

Closing and Opening of Malls.
Malls leaving Ann Arbor, East and West, will close as follows:
GOING WEST.
Through and Way Mail, 10:50 a. m.
Way Mail between Ann Arbor and Jackson, 11:00 a. m.
Night Mail, 11:30 p. m.

GOING EAST.
Through and Way Mail, 10:50 a. m.
Way Mail between Ann Arbor and Jackson, 11:00 a. m.
Night Mail, 11:30 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.
Toledo Pouch, 7:00 a. m.
Toledo and Way, 8:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH.
South Lyon and Northern, 10:00 a. m.
South, Whitmore Lake & Hamburg, 9:30 a. m.

Trains arrive and depart from the Michigan Central depot in this city as follows:
GOING EAST.
Atlantic Express, 2:04 a. m.
Night Express, 2:30 a. m.

GOING WEST.
Mail, 8:45 a. m.
Day Express, 11:00 a. m.
Grand Rapids Express, 1:30 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.
Express, 7:30 a. m.
Express, 8:15 p. m.
Accommodation, 12:35 p. m.

GOING NORTH.
Express, 10:35 a. m.
Express, 6:15 p. m.
Accommodation, 6:00 a. m.

Trains arrive and depart from the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Grand Trunk depot in this city as follows:
GOING EAST.
Express, 10:35 a. m.
Express, 6:15 p. m.
Accommodation, 6:00 a. m.

GOING WEST.
Express, 7:30 a. m.
Express, 8:15 p. m.
Accommodation, 12:35 p. m.

A memorial service will be held in University Hall in memory of the late Dr. Cocker. The date and speakers are not yet decided upon.

The Washenaw Post this week says Peter Cooper was 29 years old when he died. Who would have thought he could have lived so long and yet been only 29?

The appointments for the Commencement exercises of the High School were read Tuesday morning, and are as follows: Kittle E. Barnes, Charles P. Beckwith, Mabel R. Beal, Frank E. Beaman, Wm. A. Clark, Charles Y. Dixon, Ellen G. Frenau, Sata J. Hyde, Frank D. Jenks, Louise L. Loving, Myron W. Mills, Robert W. Moore, Nellie A. Platt, Ada L. Upson, Gustave W. Schlottbeck.

The house which greeted Emma Abbott Friday night, was not one of the largest of the season, but it was one well satisfied. The opera of "Martha" gave the strong chorus a good opportunity to present a volume of sound truly pleasing. Miss Abbott herself was in good voice and received several encores, the rendition of the "Last Rose of Summer" being especially pretty. She was ably assisted by Miss Annandale, as well as the rest of the company.

The coey littleopera house at Ypsilanti had so many Ann Arbor people in it last Saturday night, that it seemed quite like our own "Grand." The occasion was the rendering of "Iolanthe" by the Abbott company, and the company which is soon to give it here went in a body, that is, with a few exceptions, to hear it and get some "points." Enough others went down on the cars and in carriages to swell the number to about a hundred. Many of the costumes used were elegant, and efforts are being made to secure them for the representation here.

The audience which the Princeton college boys sang before, Wednesday evening, was an unusually enthusiastic one, for a congregation of Ann Arbor students and citizens. Nearly all their songs were encores and some received two and three recalls. Their voices harmonized well, and we are only sorry we could not have heard them in something heavier and more classic, although "The Ant and the Grasshopper" of Gounod gave them something of a chance. The warbling of Mr. G. B. French, who, by the way, is a relative of Pres. Arthur, was something novel to many in the hall, and was quite pleasing.

