respects fill his particular sphere. He was one of the oldest members of the Washtenaw bar, having been admitted in 1871, and has been in active practice in Chelsea all the years that have gone by, and has always enjoyed the entire confidence of all who came in contact with him both in his profession and socially. He was a member of the K. O. T. M. M. and A. O. U. W., in both of which orders he carried insurance. He was born in New Brunswick, but when a young man he settled in Chelsea and in the hour of our country's sorest need he joined the ranks of men who were nobly fighting to save the union and that duty performed he again returned home and for years has been one of the prominent factors here. The funeral will be held this afternoon and the interment will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

Mr. Maier, father of the village electrician, John Maier, met with a very painful accident Saturday while at work in the village light plant assisting in moving one of the lighting machines. The men at work were using a 4x4 about 10 feet in length as a leverage to assist in the work when it slipped and Mr. Maier was thrown backward against the main shaft and next to a large pulley, tearing his right ear almost entirely off. It is thought that no serious results will follow the accident, but the old gentleman will be confined to his home for some time. He is about 70 years of age and the men who were laboring with him at the plant thought when they saw where he had fallen that he was surely killed.

THE INJUNCTION WAS DISSOLVED

The Argus Can Manage Its Own Property

WITHOUT THE RECEIVER

Receiver Johnson, of the Ann Arbor Printing Co., Failed to Make His Injunction Stick

The injunction obtained some weeks ago by Charles J. Johnson, receiver of the Ann Arbor Printing Co., on an ex parte showing against the Democrat Publishing Co., D. A. Hammond and S. W. Beakes, came up for hearing Monday before Judge Kinne and the injunction, after argument, was immediately dissolved. A. J. Sawyer & Son appeared for the receiver, Prof. T. A. Bogle, M. J. Cavanaugh and Arthur Brown for the defendants.

Mr. Sawyer in his argument admitted that the injunction was too broad, that they had no claims to the Daily or Weekly Argus, but only to the plant.

Mr. Bogle showed by the sworn averment of Mr. J. E. Beal in the suit appointing Johnson receiver that the plant was leased to the Ann Arbor Printing Co., but that the lease had expired. He argued that Mr. Johnson had not been legally appointed receiver of the Ann Arbor Printing Co., that the company had no claims upon the property of the Democrat Publishing Co. and that even if the claim set up in the bill was correct his remedy was not in equity but in replevin, that all the material averments of the bill which were only on information and belief were fully denied by the sworn answers of the defendants and that Mr. Beal in his sworn statement of the affairs of the Ann Arbor Printing Co. under which the receiver was appointed expressly set up the same state of facts as did Messrs. Beakes and Hammond.

This point seemed to appeal to Judge Kinne, who asked if it were not likely that the parties to the agreements would be in a better position to know what was done than the receiver, who could only state it on information and belief.

At the conclusion of the arguments Judge Kinne said he could not overlook the averments of Mr. Beal. The property had remained in the hands of the defendants six months. The answer had denied the facts averred in the bill and he did not think it equitable and proper that the injunction should longer hold and he should order it dissolved. The injunction was accordingly dissolved.

In the course of the argument, Mr. Bogle put up a strong argument on the question as to whether Johnson was legally a receiver of the Ann Arbor Printing Co., but the judge did not go into the question, taking the position that the defendants in his case at issue were not the ones to raise the point as they were not parties to that suit.

COUNTERFEIT GOLD.

Few persons know that the gold used in color printing and on picture frames is made from a composition powder of bronze and spelter, and not from pure gold leaf, but which, however, gives the same effect. There is another article that is very much imitated, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Spurious dealers often refill the bottles, and thus give them the same appearance as the original, but unless they have our Private Stamp unbroken over the neck they are not the genuine. Refuse all such imitations. The genuine Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has an unequalled record of cures of stomach complaints back of it, such as dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, biliousness, nervousness, insomnia, and malaria, fever and ague.

FRANK PENNELL RETURNS HERE

Among the many new families coming to Ann Arbor this fall to take advantage of the educational facilities in this city, Mr. Frank Pennell, who lived in this city about eight years ago, Mr. Pennell, hearing of the exceptional chances in the oil fields of northwestern Ohio, removed his family of four children to Gibsonburg, Ohio, a small oil town near Toledo. Here Mr. Pennell has for the past eight years worked in the oil fields and has erected for his family one of the finest homes in the little city that has rapidly grown up around him. Mr. Pennell has owned the property on Forest avenue south of the Forest Inn, to which place he is removing his family this fall. Mr. Pennell has sold his interests in the oil fields and is now coming to this place for the exceptional educational advantages afforded to his children, three of whom have been here at different times, attending the different educational institutions here. Frank C. Pennell is now in his third year at the University, taking the six-year medical course. The other members of the family expect to again take up their work in the schools here. Mr. Pennell will be remembered as an earnest hard working man and will certainly find a welcome among old friends.

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

SENATOR F. P. GLAZIER REPS. WEDEMEYER AND GREEN

The Judson-Alger Legislative Slate for Washtenaw County

The Secret Told of Who Are to be Named as the Republican Legislative Candidates in This County in Two Weeks from Now

The Judson-Alger legislative slate in this county has been developed. It is: For Senator, Frank P. Glazier, of Chelsea.

For Representative—First District, W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor.

For Representative—Second District, Fred W. Green, of Ypsilanti.

As to the personal ability of the men who constitute this slate there can be no question. As to the unity which would mark their action, if they should all get a chance to sit in legislative halls, there can be no doubt. Instead of two hearts that beat as one it would be three, three minds working in beautiful unison.

Those who have made a study of the silent boss have detected that there was a hen incubating for some time. The result of the hatching is here given, heralded without the loud cackling which less astute managers than the red chieftain would give it.

There is no doubt of the straightness of the tip which the Daily Argus, with its usual accuracy, is the first to give its readers. We have scored many such beats. The Argus broke the news

that Postmaster Pond was to be re-appointed and how it was to be done and in spite of the cries of envious rivals it happened just as the Argus stated. The Argus first stated that Judge Newkirk was to be city treasurer and Judge Newkirk holds down that position. There have been many such secrets of republican leaders which have been first authoritatively chronicled in the Argus.

We have a kindly feeling towards the men on this legislative slate and would advise them in a friendly way to decline, but we don't believe they would heed the advice. The decree has gone forth and the strange thing about the republican machine is the devotedness with which members of it follow out the decrees.

It is a Judson-Bliss-Alger slate. Bliss is to be governor de jure, Judson, governor de facto, Alger, senator, and each is to throw all his influence for the other. Any man who reads the state press can see that they are all doing it.

Rank and file of the republican party, here is your ticket, named before you knew it.

HARMONY IN OLD WASHTENAW

GEN. FRED GREEN DESCRIBES IT TO JACKSON REPUBLICANS

The Way to Get It is to Fight for It—Implores Republicans to Aid New Bosses

At the Jackson county republican convention last week Gen. Green, of Ypsilanti, made a speech which will be interesting reading in this county. It is thus reported in the Jackson Press:

"Before the nominating speeches were all made, however, Gen. Fred Green, of Ypsilanti, inspector-general of the state troops and a lieutenant of Oil Inspector Judson, took the stage and made a significant speech. Gen. Green had attended the morning session of the convention and said that things were not so unanimous in Washtenaw county. They had fights there and carried them to the polls. It was the duty of the republicans this year to stand by all their tickets. He told the delegates what the party was up against, both in the county, state and nation, and assured them that the nominations for the 'inferior' offices cut a figure all along the line. Alluding to the senatorial canvass, he said that he did not believe that the republicans stood for government by heredity. Then he talked of the flag and of the organization of the party 'under the oaks.' In his county, he said, the harmony that was exhibited was not worth mentioning, and he exhorted the delegates to have harmony, 'if you have to fight for it. Don't have quarrels and take them to the polls.' (A voice—"We haven't got a Judson in this county.") The speaker overlooked the interruption and ended with a jolly for Blair and Townsend."

GETS MONEY ON FORGED CHECK

From Six Ann Arbor Merchants Saturday Evening

A CLEVER CHECK FORGER

Forges the Name of C. H. Sauer & Co. and Makes Purchases Receiving Over \$75 in Change

John O. Zabel, of Petersburg, who has been identified with the building of several electric lines, while in Toledo this week, announced that practically all the right of way for a new electric line between Toledo and Ann Arbor had been secured and the cars would be running inside of a year. Mr. Zabel said the road would touch at Petersburg, Milan and Dundee. From Dundee to Milan it would run parallel to the Ann Arbor road and from there it would extend east through territory that has no railroad accommodations. Mr. Zabel says the necessary capital is forthcoming, but the company will not be incorporated until every foot of the right of way has been secured.

PRaise FOR JULIUS V. SEYLER

The Detroit Free Press has the following concerning an Ann Arbor boy who has achieved fame as a musician:

"Julius V. Seyler, after devoting himself almost exclusively to teaching for several years, took up concert work and soon achieved much reputation in this respect. His appearance as a soloist was eagerly sought after and his programmes were always enthusiastically received. His personal magnetism, which was so valuable an asset as a soloist, was equally valuable to Mr. Seyler as a teacher, and he now has a large class of pupils under his instruction, all of whom are making rapid progress under Mr. Seyler's care and his infectious enthusiasm."

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KENNY-TICE WEDDING

POPULAR DRUG CLERK GETS A CHARMING BRIDE

The Marriage of Miss Lizzie Kenny and John Tice Yesterday Afternoon

A very quiet wedding was celebrated Thursday, Sept. 4, at 4:30, it being that of Miss Lizzie Kenny and John Tice, who were married by Rev. E. D. Kelly at the latter's residence.

The bride, who was attended by Miss Eliza Armstrong, was becomingly gowned in blue broadcloth. Her attendant was gowned in black and white. The groom was supported by his brother, George Tice.

After the ceremony the happy couple left immediately for a short wedding trip in the east and will be at home to their friends after October 1, at 128 Felch street.

The bride is one of Ann Arbor's most charming daughters and possesses a sweet personality that makes friends wherever she goes. She has a very charming soprano voice that has for years been admired and enjoyed by the music lovers of the city, she having made her appearance in many entertainments and concerts that have been given here.

The groom is one of the city's most promising and exemplary young men. He is at present with the Goodyear Drug Co., having been in that line of work several years, and is considered well qualified and very capable.

The best wishes of hosts of friends go with them through life's journey.

IMPROVEMENTS IN L. O. T. M. OFFICES

The L. O. T. M. office is about to be remodeled and redecorated. The clerks' room has already been vacated and work will be commenced immediately. All the partitions will be taken down and thus leave one large, convenient room for the clerks, who will occupy it alone.

The supply department has been moved across the hall. The rooms will be repapered and some general changes conducive to a fine appearance, will be made.

PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN TOLEDO AND FRANKFORT.

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The communication is from the American Telephone Co., of Chicago, who say that they have in their employ about 2,500 men, are looking for a new location and asking what inducements Ann Arbor has to offer such an institution. The mayor replied, immediately, to the company, saying that this city would be glad to secure such an institution and that if he was assured that the company was in earnest he would have the city government take the matter up at once and make them an offer.

This is, if genuine, the best thing that has been offered Ann Arbor, as the constantly growing demand for the extension of telephone service all over the country, together with the foreign demand that is hardly started, makes it a certainty the goods manufactured by such a company would meet with ready sale and the business would be a growing one.

