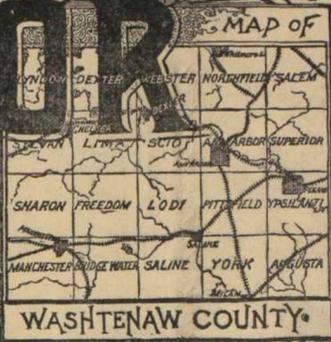


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The Score

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LUMBER!

Second District Congressional Convention.

A delegate convention of the republican electors of Michigan and all voters who desire to unite with the republican party to advance and maintain its principles as declared in its party platform will be held at Dean's Opera House, Adrian, Mich., on the 16th day of August 1894, at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative in congress for said second district and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The district is composed of the following counties: Jackson, Monroe, Lenawee, Washtenaw, and ten townships in Wayne, viz.: Plymouth, Canton, VanBuren, Romulus, Sumpster, Huron, Brownstown, Monguagon, Taylor, Escorse, and the first, second and third wards of the city of Wyandotte. The number of delegates from each county to congressional convention is as follows:

Jackson	38	Monroe	14
Lenawee	25	Washtenaw	21
Wayne	(The portion thereof included in the second congressional district, 11.)		

ALBERT STYLES, F. K. OWEN, ADOLF WHEELER, J. M. COLLIER, H. A. LOCKWOOD, Congressional Committee

Republican County Convention.

A Republican County Convention to elect twenty-one delegates to a congressional convention to be held at Adrian, Thursday, Aug. 16, 1894; also to elect twenty-one delegates to attend a senatorial convention yet to be called, and to transact such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, Aug. 7th, 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m. The various townships and wards will be entitled to one delegate for every fifty votes cast for governor at the last preceding election.

By order of Committee, HORACE G. PRETTYMAN, Chairman, N. D. CORBIN, Secretary.

Republican Ward Caucuses.

The Republican Ward Caucuses for the city of Ann Arbor will be held on Friday evening, Aug. 3, 1894, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., (local time) for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention to be held at Ann Arbor, Tuesday, Aug. 7, at the following places:

First Ward—O. M. Martin's store.
Second Ward—John Heilmann's store.
Third Ward—Court House basement.
Fourth Ward—Firemen's Hall.
Fifth Ward—Engine House.
Sixth Ward—Engine House.

Ann Arbor Republican Caucus.

The republicans of Ann Arbor township will hold a caucus at the Court House, on Saturday, Aug. 4th, at 3 o'clock p. m., to elect seven delegates to the county convention to be held at Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, Aug. 7th, 1894.

He Wants to Know, You Know.

County Clerk Arthur Brown has discovered something in connection with the investigation of the election fraud last year. Notice was received by every county clerk in the state to send duplicate returns of that election. Mr. Brown did so, but had no idea that he was to get pay for the same. Later on he heard that the different clerks were getting pay for it, so he wrote to Lansing and was answered telling him to send his bill, which he did. The next letter he received was to the effect that it had been discovered that the law required that it be done without pay. Mr. Brown again wrote that certain clerks had received pay. Isaac N. Jackson wrote back that no such claim had ever been allowed. Art has in his possession letters from the clerks of Eaton, Genesee, Otsego, Barry and Berrien counties stating that they had received pay. Mr. Brown does not think that he has been wronged, but that no clerk was entitled to pay under the law.—Daily Times.

Marriage Licenses.

No.	Name	Age
2577	Wm. Eisele, Webster	33
2578	Ella Drew, Webster	24
2579	David M. Lichty, Ann Arbor	32
2580	Nellie M. Copeland, Ann Arbor	32
2581	John Royal, Milan	23
2582	Lillian Dyke, Milan	23
2583	Herbert J. Aldrich, Saginaw	34
2584	Grace J. McPherson, Ann Arbor	18
2585	Dr. Walter S. Moore, Ann Arbor	27
2586	Mary Blodgett, Webster	22

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The Courier will give you the county and local news, and incidentally have something to say politically.

Take the papers one year and try it. Remember the price. \$1.45 pays for both.

Finding Out About White Fish.

The following item tells of an experiment that is being made by scientific men, up at Charlevoix: "Charlevoix is a moving city as well as a much visited resort, and it now has a new interest in the recently fitted up laboratory for making investigations of the waters of Northern Michigan, in regard to their adaptation for white fish. The laboratory is located on round lake, and has a hatchery annex where specimens are kept for the experimental work of the main room. This work is under the direction of Professor Henry B. Ward of the University of Nebraska. The following specialists are engaged with him in this work: Drs. Robert H. Wolcott and Herbert S. Jennings of Michigan University, Bryant Walker of Detroit, Professor C. Dwight Marsh of Ripon College, Wisconsin; Professor F. A. Birger, Wisconsin University; Dr. S. Halstead Ward, of Troy, N. Y., and Dr. Charles A. Kofoid, also of Michigan University. They expect to continue this investigation through the present month, and also through August. Charlevoix was selected as the best point for this purpose because the shore is favorable for experiments, and fishing is extensively carried on at this time. The lake fauna and flora are to be considered."

After Many Years.

Wm. A. Clark received a letter yesterday from W. R. Thomas, Commander of Appomattox Post G. A. R., No. 50, department of Cal., stating that Jacob H. Bohn, formerly of Co. H, 8th Michigan infantry, is living and well. He is employed in a mine in Shasta Co., and his post office address is Redding, Shasta Co., Cal. For some eight or ten years Bohn had not been heard from, and it was supposed he was dead. His mother who lives in the 2d ward, and is quite advanced in years, had made application for a pension based upon the supposed death of her son, and Mr. Clark had made inquiries to ascertain if any evidence could be obtained of his death. The news was imparted to the aged mother yesterday, and it was much more acceptable to her than would have been the news of the granting of the pension.

A Good Man for Sheriff.

We understand that Wm. E. Stocking, of Lima, now temporarily residing in Ann Arbor, has consented, at the earnest request of many of his friends, to be a candidate for nomination to the office of Sheriff of the republican ticket. Mr. Stocking is an active and earnest republican, and if he should receive the nomination he will be second to none as a vote getter. He is well and favorably known throughout the county, especially in the western part where he has resided for the past 25 years. Mr. Stocking has not been an office holder. The only public office that he has held was census enumerator of the township of Lima in 1880. At the present time he is one of the directors of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company, which position he has held for the past four years to the entire satisfaction of the company. Should Mr. Stocking receive the nomination for this position in the republican convention he will make a strong fight for the election.

Smith vs. Smith.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor, JOHN T. RICH of Lapeer County.
For Lieutenant Governor, Alfred Milnes of Branch County.
For Sec. of State, Rev. Washington Gardner of Calhoun County.
For State Treasurer, J. M. Wilkinson of Marquette County.
For Auditor-General, Stanley W. Turner of Koscusko County.
For Attorney-General, Fred A. Maynard of Kent County.
For State Land Commissioner, W. A. French of Presque Isle County.
For Supt. Public Instruction, H. R. Pattengill of Ingham County.
For Member State Board Education, Perry F. Powers of Wexford County.

A WINNER.

The republicans, in convention assembled at Grand Rapids yesterday, made no mistake. They were not bulldozed nor bluffed into doing anything wrong. But they went forward like honest and fearless citizens, and placed before the people for their suffrages a ticket comprised of clean, pure, upright men, against whom there is no taint, and who can stand before the public gaze without a quaver. A better ticket was never placed before the voters of this state, and we have faith to believe that it will be triumphantly elected. The people of Michigan will give their approval of the acts of Mr. Rich as governor, and it will be in no unmistakable tones. He will have the largest majority any man ever had in Michigan for that office, to prove that when a man stands by the people the people will stand by him.

Col. A. T. Bliss has proved himself a true republican and a true soldier.

When the command came from his party to remain in the ranks until the next state nominating convention should assemble, he gracefully bowed in submission and took the orders in the spirit of kindness in which they were given. He was not sour, morose or piqued, but recognized the fact that the majority of his party was greater than any one man or set of men in it, and with a pleasant word and a smile upon his face, accepted the decision. There is a future for a man of that order. But when a person sets himself up to be greater than his party, and tells them that unless they bow to his will he will work destruction in its ranks, he makes a mistake that will be quite apt to destroy himself instead of his party.

In sending a hearty greeting to Hawaii the republican state convention did a very graceful and thoughtful deed.

Every loyal gathering of Americans, of whatever political faith, or religious creed, should do likewise. It would show to the patriotic people of that nation what the real sentiment of Americans is, and give to the administration an inkling of the contempt in which its Hawaian policy is held.

In the conflict which is now on between China and Japan the sympathy of the American people will naturally go out to Japan.

They are a progressive people, and the Chinese are a stagnant, prejudiced, ignorant set of fossils who refuse to move out of the rut in which they have traveled for the past thousands of years. All civilized nations will rejoice if Japan is triumphant, and be sorrowful if the overwhelming hordes of Chinese overpower her.

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Dog on the Dogs.

Ann Arbor is about the only city in the stat of any importance that has not a license law for dogs. Such a law should require a license of \$1 per year for each and every dog, and when the license is first issued the city clerk or city treasurer, whichever collects the license, furnishes a collar and number for 25 or 50 cents extra, and any canine found without this collar of number is immediately disposed of. This is the only just way of levying a tax on dogs, and the only effective way, for if a man has an animal that he values, he will procure the necessary license, and the city be that much ahead. If the dog is of no value he will be killed and the city be rid of a nuisance. Some cities realize a revenue of \$1,500 to \$2,000 by this means. The coming legislature should pass an act of that kind for Ann Arbor. There is one family in this city which has been supported for the past year or more from the poor fund, that keeps three dogs, so we have been told.

Michigan's Annual Increase.

The total population of the state June 1, 1894, was 2,239,374, as compared with 2,093,889 June 1, 1890, and 1,853,658 June 1, 1884. The increase in four years has been 145,485, or 6.95 per cent, and in the 10 years since 1884, 385,716, or 20.81 per cent. Of the total increase since 1890 (145,485), 31,959 is in the city of Detroit, and 19,156 in the city of Grand Rapids, a total of 51,115, or more than 35 per cent.

In 1890 the population of Michigan was 551, exclusive of Wayne county,

which was then returned with the state of Ohio. The following table shows the population of the state, according to the various state and federal censuses, with the average annual increase of population:

Year	Population	Annual Inc.
1800	351	—
1810	472	421
1820	8,896	2,274
1830	31,639	15,063
1840	212,267	18,529
1850	377,654	27,467
1860	507,321	40,295
1870	748,113	13,637
1880	863,661	63,497
1890	1,853,658	37,437
1894	2,239,374	50,484

A BONNY BICYCLE.

"Oh see my bicycle airy and light—
Wheels made of daisies, yellow and white,
All bound together snugly and tight,
Oh! I am the champion wheelman!"
"So! Creakets and Beemles, just cheer the road,
Look out for yourself, my friend, Mr. Toad,
White I skip along, quite a la mode,
For I am the champion wheelman!"
The Toad quickly jumped, but jumped the wrong way!
The Grasshopper hopped from his perch in dismay.
The wheel went to smash, I am sorry to say;
And that was the end of the wheelman."

Bad Complexions.

Dark, yellow, oily, mothy skin, pimples, blackheads, roughness, redness, dry, thin, and falling hair, and simple baby blemishes prevented and cured by the celebrated



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25 pieces White India linen and plaid Muslins, closing out at 5c a yard. One lot 15c Black and Blue Dress Mulls, closing out at 5c a yard. 50 pieces fine 10c Dress Lawns, closing out at 5c a yard. 15 pieces 10c wash Crepes, closing out at 5c a yd. Rubber Dress Shields, closing out at 5c a pair. Stevens wide Linen Toweling, closing out at 5c a yard. 50 pieces best 7c Prints, closing out at 5c a yard. Closing out 50c and 75c Shirt Waists for 39c each. Closing out \$1.00 and \$1.25 Shirt Waists for 75c each. Closing out Fine Lawn Wrappers for 75c each. Ladies Wrappers, light and dark colors, closing out at 58c each.

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10 doz. Chenille Table Covers, worth \$1.25, now 69c each.
100 Large White Bed Spreads closing out at 69c each.
50 pairs White and Gray Blankets now 59c a pair.
25 Large Colored Bed Spreads, a bargain at 98c each.
200 Window Shades complete, ready to hang, at 19c each.
50 doz. Large Huck Linen Towels at 12 1/2c each.
Closing out one lot Lace Curtains at 69c a pair.
Closing out 28 pairs Lace Curtains at \$1.19 a pair.
Closing out 19 pairs Lace Curtains at \$1.29 a pair.
Big Mark-down on all our Fine Lace and Chenille Curtains to close out during this month.