At a regular meeting of the fire department held Saturday evening, April 14th, the following persons were elected to the several offices named: Chief engineer, Moses Seabolt; 1st asst., R. F. Sanford; 2d asst., Wm. Jacobus; treasurer, C. H. Warden; secy., N. D. Gates; steward, Jacob Hansen. Fire wardens: 1st ward, Fred Schmidt, Caspar Rinsay; 2d ward, Wm. Herz, Ed. Graf; 3d ward, John Dow, Ed. Walker; 4th ward, M. Clark, D. Loomis; 5th ward, G. H. Rhodes, W. Porter; 6th A. F. Martin, and P. D. Woodruff. A vote of thanks was tendered the common council for the many favors from them during the past two years.

A little incident happened on our streets the other day which argues strongly for compulsory education. One of the newsboys in selling his papers was crying out "All about the fire in Ypsilanti," when he was stopped by a merchant who asked him about it. The boy with a wise look took a paper and pretended to be reading the account. The gentleman noticed however, that he held the paper upside down and asked him if he was left-handed. It then came out that the boy, although nine years old, had never been to school, and not only did not know any of the letters, but that he could not tell which was the right side up. Here is a chance for some missionary work right at home.

An interesting little incident connected with the life and burial of the late Dr. Cocker, was related at his funeral: "One night while an attendant was watching him the Doctor told the story of a shawl which he loved to have about him. He had made it himself when a boy in England; he had carried it with him to Australia, to Tahiti and to Fiji; it had been around him when he broke through the ranks of the cannibals and escaped in a boat; to Peru, to Panama, and Chicago he had gone with its owner, and when he arrived in Adrian, penniless and friendless, it was wrapped about the body of the dead boy in his arms. On his subsequent trips to 'Old England' the Doctor had always taken it, and before he died he asked that it might be buried with him. So before burial it was wrapped around the beloved form it had so long protected.

Entertainments.
We are informed by the opera house manager that the last strong attraction in the legitimate drama now booked for this season, will be the performance by Miss Jeffreys Lewis in La Belle Russe, next Thursday evening, April 26th. This is the same company that played in Detroit with such unexceptional success earlier in the season, and they have the honor of being selected to give the grand benefit performance to C. A. Shaw, the genial and popular manager of the Detroit opera house, April 25th, which promises to be one of the most brilliant engagements seen in Detroit this season. This company plays here the following night, and the many admirers of this talented and beautiful lady will not fail to give her a warm reception. She is supported by J. Newton Gotthold and other well-known artists, and, altogether, the engagement here will be one of rare excellence which will be duly appreciated.

PERSONALS.
F. W. Arbury has moved to Flint.
W. W. Wines has gone to New York for goods.
Mrs. Button has gone to Jamestown, Dakota.
Rev. Mr. Chandler has gone to New Mexico for his health.
Judge Best and wife, of Waterloo, Indiana, have been in the city.
Alvah Traver and wife, of Jackson, was in town on a visit last week.
D. T. Winton, editor of the Hanover Times was in the city Tuesday.
Allen B. Pond spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents in Jackson.
Mrs. Dr. Cocker will move to Adrian to live with her son, Prof. William Cocker. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Daldwin have returned from a southern tour of several weeks.
B. Frank Bower, of the Post and Tribune, made Ann Arbor a flying visit on Wednesday.
County Clerk Robison this week has been out to his farm in Sharon, looking after his fences.
Joseph H. Steere, class of '76, has been in town this week. He is a circuit judge now at Sault Ste. Marie.
Firman Hendrickson, Dr. Hurd's private secretary at Pontiac, was home Sunday. He was looking well and is enjoying his work.
Mr. Chandler, Mayor of Sharon, Pa., was in the city Monday to see his brother, Rev. Mr. Chandler, before he left for the southwest.
Prof. William Cocker of Adrian and Mr. Henry Cocker of St. Paul, Minnesota, remained here several days settling up their father's estate, and have now returned to their homes.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.
Field-day will be Saturday, May 12th. W. F. Ford lectured to a small audience in the law lecture room, Tuesday night.
Professor Winchell gave a reception to Prof. Louis Maas, of Boston University, after the concert last evening.
John B. Whelan, entered college with the class of '34, but is now reading law in an office in Detroit. He was in town the other day.
Under the new board the Chronicle seems to be thriving, for it came out this week with four pages extra; one of advertisements and three of reading matter.
The Adelphi literary society is taking a rest from its labors, and many of its members are taking part in the exercises of Alpha Nu. These are well attended and of benefit to the members.
Much speculation is rife as to who will be called upon to occupy the vacant chair of Speculative Philosophy and Philosophy of Religion. The requirements of such a position are immense.
Observations taken at the Observatory during February, show the highest temperature to have been 52°; the lowest, 7°; and the average, 21°. The rain-fall was .78 of an inch and the snow-fall 7.75 inches.
Prof. Olney has been up to Lansing with a circular signed by Pres. Angell, Prof. Cooley, Palmer and himself recommending the teaching in the primary schools of the effects of alcohol on the human system. He is also putting in work on the prohibition amendment.
At the recent meeting of representatives from the Northwestern college base ball nine which played together last season the pennant was awarded to the nine from the University of Michigan. For various reasons and to the relief of the other nine our club has withdrawn from the contest of this season.