Then, too, the class of labor employed by such a concern would be most desirable as they would be of the most intelligent and skilled order and would make the very best of citizens.

It is to be hoped that it will be found that the company is in earnest in its desire to change location and that Ann Arbor may be lucky enough to secure it.

UNDER AN ARBOR OF WOODBINE

MISS OLIVE SWISHER AND JAS. CHENOWETH WERE WED

One of the Prettiest of September Weddings—Will Reside in Oklahoma City

One of the prettiest of September weddings was that which took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mira Lowry, 503 East Liberty street, when her daughter, Miss Olive Swisher, became the bride of James Chenoweth, of Oklahoma City, Okla. Promptly at 8 o'clock the wedding party descended the stairs to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss Marian Smith, and took their places in the front parlor under an arch of woodbine surrounded by palms and cut flowers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Gelston, of the Presbyterian church.

The bride looked very beautiful, attired in a handsome gown of white embroidered Swiss, lace inserted and trimmed with pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white bridal roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Edna Lowry, who wore a becoming gown of white over pink. She carried pink carnations.

The groom was supported by Willard Ditman, of Kenton, Ohio. Little Lucile Briggs, daintily gowned in white, preceded the wedding party, acting as ring bearer.

The house was tastefully decorated throughout. The parlors were pretty with palms and festoons of smilax and woodbine. Pink and white carnations were also used effectively. After the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room, where a delicious lunch was served, Davy Robinson being in charge. Here the decorations were red and green, red ribbons, carnations and smilax being used.

The bride is a very charming and popular young lady. For some time she has been a pupil in the School of Music.

The groom is a graduate from the law department of the U. of M., having received his diploma in 1901.

At 11:25 Mr. and Mrs. Chenoweth left for a trip around the lakes. They will be at home to their friends after Oct. 10, in Oklahoma City, where the groom is engaged in the practice of law.

The out of town guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Reed, Union City, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Meeker and daughter; Miss Ella Calderwell; Mrs. L. E. Chenoweth, Greenville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. T. LeRoy North, Palestine, Ohio; Mrs. Ira Swisher, Richmond, Ind.; J. W. Ditman, Kenton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swisher and son, Victor, Colo.; Miss Georgia Amsden, Detroit; Mrs. D. L. Meeker, Greenville, Ohio.

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

THEY SPRUNG A SURPRISE

THOMAS TAYLOR AND MISS HANNAH RYAN MARRIED

Ceremony Took Place at 5:30 Tuesday Morning—Wedding Breakfast Followed

The marriage of Miss Hannah Ryan and Thomas Taylor, of Spring street, was very quietly solemnized Tuesday morning at 5:30 at St. Thomas church, Rev. E. D. Kelly officiating.

The bride was attended by the groom's niece, Miss Emma Taylor, and the groom was supported by his nephew, Edward Taylor.

After the ceremony, a breakfast was served to several of the bride's friends at her home on Division street.

The marriage comes as a surprise to the friends of the contracting parties, who have kept the affair very quiet.

The bride is a well known dressmaker of Ann Arbor and has many friends, as also has the groom, who wish them happiness through life's journey.

STAR COURSE ENTERTAINMENTS

Y. M. C. A. Has Its Popular Course Completed

FIVE FINE ATTRACTIONS

Will be Presented This Year—One to be Given October 8

The Y. M. C. A. is offering a most excellent course of entertainments this season.

The association has in the past made successful efforts to procure good attractions and this season will in that direction far surpass its predecessors. The course is as follows:

The Hahn-Park Concert Co., consisting of the Hahn Ladies' Strong Quartette; Mary Davis Hahn, violin soloist, Ada Dale Park, soprano, and Roy H. Harkins, basso.

Montville Flowers, America's great monologist, who will give "The Little Minister."

Tudor-Geeding Concert Co., composed of Miss Bessie Tudor, soprano, Asa H. Geeding, baritone, Miss Jessie Strauss, violinist, Mrs. Asa H. Geeding, pianist.

Maro, the prince of magic, music, shadowgraphy, are and mirth. Maro has no equal in America.

The Reilhofer Tyrolean Yodlers and Concert Co., of Bavaria. The company is composed of Franz Reilhofer, Miss Kathie Kirchmier, Miss Wallie Gauber and Mrs. Theresa Reilhofer.

The course begins early, the first number being on October 8. Tickets will be sold at the same price as formerly, \$1 for season tickets, or \$1.50 for season tickets with reserved seats. Tickets will be on sale in a few days.

MRS. BOWIN MAKES ANSWER

TO CLAIMS OF HEIRS IN ENGLISH ESTATE

General Denial of Matters Set Up in Their Answer—Case Promises to be a Long One

The answer of Mrs. Stella Mary Bowins to the heirs to the estate of John G. English, of Manchester, has been filed. The heirs deny that Mrs. Bowins is an adopted child and claim that she is not legally privileged to share in the estate. They claim that property was conveyed to Mrs. Bowins by Mr. English because she was to have no share in the estate. In her answer, the complainant denies ever receiving a deed from English. She denies that any agreement was made by her and also the existence of such a contract. The complainant also denies she did not claim title to the property in question. He did require that he might retain, however, an interest in it while he lived, to which she consented.

ANOTHER TURN IN SHADFORD CASE

The Shadford case took another turn Tuesday when a hearing was had before Judge Kinne upon the motion of the attorneys for the street railway people to have the service of notice of commencement of suit set aside. The claim is made that Mr. Merrill, upon whom service was made, was not, at the time of service, an officer of the defendant company and that, consequently, proper service was never made. Upon the hearing the judge granted the motion and set aside the service.

This action was in the suit started to enforce the judgment given Shadford and leaves matters just where they were before it was started.

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

DEXTER PUTS IN ELECTRIC LIGHTS

THE CONTRACT FOR NEW PLANT IS LET FOR \$8,100

Burglars Frightened in Time in Dexter—Narrow Escape from Fire

Dexter, Mich., Sept. 10.—Dexter's new electric light plant is to cost \$8,000 and 25 street lights are to be furnished. The contract for putting in the plant has been made with Thomas Muir & Son, of Detroit.

The lace curtains in the house of John Schultz caught fire from a lamp last night, but fortunately the house did not catch fire.

Dr. Gates' horse ran away, when no one was in the buggy, and badly smashed the buggy.

Burglars were frightened away from the house of Jay Smith, Monday night, before they had secured their booty.

MILLER AVENUE DISTRICT NEWS

Miss Emma M. Kapp, of Second street, Ann Arbor, who has taught in this district since her graduation, resigned this year to accept a position in the Christian Mack school in the city. Miss Kapp's proficiency as a teacher has been recognized by both Profs. Lister and Foster, and it is with the deep regret of her pupils and the joy of her many friends that she takes up her work in the city schools.

Hannah and Emmanuel Kern attend school at Miller Avenue district this year, their school at Foster's station having been closed for lack of pupils.

Mrs. P. Keal has just purchased the Mrs. Carrie Schearle property and is moved and settled in her new home.

Miss Anna Fischer is attending the Bethlehem German school this year in the city.

Mr. Fred Kern is learning the barber's trade on State street, city, in the up-to-date barber shop of Trojanowski.

Our school opened last Monday with Miss Alice O'Keefe of Ann Arbor as teacher.

LOCALS FROM REDNER DISTRICT

School commenced September 8 in the Redner District with Miss Fannie Day as teacher.

Clarence Sanderson has returned to the Business College to finish his course.

Chas. Rogers has returned home from Battle Creek, where he has been spending a few days.

Mr. George Davis and family spent a few days of last week in Dexter.

Mr. Dansingburg and son Lee spent Sunday at his farm.

Edith Sanderson is on the sick list. Charles Freeman entertained his brother Will and family Sunday.

Aaron Fullington went to Port Huron on an excursion Thursday.

SOME WEBSTER HAPPENINGS

Webster, Mich., Sept. 10—Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Morrison have returned from a week's visit in Ohio. Miss Martha French accompanied them.

Mrs. A. J. Pratt, who has been on the sick list, has recovered.

After a three weeks vacation, services will be held in the Congregational church on next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

Mrs. Henry Winslow, Misses Maud Williams, Mabel Estabrook will assist in the program to be given by the Farmers club held at Mr. F. Litchfield's on next Saturday.

JAIL REPORT FOR SIX MONTHS

Judge of Probate Watkins, the superintendent of the poor, James Taylor, Philip Duffy, F. J. Fletcher and County Agent W. K. Childs have made an examination of the jail and filed their report with County Clerk Blum Tuesday afternoon. The report shows that during the period since the last report there has been confined at the jail 369 persons. The character and number of the offenses are as follows: Drunks, 274; vagrancies, 14; disorderlies, 15; larceny, 19; horse stealing, 2; assault and battery, 5; insane, 2; assault, 1; receiving stolen property, 1; carrying concealed weapons, 1; suspicion of larceny, 2; prostitution, 8; burglary, 3; truancy, 1; sodomy, 1; delirium tremens, 1; larceny house in daytime, 2; larceny store, 7; injury to property, 1; indecent language, 2; cruelty to animals, 2; resisting officers, 3; false pretenses, 2; tippler and drunkard, 1; larceny from person, 3; defrauding hotel, 1.

SPECIAL EXCURSION FARES TO NEW YORK CITY.

The Ann Arbor R. R. will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to New York Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6, good for return Oct. 14. Ask agents about or write J. J. KIRBY, G. P. A., Toledo, O.

ANN ARBOR TOWN CAUCUS.

The Democrats of the township of Ann Arbor will hold a caucus at the court house on Saturday, Sept. 20, at 3 o'clock, to elect seven delegates to the county convention to be held in the city of Ann Arbor Sept. 25. By order of the committee.

PROHIBITION COUNTY CONVENTION.

The prohibition electors of the county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, will meet in mass convention in the court house, Ann Arbor, at 2 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 13, 1902, for the purpose of placing in nomination a county ticket to be voted for at the next regular election; and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.

By order of County Committee, HORACE T. PENFIELD, Chairman.

BEAN RAISERS READ THIS

The genuine patent "Miller Bean Harvest, er" made by the Le Roy Plow Co., Le Roy, N. Y., is covered by United States patents. There are more of these machines in use than all others combined.

Imitations are on the market, but you can buy the genuine with 1902 improvements as cheap as the imitations of our old machine. You will never have any trouble in securing extras for the genuine "Miller Bean Harvest" for sale by

M. BRENNER, Ann Arbor, Mich. "Le Roy Plows are easy Draft."

File No. 9182 12-485. Commissioners Notice.

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 Conrad Giesel, 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 Township of Lodi, in said County, on the 9th day of December and on the 9th day of March next, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated Lodi, September 9th, 1902. CHRISTIAN WIDMAYER, JOHN BAUER, Commissioners.

File 9185 12-501

Estate of John George Koch.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 8th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John George Koch, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of John George Koch, Jr., praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, administration of said estate granted to Henry J. Mann, the executor on said will named and appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is Ordered, that the 7th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate. JAMES E. MCGREGOR, Probate Register.

[A true copy.]

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The baked condition of the land this fall makes plowing a discouraging proposition. The wonder-plow trucks which are easily attached to any plow, will absolutely make plowing easy even in the hardest soil. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price \$5.00 set. No farmer can afford to be without it. Write WONDERPLOW COMPANY. ST. CLAIR, MICH.