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Call for the Republican State Convention

The republican electors of the State of Michigan, and all others who may desire to unite with them in upholding the principles of the republican party, as declared in the platform adopted by the last national republican convention, are hereby requested to send delegates to the Michigan State Convention, to be held at Hartman Hall, in the city of Grand Rapids, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, July 24, 1894, for the purpose of nominating candidates for state officers, the election of a chairman of the republican state central committee, and two members of that committee from each congressional district, and for the transaction of such other business as usually comes before the convention.

Every county will be entitled to one delegate for each 500 of the total vote cast for governor at the last election (November, 1892), and to one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to 500, but each organized county will be entitled to at least two delegates.

Under the resolution of 1893, no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the convention who does not reside in the county he proposes to represent.

The delegates from each congressional district are requested to meet in caucus at 9 o'clock on the morning of the day of the convention to select candidates to be presented to the state convention for confirmation, as follows: One vice-president, one assistant secretary, one member each of the committees on "credentials," "permanent organization and order of business," "resolutions," and two members of the state central committee, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them.

In accordance with a resolution, adopted June 23, 1870, the secretary of each county convention is requested to forward to the secretary of the state central committee, No. 1, Newberry Building, Detroit, Mich., by the earliest mail, after the delegates to the state convention have been chosen, a certified list of the delegates from their respective counties, who are entitled to seats in the convention.

Washtenaw county is entitled to 21 delegates.

Republican state central committee, WM. R. BATES, Chairman, JAMES McMILLAN, Secretary.

There should be a tariff on sugar, especially on raw sugar, simply that revenue may be raised.

And again:

Make the wage-earner pay more for the necessities. That's the republican doctrine.—Adrian Press.

Is it though? In another article the Press remarks:

Were the enemies of Mr. Pingree correct when they said: "It is no use to oppose him; let him alone and he will hang himself?" It looks as if that diagnosis of his case was the correct one.

The democratic party should promptly put a cent a pound on sugar. It will make sugar dearer. We know it. We admit it.

So it seems that making the wage earner pay more for the necessities of life is democratic doctrine, after all.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel thinks that in the recent controversy with it the Courier is making "much ado about nothing." In which the Sentinel is probably right.

Debs wants the public to abstain from riding in Pullman cars. The public in turn would like to have Mr. Debs abstain from getting in jail.

Mr. Hill, championing the cause of Mr. Cleveland, is indeed ludicrous. What does Hill want now that he needs to use Grover's paws to obtain?

If Mr. Pingree concludes to take his doll and go home and not play any more, he may make it unpleasant for some of the republican candidates, but it will so effectually kill himself that he never will be heard of more.

The Island of Ceylon produces a tree that is without bark. The leaves are perfectly square and fold up at sundown.—Detroit Free Press.

Now, if the Island of Ceylon will produce a dog of that peculiarity it will make itself famous, besides conferring a favor upon mankind in general.

Michigan has 2,230,375 inhabitants, according to the June census. The 70 incorporated cities, within her limits, have 821,023 of that number. In the year 1800 when this century started in, Michigan had but 551 inhabitants. It will close the century with fully two and one-half million residents.

Unless there is an earthquake, cyclone, hurricane, or something of the sort on the democratic political horizon right soon, in this congressional district, Mr. Gorman will be re-nominated with but little opposition. It is the policy we believe adopted by the democrats this fall to put off their conventions as late as possible.

The re-nomination of Mr. Rich for governor is an expression of the people. The politicians who thought to control the tide going his way might as well have attempted to stop the ocean tides. It was a spontaneous outburst of faith in his integrity and honesty. It was a rare compliment to a deserving man.

When Mr. Pingree was elected mayor of Detroit, that city was comparatively free from bonded indebtedness. Now how is it? It has been one continual stream of bonds ever since he assumed the reins of government there. All these bonds will have to be paid within about twenty years. Then how about Mr. Pingree's popularity?

Part II. of the Compendium of the U. S. Census, which is now being sent out by the government, contains miscellaneous statistics, and among them we find the following relative to the churches of this state:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes No. of church organizations (4,798), No. of church edifices (3,741), Seating capacity (1,987,069), Value of church property (\$18,983,971), Communicants (569,504), and Percentage of communicants (27.20).

Some people talk about the enmity of the laboring man or the friendship of the laboring man for this or that candidate, until it has a strong tendency to make one weary. The interest of the class known as the laboring man is identical with every other class in this republic. What effects one class of citizens effects all.

The official who does his duty, regardless of personal desires, is the one whom the laboring man should consider his friend. Such a man is Gov. Rich. He does what he believes to be right no matter how distasteful the duty may be to himself.

Gov. Rich is himself a laboring man. He has never lived anywhere but on the farm, and has always tilled the soil with his own hands. He knows what it is to do a good day's work, and fully appreciates the lot of the man who is forced to earn his bread by the sweat of his brow, for he has always done that very thing himself.

The workman cannot afford to be fooled in this matter by a lot of demagogues who never worked, except with their jaws, in any manner in their lives.

Mr. Pingree is the wrong man to accuse others of using money to influence votes. Two years ago the use of money by Pingree adherents in this country was flagrant. One man from the western part of this county, who had agreed to bring in his precinct for Pingree and didn't, was forced to give up a portion of the money paid him right here on the streets of Ann Arbor, after the convention was over. And the fact was published at the time. There appeared to be no effort on the part of the Mayor's friends to conceal the attempt to secure the delegation from this county by the use of money. And what was true here it is fair to presume was true in other counties. The friends of Mr. Rich, on the contrary had no price attached to their services. They believed him to be the best candidate the republican party at that time had, and worked for what they considered the best interests of the republican party. It was the voice of the people against paid claqueurs in 1892, and the same thing in 1894. That's the truth about the situation. Had Mr. Pingree and his followers been able to have corrupted the delegates representing the great industrial class of agriculturalists, you would hear no whines from them about the "machine."

Rain-Making.

Now as to the possibility of producing rain by artificial means. It is never safe to say what things are possible and what things are impossible to man. What the future may bring forth no one can tell. At the present time, however, there is no evidence to show that even the smallest local shower has been produced artificially. Further than that it is safe to say that no method of producing artificial rain has yet been publicly proposed which suggests to one familiar with the scientific principles involved even a possibility of success. That such attempts have relieved the official recognition and the financial support of Congress is only another evidence of the gross ignorance of scientific principles which is prevalent among our so-called educated men. That some of the men who advocate these wild schemes are honest in their motives can not be questioned, but that all the professional rain-makers are conscienceless fakirs is scarcely more questionable. That many of them are able to submit testimony as to the efficacy of their system is equally true of every patent medicine fraud and electric healing quack who has ever swindled an ignorant public.—Prof. FERNANDO SANFORD, in The Popular Science Monthly for August.

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WHAT IS MONEY?

There is to-day among certain classes of financiers a disposition to contend that because the government can decree that any substance, or any quantity of the same, shall possess a given amount of debt-paying power, that this is evidence of governmental power to create values. It proves nothing of the kind. Congress has the authority to declare a dollar to consist of 25.8 grains of tin or of any other substance, as readily as it has to authorize that a standard dollar consist of 25.8 grains of standard gold; under the provisions of the constitution the power of congress to legislate in matters of this kind does not seem to be at all limited. It can make the unit of national currency out of whatever material, or in whatever denominations it chooses. And if the people's representatives choose to do so, might repeal every financial act contained in the statute books and proceed to revolutionize and annihilate our money system, which is nothing more, it seems to me than our populist friends are attempting to do.

We are assuming now that the new substance substituted for gold is to be also the recognized standard in this country; and that all debtors are to be authorized to discharge their obligations in the new currency. Would the tin dollar, taken for the purposes of illustration, be as valuable as gold dollars? If so, why coin our dollars in such expensive substances as gold and silver? Expensive because so much more labor and so many more risks are involved in digging them out of the bowels of the earth than there are in appropriating for useful purposes a substance like tin; and when we are told, too, that the fiat of the government is itself capable of supplying the element of intrinsic value.

If the fact that governments can legislate debt-paying power into a well nigh worthless commodity, is that proof that value commensurate with the debt goes along with the act? If so, let us try our tin coin in a transaction of a different character. You can buy from eighteen to twenty pounds of sugar for one of our present standard silver or gold dollars. Let the purchaser now present one of his tin dollars assumed in the former transaction. Could he reasonably expect to receive the eighteen or twenty pounds of sugar in exchange for it, with nothing but the stamp of government to give character and value to the medium? Most assuredly not. Only a fit candidate for the lunatic asylum would contend for a moment that he could purchase twenty pounds of sugar or even twenty grains of it with the coin made out of the cheaper metal. And yet there is our government stamp declaring the piece of tin to be a dollar in language as unmistakable as that printed upon the face of the other coin. Why can't you buy the sugar or any other commodity with the tin dollar as readily as with the gold dollar? There is but one reason, and only one reason under the sun, and that is because no act of legislation can, or ever did, perform the miracle of infusing value into something practically valueless.

And yet there is a large class of men in the community who apparently approve of the government issuing dollars made out of any cheap material, if only they are made to bear the invincible (?) fiat, that seems to be of far more consequence in some men's minds than the material out of which a coin is made. Is the principle of the policy changed in the least by selecting and singling out paper in preference to all other cheap substances? Can the legislature instill purchasing power into paper any more readily than it can into any other commodity?

To the debtor, oppressed with his burden of indebtedness, the prospect would doubtless often be delightful to contemplate. But he who is not yet devoid of intelligence and the elements of manhood has but one duty in relation to such legalized repudiation, and that is to place upon it the stamp of condemnation and disapproval. The sacred functions of legislative authority ought never to be prostituted to such low and debasing purposes.

If it be contended in this connection that the silver dollar, which compared to gold, is worth only fifty cents or thereabouts, and by reason of being stamped a dollar will purchase as much as a gold dollar, it is sufficient to remember that all the various kinds of money, including silver, of course, can be converted into gold by any holder of them with very little effort, and at no expense for exchange. This is, and has been for years the uniform policy of the national government.

The proposed memorial to the late Gov. Winans should be by popular subscription, and the subscription should be large enough to erect a fine monument. Gov. Winans was essentially one of the people, plain, unassuming, frank. He had reared for himself a monument in the hearts of the people, but one of granite should be built that other generations may know how this one revered him.

Speaking of the publications issued by the state and general governments, such as Joint Documents, and that class, the Northville Record says: "Their publication and broadcast circulation is one of the most nonsensical expenditures indulged in by the State and U. S. Governments." In which the Record records extraordinary good sense.

A Radical Change in Public Highways.

From the Michigan Farmer.

I advocate an important and far-reaching change in the manner of building country roads—a change which when adopted, will lead to the substitution of inanimate power for animal power for the purpose of transportation on our common roads all over the country. My plan is to extend the street car tracks from our cities out into the circumadjacent territory a distance of thirty or forty miles, so that all the territory between centers of population sixty or eighty miles apart would be reached. Let these tracks be so made and laid that wagons and carriages propelled by horses may go upon them as well as cars propelled by electricity or other inanimate power. It is already demonstrated that only one-eighth of the power is required to move a vehicle over a smooth steel track that would be required to move it over a gravel road, or one-eighth that which would be required to move it over the best pavement. When this important fact becomes generally known to the farmers they will realize that it is a poor policy to promote the building of macadam roads when an equal outlay would provide a good steel track. When the track is once provided so that cars and carriages propelled by horses can also go upon the same track with cars propelled by electricity or other inanimate power, the superiority of the inanimate power will be so apparent that horse power will be quickly abandoned. And what we have seen in Cleveland and Columbus and many other cities we will see upon the country roads, namely, a complete substitution of electric power for horse power wherever the rails are laid.

Heretofore the use of electric cars has been confined to carrying passengers, and the extension of the system has depended wholly on private enterprise. This must be changed by enlarging the use to which the electric cars are put, and by supplementing private enterprise by a more liberal and enlightened public policy. There is no reason why the electric roads should not be carriers of freight as well as passengers, and especially the food products from the field to the market. It is easy to see that as the steam cars supersede the horse power for long hauls, so the electric cars will supplement it for short hauls.

It is generally supposed that the cost of building electric roads is greatly in excess of the cost of building macadamized roads. This is all a fiction, and proceed mainly from the fact that to the cost of building the electric road there add the cost of equipping with cars, power and operating force. Take the cost of building a macadam road, and add to that the cost of the horses, wagons, carriages, and drivers required to operate it, and you will find that the macadam road is more costly. Compare the two as shown in the cost of transportation per ton per mile, we find that with horses and wagons the cost per ton per mile is twenty-five cents, while with the electric car it is only five cents per ton per mile. The cost of the steel roadbed is no more than the cost of the stone roadbed, but when it is once laid it contributes much more to cheapen transportation. I have estimated the increased value of agricultural land, resulting from the decreased cost of transportation over steel rails by inanimate power, at \$30 per acre. Observation to confirm this only waits upon experiment.