A crew of number of the Free Press has the following interesting bit of war and college reminiscence concerning one of the State representatives: "Representative Darragh, of Gratiot, enlisted as a private in the Eighteenth Michigan Infantry, his company making its first appearance in Kentucky as raw recruits at the time that Kirby Smith was threatening Cincinnati. The officer in command had graduated from Fremont's Division, and proved a regular martinet, insisting that nothing whatever should be done without orders; insisting that his soldiers should be only machines, incapable of individual action. It came about that this officer and sixty-two men, one of whom was Darragh, were sent on picket duty. Deployed in the woods at short intervals three rebel soldiers approached the commanding officer. They might have been stopped and Darragh so advised his comrades, but the officer would take no advice and insisted that nothing should be done without orders. The rebels no sooner found themselves within reach of the officer than they compelled him at the muzzle of their pistols to issue the command "ground arms—close up—by file—march." The well-instructed recruits threw down their muskets, closed up and were hurried away toward the rebel lines. It was very humiliating—sixty-two men captured by three—before the men had much time to reflect upon their too strict obedience to orders they were surrounded by hostile forces and there was no help for it. Sent under guard and hurried away on a long march to the interior, the weariness of the flesh was less than the humiliation of the surrender. After tramping despondently a long time in the dusty highway one of the rebel officers rode near Darragh and said: "Is that a Chi Phi pin you wear?" "Yes." "What chapter?" "That of Michigan University." "I, too, am a member of that fraternity, graduated at Michigan University, and am glad to see one of the boys. Corporal, get a horse for this gentleman." The horse was presently brought up. Darragh mounted and rode along with the rebel officer, conversing upon themes connected with Ann Arbor. He was royally cared for, so long as he remained in charge of his confere, and when finally returned to the north, became a member of the Ninth Cavalry, and finally Major of that gallant regiment.

Mr. Brearley of the Detroit Evening News, will conduct three more excursions this season to Niagara Falls, the Thousand Islands, Quebec and the White Mountains. This trip is a very enjoyable one as we ourselves have experienced it, and therefore can heartily recommend it. There are three parties to go; June 27th, July 11th and 25th, and Mr. Brearley accompanies each one. Any one desiring to go to Europe can go to Quebec with the party and take steamer there.

DIED.
FOSTER—Mrs. Phillida Foster, wife of the late Lester Foster, died April 17, aged 81 yrs. 11 mos. 5 days. She had resided in this city for many years. The funeral will be held at the residence of J. N. S. Foster on Friday, at 2 o'clock for St. Luke's church.
WENNER—Nancy Downer, of the town of Birk-Louis Birk, daughter of Andrew Birk, of the Second Ward, died April 17, at the age of 35 years. Funeral Thursday, at 2 o'clock.

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