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR

At PONTIAC, SEPT. 22-26, 1902

The success of last year's Fair gives assurance of still further success this year. Last year the event was the most widely attended in the history of the institution. This year the attendance gives every promise of being still greater. In Premiums | Race Purse | Grand Racing Program \$17,000 will be offered, amounting to \$5,500

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Railroad trains and Electric cars to the gates. Half Fare on all Railroads. M. P. ANDERSON, Pres. I. H. BUTTERFIELD, Pontiac, Sec'y

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September 22--26

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GEE WHIZ! Our store just bristles from top to bottom with Iron Beds, Rugs, Bookshelves, Tables, Chairs, Curtains, Portieres, Couches etc., etc. Never made such big preparations for student trade before. Never had our store so full of goods, either. Never had them so good, nor so attractive. And if we are prepared to show you a large assortment of these goods you may be sure that the price will be low enough. Otherwise all our preparations would be for naught.

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| COUCHES, full tufted, very strong, in handsome velour coverings..... | \$6.50 | DRESSERS, Combination Dresser and Commode, German plate..... | 6.50 |
| COUCHES, all steel constructed, very wide and all spring edge..... | 8.00 | DRESSERS, solid oak, nice large French plate mirror..... | 10.00 |
| BOOKSHELF, with 3 shelves..... | 1.25 | COMMODES, price \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and..... | 5.50 |
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| IRON BEDS, nicely trimmed, good, heavy enameling, in all sizes..... | 2.50 | INGRAIN ART SQUARES at especially low prices | |
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| IRON BEDS, heavy posts in pink and green, very pretty and attractive for ladies' Boudoir..... | \$5.00 | LACE CURTAINS per pair, 65, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 to..... | 5.00 |
| DRESSERS, Combination Dresser and Commode, French plate..... | 8.00 | DESK, Writing Desk, quartered oak, finely finished..... | 4.50 |
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WAHR'S Bookstores

OPEN NIGHTS

Miss Louise Allmendinger will hold her millinery opening on Sept. 24.

Sunday next, Sept. 14, is the first anniversary of the death of President McKinley.

Peter Klein will open a tailor shop in the Sager block on Liberty street on Sept. 20.

September 22 is to be declared a public holiday in Detroit in honor of President Roosevelt's visit.

A Saginaw dispatch says that Congressman Henry C. Smith's candidacy for the senatorship is taken as a joke there.

Robt. Zachman has opened a meat market on William street, at the place where the Oyster Bay was located last year.

A license to marry was granted Tuesday to Edward F. Wilson and Miss Edith Frances Henry, both of York.

Mrs. Nellis, of E. Kingsley street, will occupy the residence of M. Condon, of N. Thayer street, when completed.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Butler, of Muncie, Ind., a son. Mrs. Butler was formerly Miss Carrie Yates, of this city.

Prof. T. C. Trueblood will lecture at the First M. E. church at the morning service on Sept. 21. His subject will be announced later.

The "Five Hundred Girls" cleared about \$25 on their ice cream social which was given on the court house lawn Saturday night.

Miss Melita Hutzler has resigned her position as teacher in the Christian Mack school and accepted a similar position at Muncie, Ind.

The bill of exceptions in the case of Anna Jones vs. the Estate of Mary Shaffer and bondsmen was settled and signed Tuesday morning.

Miss Tillie Pfisterer has been appointed to fill the vacancy in the Christian Mack school made by the resignation of Miss Melita Hutzler.

Gertrude Kittle, the one year old daughter of Luke Kittle, of Salem, died Sunday of convulsions. The funeral was held Monday at Leland.

The following couples were granted marriage licenses Saturday: Clarence A. Kuhn and Mabel Loretta Redue, Fred E. Marvin and Gertrude Miner.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Prochnow have moved into their new home on Miller avenue. Mr. Prochnow recently purchased the house from Wm. Clancy.

A chocolate will be held at the home of E. L. Seyler, 118 So. Twelfth street, Monday evening, Sept. 15. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A.

The Wolverine Land Co. and Hudson T. Morton have filed a motion for security for costs in the tax case brought against them by George B. Sudworth.

The foundation walls of the new brewery on Fourth street are rapidly nearing completion and will probably be ready for the brick work the first of the week.

Mrs. Florence Hayes Spitzley, formerly of this city, has resigned her position as soprano soloist of the Woodward Avenue Congregational church in Detroit.

Raymond Fritz, three months old child of Adolph Fritz, of 530 South Fourth street, died Wednesday morning. The funeral was held at the house at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Teal has commenced suit in the circuit court for a divorce from her husband, Charles Teal, on the ground of extreme cruelty. They were married in 1888 and have three children.

The board of public works held a meeting Tuesday evening and ordered Street Commissioner Ross to proceed at once to make the necessary repairs on the damaged culvert on Fifth street.

M. Staebler, the genial proprietor of the American house, celebrated his birthday Sunday with a family reunion and dinner. The sons and daughters presented Mr. Staebler with a Morris chair. The employees of the hotel gave a very handsome picture as a birthday gift.

There are 39 district schools in Washtenaw county that have an enrollment of less than 15 pupils. There are 639 such districts in the four southern tiers of counties in Michigan.

The work of painting the interior walls of the new medical building has been begun. The space to be covered is so great that it will take a large force of men about a month to complete it.

Sunday, Sept. 28, will be Bible study rally day at the Y. M. C. A., the purpose of which is for enrolling students. The speaker will be C. A. Stringer, of Detroit, former president of the Hancock Y. M. C. A.

Nathaniel Schmid, of Manchester, executor in the Lehn estate, filed an appeal in the circuit court Tuesday from the decision of Probate Judge Watkins disallowing his final account as such executor.

Next Sunday will be Sunday school rally day at the First M. E. church. There will be a Sunday school sermon in the morning by Rev. E. S. Ninde and a rally of the entire school at noon in the basement of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, of St. Johns, are in the city visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith. Mr. Edgar has sold out his mercantile business in St. Johns and is making arrangements to remove to California.

The democrats of Superior township will meet in caucus for the purpose of electing six delegates to the county convention, called to nominate county officers, at the town house, on Saturday, Sept. 20, 1902, at 1 o'clock, local time.

H. F. Miller has purchased the A. C. Schumacher drug stock. Mr. Miller was formerly a member of the firm of Schumacher & Miller. He is a fine druggist with a large personal acquaintance and will undoubtedly enjoy a large trade.

Miss Iva Gregg, who has held the position of book keeper at the Hay & Todd Mfg. Co. for some time, has accepted a similar position with Good-year & Co. During the past few weeks Miss Gregg has been doing work in the Alumnus office.

Arrangements have been made to have an oyster supper follow the Red Cross work at the Masonic temple next Tuesday evening. All Red Cross Masons are cordially invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to strangers in the city.

Articles of association of the Ypsilanti Lubricator company were filed with County Clerk Blum Tuesday. The company is to be known as the Ypsilanti Lubricator Co., and is formed for the manufacture and sale of lubricators and all steam appliances.

The Y. M. C. A. night school opens Monday evening, Sept. 29. The opening reception will be held in the association rooms Friday evening, Sept. 26. Music will be rendered by the West Side Mandolin club. All who are interested will be warmly welcomed.

L. K. Patterson, of Ann Arbor, has been lying very ill and in a delirious condition at his cottage in Bay View, caused by a severe fall on Sept. 1. His son, Otis, a student of Ann Arbor high school, will be detained for some time to assist in caring for his father.

A young couple of about 23 years of age were married by Justice Doty yesterday. They are attempting to keep the marriage secret. Their marriage license and certificate are in the icebox and to inquiring friends they stated that the secret would be out in a month.

Warren H. Lewis, of Ypsilanti, is amply justified in the pride he takes in his standard bred colt which he has with him at the fair grounds. The animal is a yearling and is as handsome a piece of horseflesh as one often sees. A further matter of pride is the fact that the colt was bred in Washtenaw county.

The work of remodeling the old First ward school, which will now be known as West hall, is being pushed rapidly. The upper floor will be used entirely by Prof. Scott for classes. The first floor will be shared by several instructors. Classes will be held in the building at the beginning of the college year.

Minnie Rosina Pardon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pardon, of 610 Summit street, died Monday morning of tuberculosis, after an illness of several months, aged 19 years. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and at 2:30 from Zion church. Interment at Forest Hill cemetery.

The case of Finkbeiner vs. Ernst, for the settlement of bill of exceptions came on Tuesday to be heard before Judge Kinne. It was ordered by the court that the entire record in the case should be printed. It was agreed in open court that the original bill of exceptions might be used by the printer to print the record.

Ludwig Stein, died at the home of his brother, Christian Stein, in Scio, Sunday, aged 53 years. Mr. Stein had been a sufferer from apoplexy for some time and that disease was the cause of his death. The funeral was held at the Bethlehem church Tuesday afternoon, the interment taking place at the cemetery on Jackson avenue.

Rev. Henry Robinson, the new curator of the Hobart guild, assisted the rector at the services at St. Andrew's church Sunday for the first time. Mr. Robinson was formerly a student here, graduating from the literary department four years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson have rented a house from D. F. Schairer and are located at 524 Hill street.

C. A. DeWitt, son of Prof. A. D. DeWitt and Dr. Lydia M. DeWitt, of the University, who went to the Philippines as teacher about a year ago, has been very ill with Asiatic cholera and near death. His friends will be glad to know that he has so far recovered as to be able to write home.

The Y. M. C. A. will this year have a normal school for male students, where the men who have been teaching Sunday school classes and others can attend to their advantage. The class is to be under the leadership of Mr. G. P. Coler. The first session is to be held Sept. 29, and is open to all who wish to come. The Y. M. C. A. also offers six other courses for men and boys.

Mrs. Jennie V. Burg and Mrs. Ellen Kuder have commenced a partition suit against Timothy and Elizabeth Collins. The complainants are daughters of Samuel Collins, of Saline, who died in 1877, and they want their quarter interest each in 35 acres in Saline township, valued at \$3,500, set off. The farm was occupied by the mother until her death and since then Timothy Collins has occupied it.

The sixth annual post graduate and clinical course of the U. of M. begins at 1 p. m., Nov. 3, 1902, and continues three weeks. The first week will be devoted to clinical work under the faculty and assisted by Dr. Wm. T. Miller, of Cleveland, one of the best clinicians in the country. Dr. Miller gives two lectures and holds a half-day medical clinic. Persons wishing information should apply to W. B. Hinsdale, M. D.

Miss Carmen Maas, of East Liberty street, left yesterday for the east to attend Georgetown Convent near Washington the coming year. Miss Maas will be accompanied by her mother, who will spend Sunday in Washington and remain at the convent until Miss Carmen is settled. Georgetown convent is one of the most exclusive and finished boarding schools of the country and numbers among its graduates scores of charming and brilliant women.

Jonas Marsh died Tuesday at his home in Scio of old age, he being over 91 years old. He was born in the state of New York and came to Ann Arbor many years ago at the time a little log tavern was stationed here. He worked on farms for many years until he bought one in Scio. At the time of his death he owned over 300 acres. The funeral will be held from his late residence this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Forest Hill cemetery. The deceased leaves ten children.

John Hayes, of Detroit, was arrested Tuesday on the Michigan Central railroad tracks by Officer Isbell, for being drunk. He was brought before Justice Gibson Wednesday and ordered to pay a fine of \$5 and costs. The defendant had only \$3 and was therefore confined to the jail for 15 days. The prisoner claims he is a ship carpenter and said he was only out on a lark. He got drunk in Detroit and did not seem to know how or when he arrived in Ann Arbor. He will have enough time now to contemplate his return home.