In conclusion let me submit the following quotations from the report of the Ohio Road Commission, of which I had the honor to be chairman and which is the pioneer of this new policy:

"It being the established policy of the people to aid in cheapening transportation by deepening rivers, harbors, and channels, by building roads and bridges—streets and viaducts—all by appropriations of public money and by contributing the use of streets and roads for electric cars—we see no reason why they might not as logically and more profitably contribute to the construction of electric railways to be and remain a part of the common roads, as to the paving of these roads to be operated with horses and wagons, if in any locality the people should desire to do so.

"We have already reached the maximum power of horses and other animals for draught, speed and endurance. The only improvement that we could hope to make to lessen the cost of transportation with these animals would be in improving the roadbed. A comparison of the cost will show that the average expenditure required to macadamize a road or make it hard and durable with any kind of metal is fully equal to the cost required to lay down steel rails, over which not only wagons and carriages propelled by horse but cars propelled by electric power might also go at a greatly reduced cost of transportation.

"Hon. John M. Stahl, in an article in the Illinois number of Good Roads, has made a conservative estimate of the wagon freight of this country for the year 1892 as 500,000,000 tons. He also estimates that this will be transported every country highways an average distance of eight miles, which would be equivalent to 4,000,000,000 tons one mile. At a cost of 25 cents per ton a mile, which would be required to move it by horse power with ordinary vehicles, it would amount to the enormous sum of \$1,000,000,000. This may be stated as

the cost of operating wagon roads. Now, if by substituting steel rails and inanimate power there could be a saving of four-fifths of this amount—which would be much less than the proportion indicated by Gilmore's tables—the cost of moving this tonnage would be only \$200,000,000, instead of \$1,000,000,000, leaving a gain of \$800,000,000. This for a period of ten years would leave a net gain of \$800,000,000.

"We have made great and unexpected improvements in the means of transportation where we have substituted other power for horse power, while we have made but little improvement in the cost of transportation where we have adhered to animals as the motive power. To this fact must be added the other important one that millions and millions of public money have been expended to aid in cheapening our rates of transportation; but if we should extend the same liberal policy to the electric car that we have extended to horses and wagons by providing a free track for it to go upon, as we have for other vehicles propelled by animals the rate of transportation would be still further cheapened in the future as it has been in the past, and a lower rate can be so reached than by any other means.

"The economical advantages are so greatly in favor of steel rails and electric power that no objection can be sustained against their introduction unless it rests upon the supposed inconveniences of using this new means in the most commodious manner. In all our great cities and most of our smaller ones, double tracks are already laid and are being rapidly extended to the suburbs for considerable distances, from ten to fifteen miles; their use at the present time is entirely confined to the matter of carrying passengers, but after midnight passenger traffic is over, and from that time until five o'clock in the morning these tracks are idle and the streets vacant. During that time they could be used to great advantage and with great economy for transporting freight and food products placed upon trail cars, to various markets and other places of distribution in the centers of population; so that the question of introducing steel rails and electric power is only a question of extension. The nucleus of the system already exists, and its use can undoubtedly be extended with great advantage."

MARTIN DODGE.

To Sleep When Sleepy.

Most people are wise enough to eat when they are hungry, but many fail to attain the higher reach of wisdom, and sleep when they are sleepy. Any reason serves for shortening their hours of rest; and they thus bring upon themselves that dreaded disease insomnia.

There are scientific writers on this subject who claim that the best remedy for this is to learn to sleep in the daytime. This is very well where from some cause—work, or watching, or pleasure—you may have failed to get your needed sleep for a night or two. There is undoubtedly a great virtue in naps, even short ones; the art of napping in the daytime, for those who can acquire and have the leisure to indulge in it, is a desirable one, and, like most arts, a matter of practice.

Still, it is a bad plan to get into the habit of turning night into day; and, if you are not kept awake by care or illness, but merely have lain awake because you could not sleep, I should recommend you to fight the consequent drowsiness of the next day, in order that you may, if possible, resume your natural rest at night. Sleeplessness is generally the result of an unfortunate habit of "thinking," generally on unpleasant subjects, after one has retired for the night.

A wise physician once said, "Gloomy thoughts prevent sleep. The poor and unfortunate magnify and increase their misfortune by too much thinking. 'Blessed be he who invented sleep,' but thrice blessed be the man who shall invent a cure for thinking."

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THE PROPER INFLECTION.

Few Women Know How to Use It When Saying "Thank You." It is to be regretted—wholly in the interest of her sex—that the woman who thanks a gentleman for surrendering to her his seat in the cars does not speak up boldly and cheerfully as if she really meant what she said.

There are an infinite number of shades of which this little "Thank you" is susceptible, as anyone about town knows. It may be uttered in such a way as to make the blood tingle with indignation. It can be said with such grace and sweetness that the recipient will carry the memory of it—as the memory of some delicious perfume, or beautiful picture, or sympathetic strain of music—all through the long day of business cares.

When women talk of the decay of chivalry in men they forget that men are what women make them. Men are the exact reflection of their mothers and sisters and wives. Through the history of the men of the past we have accurate knowledge of the character of the women of that time.

SPLENDID MOTIONS.

Everyone has read of the "action, action, action" of Demosthenes, and what a variety of emotions and passions Roscius could express by mere gestures. An anecdote told of William C. Preston, of South Carolina, illustrates the power of this form of art in an amusing way.

A gentleman who was one of an audience held spellbound by a splendid harangue of Preston's from the stump one day noticed beside him a man whom he knew to be very deaf, but who seemed to be listening with breathless attention, and who apparently caught every word that fell from the orator's lips.

At last, when a particularly splendid passage had been delivered, with the effect of raising a storm of applause from the audience, the deaf man, as if he could contain himself no longer, bawled into the ear of his neighbor: "Who's that a-speakin'?"

"William C. Preston!" shouted the gentleman at the top of his lungs. "Who?" roared the deaf man, still louder than before.

MAGNIFICENT CONTEMPT.

A good story showing how appearances are sometimes deceitful comes from Russia. At a certain famous restaurant in St. Petersburg six somewhat dandified officers of the Imperial Horse Guards sat drinking champagne. Not far from them sat an insignificant little man with a shabby and unkempt beard, and a glass of liquor in front of him.

It was not long before he became aware that he was being ridiculed by the officers. By and by, as they became more and more offensive in their remarks on his personal appearance, etc., he called for the waiter and said: "Bring six bottles of your best champagne!"

"Did you hear what I said?" asked the little man. The waiter brought the wine and six glasses.

"Take these glasses away and fetch a basin—one as large as you can find," said the man. The waiter again hesitated, but obeyed instantly at the peremptory repetition of the order. "A piece of soap" was the next order. "A towel!" was the next order. "Now open the bottles!" The waiter did so.

The little man now filled the basin with the contents of the six bottles, rolled up his sleeves, washed himself in the costly fluid, wiped his hands, laid a one hundred rouble note on the table and, casting a look of withering contempt on the officers, strutted out of the room.

Trapped by a Photograph. Here is a curious little story told by an English solicitor. He had among his clients a few years ago a notorious company promoter, whose financial affairs came to grief. One day, happening to pass by a stationer's shop, his attention was attracted by a portrait of Mr. —, the well-known barrister. Mr. — was attired in a wig and gown and in his hand he held a paper on which the solicitor's sharp eyes caught the name of his client. His curiosity aroused, he purchased the photograph and proceeded to decipher the words of Mr. —'s brief, speedily discovering that they indicated that a warrant was "out" for the arrest of his client. In a few hours the man of finance was out of England.

CADI AND COUNCIL.

Description of an Interesting Trial in an Indian Court. Justice is the end of government, and every nation has its own peculiar method by which this end is achieved. In "Our Future Highway to India" an interesting trial is described. There had been a riot and one man had been hurt. The ringleaders in the riot were now put on trial, and a curious sight it was.

The cadi and council were seated round a table. An officer called the "kaimacan" had conducted us to the place where the trial was going on, and the party was accommodated on a divan. The prisoners were brought in under strong guard, the wounded man and the doctor being at the other end of our divan. The whole place was crowded with witnesses and spectators.

A more peculiar trial was never seen, every one gesticulating, shouting and yelling. The prisoners abused kaimacan, cadi, court and everything else, and were abused in turn. The noise went on increasing till it seemed as if the roof was about to fly off.

Suddenly there would come a lull and every one, prisoners, guards and all, would commence smoking cigarettes. The ringleader in the riot coolly took a light from one of the members of the court. After a pause, and with their lungs refreshed by the soothing fumes of tobacco, they would again burst forth in chorus, and the noise would be worse than before.

I know not how the clerk of the court managed to keep his notes of the evidence, but perhaps he was accustomed to such scenes, and managed to take down a fair description of what had occurred.

Though there was fresh blood on their clothes, and some long hairs were sticking to the sword of the one who had actually struck the blow, the prisoners swore they were innocent. Luckily the case did not rest on frail testimony, as an officer had been present and seen the man cut down. So far everything went to convict the culprits, but the question of provocation given and received had to be debated before the punishment could be awarded.

ORIGIN OF DEATH VALLEY.

An Indian Legend Regarding a Queen as Beautiful as Cleopatra. The Indian legend regarding the origin of Death valley, in Mayo county, California, is an interesting one.

From the outer edge of this vast furnace—it is three hundred miles square and one hundred feet below sea level—one may see far off, tremulous through the shimmering waves of heat, a sort of butte that has the form of a ruined castle. The story goes that in the old days, before the Amargosa river ceased to water the valleys, the place was the site of a powerful city ruled by a princess as beautiful as Cleopatra and as imperious as Elizabeth. An ambassador to the reigning Aztec monarch described to her on his return the glories of the king's palace in the City of Mexico.

Resolving to equal the magnificence of her neighbor she began the erection of a vast building. All the laborers and artisans of the city were employed and the work was pushed night and day; for within twelve months the Aztec ruler was to be her guest, and she wished to welcome him to a palace as splendid as his own. She exhausted the resources of her realm, men went mad with toil and hunger, and at last the high priest protested. He was ordered to execution, and, dying, cursed the city for the princess' sake. That night the earth shook and sank, the river dried up and the morning sun poured down a flood of heat. All perished, and now the ruined walls of the palace alone remain.

The Amargosa, by the way, is a most erratic stream. It flows south ninety miles from its fountain head in the western Sierras, vanishes at Resting Spring mountain, is in evidence again for fifty miles, disappears for a space, then bobs up and runs along turbulently for one hundred miles. All trace of it is lost at Death valley.

ANCIENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

How the Old Roman Tradesmen Solicited Public Patronage.

Latin inscriptions, advertisements of tradesmen, form an interesting class, says Macmillan's Magazine. Here is one near Rome: "If you want inscriptions made, or have any need of marble work, you'll get it here." Another enterprising man at Bologna announces: "A bath in town style and every convenience." A similar notice meets us only eight miles from Rome, where, of course, most of the customers would be able to know whether they really had "town style" or not.

A curious example comes from Lyons, which may be paraphrased thus: "Here Mercury promises profit, Apollo safety, and Septimanus bed and breakfast. He who has been here before will be treated all the better a second time. Stranger, settle on your lodging beforehand."

A more independent tone is taken by another innkeeper, who doesn't hesitate to declare that his house is not intended for people of moderate means. "If you live in good style, here's the house for you; if in poor fashion, I'll put up with you, but I shall be ashamed of having you."

Perhaps there are a good many modern hotels conducted on this principle, but the proprietors are not, as a rule, quite so frank in expressing their sentiments.

Cleanliness of the English. "An American writer," says Tid-Bits, "praises the English as the cleanest people on earth, and declares that the reason for our extra cleanliness is because the fogs and smoke of our island would make us the dirtiest people in the world but for our instinctive cleanliness. The concluding paragraph of his appreciative remark is worth quoting: 'It is to the magic of the tub and towel that the matchless complexion and the superb figures of the English women are due.'"

CRAZY ELEPHANTS.

A Form of Insanity Sometimes Afflicts the Huge Beasts.

When we present the elephant in possession of such intellectual gifts as may be his, there has to be considered the case of the elephant that, being "must," is for a time bereft of its senses. It is only the male that suffers from this affliction of insanity; but every male is liable to it some time or other, and, unfortunately, may be attacked by it without warning of any kind.

Some men of long experience of elephant keeping say that the "must" condition is preceded by premonitory symptoms, and if taken in time may, by diet and treatment, be averted; but, without presuming to contradict those better-informed people, I can aver that I have known some of them to be taken by surprise by the sudden "musting" of elephants under their own immediate supervision.

Some elephants, says Blackwood's Magazine, become demons of cruelty when "must," as, for example, a commissariat elephant that during my time in Oudh broke away from the Ineknow lines and went over a considerable tract of country, killing men, women and children wherever it found an opportunity of doing so.