Mrs. Flora Finkbeiner, wife of Michael Finkbeiner and sister of the late Albert Schumacher, died yesterday morning about 7:30, aged 42 years. She has been in poor health several years, but had been confined to her bed for the past few weeks. She leaves a husband and mother, Mrs. Mary Schumacher. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from her late residence, 309 S. Ashley street, at 2 o'clock, and at 2:30 from the Bethlehem church. Rev. John Neumann officiating. Interment in Forest Hill cemetery.

An exciting runaway occurred on S. Division street Tuesday morning. Mrs. C. J. Jeffers was driving down Packard street, when her horse became frightened at an electric car and started to run. Mrs. Jeffers kept the animal under control until it reached Division street, where it turned sharply, throwing Mrs. Jeffers out of the carriage onto the lawn extension. The horse was caught farther down the street and Mrs. Jeffers pluckily got into the carriage and drove away. Other than a few bruises, she sustained no injury from her spill.

The Hawks-Angus people are putting in a loop near Chelsea, which has caused more or less curiosity as to its purpose. From an unofficial, but apparently reliable source the Patriot learns that it is to be used for side-tracking purposes in a new undertaking of the company, which is the establishment of a fast car service between Detroit and Jackson. This service, it is expected, will consist of two cars each way per day, which will stop only at the more important stations on the road and make the trip almost as fast as the steam cars.—Jackson Patriot.

Mrs. Duane Doty died very suddenly Friday morning, of pneumonia, at her home in Pullman, Ill. She was taken with a severe cold the day before her death. Mrs. Doty was the daughter of Mrs. Prof. Williams, her maiden name being Richards. She left this city for Detroit about 30 years ago, where her husband, who is a brother of Mrs. H. P. Finley, of this city, was superintendent of schools for ten years or more. Afterwards they removed to Chicago, where Mr. Doty held a similar position. They have resided in Pullman, Ill., for some years, where Mr. Doty has long been chief engineer of the Pullman Car Co. Mrs. Doty was a woman of lovely character. She leaves a husband, who is very ill from heart trouble, a son and a daughter.

Miss M. E. Bast is the lady who is to take charge of Mack & Co.'s millinery department this season. She arrived from New York yesterday and no doubt will be welcomed here by all ladies who appreciate artistic and becoming styles in millinery. In procuring her services Mr. Mack has gone to an unusual expense but in this as in all matters pertaining to The Store's improvement and better service, he has not hesitated. Being a woman of acknowledged talent and large experience in this particular branch of trade Mack & Co. will no doubt enjoy a marked improvement in this section of their establishment.

The arithmetic class in the Y. M. C. A. night school has always drawn the largest attendance, and little wonder. There is scarcely a subject that a young man uses more in everyday life. The number of men whose education in arithmetic has been neglected from one cause and another is surprisingly large. But the need is not only great, it is well provided for by the association night school. A thorough course of 50 lessons is offered in elementary arithmetic and the second year a man may return and complete advanced arithmetic. The instructor is Prof. L. P. Jocelyn, of the high school faculty, whose ability to teach mathematics is unquestioned and who takes a personal interest in the welfare and advancement of each student. The work done in these classes is of such a character that a student who has completed his course satisfactorily can enter the high school without further examination. The pride of the Y. M. C. A. night school, however, is the fact that its opportunities are not costly but are within the reach of the poorest young man who has and desire to better himself. One may take arithmetic by joining the association, which costs \$2 a year, and admits to many other valuable privileges, and by paying a tuition fee of \$2.

THE Y. M. C. A. NIGHT SCHOOL

The night school of the Y. M. C. A. opens Sept. 29, 1902, and closes April 4, 1903.

The course this year has several new additions and besides the regular work many educational lectures and practical talks will be given by various thinkers, scholars and public men. The following are the courses taken up by competent instructors in the night school:

Arithmetic—Monday and Wednesday evenings at 7. L. P. Jocelyn, instructor.

Reading, Spelling, Composition and Grammar—Monday and Wednesday evenings at 8. Darrell H. Davis, instructor.

Penmanship and Business Correspondence—Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 7.

Book Keeping—Thursday evenings, 7 to 9. F. C. Penoyer, instructor.

Mechanical Drawing—Wednesday evenings, 7 to 9. Herbert J. Goulding, instructor.

Free Hand Drawing—Same hour and same instructor as above.

Electricity—(To be organized if there are ten applicants.)—Two evenings a week. H. W. Hawkes, instructor.

Tuition for any of the above courses, \$2; two courses, \$3.

Conversational German—Mondays and Wednesdays at 5. J. A. C. Hildner, Ph. D., instructor. Tuition \$4.

Shorthand—(To be organized if ten apply.)—Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7. S. A. Moran, instructor. Tuition, \$4.

Civil Service—(For men desiring to take civil service examinations.)—Hours to be arranged. Tuition, \$2.

Each course consists of 50 lessons of one hour each. International examinations will be held from March 30 to April 4, 1903, and are open to all students.

Current Topics Club—Monday evenings at 8.

Fencing Club—Monday evenings at 8. Ambrose C. Pack, instructor.

Poster Club—Pen and ink sketching, poster and window card designing, display ads., etc. Monday evenings at 7. Richard Tweedy, instructor. Tuition, \$1.

Reading Courses—In history, patriotism, citizenship and modern fiction.—Course I comprises 14 books, 6 of which must be read to meet the requirements. Course II comprises 18 books, 10 of which must be read to meet the requirements. International examinations the first week in April. Certificates granted for the successful completion of either course. The books may be drawn from the association libraries.

Educational Lectures—1. A stereopticon lecture on a subject of current interest; 2. "Cuba, the New Nation," Luis Marino Perez; 3. "The Joy and Sorrows of Journalism," James Schermerhorn, editor of Detroit Today; 4. "The Trial of Jesus from the Lawyer's Standpoint," Prof. J. C. Knowlton.

Practical Talks—1. "Saving and Spending," C. Frank Allmendinger; 2. "The Care and Use of a Razor"; 3. "What Shall a Michigan Man Do with his Feet?" a talk on etiquette; 4. "Leurey Cavern and Natural Bridge"; 5. "In Old Mexico"; 6. Egypt and the Nile"; 7. "Choosing a Life Work."

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Washtenaw Fair, Sept. 9, 10, 11, 12.



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 brewery at Manchester has been reopened.

Larry Kirk is building a new barn in Manchester township.

There are 363 children of school age in the Manchester district.

Miss Florence Collins, of Lyndon, is teaching in Eaton Rapids.

Miss Martha Kusterer is teaching in District No. 3, of Freedom.

Miss Josephine Hoppe, of Sylvan, is teaching the Lima Center school.

Miss Flora Saley is teaching in the Grossman district in Manchester.

Thomas Murray died at his home in Dexter township Sept. 3, after a long illness.

Miss Nellie Mingay, of Chelsea, is again preceptress of the Clinton schools.

Remember the biggest fair in the history of the county will be Sept. 9, 10, 11, and 12.

They grow big turtles in Manchester. Leo Senger shot a 22-pounder on the upper pond.

The little two months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Riedel, of Manchester, died Sept. 3, of dysentery.

There are 1,248 books in the Dexter school library and 285 children of school age in the district.

Mrs. William Troitz died in Sharon Sept. 3, aged 59 years, leaving a husband and two grown children.

Misses Elizabeth Rawson and Jessie Aulls, of Bridgewater, are teaching school in the upper peninsula.

The Junior Stars, of Chelsea, have won 20 out of 25 games of base ball and scored 436 runs to 216 for their opponents.

The Manchester Enterprise is 36 years old and a good type of a village paper, always filled with interesting local jottings.

George M. Sutton, of Manchester raised 800 bushels of oats and Wm. F. Martin 700 bushels, an average of 50 bushels to the acre.

Miss Bertha Faber, daughter of Wm. Faber, of Chelsea, died in Jackson of typhoid fever aged 19 years. She was buried in Manchester.

The Manchester schools cost \$5,134.46 last year. The estimate for next year is about \$450 less. The sum of \$3,300 is needed for teachers' salaries.

Editor John O. Thompson is now a school trustee, being unanimously elected in Dexter to succeed S. L. Jenny. O. C. Bostwick succeeded himself.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Whittington, who died in Sylvan Sept. 2, aged 83 years, came to Michigan in 1834 and to Sylvan in 1846. She left two sons and a daughter.

Reila Howard, the little niece of T. Wellwood, of southwestern Manchester, was severely bitten in the face by a dog last week, the wound requiring a doctor's care.

Fred Jedede, of Dexter, had a big barn filled with hay and grain destroyed by fire Tuesday. The fire is supposed to have originated from spontaneous combustion.

Bernhardt Koebbe died in Freedom Sept. 4, aged 74 years. He located in Freedom in 1846 and was a successful farmer. He left a wife and three children. The funeral is held Sunday in Emanuel church in Freedom.

The Dexter schools cost \$5,221.72 last year, of which the teachers got \$2,628 and \$1,000 of the school bonds were paid. The sum of \$339.99 was realized from foreign tuition. The school tax voted for this year is \$3,800, an increase of \$200 over last year.

The following are among the Lyndon teachers: Alta Skidmore in district No. 3, known as the Canfield; Kate Collins at Lyndon Center; Marguerite Conway in fri. district No. 12, known as the McIntee; Edna Deade in Collins Plains, district No. 5; Nora Reade in district No. 10, known as the Heatley.

John G. Feldkamp, of Freedom, did something this year that is new in his experience. He had a field of timothy on which two weeks ago he cut a second crop, securing splendid hay. What was peculiar about this was that the timothy had blossomed out and stood up just as well as the first crop that had been cut.

Director W. J. Knapp has completed the school census of Chelsea, and finds there are 428 children of school age in the district. Of these 208 are boys and 220 are girls. This is a slight decrease from last year's numbers. In fact the number of school children has been steadily decreasing for the past 10 years, although the population has been increasing. Ten years ago when Mr. Knapp took the census there were 462 children of school age in the district. It was then a common thing to find six and eight children in a family, nowadays such families are not found very frequently.—Chelsea Herald.

Miss Caroline W. Kirchgessner and Arthur C. Jacquemain, both of Manchester, were married in St. Mary's church Wednesday morning by Rev. Fr. McGlachlin. The church was prettily decorated. The bridesmaids were Miss Christin Stegmiller, of Jackson, and Miss Marie Fisher, of Adrian. The groomsmen were Oscar Kirchgessner and Henry Jacquemain. The ushers were Roland Lehr and Carl Nufer. A large and elaborate reception with many guests from a distance was held at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kirchgessner, and in the evening a goodly company danced in the third floor of the Kirchgessner building.

A BOY'S WILD RIDE FOR LIFE.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles A. E. Mummery's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haenssler's, Manchester, drug stores.

THE SUMMER SEASON

is full of danger particularly for the children, who not knowing the result of eating unripe fruit, indulge themselves, with the usual gripping pains in the stomach as a consequence; mothers should have on hand at all times a bottle of Painskiller (Perry Davis) which will at once relieve the sufferer; it is a safe, simple remedy and it should be kept in every house. Large bottles 25 and 50 cents.

WORK ON THE NEW CEMENT PLANT

STONE BEING DRAWN FOR IT AT FOUR MILE LAKE

The Glazier Stove Co.'s Big Signs—Electric Light Plant Being Overhauled—Two Deaths Chronicled

Chelsea, Sept. 5.—Born, Sept. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Brooks, a son.

Improvement seems to be the order of the day with the Glazier Stove Co., the latest being two immense wire signs that can be readily read by the travelers on the M. C. no matter how fast the speed of the train through our village. The one for the new office building is 5 feet high and extends across the front and entire length of the building, and the letters are three feet in height. The other will be placed on the foundry building facing the M. C. passenger house, with two rows of letters. The upper row is two and a half feet high and the lower one three and a half feet. Both signs are of wire.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Whittington was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Gage, yesterday morning. Mrs. Whittington was 83 years of age and has for a number of years made her home with her daughter in Sylvan township.

W. P. Schenk is having a barn 26x40 feet erected on his property on Adams street.

The Western German Cement Co. have a number of teams drawing stone for their new works at Four-Mile Lake, and carpenters are at work on a new office building for them. The plant will be located near the M. C. tracks on lands that the company recently purchased of Mrs. Thos. Sears in Lima.

Geo. W. Turnbull, one of the prominent men of this place, is critically ill at his home with but slight hopes of his recovery. He is reported a little better today.

The village electric light plant has had a thorough overhauling this week and is again in commission.

Thos. Murry, of Dexter township, is very low with Bright's disease.

The schools opened here Tuesday with an attendance of about 350.

John B. Koebbe, of Freedom, died at his home yesterday aged 75 years. The funeral will be held from his late home next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Ed. Weiss, of this place, is a daughter of the deceased.

Next Wednesday will occur the annual meeting and election of officers of the O. W. S.

The Women's Guild of the Congregational church will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hoppe on Wednesday, Sept. 2.

HOLD ONE MORE UNION SERVICE

It was decided at a meeting held Sunday by the pastors of the various churches, to hold an additional union service, instead of closing these services with the one on next Sunday evening. The decision was made owing to the fact that the M. E. conference will be in session on Sept. 21, and that the Presbyterian church will not be finished at that time. The service will be held at the Congregational church, Rev. Grafton, of the Memorial Christian church preaching the sermon. After Sept. 21 the regular services will be resumed in all of the churches.

Read the Argus-Democrat, the best weekly. Only \$1 per year.

FRIEND OF DEAF MUTES.

Interesting Reminiscences of the Rev. Dr. Thomas Gallaudet.

Rev. Dr. Thomas Gallaudet's death will cause mourning around the world, says the New York Times. Thousands of deaf mutes are scattered who loved the rector of St. Ann's church, in New York, for the work he had done for them.

Dr. Gallaudet followed in the footsteps of his father, for whom he was named. Like his father, he married a deaf mute, and gave up his life for the help of the unfortunates. Father and son were called to the labor of love through the afflictions of others. Each was a minister of the Protestant Episcopal church. The elder Gallaudet, when a young man in Hartford, Conn., pitied a little girl, Alice Cogswell, the daughter of a neighbor, who had lost her power of speech and hearing through scarlet fever. He managed to communicate with her through a system of signals with the fingers. It was not long before he taught the little girl to read.

Alice's father, finding that there were many others similarly afflicted, interested wealthy men of Hartford in a school for deaf mutes. Dr. Gallaudet was sent abroad, where it was said that the foreigners best understood the sign language. He returned with Laurent Clerc, a pupil of Secard, and the celebrated institution at Hartford, the first in America, was founded. Other schools sprang up all over the country.

Dr. Gallaudet, the son, after being graduated from Trinity college, accepted the position of instructor in what is now the New York Institute for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb. At the same time he was studying for the ministry. Soon after his ordination a minister told him of a young girl dying with consumption. She was deaf and dumb and could not read, as she had never been instructed. The young clergyman went to her and in a little while was able to make her understand the sign language. In that way he gave to her the consolations of religion. She died shortly after, having signaled: "I leave content and sure of my welcome."

Dr. Gallaudet was a frequent visitor to the bar of the Fifth Avenue hotel, in New York, on Sunday afternoons. It has been the custom of the proprietors for years to give up this room to the afflicted on Sunday. One week day he heard some one laughing at the antics of a "dummy" in the bar. He walked in, wearing his clerical garb. He made a few swift movements on his fingers, and the man left the place with him. He was never seen again in the bar except on Sunday afternoons.

"I have heard and read many pathetic stories," said Senator Hoar to a Washington Star man, "but none of them ever awoke so much bad sympathy as one which Professor Gallaudet related. The professor had a favorite pupil, a little deaf mute boy, who was exceptionally bright. Mr. Gallaudet asked him if he knew the story of George Washington and the cherry tree. With his nimble fingers the little one said he did, and then he proceeded to repeat it. The noiseless gesticulations continued until the boy had informed the professor of the mutilated tree and his quest for the mutilator. 'When George's father asked him who backed his favorite tree,' signaled the voiceless child, 'George put his hatchet in his left hand—'

"Stop," interrupted the professor. 'Where do you get your authority for saying he took the hatchet in his left hand?'

"Why," responded the boy, who knew nothing of speech, "he needed his right hand to tell his father that he cut the tree."

FOOTBALL RULE CHANGES

Expert Thinks New Regulations Will Not Materially Alter Game.

Regarding the changes in this year's football rules a prominent authority on the game, according to a New York dispatch to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, says:

"It does not seem to me that the changes will very materially affect the game. The one of most importance is, of course, the one about changing goals after a touchdown or a goal, and this would sometimes make very considerable difference.

"Under the old rules, if there was a strong wind and that wind died down in the second half, only one team got the benefit of it.

"A most serious objection to the change may prove to be that the shifting of goals will mix up the spectators somewhat.

"It is safe to say that the general public will notice no alterations in the play by the changes in the rest of the rules except that penalties are more generally five yards than ten yards. This is evidently based upon the hope that the officials will be more strict in enforcing them.

"I do not see anything in the rules which makes any very radical alterations in the style of coaching teams."

Fall Footwear For Women.

The summer girl is bringing back to town a new style in footwear, says the New York Evening Journal. This is a shoe of colored suede or patent leather, laced with colored ribbon at the ankles, these ribbons tied in a neat little bow in front. Brown undressed kid, with brown satin ribbons over paler brown silk stockings, is the combination that one sees more of than any other. Next in popularity is black patent leather or suede, laced with black satin ribbon over black silk stockings. The ribbons are attached as they are on sandals. They are wrapped around the ankle in the Grecian way and finished about four inches above the ankle.

Poor Sinner's Bell.

The poor sinner's bell is a bell in the city of Breslau, in the province of Silesia, Prussia, and hangs in the tower of one of the city churches. It was cast July 17, 1380, according to historic records. It is said that a great bell founder of the place had undertaken to make the finest church bell he had ever made.

When the metal was melted, the founder withdrew for a few moments leaving a boy to watch the furnace and enjoining him not to meddle with the catch that held the molten metal, but the boy disobeyed the caution, and when he saw the metal flowing into the mold he called the founder.

The latter rushed in and, seeing as he thought his work of weeks undone and his masterpiece ruined, struck the boy a blow that caused his immediate death. When the metal cooled and the mold was opened, the bell was found to be not only perfect, but of marvelous sweetness of tone.

The founder gave himself up to the authorities, was tried and condemned to death. On the day of his execution the bell was rung to call people to attend church and offer a prayer for the unhappy man's soul, and from that it obtained the name of "the poor sinner's bell."

Kingly Superstitions.

Kingship has been kin to superstition always. James I. of England was superstitious about dates, and there were remarkable coincidences in his life with certain dates of the calendar. The day of the month on which he was born was strangely interwoven with the days of birth and marriage of his wife and some of his children and their wives. But James was an old fool who made love to young Buckingham, who laughed in his face and robbed him of his jewels.

Napoleon was superstitious about the way he put on his stockings. Frederick the Great and the great Peter of Russia were superstitious about dozens of things. Marlborough, both as Jack Churchill and the duke, was superstitious as well as a thief and a traitor. Nearly all the Stuarts were superstitious and double dealers in religion. Henry of Navarre was superstitious, but that never kept him from a thousand infidelities. All the children of Catherine de Medici were scared to death by their superstitions, but they could lie, cheat and murder just as well. If Cromwell was a victim of superstition, he kept it to himself.—New York Press.

Fishing For Ducks.

In India an ingenious scheme is practiced for taking ducks on a line, which is attached at one end to a flexible stick stuck up in the mud, the other extremity having a double pointed needle of bone attached to it. The latter is baited by stringing upon it some grains of corn. Presently along comes Mr. Duck, swallows the needle and finds himself a captive the moment he tries to fly away. In olden times the Cape Cod fishermen depended largely for bait upon the seafoal they took on their voyages. To catch them they threw out fishing lines with hooks on the end, to which were attached chunks of cod liver. The latter floated because of the oil they contained, and murre, gulls and other birds swallowing them were quickly pulled in, skinned and chopped up.

Roast Peacock.

In the old days a peacock was perhaps the most gorgeous and decorative dish on the Christmas board. This was prepared by first carefully removing the skin without losing the feathers. The fowl was then dressed, stuffed with all kinds of good things, roasted and finally sewed into its skin, still retaining the brilliant plumage. The beak was gilded, and this dish, fit for a king, was placed upon the table amid the blare of trumpets and the rapturous applause of the revelers.

What He Missed.

Mrs. De Style—It's a pity you could not have heard that sermon today.

Mr. De Style—After paying for your Sunday wardrobe I haven't money enough left to buy myself a decent thing to wear.

Mrs. De Style—That's just it, and that sermon would have made you blush for very shame. It was on the "Idolatrous Worship of Fine Clothes."—New York Weekly.

The Jailer Jest.

"What brought you here?" asked the temperance advocate who was visiting the prison.

"I'm a wife beater," replied convict No. 41144 gruffly.

"Another case of lick'er," murmured the jailer, who, despite his occupation, was a man of no little humor.—Philadelphia Record.

What the Baby Needed.

"Papa," said Tommy, "little brother is a week old tomorrow, isn't he?"

"Yes."

"Let's you and me give him a birthday present."

"Very well. What shall it be?"

"Let's buy him a wig. He needs that more than anything."

A Choice of Professions.

"If I had not been brought up to a dean," says Dr. Hole of Rochester, "there are three other vocations I should have liked to have followed—master of a pack of hounds, head gardener in a large nursery or a book-seller. I think the last is the best office of the three."

His Gray Hairs.

Sunday School Teacher—Remember, children, always respect gray hair.

Tommy Traddles—Well, my pa does not.

Sunday School Teacher (in astonishment)—What makes you think that?

Tommy Traddles—He dyes his whiskers.—Exchange.

MISS WHEDON HAS RETURNED

FROM INSTITUTE WORK AT DENVER, COLORADO,

Progress of Miss Herey's Candidacy for State Superintendent of Public Instruction

Miss Sarah Whedon has recently returned from Denver, Colo., where she had charge of the English department in the Teachers' Institute conducted there this summer by Miss Emma Herey, county superintendent of schools.