I do not remember the total number killed by that beast, but it was sadly large. And, of course, valuable as the animal was to the government, only one course could be pursued in regard to it. The sentence passed upon it was that of death, and the execution was carried out, not without difficulty and danger to the executioners, by several Europeans, who followed and shot it down.

OLDEST DOLL IN THE WORLD.

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Francella A. Hitchcock, in the "Doll's Dressmaker," tells an interesting story of the famous Bambino di Ara Coeli. It is the oldest doll in the world, and if tradition is true, almost as old as the Christian religion, for it is claimed to have been carved out of a tree from the Mount of Olives in the time of the apostles, and to have been painted by St. Luke. Be this true or not, it has been in the Eternal city many hundreds of years, and is called the "Ara Coeli Bambino" (baby), because the church of that name, one of the oldest and most interesting in Rome, is its home. This church is built on the site of a very ancient pagan temple, and its nave is formed of twenty two columns, the spoils of the ancient buildings, the inscription on the third on the left proving it to have been brought over from the palace of the Caesars. I shall never forget the first day we visited this vast and solemnly picturesque edifice. It was just at sunset, and golden shafts of light illuminated the mosaic floor, lighted up the richly gilded ceiling above, and flashed in wondrous brilliancy over the Presepio, or manger, where lay the miraculous Bambino in swaddling clothes, literally crusted over with diamonds, emeralds, rubies, sapphires and other precious stones, while its neck and wrists were entirely covered with strings of the purest oriental pearls.

INDIAN CORONETS.

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American women who long for coronets should hesitate before accepting Indian ones. The case of the recent suit in which an English woman sues for divorce from her Hindoo husband, points a moral. She alleged cruelty as a ground for her suit, and it is claimed that the same plea might be made by nearly all the women who marry orientals and go home with them.

As a usual thing, the oriental gentleman, pursuing his studies at an English or American university, is a picturesque figure. He is likely to be very clever, and it is taken for granted that he is a prince at least when he is at home. He is popular with his fellows, and through one of them he meets and marries a pretty, freely-brought-up girl. Then he takes her home.

She may not meet with unkindness from her husband's family, for the orientals have many amiable and attractive qualities, and they are not cruel. But if the husband has not cut himself adrift from the religion and ties of his childhood his wife must conform to a certain extent to the ordinary life of the native woman. And, inasmuch as she will only do this so far as her love and duty to her husband oblige her, she will certainly fail to satisfy her new relatives, and will be looked on with coldness and suspicion by them.

A Woman's Willfulness.

"Admiral Farragut's death was due to the selfishness of a woman," Rev. James J. Kane, chaplain of the Brooklyn navy yard, said in a recent lecture. "The admiral and his wife were coming from California when a woman occupying a seat in front of them in the car opened a window. Admiral Farragut was ill, and the strong draught of wind which blew directly upon him chilled him. Mrs. Farragut asked the woman courteously if she would not kindly close the window, as it was annoying to her husband. The woman snapped out: 'No, I won't close the window. I don't care if it does annoy him. I'm not going to be smothered for him.' Admiral Farragut thus caught a severe cold, which resulted in his death. A few days before the end he said: 'If I die that woman will be held accountable.'"

A Queer Volume.

One of the most singular volumes extant is the manuscript diary of James II. It is preserved in the imperial library in Paris and is filled with reflections on the course he should have pursued in order to retain the English throne. He says in one place: "I did not retire from the battle on the Boyne from a sense of fear, but that I might preserve to the world a life that I felt was destined to future greatness."

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Under an Ann Arbor date, the Detroit Evening News of July 28, gives the following relative to an Ann Arbor firm that never sleeps:

"Ann Arbor is becoming a great musical center in more ways than one. The University Musical society is making it famous by giving annually superb concerts which bring together musical people from all over Michigan; and the Ann Arbor Organ Co. is giving it a national reputation for the excellent quality of cabinet organ manufactured here.

The name, Ann Arbor organ, may suggest to many the great Columbian organ soon to be placed in University hall; but to thousands that title means a handsome parlor organ of marvelously sweet tone, so constructed as to resist effectually the sudden climatic changes both of this country and of others much more ruinous to instruments of this class.

The Ann Arbor Organ Co. now purposes to enter the lists where Yale and the Vigilant have failed and win laurels for America from the triumphant Britishers before the season is over. Mr. Lew H. Clements, manager of the company, sails for England Aug. 4, to increase the demand for the organ in that market.

"We'll play 'Yankee Doodle' for Johnny Bull in his own capital and make him dance to it," said the manager cheerfully. "Johnny knows a good thing when he sees it, and our organ will soon be on his list of American products that he must have. It will soon be the regular thing for him to sit in his Grand Rapids easy chair, after a dinner of American roast beef, and go to sleep over his California wine listening to Miss Britannia playing 'God Save the Queen' on the Ann Arbor organ."

"Why do you go abroad when there is so much to do here?"

"We are not slighting Uncle Sam," retorted Clement. "See that stack of letters from Michigan. Michigan dealers have learned that our organ is a seller, and while they don't exactly fall over each other to get territory, we do not have to go out in this state any more and ask men to handle our organs. Frequent applications come to us for the agency which we are always glad to consider, and we still have some unoccupied territory. The organs make friends rapidly when once started, and we already have it started in many states, and in a number of foreign countries. We propose it shall be known all round the world."

This company is composed of live business men, who have a record for carrying out their projects."

Militia for Police.

Washington, July 31.—The increasing importance of the militia for quelling internal disturbances, and its potential strength in case of threatened war, is a fact Gen. Curtis, of New York, who is an enthusiast upon military matters, to embody his plans for a national militia organization in a bill. The bill has received the sanction of the house committee on militia and although it will probably not secure a hearing this session, may be called up next session.

Gen. Curtis proposes that the militia shall consist of every able bodied male citizen between the ages of 18 and 45, the organization to be known as the national guard of the states, and the unorganized as the reserve militia. The organization of the former would be made to conform as closely as possible to that of the regular army. The national guard, according to the plan, could be called into action by the President, or by any act of congress, while only an act of congress, could call out the reserve militia, the President having power to call upon the governors of states for the needed forces of the guard in case of invasion, or danger of invasion from foreign foes, Indian uprisings, or rebellion against the authority of the government, specifying in his call the period of service required, with the limitation of nine months. The national guard or reserve militia when in service would be subject to the same rules and articles of war as the regular troops of the United States and would be entitled to the same pay and allowances.

For the maintenance of the militia organizations the plan contemplates an annual appropriation of \$400,000, to be apportioned among the states and territories and to be disbursed for arms, ordnance, stores and equipments under the direction of the secretary of war, no state being entitled to a share unless it has enlisted and uniformed at least 100 men for each senator and representative in congress to which it is entitled. Provisions for annual encampments under the supervision of officers of the regular army are made, and various persons are exempted from service, officials of the government, marines, pilots and employees of railroads used in military or postal service, being the principal classes.

LOOKING FORWARD.

A Review of the Candidates Mentioned for Offices on the Republican Ticket.

As the time approaches for the republican county nomination convention, the talk about the various candidates quite naturally increases.

It is quite evident that the republican ticket will not lack for candidates this fall. Heretofore it has been difficult to find patriots enough in the county to fill out the ticket, now they are bristling up on every side.

COUNTY CLERK.

The following notice of a republican candidate for county clerk is taken from the Daily Times of last Tuesday, under the heading of "He is a Worthy Man":

"Among the many persons who have been mentioned, as possible candidates for office on the republican ticket this fall, one that is worthy of especial notice is that of Wm. K. Childs for the office of county clerk. Mr. Childs has held for the past seven years the responsible position of secretary and treasurer of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co., which has a membership among the farmers of the county of nearly 3,000. This gives Mr. Childs a wide and favorable acquaintance with the farmers of the county. Mr. Childs is also an old soldier and a prominent G. A. R. man. And the pension work that he has done has brought him into close acquaintance with almost every old soldier in the county; so that no one in the county is better known or stands higher with the old soldiers than does Mr. Childs. While Mr. Childs has always been an active and earnest working republican he is not a bitter partisan or political ringster, and could not be objected to as one that has been an office seeker. Mr. Childs is not over anxious for nomination, but is anxious that in this as well as in all other nominations those men should be nominated who will make the best officers should they be elected, add the most to the strength of the ticket and against whom there can be no objection."

The Ann Arbor Register has the following good word for Mr. Childs:

"The friends of W. K. Childs are bestirring themselves in the interests of his candidacy for county clerk. Mr. Childs' clerical ability taken in connection with his wide and favorable acquaintance throughout the county would make him a very strong candidate. His position as secretary of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Ins. Co. for the past seven years has probably made him acquainted with more people than any other one man in the county to-day."

The Ann Arbor Democrat has this:

"Col. Wm. K. Childs is being prominently talked of for the nomination for county clerk on the republican ticket. Mr. Childs has a wide acquaintance throughout the county, is popular with the old soldier, is himself free from partisan strife, and would be an honor as well as a strength to the ticket. As it is the proper thing for the republicans to have several seconds, the Democrat, on behalf of everybody in general, seconds the nomination."

Now, will the Democrat advise its readers to vote for Mr. Childs in the event of his nomination?

Wednesday's Times clips a fine notice of another possible candidate from the Dexter Leader, heading it "A Good Word for George," as follows:

The Dexter Leader has the following to say of Geo. H. Pond, whose name has been whispered about as a possible candidate for the county clerkship on the republican ticket this fall. All that the Leader says the Times can endorse and would even go it one better:

"While the Leader is in no sense a political paper, yet when its editor sees the name of a friend mentioned for an office he feels that it is not overstepping the bounds of propriety in saying a good word for him; in fact, the way he looks at life, it is not only a privilege but a pleasant duty to say a good word for a friend when occasion permits; for what is life without friends, and what is friendship but kindly thoughts expressed in deeds and words?"

"But we digress. What we started out to say was, we noticed in a recent issue of the Ann Arbor Register that the name of George H. Pond, the present city treasurer of Ann Arbor, and local editor of the Ann Arbor Courier, was being mentioned for the republican nomination for county clerk this fall. Brother Pond has the reputation of being a hustler, especially in politics, and should be inclined to take the nomination we feel sure that he would make a lively canvass, and that he would add strength to his party ticket, which, by the way, has not been very successful in electing its nominees in this county for the past decade or two. While Mr. Pond is a republican, he has many friends in both parties, and when he runs for office seldom gets left, although residing in a strong democratic locality. . . . Other names have been mentioned, but some way the Leader is inclined to believe that he will make the best run of anyone the republicans could put on their ticket for that office. He has many friends here in Dexter who would like to see him make the race at any rate."

Beside the two names mentioned above for County Clerk, the name of John Cook, of Urania, who made the

run two years ago, is also mentioned. The statement that Mr. C. P. McKinstry, of Ypsilanti, has switched off from Register of Deeds on to the County Clerkship is not credited.

SHERIFF.

For the office of Sheriff there are a number of excellent gentlemen who would like to be candidates.

About the first man in the field was George Clarken, of Ann Arbor. He is a hustler and would make a vigorous canvass should he be given the nomination.

Sylvan will ask for this office, and Wm. Judson will be its candidate. There isn't a republican—or democrat either, for that matter—in the western part of this county who does not know him, and he is well liked by everybody.

Lima will also put in a claim and present the name of one of her highly respected citizens, who is at present a temporary sojourner in Ann Arbor, Wm. E. Stocking. He is composed of good timber, and if nominated would hustle for votes.

The friends of Alvah P. Ferguson, the present senior alderman from the 4th ward, a man who knows a thing or two about politics, and don't you forget it, are urging him to make the race this year, and if he consents, and is placed upon the ticket, our good friends on the opposite side will surely be cognizant of the fact that he is on the ticket, before the campaign is over.

It has been asserted also that Manchester will present her invincible and popular get-there citizen, Wm. Burtless, for this office, and everybody believes that he would roll up some astonishing majorities should he be placed in nomination.

COUNTY TREASURER.

For County Treasurer there is another long array of names mentioned.

John Heinzmann, of Ann Arbor, known as one of the most thorough going business men of our city has been pushed for the place by his friends.

John Keppler, of Ann Arbor town, who made the race two years ago, would like to try it over again it is said.

Then there is Chas. F. Burkhardt, of Saline, a live, wide-awake business man, who has many friends who would like to see his name upon the ticket, believing it would mean success. The name of Matt. Seeger, also of Saline, has been mentioned.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

This nomination has always been given to Ypsilanti by common consent. It is understood that C. P. McKinstry who sacrificed himself two years ago for the good of his party, is anxious to try his fortune just once more. It will be remembered that he made a magnificent run in Ypsilanti, going far ahead of his ticket.

Jabez Wortley, of the same city, is also a candidate. It is thought that the delegates from that city will unite upon one of these gentlemen, and which ever they decide to support will be placed upon the ticket.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

Here again the convention will have a long list of names to select from.