The convention at which the nomination of the state superintendent of schools will be made has not yet been called. Miss Whedon says that at the time she left great enthusiasm over the respective candidates on both sides prevailed. Miss Herey, who, as previously stated in the Argus is a candidate, is very popular and has many staunch friends who recognize her worth and ability, but the present superintendent may be re-elected, she having also enthusiastic friends and being only one year in office. The republican daily has spoken in favorable terms of Miss Herey and she has also many people on that side who think she is the right person for the nomination. Miss Whedon speaks in the highest terms of Miss Herey. The institute that she has conducted the past summer was one of the best examples possible that could be shown of the fine school work she is doing in Denver. The institute, Miss Whedon says, was not merely to cram teachers for the purpose of securing certificates, but the real educational and cultural aim was the chief result sought. The institute was conducted along original lines and was an ideal summer school. Miss Herey is one of the most progressive educators in the west and has the true methods and instincts of the ideal teacher. A brilliant future has been deservedly opened to her and even if she is not elected this time, it can be considered by her a great honor that her name has been brought up for nomination. Her term as county superintendent has not yet expired and it is said that the salary of state superintendent is not much more than that of county superintendent.

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OPENING OF THE

"ROYAL FRONTENAC" HOTEL, FRANKFORD, MICH.

The "Royal Frontenac" Hotel, the handsomest summer hotel in the north, will open its first season July 1st under the management of J. R. Hayes, the man who made Mackinac Island famous, and C. A. Brent, formerly superintendent of the Union League Club, Chicago.

Music, dancing, boating, bathing, fishing, horse-back riding, golf, tennis and many other forms of entertainment will be provided. You will find Frankford and the new hotel a most delightful place to spend your vacation.

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN } ss
County of Washtenaw. }
In the matter of the estate of William C. Foster, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said Wm. C. Foster by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 12th day of August A. D. 1902 there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of deceased in the township of Selco in the County of Washtenaw in said state, on Tuesday, the 30th day of September A. D. 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased the following described real estate, to-wit:

The east half of the south west fourth of section twenty-three in the township of Selco, Washtenaw county, Michigan, excepting therefrom about one acre of land on the south side thereof, heretofore sold to the Detroit, Ann Arbor and Jackson Railway Company as a right of way, also excepting about one-half an acre of land on the north side thereof, heretofore sold to the electric railway, known as the Boland Road, as a right of way.

Dated August 12th, 1902.

CHARLES S. FOSTER,
Administrator of the estate of Wm. C. Foster.
W. D. HARRIMAN, atty. for Administrator.

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E. B. NORRIS, Attorney for Petitioner

Estate of Caroline M. Root

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 28th day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Caroline M. Root, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Charles H. Cole, one of the creditors of the said Caroline M. Root, praying that administration of said estate be granted to Seth C. Randall, or some other suitable person and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Argus-Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

WILLIS L. WATKINS,
Judge of Probate.
JAMES E. MCGREGOR, Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Louis C. McBride and Mary F. McBride, his wife, of the city of Detroit, Wayne county, Michigan, to William E. Beach, of Howell, Livingston county, Michigan, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1899, which mortgage was recorded on the first day of July, 1899, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, in Liber 84 of Mortgages, on page 81; which said mortgage was on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1899, duly assigned to Hosea Rogers of Rochester, Monroe county, New York, which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1900, in Liber 13 of Mortgages, on page 410.

It being provided in said mortgage that should default be made in the payment of said principal or interest, or any part thereof, when the same are payable as provided in said mortgage, and should the same, or any part thereof, remain unpaid for the period of thirty days, then the principal sum with all arrearages of interest should at the option of said mortgagee, his legal representatives and assigns, become payable immediately thereafter, although the period limited for payment thereof should not then have expired; and default having been made in the semi-annual payment of interest which by virtue of said mortgage became due on June 23, 1901, and also default having been made in the semi-annual payment of interest which by virtue of said mortgage became due on December 23, 1901, and more than thirty days having elapsed since said payments and each of them became due on the same, but neither of them nor any part of the same having been paid, the said assignee by virtue of the option given in said mortgage hereby declares the whole amount of moneys, both principal and interest, secured by said mortgage, to be due and payable immediately.

There is claimed to be due on said mortgage on this date the sum of two thousand five hundred and nine dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$2,509.38), and no suit or proceeding having been instituted in law to collect the same, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 13th day of September, A. D. 1902, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the south front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county in which the mortgaged premises are situated) the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder, of the premises contained in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, including costs and interests and an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars provided in said mortgage. Said premises being situated in the township of Lyndon, county of Washtenaw, and state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast fractional quarter of section number five (5), and the northwest quarter of the northwest fractional quarter of section number four (4), all in Town one (1) south of range number three (3) east, Michigan.

The above premises being occupied and mortgaged as one parcel or tract. Dated, June 18, A. D. 1902.

HOSEA ROGERS,
Assignee.

SHIELDS & SHIELDS,
Attorneys for Assignee, of Howell Mich.

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DETROIT, YPSILANTI, ANN ARBOR & JACKSON RAILWAY.

In Effect July 6, 1902. GOING WEST. Through cars from Detroit to Jackson leave Detroit on every hour from 6:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. Then at 7:00 p. m. and 9:00 p. m. Cars from Detroit to Ann Arbor leave Detroit every half hour from 6:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m. Then at 8:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m., 10:00 p. m. and 10:45 p. m. Cars leave Ypsilanti for Ann Arbor at 5:45 a. m. and 6:15 a. m. Cars leave Ypsilanti for Jackson at 5:45 a. m. and 6:45 a. m. GOING EAST. Through cars from Jackson to Detroit leave Jackson hourly from 5:45 a. m. until 6:45 p. m. Then at 8:45 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 6:15 p. m. Then at 7:15 p. m., 8:15 p. m., 9:15 p. m., 10:15 p. m. and 11:15 p. m. Cars leave Ypsilanti for Detroit at 5:45 a. m. and 6:15 a. m. Cars leave Dearborn for Detroit at 5:40 a. m. and 6:10 a. m. Cars leave Ann Arbor for Ypsilanti only at 6:45 p. m., 7:45 p. m., 8:45 p. m., 12:15 a. m. and 12:45 a. m. On Saturdays and Sundays, in addition to the above the following cars will be run: Detroit to Jackson, 6:00 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. Detroit to Ann Arbor, 7:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. Jackson to Detroit, 7:45 p. m. and 9:45 p. m. Ann Arbor to Detroit, 6:45 p. m., 7:45 p. m. and 8:45 p. m. On Sundays, first cars leave terminals one hour late. 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, 7:00, 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.

CARNEGIE'S GIFT TO MORLEY

Features of Acton Library Presented to the British Statesman.

The library which Lord Acton collected at Aldenham park, in England, and for which he had, some thirty years ago, a special addition to his house built, is so complete as a storehouse of modern secular and ecclesiastical history that it is surpassed by few public institutions and is equaled by no private library in Europe or America, says the New York Times. In one respect indeed the library is unique. A large number of the volumes were annotated by Lord Acton. That great scholar, whose learning has been proverbial in England for the last quarter of a century, wrote very little, but his enormous stores of information were used in amplifying the volumes in his possession. Doubtless it is this fact that has induced Mr. Carnegie to present the books to the Right Hon. John Morley, for Mr. Morley is perhaps the one man in the world best equipped to utilize the knowledge which is contained in the Acton books and the annotations which Lord Acton made. The subjects which chiefly interested Lord Acton, such as the history of the papacy and that of modern Europe, especially Germany, France and Italy; the Jesuits and the evolution of political opinion and of political economy are most of them subjects on which Mr. Morley is an authority. The library is rich in volumes on these subjects and is particularly rich in Indices Librorum Prohibitorum, Jesuitica, collections of letters in Italian, Latin and French, books relating to the council of Trent and the massacre of St. Bartholomew, Italian, French and German local histories and histories of Protestantism in the several French provinces. One remarkable feature of the library is that it contains no rarities as such without other qualities of value. Every book that Lord Acton bought was bought because he desired to read it. The fact that a very large proportion of his books were extremely rare and in some cases unique was only incidental. Mr. Morley has so often expressed the view that just such a collection as he now possesses should be available for public purposes that it may be expected that the library will eventually be added to some public institution.

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INDIANS AT ST. LOUIS FAIR.

Government Approval of the Proposed Congress of Red Men.

The department of the interior at Washington has given its consent to the proposal of the management of the St. Louis world's fair to hold a red men's ethnological congress on the exposition grounds, says the New York Evening Post. The invitation to take part will be passed around the several reservations, and it is the desire of the department that, as this will probably be the last gathering of its kind—the tutelage of the Indians being now generally so far on its way toward dissolution—as large a proportion as practicable of the older generation of Indians shall be present. They are the element who retain the traditions of the old and characteristic tribal life and traits. The later generations, it is hoped, have got to the point where they will speedily merge into our population. The appropriation set apart for this feature is believed to be large enough to permit several hundred Indians of both sexes to come to St. Louis. A space will be assigned to the congress apart from the government building, with a stockade around it, so that the white guardians sent with the red men from the reservations can keep them continually under their eyes.

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TALE OF BOER COURTESY.

How a British Soldier's Letter Was Sent to His Mother.

From Aldershot comes a pleasant story of Boer courtesy, writes the London correspondent of the Philadelphia Times. On Dec. 8, 1900, Mr. Barker, who had come from Aldershot with the mounted infantry, wrote to his mother from Krugersdorp, inclosing a postal order. Sent off suddenly out to Nooitgedacht, he lost his haversack and the letter too. A few days ago his mother received it, with this addition from Dr. Pamelger: "Inclosed letter came into my possession after the battle of Nooitgedacht, Dec. 13, 1900. The war now being over, I send you this letter and the postal order, possibly a remembrance from your Charlie, so much the dearer to you if he was killed." He was not killed, but home again at Aldershot and able to meet the doctor's postscript, "Please will you answer me."

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THE EXPERIENCES OF A NEWSDEALER

Says the Argus Maintains a High Standard

CONDEMNS PENNY SHEETS

Interesting Review of the Business of Newsdealer Stofflet

I have often been solicited to relate my experiences as a newsdealer. In compliance with the request, I have to be pardoned for introducing into the account little matters and incidents concerning persons with whom I came into contact, and which may help to make such account interesting.

After 35 years of busy life—25 as a school teacher, three as a job printer, and seven as a bazaar merchant—I turned my attention from these, and at once became infatuated with the idea of becoming a newsdealer. I imagined that if I could get the agency of one leading daily paper, rent a small store, stock up on a limited supply of leading magazines and story-books, I could make at least \$25.00 a month clear, and this, with a small income I had besides, would comfortably support me and my family.

It was in the latter part of 1888, on the eve of a presidential election, that an opportunity opened to me for an agency. Frank Prettyman, brother of our townsman, H. G. Prettyman, was then located as Detroit Tribune agent on E. Ann street, near the corner of Ann and Fourth streets. The exciting character of the existing political campaign gave the Tribune, then a republican paper, some advantages, and a list of some 400 subscribers was secured. This attracted my attention. I called upon Mr. Prettyman and negotiated for his agency and other stock in hand, paying \$125.00 for the same.

THE TRIBUNE CO.