Seth Randall, of Ann Arbor, would not object to making the run, and being a good lawyer and a good man, would be an honor to the ticket.

Then Andrew E. Gibson, at present in Mr. Sawyer's office, is frequently mentioned. It is believed that he would see every voter in the county personally, should he be selected as the candidate.

The name of Amariah F. Freeman, of Manchester, has been urged, but Mr. Freeman objects. He has been a candidate a number of times and believes that should he be elected it would injure his practice so that he could not afford to take the office. He may be induced, however, to change his mind before the convention meets.

John W. Bennett, of Ann Arbor is frequently mentioned, not with his consent but in spite of it. His running qualities are good, and his ability as a lawyer unquestioned, consequently there are many of his friends who would be rejoiced to have him placed upon the ticket.

The name of Darwin C. Griffen, of Ypsilanti, is also mentioned. He has made the run several times when there has been no hope, and now that there is hope, he has many friends who would like to see him elected.

The name of Peter J. Lehman, of Chelsea, is also suggested. Mr. Lehman is a German, capable, honest, and a man who would make an awful big run should the convention select him for its candidate.

CIRCUIT COURT COMMISSIONERS.

There are two to be nominated. One has always come to Ann Arbor, and the name of O. E. Butterfield, of the firm of Lawrence & Butterfield has been thought to be an eminently proper one, although Mr. Butterfield is not an aspirant for a nomination.

The second name will probably come from Ypsilanti or some of the villages of the county. In the event of some other name being selected for prosecuting attorney probably Mr. Lehman, of Chelsea, will be tendered the position.

There may be, and doubtless are, other candidates whose names have not come to our ears, who will be present with their friends on the day the nominations are made. The present indications are

that the convention will not be held until the last week of September.

Whatever is done, whoever is nominated, the ticket should be given the hearty and lively support of every republican in the county. The party should select its wisest men as delegates, and they should come to the convention untrammelled with any pledges to any man. They should come together with this one thought uppermost in their mind: to nominate for each office the person who will best serve the interests of the party and the people. Every candidate should be a hustler and pledge himself to put forth his best efforts to secure the success of the ticket.

When there is a prospect for success then the party should use the most care and discretion in the selection of its candidates.

College Town Post Offices.

Under the above heading the New Haven Daily Palladium—the city in which Yale College is located—has the following article in its issue of July 27, which contains what will be news to most of our citizens:

"While the construction of the addition and improvements to our new post office building is progressing, in New Haven, it may be of interest to note the problems that have arisen elsewhere. The Government architect in charge of this department of work for instance, has been called upon to produce a novelty in post office construction. If he succeeds his plans will be in demand for a number of places where similar conditions exist. What Congress wants is a post office to meet the requirements of college or university towns. The town upon which the experiment is to be tried is Ann Arbor. The test of success is well placed. If the architect designs a post office that fits the student population of Ann Arbor he will have something that will do for any college town in the country. In a report just made to the House the committee explains why it is the same kind of a post office that answers for towns of smaller size will not do for a seat of learning. This report is decidedly interesting. It says:

"The University of Michigan stands at the head of the column in student population, having 2,963 students in the various departments, making it the largest institution of the kind in the United States. In connection with about 700 students in the preparatory schools of the city, this makes a floating population of about 3,400 non resident people; with the actual residence of about 10,000, Ann Arbor has over 13,000 people who get their mail from the post office. Unlike the inhabitants of other cities, it has been a long established custom for the students to go to the post office after their mail between the hours of seven and eight in the evening, and notwithstanding the fact that Ann Arbor has free delivery, we are credibly informed that but a very small percentage of the students take advantage of it, but follow the old custom to take a walk in the evening to get their mail, and it is no uncommon thing to see from 800 to 1,500 students in and about the post office any week day evening during the school year."

It will readily be seen that a post office building which would be suitable for a city of 25,000 or 30,000 inhabitants, where business men go to and from the post office at all times of the day to transact their business, would be wholly inadequate to suitably accommodate the patrons of a similar office at Ann Arbor. It is also true that where so many students congregate together, if the building is not especially constructed, there is invariably an occasion for what is called a "rush" thus causing a disturbance among the students and much annoyance and inconvenience to the citizens. It is the opinion of the committee that a building should be so constructed and arranged to accommodate this daily patronage and avoid all possible friction between this great student population and the citizens.

Such is the problem which confronts the Government architect. The plans must take into account the small provocation which leads to a "rush" and must reduce to a minimum the conditions which furnish that provocation. All college towns will observe the Ann Arbor experiment with interest.

[If the government, or any other architects, succeed in making plans that will accommodate 1,500 young men and prevent rushes, they will do what is at present considered impossible.]

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WANT COLUMN.

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, or Lost or Found Houses for Sale or Rent, Wants, etc., inserted three weeks for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

WANTED—A horse wanted to keep during the summer for its use. For particulars enquire of E. G. Calkins, 34 South State st.

FOR SALE—Two Farms. Mrs. North's farm near county farm and Bullock-Everett farm in Salem town. Andrew E. Gibson, 30 Maynard street, Ann Arbor.

Notice to Water Takers.

The rules of the Water Company prohibit sprinkling except during the hours of 6 to 8 a. m., and 6 to 8 p. m. Hereafter this rule will be strictly enforced. A. K. HALE, Receiver.

Motor Line Time.

Taking effect Sunday, March 18, 1894. Leaves the junction at Ann Arbor at 7:45, 9:30, and 11:30 a. m., and 1:30, 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. Leaves Ypsilanti at 7:15, 9:50 and 11:00 a. m., and 1:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

CONNECTS WITH THE MOTOR. Holmes' bus line leaves corner Main and Huron sts. for the motor half an hour before time for train to leave the junction, and corner State and Williams 10 minutes later. Fare 10 cents. J. E. BEAL, Pres.

LOCAL.

Frank H. Rutter, of Wayne, law '87, died July 23d, aged 39 years.

One fare, round trip rate has been secured on all Michigan railroads, for the Farmers' Picnic, to be held at Whitmore Lake on August 25th.

Wm. L. E. Mahon, lit '82, is in charge of the shops of the Rogers Typographic Co., of Detroit. It is a Rogers typograph that is used to set the type for the Courier.

Secretary Mills was in Detroit Saturday, to secure some special attractions for the county fair. How well he succeeded the public will be informed in a few days.

Herbert S. Jennings and Dr. Chas. A. Kofoid, of the U. of M., are studying the life and traits of the white fish, at Round and Pine Lakes, near Charlevoix, this summer.

The real estate agents are pretty busy these days, and it is a good sign for Ann Arbor that they are busy. It indicates a good attendance at our schools this fall.

About the only Ann Arbor names on the northern resort register in the Daily Resorter, are those of Mrs. W. J. Ottawa, at Bay View, and son E. J. Ottawa, at Petoskey.

Elmer Stofflet made the 25-mile run at Belle Isle park, Detroit, last Saturday, in 1 hour 13 min. 50 sec. The winner made it in 1 hour 5 min. 58 seconds, beating the world's record.

The national meeting of the Knights of Pythias is to be held at Washington, D. C., Aug. 26. It is doubtful about the Ann Arbor lodge leaving its dastle hall for that purpose.

When Ald. Wagner returns from up north the boys can all look out for some lively fish stories. Here is just a little inkling of what is in store for them, clipped from the Daily Resorter:

Kitty Carew, a nom de plume familiar to Ann Arbor people, is "doing" the northern resort society events for the Daily Resorter. And she knows how to write them up entertainingly, too.

No workman or anyone else ever yet made anything by giving up his position to aid another person's quarrel. If he does not take care of himself, he can rest assured that nobody else will take care of him.

A number of Ann Arbor people who were at Witmore Lake last Friday evening, expecting to return on the train were disappointed over its non-arrival, it being delayed several hours by reason of a sink hole near Hamburg, dropping the track down a ways.

It will not be necessary to call out the state militia.

St. Andrews' Sunday School has a young people's orchestra.

Oh, boys, when you're out, look out what you're about, and keep off of the boulevard.

The date of the picnic for St. Andrews' Sunday School has been appointed in the last week of August, to be held at Geddes.

There will be a regular examination of teachers for first, second and third grade certificates, at the court house, tomorrow, Aug. 2d.

A trip to Witmore Lake is convincing that many people from the city make it a point to spend a considerable time there during the summer.

It is strange how the general run of people are ignorant of the looks and names of many of the common flowers. The rose is about the only flower that everybody is familiar with.

The city treasurer informs us that his office is open from 8 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., continuously through the noon hour, to accommodate those who may be employed during other hours of the day.

"Agent Hare, of the C. & W. M. accompanied by C. W. Wagner, of Wequetonsing and Ann Arbor, went up to Maple River last Saturday and tried to clean out what trout Jake Struble left last week. They got about forty of them."

It is a recognized fact that if some people can't have the running of the whole business which they have anything to do with, they take their doll and go home, sit in a corner and wonder why the world still moves because they have withdrawn.

W. J. Howard, a graduate from the law department of the University at Ann Arbor, has opened a law office over Hughes & Van Riper's store. Mr. Howard is a young man just launching his boat on the business sea, and we wish him a successful voyage.—Fowlerville Observer.

Col. Dean has in his possession those famous battle flags of the old 22d infantry, and will unfurl what remains of them at the reunion of the regiment in Lapeer, to-day. It will no doubt be an effecting sight when the old boys gaze once more upon the colors they bore in those days of battle.

Mrs. Sean L. Coyl, of Detroit, died on Friday of last week. She willed \$10,000 to Michigan University library and the remainder of her estate, about \$100,000, to Harper Hospital in Detroit. A brother, named Luke Coyl, died about a year ago, leaving his entire estate to St. Luke's Hospital, Detroit.

If farmers would protect the birds, they would have less spraying to do. The quail consumes both insects and the seeds of many weeds and grass; but it is protected only to be destroyed in the winter. Formerly, quails were very numerous in some sections, where they are now extinct, or but seldom seen.—Ex.

The following compliment for one of our citizens is clipped from the Democrat: "Mr. Joe T. Jacobs assures the members of the republican party of the second district that he thinks more of the love and confidence of his friends than he does of the nomination to any office. Were all candidates so devoted to the principles of right and justice as Mr. Jacobs there would be less of strife and bitterness in the political world than there is to-day."

Congressman Gorman called upon the 1st Assistant Postmaster General Jones, at Washington, D. C., the other day, in the interest of more mail carriers for the post office at Ann Arbor. He presented Postmaster Beakes' petition and argument, a synopsis of which was given in the Courier recently, and came away very much encouraged over the prospect of securing two, if not four more carriers. For the convenience of the people of this city, it is to be hoped the extra help will be granted. It is very much needed.

A cement walk on the south side of W. Huron st., from H. J. Brown's corner to Ashley st., is being laid.

The premium lists for the County Fair will be ready for distribution to-morrow or day after. Date, Sept. 25-28.

The gentleman who was elected to succeed Prof. Dewey, Prof. Garman, of Amherst, has declined the position because of ill health.

Three boys named Henry King, Fred Gardner and Leo Kennedy, have been arrested for tapping a till in Kemper's saloon in the Buchoz Block, Detroit st.

Martin Schaller has gone to New York to select a stock of books for his new store to be opened up in the new block where the Fulton market has been during the summer.

Thos. Supples, of Pa., a brother of Richard Supples, who was killed in the sewer accident here last winter, is in the city, and seeking a settlement of his brother's affairs.

Fred A. Howlett, ex-County Clerk, commences work for Uncle Sam to-day Aug. 1st, as money order clerk in the P. O. He will be a genial and pleasant gentleman for the public to do business with.

Some one here should obtain the formula used so successfully by the rain-makers in Yankton, S. Dak. If they can produce rain there, there is no reason why it cannot be successfully done here.

Ald. Arthur J. Kitson is making the repairs in the M. E. church. Among the other things is the extending of the gallery to the organ loft, on each side of the church, thus making room for the church choir.

The hot winds that destroyed so many thousands of acres of growing corn in Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa, will have worked out some good with all its great evil. It is thought that it will cause a great decline in beef, because cattle from the western ranches will be rushed in and sold at any price, for the reason that there will be no corn to fatten them on. Meat may become so cheap that everyone can afford it for their daily table.

Chas. Lutz, who keeps a market on N. Main st., is the owner of a family which is the wonder of everyone who sees it. It consists of a litter of fourteen puppies, all of which are lively and hungry. The parents are full-blood English Mastiffs, and Charlie wouldn't take a fortune for the family. This is the largest litter of puppies ever heard of in this section, and we believe that Wonderland would consider the little fellows a wonderful attraction. It is asserted that Mr. Lutz is opposed to the dog license law, just now.

It is understood in democratic circles that their county nominating convention will not be held until four or five weeks previous to election, and then everybody is to join in and whoop it up lively every minute from that date to election day. Our democratic brethren propose to have a short campaign, but a mighty lively one, and if any republican gets elected in this county this fall it will be no fault of the managers, but simply a determination of the rank and file of the dominant party to kick, just to see what will result therefrom. Nevertheless there seems to be republican victory in the atmosphere this fall. It may not come, but the fates are predicting it.

According to this item from the Plymouth Mail our Ann Arbor base ballist are being imitated by a spurious article going about the country and pretending to be what they are not: "A ball team, claiming Ann Arbor as their home, struck town Saturday last to do battle with the Playmates. In making the match the Playmate's manager did so honestly, supposing it was to be a team from Ann Arbor. But the first ball had no sooner passed over the plate when they found out that no such team came from Ann Arbor. After playing about three hours, during which the spectators were treated to more fun than has ever been given them on the ball grounds, the score stood 37 to 9."

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'Tis true; it is as graceful as when, in other days, it wound along in beauty to the top; but as I gaze...

How the Tariff Bill Passed a Crisis.

Washington, D. C., July 27.—The tariff bill passed another serious crisis today. Senator Aldrich says that it has nine lives...

There was a good deal of labor spent with Mr. Stewart last night by both parties. He put a high price on his vote...

I think the editor of the Farmer is level headed, and knows what is for the interest of the American people. When I say American people I mean all that are citizens...

Addressing a diocesan convention at Smyrna, Del., recently, Bishop Coleman said:

"If I were to tell you one-half of what I know—actually know—of the covetous, miserly and yet prodigal way in which some people conduct themselves—covetous and miserly in behalf of the church, prodigal as to the expenses in their own behalf—you would give me credit for great self-restraint in what you might deem my most caustic words upon this theme. The laity can have but an imperfect idea of the amount of subterfuge, deceit and downright lying practiced by many of their number in excusing themselves from devoting a just share of their means, be they great or small, to even the primary work of their several parishes."

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A fashionable spot—The polka dot. A great Boone to Kentucky—Dan. Iel.

The Public Highways.

ANN ARBOR, June 16, 1894. To the Editor of the Michigan Farmer: I wish to make a few remarks on the article written by F. W. Dunham relating to road laws, which appeared in the Michigan Farmer, June 9th.

His objection to our present road law is because the road districts are too small. My construction of the old road law is that one system and one road law extends all over the state of Michigan, excepting in incorporated cities and villages.

In his second he says the county system is better than the existing township system of roads by money tax. This is a blow at decency and good citizenship. Is it possible that we as American citizens are conducting ourselves in such a manner in this, the 19th century, that we have to make laws that tend to centralization of power!

Again, Mr. Dunham insinuates that in the old system we lack knowledge and brains for making a good road. I never thought or believed that it required a highly educated person to build a good road, or any thing more than good common sense with perseverance and hard work.

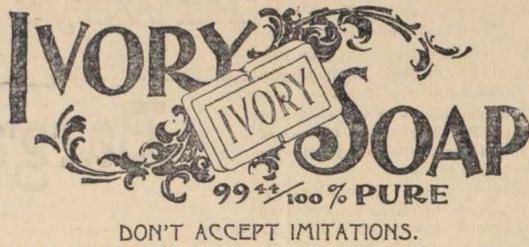
I am for good roads and always have been, but I am against a system that creates high priced officials. The money you pay those officers will not help the road. I am inclined to think in our part of the country it would be unwise to build a macadamized road.

FRED B. BRAUN.

Relieved by a Bishop.

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Summer Desserts.

Punches are usually served as a course between the entree and the roast at a long dinner or as a dessert at the close of a less formal affair. They should be served in punch glasses, of which there are many varieties.

Romaine Punch—Boil together a quart of water with a pint of sugar for half an hour. Add the juice of six lemons and one orange. Strain and set away to cool. Then boil together a gill of water and a gill of sugar for eighteen minutes.

Kirsch Punch—Mix together half a pound of powdered sugar and a quart of cold water; grate in the rind of a large lemon and squeeze in the juice of three. Beat thoroughly for five minutes. Taste the mixture and add more sugar if necessary.

Pineapple Sorbet—A quart of grated pineapple, the grated rind of two of the oranges boiled in a little water and then strained; two tablespoons of corn starch mixed with a little cold water. Pour boiling water on this corn starch paste, put in the juice of oranges and lemons after straining; add a pound and a half of sugar and enough water to make a gallon. Freeze.

Orange Water Ice—Eight oranges, two lemons, the grated rind of two of the oranges boiled in a little water and then strained; two tablespoons of corn starch mixed with a little cold water. Pour boiling water on this corn starch paste, put in the juice of oranges and lemons after straining; add a pound and a half of sugar and enough water to make a gallon. Freeze.

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Nursing the Sick.

Blessed indeed is that household that knows not sickness and requires no nursing; but this is a blessing that in the natural course of events cannot continue. There are many women, excellent housekeepers in other respects, who know nothing about nursing or caring for the sick.

In acquiring knowledge that will be of value in the sick room, it is not necessary that anatomy, physiology and materia medica should be studied, though it will be conceded that some knowledge of these subjects may be of great use. The care of the sick, particularly when they are weak or putrid, is in itself a most valuable art, and one which some have naturally, but which all can acquire.

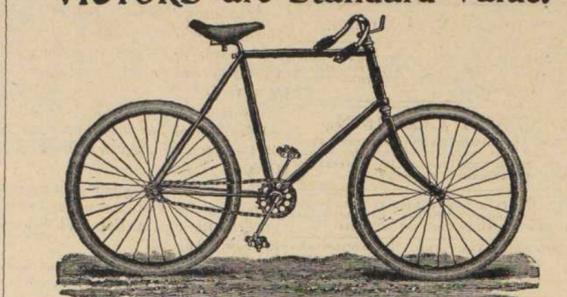
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Notice to the People.

Any person knowing of the existence of any nuisance detrimental to public health will please leave a notice with the city clerk, or in writing to any member of the Board of Health. The nuisance will be investigated and abolished at once.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

The State fair will be held this year at Detroit from Sept. 11 to 21.

John Wheaton, aged 86 years, died at his home in Oakville, July 22.

The yields of wheat so far reported in this county have been excellent.

The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, of Milan, reports a balance sheet of \$97,115.48. The deposits are \$66,409.67.

According to the Mail, Plymouth is infested by a gang of rowdies that need to be introduced to the chain gang.

There is great complaint from fruit growers about the fruit dropping off the trees. Caused no doubt by the dry weather.

On Thursday, July 26, Mrs. Grace Hitchcock, wife of Milton W. Hitchcock, of Milan, died at their home in that village, aged 27 years.

Daniel Wilcox, of Unadilla, was drowned on Sunday while bathing. He was 21 years of age, and a Maccabee.—Pinckney Dispatch.

Dr. Richardson went to Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon, and had an operation performed upon his throat by Dr. Carrow.—Dundee Reporter.

The managers of German Day, to be held in Chelsea this year, announce that Gov. Rich and James S. Gorman will speak to them on that occasion.

The Dexter Leader states that the gain denoted by the recent census comes from Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. Our friends down the Huron wish the last of that statement was correct.

The farmer's wife has a scowl pass over her otherwise pleasant face as she hears the hum of the threshing machine and thinks of the big meals necessary for her to prepare for a day or so.

Not only rag weed, but all other kinds of weeds, notably burdocks and thistles, are just everlastingly loaded with hay fever. The only safe way to do is to cut them down and burn them up.

That promised rain has not yet arrived, and everyone casts an anxious eye skyward, with an inward, if not spoken, prayer for the clouds to give forth their moisture, and the rains to descend.

Now that wool is low, we hear that there is no money in sheep. The improvement of the fertility of the land, due to the presence of sheep, is an important element of profit frequently overlooked.—Farmers' Friend.

Some tramps, it is supposed, set the bridge on fire, over what is known as the big ditch a half mile north of Dundee last week Tuesday, and the south bound passenger train on the T. A. A. & N. M. R. R., came near having a smash up thereby, but didn't.

Harrison Phelps and family returned Friday from a stay of several months at Colorado Springs, where they went in hopes to improve the health of their eldest daughter, whose condition, however, remains about the same.—Dexter Leader.

By the giving away of a bridge near the Centennial school house, Augusta, Dan Hitchingham's traction engine met with a bad smash up recently. More expense for the town in not seeing that her highways were in proper condition.

During the hard rain last Friday afternoon, lightning struck and burned a large stack of straw belonging to Ira Webster. Had it not been for the heavy fall of rain his barn buildings would doubtless have been burned. Saline Observer.

When the local reporters of the Ann Arbor papers get short of news, they stick in this item. "It is said that the bondholders and stockholders of the street railway have arrived at an understanding and that cars will soon be running on our streets.—Chelsea Standard.

Remember the Farmers' Picnic at Whitmore Lake, August 20. Big time. Lots of talk. Lots of lemonade. Lots of fun. Lots of water. Lots of neighborly greetings. Everybody is making arrangements to be there. Go then and do likewise. Half fare on all railroads.

The man who makes general farming pay the best is the one who has some produce that he can put on the market every month. He is not tied down to any one crop, or one branch of stock raising, but he branches out sufficiently so that if one thing fails, he has other opportunities ready.—Dexter Leader.

The product of the creamery is below that of last year. Chas. Sandford is running it in accordance with the demands and prices. The product now is about 1,800 pounds per week. From every ton of cream they allow for getting 900 pounds of butter, thus 20 tons of cream are handled weekly by the two teams.—Manchester Enterprise.

The following are the new officers of Wolverine Lodge, No. 197, I. O. O. F., as published in the Milan Leader: N. G.—E. W. Mead. V. G.—W. H. Whaley. Secretary—J. S. Bray. Treasurer—S. T. Blackmer. Warden—Archibald Gaultlett. I. G.—Nelson Younglove.

R. S. to N. G.—C. M. Blackmer. L. S. to N. G.—Nelson Taylor. R. S. to V. G.—George Sherman. R. S. to V. G.—Edd Farrington. R. S.—D. J. Anderson. L. S. S.—George Segar.

This cat story is told by the Saline Observer:

"During the past week the poultry farm of G. J. Nissly has been quite the scene of mourning, between one and two hundred chickens have been killed many of them from his most choice breeds. In consequence of the above some forty choice cats in the neighborhood have been caused to straighten out from the effect of as many doses of course shot." Of course that shot took the right course or of course the Observer would not have had that item.

By authority granted from the "Ancient Reckless Order of Prevaricators," a society started and sustained by Bro. Neal, of the Northville Record, we are entitled to lie to our heart's content, and no one has a kick coming. Usually we have believed all of the thrilling articles found in the Record were true—true as gospel, but our faith is shaken, lo, its foundation quaketh, in fact it has flown, and now the Record is regarded by us as a modern newspaper only. There, take that! Next!—Dundee Ledger.

While walking about town recently we noticed a number of Russian thistles that need harvesting as they are nearly ready to go to seed. This thistle is the one that is "raising Cain" in some of the western states, and in some places large amounts of money have been appropriated for the extermination of the pest. Many people think that it is a milk-weed, but if they will take the trouble to examine it a little closer they will find that the leaf is decorated with a row of thorns.—Chelsea Standard. We have pretty good authority for stating that there is no thistle about it, but it is simply wild lettuce.

Extensive preparations are being made for the fifth annual celebration of the German-Americans of Washtenaw County which will be held at Recreation Park, Chelsea, Aug. 9, 1894. Societies from the various cities and towns throughout the county will be present, each bringing their own band. The societies and bands, together with the advertising cars of our merchants, will form in line for a parade through the principal streets. The exercises at Recreation Park will open with an address of welcome by P. J. Lehman, followed with orations by Gov. John T. Rich and Congressman Jas. S. Gorman. Also an address in German by Mr. Martin Schettle. At the close of the speaking the rest of the day will be taken up with sports and games, followed in the evening with fireworks and a ball in Floral Hall.—Chelsea Herald.

Farmers' Picnic.

The Farmers' Annual Basket Picnic will be held at Whitmore Lake, on Saturday, Aug. 25th. It is expected the nominees for Governor of all political parties represented in Michigan will be present. Half-fare rates will undoubtedly be given by all railroads. A cordial invitation is hereby extended to everyone. HENRY C. WALDRON, President. R. C. REEAES, Secretary.

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FEEDING THE JACKALS.

A Strange Ceremony Performed by Himalayan Priests.

A strange ceremony is carried on at a certain temple lying in a belt of swamp and jungle at the foot of the Himalayas. The author of "Indian Memories," who visited the place at sundown, says that she found the priests in perfect silence, engaged in cooking large cakes before the temple. Then they sat down, still silent and stolid, as if ignorant of any unaccustomed presence.