A new contract was drawn up with the Detroit Tribune Co., and I started in as newsdealer with high hopes and promises. I cast around, and desiring to make the news business pay me as I had planned, I sublet half my store to Wm. Root, a laundryman. The result was favorable while there was plenty of room for both; but soon the news business grew on my hands, and I became pressed for room. The Chicago Daily News came in about the same year as a penny paper, and the Detroit Journal, then handled by Mr. Yale, P. O. newsdealer, both fell into my hands, and I was gradually gaining ground. For the Journal list of 125 subscribers at that time I paid \$25, and then signed a contract with the publishers for the agency. I had now some \$250 expenses, besides the regular paper accounts, and the money I had calculated to make was yet in the distance. I foresaw that a circulation of 500 papers was not enough. I buckled to the work, and in the course of a year the Journal had increased in Ann Arbor to nearly 400 subscribers. The list of the Tribune stood firm. Meantime I moved onto N. Main street, into the store owned by Mr. Hall, now occupied by Mr. Exinger for bazaar purposes. Here I rented half the store with better accommodations than I had before. My ledger account was beginning to give me better credit, and I began to prosper. I found, however, after a six months' trial here, that I was not yet in the right location. I had comfortable quarters, but it was not where trade centered. I then moved my news business into the opera house block store, then occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Co., renting half the store. A satisfactory revival was felt. Business came my way, and I waited on my customers and laid out my work with an energy and zeal that attracted publishers of papers as well as those wishing papers delivered. I instituted a general subscription agency, and in twelve months' time in this locality I had a volume of business, the pride of a newsdealer, even more than my scanty room could accommodate, and to my credit I had a clear one thousand dollars.

It was my custom to keep a clear and minute record of all yearly subscriptions to papers and magazines I took, and when these expired, solicited a renewal. Thus I not only acquired new trade, but also kept the old in line. When a customer wanted back numbers of papers or magazines not in stock, I spared no pains or expense to obtain them for him. Thus I worked and shifted along until eight years ago a better opening came and I rented the store I now occupy at No. 121 N. Main street. This gave me ample room for my business, and with renewed activity I took advantage of the better location to build up my trade to its highest.

GOT A SET-BACK.

About this time Mr. Brearley left the management of the Detroit Journal. This seemed to give it a set-back, and in less than three months its circulation in Ann Arbor fell off 50 per cent. The new management came with complaints, making charges that were unfounded, and I grew prejudiced against them. This then opened the way to me for the Detroit Evening News agency, a more valuable holding. I relinquished the Journal and took up the agency of the Evening News. I started in with a 350 circulation, which soon increased to 450; and finally, in

combination with the Ann Arbor Daily Times, it ran up to eleven or twelve hundred subscribers. With strict attention to my business, working early and late, seeing that every complaint was investigated and all errors corrected, collecting up promptly and meeting all proper obligations, I soon doubled my trade and income, and for several years had to my credit \$2,000 a year. Thus I prospered—sometimes a paper was dropped, or another taken up—till about the year 1892 when the height of my ambition and profit in the news business was reached.

For many years the Detroit Free Press, the acknowledged leader of Michigan newspapers, was handled in Ann Arbor by W. W. Watts. Finally Mr. Steffy, then P. O. newsdealer, came into possession of it. Soon after, Mr. Steffy failing in business, I bought out his stock and interest and then began negotiations for the Free Press agency. I met their representative, Mr. W. H. Gillespie, in Ann Arbor, and was informed that my credentials were all right, but that it needed \$400 to settle Mr. Steffy's account with them. I stuck to the motto, "When you see a good thing grasp it," and without much parleying wrote out my check for \$400, and have ever since profited by the act. My first year's experience as agent for the Free Press, from accumulation of business, sale of Steffy stock and goods, netted me \$2,900 clear profit. If I made money in the news business, and gathered around me influence and friends (not to mention the newsdealer's fate, a little hatred and abuse) I also spent a great share of my earnings for the city's interest, for the comfort and well-being of the army of newsboys from time to time in my employ. I never carried away a dollar, and every dollar I made has gone back to the city for labor, taxes and other worthy objects.

UNIVERSITY ARTICLES.

About this time there appeared in the Detroit Tribune a series of articles criticizing the University of Michigan, and especially the Board of Regents for the heavy salaries that were paid to professors of the University. They were years of depression, and the burdened taxpayers, they thought, felt an interest in any move that would lessen the burdens of taxation. The people of Ann Arbor and many of the teachers and professors of the University, however, regarded it as a direct attack on them and at their interest for the Tribune to advocate a scaling down of salaries and expenses. Accordingly a unanimous condemnation went out against the paper here. Subscriptions commenced to fall off. It was even reported that members of the Board of Regents condemned the paper and advised the reading of other papers in preference to the Tribune. Its political affiliations, too, were in doubt and I was chided by good friends for handling the paper. The falling off of the Tribune list in Ann Arbor became a matter of concern to its publishers, and jumping to the conclusion that it was the fault of their agent, began a persistent effort to oust me from the agency. The operations were not unwelcome. They demanded my list, which I refused until I was paid back one-half the amount I had paid for the agency. I think I can safely say that subsequent events and the unsuccessful efforts to "boom" the Tribune in Ann Arbor has cleared me, and proven that I had not as agent at the time contributed towards its declining circulation.

In my employ as carriers and newsboys, I had such worthy young men as Frank Pack, late of the F. & M. bank; Roy Sage, U. S. mail carrier; Capt. Clyde Wilson; Theo. Dodsley, graduate of the dental college; Robt. McLaughlan, U. S. railway postal clerk; Gilbert Perrine, lamented soldier boy of the Philippines; the Grohs, Noll, Corselius and other good and noble boys, most of whom served me from 4 to 8 years. One more familiar than the rest, and who has been serving me steadily now for 13 years, is Hugh McGuire, the one boy against whom no kicks are ever registered. He is a veteran and a worthy. All newsboys were treated with due and equal respect; their wants and comforts on cold and rainy days were considered and everything done to satisfy and to make their work pleasant. At the end of each week came pay-day, and every carrier was paid whether he demanded it or not. Thus harmony prevailed, and a boy once attached to our corps could not be easily led away.

Now it is often said that newsboys are turbulent and saucy. Not so those under my care. I never laid down any arbitrary rules for them, simply the caution that they must be gentlemanly, that they must not smoke or use unchaste language while on duty. I have never known but one instance when my wishes were disregarded. Even Hugh McGuire, who likes his pipe, or cigar, to this day will not be seen using it in my presence.

BOYS EARNED MONEY.

Boys, too, earned and saved money. They saved enough to buy their clothing, or school books, and even helped to pay home expenses. One had at one time saved up over \$200, and then invested it in real estate. Probably is a millionaire (?). Now I may say I had a pleasant and successful career as a newsdealer. The most bustling time and greatest sales I made were during the Spanish-American war. This agency alone sold and delivered many a day as high as 3,500 papers. One will say, here was the chance for money-making. Not so. The greatest benefit fell to the scores of newsboys who were out in competition. They bought the papers cheap and sold all around you. Occasionally the newsdealer had the field; but it

was mostly when news was not stirring, then you lost on unsold papers. What once proved a lucrative business in the news trade for an active and energetic man, has now received a severe setback. The penny papers, some of them cheap trash, the small profit and the pittance of a price for which they are to be delivered, destroy all prospect of a living enterprise. The dealer that offers accommodations to his customers—store, heat, light, telephone service—at a cost of from \$30 to \$40 a month, cannot hope to prosper, and labors under a great disadvantage. What little there is in the sale of these papers goes to boys on the streets who are very active for the few pennies profit with which they are enabled to buy cigarettes and candy. The quality of the goods you buy for a penny is necessarily inferior, and so the sale is not what was expected. Instead of the sales doubling, they fall off.

We credit the Argus and the Free Press Co. with keeping the price and standard of their papers up to where it ought to be. It is the only hope of the legitimate newsdealer. Reduce the price and standard of a newspaper, and you will see the regular news stands go out of existence. The canvassers will then swarm around, the customer, or subscriber, will walk with fire in his eye, seeking the local agent to register his kicks, and demand better service. It may be the way cheap people want it, but it is not what a well regulated news business requires. F. STOFFLET.

FORTUNE FAVORS A TEXAN.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at A. C. Schumacher's, A. E. Mummery's, Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler's, Manchester, drug stores.

THE MICHIGAN OSTEOPATHS

The Michigan Osteopathic Association held its state meeting at the Cook house in this city Saturday. About 40 physicians of this school of medicine were in attendance and Dr. Bernard, of Detroit, presided over the meeting. The principal work was the presentation of clinics by Dr. W. S. Mills and discussions concerning these and papers by various members. The officers elected for the ensuing year are President, Dr. G. H. Snow, of Kalamazoo; vice president, Dr. W. S. Mills, of Ann Arbor; secretary, Dr. F. H. Williams, of Lansing; treasurer, Dr. H. B. Sullivan, of Detroit. Grand Rapids was selected as the next place of meeting. There are about 100 osteopaths in Michigan and their number seems to be rapidly growing.

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THEY WERE QUIETLY MARRIED

MRS. ANNA BURNETT BURTON AND JOHN ROLLINS

The Bride Is a Sister of Mrs. Edward Hiscock, the Groom a Chicago Lawyer and U. of M. Alumnus

Mrs. Anna Burnett Burton and John Rollins, both of Chicago, were quietly married on Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. E. S. Ninde. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served to the family of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ed Hiscock.

Mrs. Rollins is well known in this city, having lived here for several years and is a graduate from the Ann Arbor high school. Mr. Rollins is a lawyer with a lucrative practice in Chicago. He attended the literary department of the U. of M. in '80-'81 and has many friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollins are visiting relatives in the vicinity for a few days and will leave soon for Chicago, where they will reside.

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 Manistiquic, 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.

MEMORIAL WINDOW IN ST. ANDREW

A beautiful memorial window has been placed in St. Andrew's church during the past week which bears the inscription, "In memoriam, Samuel S. by their children." Dr. Garrigue died in this city some years ago and Mrs. Garrigue died in New York about a year ago and was buried in Forest Hill cemetery here. Miss Ellen E. Garrigue, of New York city, was here this week to see about putting the window in the church and has returned home. She graduated in the literary department in 1880.

The window contains the figure of an angel. It is placed on the south side and about the middle of the church.

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Foiled by Humidity. Noiselessly, but with all his might, the burglar tugged at the bureau drawer. In vain. It refused to open. He tugged again. "Give it another jerk," said a voice behind him. The burglar turned. The owner of the house was sitting up in bed and looking at him with an expression of the deepest interest on his face. "Jerk it again. There's a lot of valuable property in that drawer, but we haven't been able to open it since the damp weather began. If you can pull it out, I'll give you a handsome royalty on everything that's— But the burglar had jumped out through the window, taking a part of the cash with him.—Chicago Tribune.

Steeple Pointed Caps. Steeple pointed caps, sometimes four feet in height, came into fashion in Italy and France in 1483. They fitted the head, ran to a sharp point above, and at the end the veil was fastened.

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

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

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AGRICULTURAL PROSPERITY

The Great Source of the Nation's Wealth
BY PROF. HENRY C. ADAMS

Prof. Adams Shows in Review of Reviews How the Farmer's Prosperity Is Essential to the Nation's

Prof. Henry C. Adams, of the University, has an important article in the Review of Reviews this month on Agricultural Prosperity, and shows how the prosperity of the agricultural classes is diffused through all classes and grades of industrial society.

Prof. Adams says there was a time when the chief significance of agriculture lay in the fact that it provided raw material and food for those engaged in manufacture and trade. Of much greater relative importance is the fact that a series of successful years increases the purchasing capacity of a vast body of people scattered through the length and breadth of the land, and thus presents to the manufacturer a commercial motive to employ labor and capital in producing the goods the farmer demands.