As the last rays of sunlight died off the temple, a man of extreme age, clad in white robes and closely shaven, issued from the shrine. It was the chief priest. Moving slowly forward, he took up a bronze hammer, and began to strike the bell. Very sweet and deep was the note; the whole glade rang and vibrated with it.

At the sound, all the priests rose and moved solemnly and in dead silence round the quadrangle, bearing with them their huge cakes, which they broke up as they walked, and deposited them on the stones and tree-trunks, and the steps of the temple. A rustling sound made me turn. A jackal, big and plump, brushed past me, with an upward curl of his lips, and a look of surprise and resentment in his red-bronze, gleaming eyes.

Simultaneously, from every lane and passage in the darkening thicket, came other jackals, singly and in pairs, and filled the space before the temple. Soon the feast was spread. The high priest ceased to toll the bell, and at a shout and wave of the hand, every jackal trotted, without rivalry and without snarling or confusion, to what was evidently his accustomed place in the feast, seized the cake in his jaws, turned and disappeared through the thicket.

In vain did I see the priests to learn the meaning of this strange bounty. "It had always been so," was their answer.

A Terrible Revenge.

An Italian who had a pair of showy black eyes and was excessively vain of them permitted himself in a peculiarly outrageous manner to insult a defenseless young Englishwoman who had recently lost her husband. An American painter slapped his face and received his challenge. In the art of fence the American was a proficient, and, as swords were chosen, I asked him, writes Henry Harland in the Idler, on the night before the meeting what he was going to do with the little beast. "Not kill him?" "Oh, no, I shan't kill him. I don't want to soil my hands with his dirty little life. I think I'll just put out one of his handsome black eyes." The next morning in a wood near Viroflay the men crossed their swords, made a few feints and passes, and then, before they had been at it a full half minute, the Italian gave a scream. Sure enough, the American had pinked him in the eye.

A Long Rope.

An Irishman who served on board a man-of-war was selected by one of the officers to haul in a tow line of considerable length that was towing over the taffrail. After pulling in forty or fifty fathoms, which had put his patience severely to proof, as well as every muscle of his arms, he muttered to himself: "Surely it's as long as today and to-morrow! It's a good week's work for any five in the ship. Bad luck to the leg or the arm it'll leave at last. What! more of it yet? Och, murder! the say's mighty deep, to be sure!" After continuing in a similar strain, and conceiving there was little probability of the completion of his labor, he suddenly stopped short, and, addressing the officer on watch, exclaimed: "Bad manners to me, sir, if I don't think somebody's cut off the other end of it!"

Dried Fruit Weights.

The reason for the variation in the weight of dried fruits when packed in large or small packages is the subject of an article in the London Grocer. Currants, being semi-dried, gain somewhat in weight when in bulk, but when packed in small cartons the tendency is for them to lose weight. Sultana raisins are cured in boiling oil and gain weight when in small packages. Valencia raisins are cured by being dipped into lye and diminish in weight both in large and small packages. Of course the apartment where the fruits are kept has something to do with it, and the paper constituting the wrapper may gain in weight, one grocer at the seaside reporting that his "pound" packages weighed seventeen ounces.

A Strange Conflagration.

A street was literally set on fire at Buda-Pesth, Hungary, a short time ago. A glass carboy, filled with benzine, accidentally fell from the car in which it was being hauled. Of course, it broke, and the benzine ran over the street and through the slot into the conduit of the electric railroad. An electric car passed just at that time, a spark flew out between the trolley and the conductor in the conduit, and the benzine burst into a sheet of flame. The frightened passengers escaped somehow, and then everybody had to wait until the fire burned itself out.



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PERSONALS.

John R. Miner is spending the week at Zukey.

Harry Donnelly returned to Chicago last Saturday.

J. D. Ryan is sojourning for a time at St. Clair Flats.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Martty are at Crooked Lake.

Epp. Matteson has returned home from his Ohio trip.

Bartlit Wiley, of Lansing, was in the city last week.

Z. Roath is with the bachelors, at Zukey Lake this week.

Chas. M. Wells, of Chicago, is visiting his mother on S. State st.

Prof. Geo. W. Patterson was an Adrian visitor over Sunday.

Miss Blanche Heaton, of Jackson, is visiting Ann Arbor friends.

Miss Nellie Kyer has returned from a week's sojourn at Marshall.

Mrs. Sid W. Millard is visiting her sister, in Detroit, for a time.

Dr. Dean M. Tyler has returned from a visit with friends in Leslie.

Mrs. C. S. Millen has returned from North Lake for a week or so.

Prof. and Mrs. F. C. Newcombe are visiting their parents in Flint.

Master Harold Keith, of Mt. Clemens, is visiting Ann Arbor relatives.

Mrs. Sanzi, son and daughters have gone to Portage Lake camping.

Prof. Gibbs and family are whiling away the week at St. Clair Flats.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Babcock are at New Haven, Conn., at present.

Allen B. Pond was home last week from Chicago, visiting his parents.

Prof. de Pont and family are spending the month at Les Cheneaux Islands.

Miss Bessie Dunster left Friday for a visit among friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Rosalie Krause has returned home from a visit with Toledo relatives.

Mrs. David Frederick is entertaining Miss Susie Barringer, of Evanston, Ill.

Master LeRoy W. Childs is in Augusta, spending a week with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Don J. Root are guests of the latter's father, Dr. W. W. Nichols.

Cashier Hiscock of the A. A. Savings Bank is spending the week at Zukey Lake.

Miss Julia Esslinger, who had been visiting friends in Clinton, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goodyear left Monday for the Eastern seaside resorts.

Gerhard Josenhans and family have returned from their stay with Saline friends.

Mrs. T. W. Mingay and Miss Hattie Benham visited friends in Wayne last Saturday.

Prof. Fayette Hurd, of the Vinita College, Ind. Ter., is expected in town this week.

Miss Minnie Drake joined her sister, Martha, at Whitmore Lake, Monday, for the week.

Rev. Henry Talock and family leave to-morrow for Old Mission, to remain several weeks.

Miss Bessie Carr, who has been visiting Mrs. Weightman, has returned home to Mt. Clemens.

Ed. Come, who now lives in Detroit, has been greeting Ann Arbor friends during the week.

Thos. J. Cavanaugh, of Paw Paw, has been the guest of his brother M. J., during the week.

Martin Clark returned Monday from a two week's sojourn around Niagara Falls, Buffalo, etc.

Miss Lucinda Lohr, who has been visiting in the western part of the state, has returned home.

Frank J. Biggs who is now in Detroit, practicing law, was an Ann Arbor visitor over Sunday.

Geo. W. Weeks, of the northside, is entertaining his sister, Mrs. E. J. Dodge, of Hamilton, Ohio.

Miss Anna Condon and brother Frank left Saturday evening for the delightful region of Old Mission.

Rob't Barlow, '94 law, of Butte, Mont., was in the city Thursday, on his way east for a month's stay.

Miss Julia M. Cotant of South 12th st., is spending a few weeks with friends at Two Rivers, Wisconsin.

John Eisele, James Burke, John Burns and Rob't Gerner are camping out on Strawberry Lake this week.

Prof. B. A. Hinsdale and wife have gone to Provo, Utah, to remain during the balance of the vacation.

Misses Nellie and Mary Hinsdale, of Washenaw ave., have gone to Wadsworth, Ohio, for the summer.

Mrs. Geo. Haller and son, Walter, who have been visiting Toledo friends, have returned home.

Dr. W. D. Saunders, of Grand Rapids, has joined Mrs. Saunders, who is visiting her father, Moses Seabolt.

Mrs. Geo. Wahr has been entertaining Mr. Samuel Medbury and Miss Mary Ely, of Detroit, during the week.

Gregory Dibble, of E. Washington st., has gone on his annual six months' trip for D. M. Ferry & Co.'s seed house.

Sam Langsdorf, of St. Louis, Mo., showed up for the old bachelor's week, at Zukey Lake, on Monday morning.

Mrs. Victoria Morris and family left Saturday evening for Old Mission, to be absent the remainder of the summer.

Reuben Kempf, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Hosack, are taking in the beauties of the St. Lawrence river this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roberts, of Packard st., have been entertaining F. E. Nellis, of Wyandotte, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindenschmidt, accompanied by their sister, Miss Emma Binder, are visiting friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Patrick Gallagher, accompanied by his daughter Mary, of Corunna, have been visiting friends in the city during the week.

Miss May Cooley has been entertaining Misses Allie Delamater, Margaret Higby, and Grace Heysler, all of Jackson, during the week.

D. Cramer is expected home from Hastings this week. He had a cataract removed from one of his eyes recently, but is recovering nicely.

Mrs. F. L. Parker and son John, expect to leave to-day for the Thousand Islands and the Adirondack's to be absent some three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark expect to leave Monday for a few weeks vacation. They have not fully decided yet where they will go but probably in the vicinity of Potoskey.

Hon. John F. Lawrence, Col. H. S. Dean, and Evert H. Scott left Monday A. M., for Grand Rapids, to attend the republican State Convention, while Fred C. Brown, of the Daily Times and J. E. Beal of the Courier, left Monday evening for the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ricketts, of St. Paul, Minn., have been in the city during the week. Mr. Ricketts, returned home Monday, but Mrs. Ricketts, nee Emma Banfield, remained until to-day visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Ricketts was a former teacher in our public schools and many friends here were glad to meet her once more.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL CHAMBER, ANN ARBOR, July 30, 1894.

Special session.

Called to order by President Wines. Roll called.

Present—Ald. Bodmer, Martin, Aldmendinger, Wood, Snyder, Brown, Manly, Kitson, Pres. Wines—10.

Absent—Ald. Wagner, Ferguson, Prettyman and Taylor—4.

Following was read:

ANN ARBOR, July 29th, 1894.

W. J. Miller, City Clerk.

Please call a special meeting of the Common Council, for Monday evening, July 30, 1894, at 8 o'clock, to receive report of the sewer committee, to consider the same and take action thereon.

L. D. WINES, President of the Common Council.

Chairman Kitson, of the Committee on Sewers, made a verbal report, stating that the Committee on Sewers had duly considered the specifications and a form of proposal, for the construction of lateral sewers, as submitted by the City Engineer, and recommend that they be read and adopted by this Council.

On motion of Ald. Manly, the specifications were read by sections and approved of by sections.

City Engineer Key then proceeded to read the specifications, and read to and including Section 52, and then on motion of Ald. Kitson, the council agreed to meet in an adjourned session Thursday evening, August 2nd.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

W. J. MILLER, City Clerk.

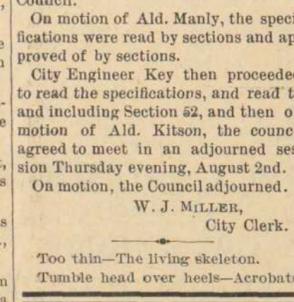
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CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATOR GORMAN (dem., Md.) in a speech in the senate on the 29th which occupied three hours in delivering, charged the president with duplicity in connection with the tariff bill and three of his associates testified to the truth of his charges. In the house no quorum was present and no business was transacted.

DISCUSSION of the conference report on the tariff bill was resumed in the senate on the 29th and Senator Hill (N. Y.) devoted more than two hours to a defense of the president in reply to Senator Gorman's attack of the previous day. In the house a bill was passed for the reinstatement of clerks dismissed from the railway mail service between March 15 and May 1, 1893. Mr. Harter (O.) introduced a compromise tariff bill.

On the 29th the senate agreed to the conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and further discussed the conference report on the tariff bill. In the house bills were passed placing the widow of Gen. John M. Corse on the pension list at \$400 per month, and permitting fourth-class postmasters to administer oaths to pensioners in remote districts.

SENATOR VILAS (Wis.) replied at great length to Senator Gorman's attack upon the president when the tariff bill was called up in the senate on the 29th. A motion to place coal and iron on the free list was defeated. A resolution calling on the attorney general for copies of all correspondence with railroad officials in connection with the recent Chicago strike was adopted. In the house the conference report on the fortifications bill was agreed to and some twenty interstate and foreign commerce bills were passed.

In the senate on the 29th the tariff bill was sent back to conference without amendment. Adjourned to the 30th. In the house a message was received announcing that the senate insisted on its amendments of the tariff bill and had agreed to the request of the house for a further conference. The evening session was devoted to private bills.

DOMESTIC.

GEORGE HUDSON, a striking miner at Coalburg, Ala., shot and killed Charles Cole, James Smith and N. B. Gay, deputy sheriffs, and fatally wounded another.

ACCORDING to government reports corn in Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas was perishing owing to the lack of rain.

ARMED bodies of coke strikers who have been terrorizing workmen in Pennsylvania are to be suppressed by the state militia.

FRANK MARCHIS, Michael Delenneg and Charles Drowicz were drowned in the Susquehanna river at Plymouth, Pa., by a boat capsizing.

FIRE started from a locomotive spark, destroyed the business portion of Chenoa, Ill., entailing a loss of \$500,000.

SAMUEL MILLS, of Johnston, N. Y., shot his wife in a fit of jealousy and then himself. They leave six small children.

SEVEN of the eight children of Mr. and Mrs. Kruse, of Humboldt, S. D., died of diphtheria.

AFTER hearing all the arguments advanced by both sides Judges Woods and Grosscup decided in Chicago that the contempt proceedings against E. V. Debs and others of the American Railway union were in the nature of proceedings in equity and that therefore the defendants could not be discharged on their denial of the charges, but must stand trial.

The village of Colona, Ill., was almost wiped off the map by a fire, the origin of which was a mystery.

WILLIAM MELVILLE, correspondence clerk of the Bank of California at San Francisco, confessed that during the last thirteen years he had stolen \$85,000 of the bank's funds.

FIRE destroyed the business portion of Great Bend, N. Y., a village of 3,000 inhabitants.

THREE FORKS and Watson, prosperous towns in British Columbia, have been completely destroyed by forest fires.

CAPT. ERSKINE CARSON died at Hillsboro, O., from a bullet wound received at the first battle of Bull Run.

SPARKS from a locomotive destroyed lumber yards, a schoolhouse and other property at St. Joseph, Mo., valued at \$100,000.

In a quarrel over five dollars William Skinner, of Fountain city, Ind., was beaten to death by his son-in-law, George Starke.

MISTAKING his father and sister for thieves, William Collins, of Birmingham, Ala., killed both of them by shooting.

FOREST fires along the line of the Northern Pacific in Wisconsin are dying out, there being nothing more to burn.

THREE firemen were killed, several persons injured and 205 horses burned to death in a fire at Washington.

JOHN CRAIG, an ex-police officer at Los Angeles, Cal., shot and killed his father-in-law and his mother-in-law, and fatally wounded his brother-in-law, George Hunter.

WILSON SOULE, a millionaire at Rochester, N. Y., was dragged over stone pavements by runaway horses until life was extinct.

The recent labor troubles cost the state of Ohio \$150,000.

FURTHER action in the case of Eugene V. Debs and his associates was discontinued in Chicago until September 5 and the defendants were released on bail.

OWING to a grudge masked men at Meeker, Col., stabbed and clubbed to death 350 sheep belonging to Gen. S. Allsebrook.

GENERAL managers predict that within five years railroads will own all of their equipment except sleeping cars.

WHAT was supposed to have been an incendiary fire destroyed the business portion of Griggsville, Ill.

HENRY ROMANNA, of Chicago, fired eight shots at Herr Zeitung, inventor of a bullet-proof vest, in a successful test in New York.

WHILE inspecting a mine at West Pittston, Pa., Col. Mason, superintendent, and Foreman William Wilson fell down the shaft and were killed.

SIX of the men who were implicated in the tarring of Adj. Gen. Tarsney, of Colorado, have been arrested.

WILLIAM TYLER (colored), charged with assault, was hanged by a mob at Carlisle, Ky.

CHARLES WILSON (colored) was executed in the jail-yard at St. Louis for the murder of Moses Hodges on November 8, 1893.

REPORTS from all western states indicate the hottest weather ever known. Great damage to crops would result.

WALLACE BURT, a half-breed Indian who murdered Samuel L. Rightly and his wife, an aged couple for whom he worked, was hanged at Dayton, Pa.

STATISTICS of the recent strike show that the railroads in Chicago lost \$355,000 in cars burned by the rioters.

Mrs. JACOB TRADER, an eloping woman of Calhoun county, W. Va., hampered by her 4-year-old daughter, tied the child to a stake and burned her to death.

The recent census in Michigan gives the state a population of 2,239,374, a gain of 145,485 since 1890.

REVENUE officers unearthed an illicit distillery in New York having a capacity of 1,000 gallons daily.

At Cleveland Alix trotted a mile in 2:05 and Ryland T. in 2:07. Twelve heats were trotted in an average of 2:10.

In the free-for-all pace at Cleveland, O., Robert J. made a new record, an average of five heats being made in 2:07.

NORTHERN Wisconsin was being swept by the worst forest fires in the history of the state. The losses already amounted to millions of dollars. The towns of Phillips, Fifield and Mason had been wiped out, and it was feared that several lives had been lost.

THERE were 249 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 27th, against 330 the week previous and 386 in the corresponding time in 1893.

A DISEASE which baffled the physicians had killed three persons at Minerva, O., and many others were afflicted.

The business portion of Lucksville, O., was destroyed by fire, and William Wilson, owner of a big factory, fell down an elevator shaft and was killed.

DUN'S review of trade says business is rendered uncertain by tariff delay and the blockade of traffic by strikers.

FIRE of an incendiary origin swept away many business houses in Celina, O., the loss being \$150,000.

The supreme court of New York refused a new trial to John Y. McKane, the convicted boss of Gravesend, now in Sing Sing.

The United States revenue cutter McLane seized six Spanish vessels off Anclote, Fla., that were engaged in smuggling.

A FIRE that broke out in J. H. Dorsey's woodworking establishment at Tampa, Fla., caused a loss of \$100,000.

AT Briceton, O., David Kline and his wife and child were killed, poison having been placed in the well from which they drank.

The northern districts of Mississippi were swept by a fierce hailstorm, causing great destruction of crops.

HARRISON DUNCAN (colored), who murdered a policeman in St. Louis October 6, was hanged for the crime at Clayton, Mo.

WARREN freight engines collided near Lafayette, Ind., and Engineer Clark and brakeman Donohue were killed.

DICK GREEN was hanged at Mount Pleasant, S. C., for the murder of Nancy Drayton in April last. Both were negroes.

BRYANT DAWSON and Joseph Yowell, young business men of Mount Vernon, Ind., were drowned while bathing in the Ohio river.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 27th aggregated \$770,418,388, against \$857,811,437 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 13.0.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

J. G. CANNON was renominated for congress by the republicans of the Twelfth Illinois district.

The following congressional nominations were made: Wisconsin, First district, H. A. Cooper (rep.) renominated. Iowa, Seventh district, J. A. T. Hall (rep.) renominated. Missouri, Sixth district, Rev. A. B. Francisco (pop.) renominated. Maine, First district, Thomas B. Reed (rep.) renominated.

CONGRESSIONAL nominations took place as follows: North Carolina, Third district, J. D. Shaw (dem.); Eighth, H. Bower (dem.); Indiana, Eighth district, E. V. Brookshire (dem.) renominated. Kansas, First district, H. C. Solomon (dem.); Seventh, Jeremiah Simpson (pop.) renominated. Arkansas, Sixth district, Robert Nell (dem.) renominated. Missouri, Sixth district, D. A. De Armond (dem.) renominated.

ILLINOIS republicans in state convention at Springfield nominated Henry Wulff for treasurer, G. M. Inglis for superintendent of public instruction, and S. A. Bullard, Alexander McLean and Mrs. J. M. Flower for trustees of the state university. The platform favors protection to American industries, favors liberal pensions to soldiers, the use of gold and silver as money metals upon a parity of values, and arraigns the present democratic governor of the state as the most conspicuous case of misfit in official life.

In convention at Des Moines the Iowa republicans nominated W. M. McFarland for secretary of state, C. G. McCarthy for auditor, J. S. Herriott for treasurer, Milton Remley for attorney general, C. L. Davidson for railroad commissioner, and C. T. Granger and H. E. Deemer for supreme court judges. The platform declares for a system of protective duties so adjusted that every American resource can be developed by American labor, adheres to the declaration of the national republican party in 1893 upon its monetary policy, favors the exclusion of pauper immigrants and liberal pensions to soldiers.

GEN. A. J. Pleasanton, originator of the blue glass theory, died at his home in Philadelphia, aged 86 years.

CANDIDATES for congress were nominated as follows: Illinois, Eleventh district, William Hirschey (pop.); Fourteenth, David W. McCulloch (pro.); Iowa, Third district, D. B. Henderson (rep.), renominated. Indiana, First district, James A. Boyce (pop.). Ohio, Seventh district, R. S. Thompson (pro.). Maryland, First district, J. W. Mills (dem.). North Carolina, Eighth district, W. H. Brown (dem.). Pennsylvania, Nineteenth district, J. A. Stahl (rep.).

REV. FRANCIS A. HOFFMAN, aged 88 years, the oldest Evangelical preacher in the United States, died at Reading, Pa.

THE Wisconsin republicans in convention at Milwaukee nominated the following ticket: Governor, W. H. Upham; lieutenant governor, Emil Baensch; secretary of state, Henry Casson; treasurer, S. A. Peterson; attorney general, W. A. Mylrea; superintendent of public instruction, John Q. Emery; railroad commissioner, Duncan McKenzie; insurance commissioner, Dr. W. A. Frecke. The platform favors protection to American industries, the use of silver as a currency to the extent only that it can be circulated on a parity of gold, entire separation of church and state, free common schools, and recognizes the right of laborers to organize, using all honorable measures for the purpose of dignifying their condition and placing them on an equal footing with capital to the end that both fully understand that they are friends and are equal to each other and to the prosperity of the people.

In convention at Grand Forks, N. D., the democrats nominated Judge Templeton for judge of the supreme court and Budd Reeves for congressman. The platform declares for bimetalism, demands that all money be issued by the government, demands tariff for revenue only and the speedy passage of reform tariff laws.

THOMAS R. HORTON, of Fultonville, N. Y., editor of the Republican, died at the age of 72. He served in congress from the Eighteenth district of New York from 1855 to 1857.

THE prohibitionists of the Seventh Kentucky (Breckinridge's) district nominated Judge James B. Fennell for congress.

The republican state convention of Massachusetts will be held at Boston October 6.

FOREIGN.

MARSAK & BROUSSEAU, Montreal hay shippers, failed for \$200,000.

CHOLERA was rapidly spreading in Galicia, especially in the western district of Cracow and in the eastern districts near the Russian frontier.

SEVENTEEN seamen were drowned by the wrecking of the British bark La Lacheur off Cape St. James, on Provoist island.

MEXICAN bandits held up the stage near Perota, Vera Cruz, and stole \$4,000, besides robbing the passengers of valuables.

WAR was declared between China and Japan, and the king of Corea was imprisoned by the Japanese.

DISASTROUS floods and hurricanes destroyed many lives and much property along the Tagus, in Spain.

The final splice of the Anglo-American Telegraph company's new cable was made at Heart's Content, N. F.

BOADELLA, who headed a conspiracy to kill the president of San Domingo, was shot. His followers were set a liberty.

By a collision of steamers on the River Niemen at Grodno fourteen persons lost their lives and eleven others were injured.

LATER.

THE United States senate was not in session on the 28th. The house passed a number of measures of a private character and debated a bill to give federal courts additional powers in dealing with violations of the copyright law.

A NATIVE force attacked the French in Senegal and was repulsed with a loss of 500 killed and 128 wounded.

FIRE wiped out the business part of Belle Plaine, Ia., destroying about sixty buildings and contents, with a loss of \$500,000.

Mrs. MAHALA HAYES, of Andrew, Ia., celebrated her 100th birthday.

THE three children of James W. Ganion accidentally locked themselves in the closet of a caboose at Hartford, Conn., and were not found until dead.

AT Cleveland, O., Online paced a mile in 2:06 3/4, cutting two seconds from the record for 4-year-olds.

BOUSER's oil tank and novelty works at Fort Wayne, Ind., were destroyed by fire, the loss being \$100,000. One man was killed.

OF 2,000 troops on board the Chinese transport Kow Shing, sunk by a Japanese cruiser, only forty were saved.

TWO THOUSAND houses were destroyed by fire in Cotel, a Bulgarian town, and it was believed that many persons perished.

JAMES MULLIGAN, of "Mulligan Letter" fame, died at Maynard, Mass., aged 53 years.

MISS MARY LONDDERRY, who purposes encircling the globe on a bicycle in eighteen months, started from New York.

In a twenty-four-hour bicycle race at Herne Hill, England, Shorland covered 400 miles 900 yards, beating the world's record.

SEVENTEEN buildings in the business district of Brooklyn, Ia., were burned, causing a loss of \$125,000.

Loss of property approximating \$3,000,000 and heavy loss of life, the extent not yet known, though at least fifteen persons met death at Phillips, is the record of the forest fires which swept northern Wisconsin for two days.

The governor of Hong Kong places the deaths from plague in the Canton district alone at 120,000.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 28th were: Boston, .663; Baltimore, .622; New York, .603; Cleveland, .571; Brooklyn, .560; Philadelphia, .527; Pittsburgh, .525; Cincinnati, .500; St. Louis, .432; Chicago, .410; Louisville, .325; Washington, .291.

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ESTATE OF ISAAC C. HANDY.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 25th day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Isaac C. Handy, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William E. Clark, praying that certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate be granted to himself, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and of the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Courier, a news paper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.