Continues Prof. Adams: "The prosperity of agriculture is the center of that spontaneous activity which, when extended to the entire field of human wants, results in what is known as 'prosperous times.' Thus, a series of bountiful harvests is the starting point of recovery from commercial depression. Other facts there are, without doubt, that should be embraced in a complete explanation, but success in agriculture is the initial factor; it is the fundamental fact. We gain the correct point of view from which to analyze industrial interdependence when we consider it from the point of view of consumption.

"While it is true that the above analysis holds for all peoples and all countries, there are certain reasons why it bears a peculiar significance for the United States. In the first place, notwithstanding the marvelous development of manufactures, this country is still an agriculture country. Success in agriculture touches the lives and interests of a large portion of the population. It means a rise in the scope and standard of demand of a very considerable number of people, and results in the strengthening of a home market of such proportions as to furnish, quite independently of foreign markets, an adequate motive for the development of manufacture and trade. From the point of view of consumption the significance of an industry is measured, not by the amount of capital invested, but the number of consumers which it supports."

The fact that the American farmer is his own landlord, as a rule, makes an immense difference in the extent to which agricultural prosperity is diffused throughout the community. Being his own landlord, he receives as a portion of his income the rent that accrues on his land. This not only puts at his disposal a larger sum of money to be expended, but it places the expenditure of this amount in the hands of a class whose demands are for a large quantity of common, ordinary goods. This of itself is a significant fact, for a moment's consideration makes it evident that an increase in the available wealth of a small industrial class must be followed by relatively slight industrial consequences as compared with the results of a diffusion of an equal amount among a large body of intelligent consumers. Thus, from every point of view, American agriculture is in a condition to control in large measure the industrial activity of the American people. The prosperity of the farmer, if not synonymous with the prosperity of the nation, is an essential for widespread industrial activity.

T RAIL WANTED ON STATE STREET

STREET RAILWAY ASKS FOR PERMISSION TO USE IT

Council Pays Nearly \$10,000 on the State Street Paving Contract

A special meeting of the council was held Tuesday night for the purpose of considering a communication from the Street Railway Co. asking permission to put in the ordinary T-rail on State street instead of the grooved rail required on paved streets by their ordinance. The company claim that owing to the condition of the steel trade it is impossible to get the grooved rail in time for the work.

City Attorney Sawyer, however, does not believe in the truth of the company's claims and asked that the matter be delayed for a couple of days until he could make an investigation.

An estimate on the amount of work done on State street paving was presented from the board of public works and the contractor allowed the sum of \$9,483.30.

The bond of the Washtenaw Fair association for license to sell liquors on the fair grounds was received and accepted.

FUNERAL OF BERNHARDT BAUER

The funeral of Bernhardt Bauer, of Northfield, who died Tuesday, Sept. 2, was held Thursday, Sept. 4 at 2 p. m., from his late residence, Rev. Mr. Fischer officiating. The deceased was born in Oberamt Tebingen, Wurtemberg, Germany, August 7, 1833, and came to this country in 1853. He resided five years in Philadelphia, Pa., where he was married to Miss Anna Maria Meyer. In 1862 they removed to Michigan, where he lived until his death. The deceased leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his loss—Mrs. Gust. Ehms, Ridgeville, Ind., Miss Rose Bauer, Northfield, and Messrs. John, Fred, Will and Albert Bauer. He was a loving husband and kind father and had a large circle of friends.

TEXAS TEACHER RESIGNS

Miss Nellie Bach Appointed to Fill Vacancy

OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED

E. F. Mills Remains President of the School Board Elected on Second Ballot

The old school board is out and the new one in, the membership and officers, however, remaining the same. The last meeting of the old board was held Tuesday night with every member present.

The teachers committee reported the resignation of Miss Daisy Languille, of Texas, as teacher in the Tappan school. This is the young lady whose appointment a month ago created somewhat of a furore here. The vacancy was filled on the recommendation of the committee by Miss Nellie Bach, of this city.

Barney Norton was appointed janitor of the W. S. Perry school at a salary of \$400.

The tuition committee reported the case of a man who had recently moved to this city who had three children in the high school and two others in the graded schools. He had asked a rebate on the tuition for these children, claiming that unless this was granted it would be impossible for him to send all of them to school.

M. J. Cavanaugh, as chairman of the committee recommended that the rebate be granted as the man claimed that he intended to reside here permanently.

N. J. Kyer wanted to know on what grounds Mr. Cavanaugh thought this man should be excused from paying tuition. Mr. Cavanaugh answered: "On the broad grounds of humanity." This caused general discussion by the members of the board. E. F. Mills said: "These cases are coming up every year for settlement and, while from a humane standpoint we should be glad to grant the requests, still we must consider the business interests first."

The matter of charging the man only six months' tuition was suggested, but was deemed inadvisable by the board, as anyone might move in and stay the year and move away again, thus getting out of paying six months' tuition which he justly owed the city.

It was finally decided by the board that it would be impossible to grant in this case what had been impossible in others.

The report of Supt. Slauson was read. He reported a greatly congested condition of some of the schools especially in the Fourth ward school, and recommended that one class, known as 7-A grade should be accommodated in the Christian Mack school. This would be a hardship to three pupils in the Fifth ward who would be forced to walk the long distance to the Third ward school, but seemed to be the best solution of the problem. The matter was turned over to the committee for settlement.

Mr. Slauson also asked the granting of a half holiday to the pupils of the city schools in order that they might attend the fair. The board granted this afternoon as a half holiday.

The meeting was then adjourned and the meeting of the new board was called to order. M. J. Cavanaugh was chosen chairman of the meeting. The election of new officers was the business which was taken up.

The first ballot for president resulted as follows: E. F. Mills 4, Ottmar Eberbach 2, Moses Seabolt 3.

On the second ballot E. F. Mills received six votes and was declared elected.

Evart H. Scott was re-elected secretary, and J. E. Beal, treasurer.

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GLAZIER MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT

He Is Out as a Candidate for Senator

HARKINS FOR CLERK

The City Clerk and Famous Vocalist Shies His Castor into Ring for County Clerk

F. P. Glazier, of Chelsea, was in the city Wednesday and in reply to a question said that the Argus might announce that he was a candidate for the republican nomination for the state senate.

There will be no doubt in the mind of any good observer that he will get the nomination.

The fact that Mr. Glazier would be the candidate was told exclusively in the Argus last week.

City Clerk Harkins has paid his entrance fee in the race for county clerk. Tom Wall balked at the entrance and has withdrawn in favor of Harkins, who will be nominated hands down, if he is foolish enough to stay in the race in a year when Washtenaw will give, unless all signs fail, 2,000 democratic majority.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The north pole continues to maintain its splendid isolation.—Boston Transcript.

It must be admitted that "the boys in olive drab" doesn't sound so well from a poetic standpoint.—Sioux City Journal.

England is drinking California wine with "California" on the label and likewise on the cork. Will the "invasion" never end?—Minneapolis Times.

When Porto Ricans lead Americans in a civil service examination relating to the geography of the United States, it seems about time to keep some of our teachers at home.—Boston Transcript.

The listing of Russian bonds on the New York Stock Exchange is a landmark in our financial progress that is worthy of note. Weary of financing vast domestic undertakings, our money kings are ready to lend cash and credit to the entire world—on good security, be it understood.—Philadelphia Record.

Reciprocity.

Suburbanite—Well, you have told my fortune. How much?
Gypsy—Only 50 cents.
Suburbanite—Here it is. Now I'll tell your fortune for nothing. If any of my chickens are missing tomorrow morning, I'll have your entire gang run in.—Chicago Tribune.

Soothed to Slumber.

"What de reason Br'er Williams shet his eye w'en de collection basket gwine round?"
"He say de singin' do him so much good dat he 'bleege ter fall asleep en dream er heaven!'"—Atlanta Constitution.

STATE FAIR

The dates announced for the State Fair at Pontiac are September 22 to 26 inclusive. The management informs us that matters never looked more promising for a successful fair than they do this year.

The large attendance and success of the fair of 1901 has emphasized the importance of this institution to the agricultural and industrial interests of the state.

The State Fair is thoroughly representative of the industrial arts, live stock, agriculture, horticulture and abounds in entertaining and instructive features.

There will be the usual trotting and pacing races, and as a special feature several fire department teams from cities of the state will have races on the track. Among the special attractions this year will be the fish exhibit, by the Michigan Fish Commission. The Agricultural College and Experiment Station exhibit. The exhibit of agricultural products from the Upper Peninsula, and the county exhibits of fruits and vegetables.

Senator Earle's good roads train will build a sample stone road on the fair grounds during the fair. Noted speakers will be in attendance and instruction will be given in the art of scientific road building.

Special prizes are offered for the nearest guess on paid attendance at the fair to be made on the ground during the fair.

The usual low rates have been made on the railroads, and our readers will do well to make arrangements to attend the fair this year.

SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

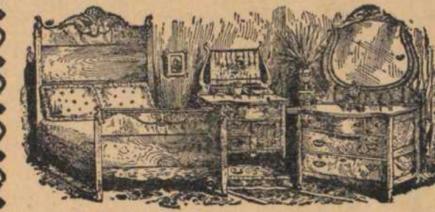
Saturday, Oct. 4, the Ann Arbor railroad will run a special train through without change to Washington, D. C., for members of the G. A. R. and their friends. The train will be made up of baggage car and reclining chair cars in which no extra charge will be made for seats. The route will be over the Wabash R. R. to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, thence Pennsylvania R. R. Ask agents for rates and time of train. Tickets will also be sold for all regular trains Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6, via all other routes. Ask agents or write J. J. KIRBY, G. P. A., Toledo, O.

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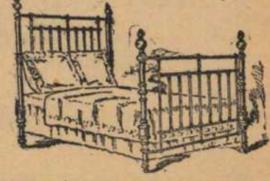
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- No. 1069—3-piece suit—20x24 French, bevel mirror in Dresser, nicely carved, and worth \$22.00 for..... 18.00
- No. 738—3-piece suit—pattern top Dresser, nicely carved, with French, bevel mirror 24x30—worth \$25.00—for..... 20.00

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We thought last season an Iron Bed for \$2.25 was extremely low, but now we make the price for a
Good White Enameled Iron Bed, full size, during September..... \$1.98
Heavy White Enameled Iron Beds, full size, for..... \$2.50
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Fine Brass Rail and Brass Trimmed Iron Beds, last season sold at \$6.50, now only..... \$5.00



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- \$1.00 buys a good square oak table, 18 inch top and nicely finished.
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- \$4.00 buys a nicely carved parlor table, all polished and finely finished.
- Six-foot Window Couches, tufted or plain, covered in good quality of plain or figured denim, nice and soft—worth \$7.00, sale price..... \$5.00
- Good deep tufted spring-edge Couches, figured velour cover, 6 ft. long, with head—worth \$7, price \$6.00
- Fine deep tufted Couches, or plain figured pattern velours, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$12.50 and up.
- Dress box Couches—large and roomy, fine figured denim covered, spring edge, at \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. Pillows to match.
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- These Curtains are always good and reliable for the more ordinary wear. In the new effects we are now showing they are scarcely distinguishable from the high priced goods which cost two or three times as much. There's a general reduction on all of them.
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- Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, lace edge and nicely taped, worth \$2.00, for..... 1.50
- No. 1624—Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains edged with wide lace, \$2.25 value, for..... 1.75
- No. 635—Very fine Bobbinet Curtains, 4 rows of lace edge and beaded insertion, making a most effective finish, \$3.75 value for..... 2.98
- \$3.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, 60 in. wide, in a beautiful floral design, at..... 2.25
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