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Worth of Dress Goods, Silks and Woolen goods, bought at the great Syndicate Sale in New York, will be sold at prices cheaper than the Tariff Bill ever make them.

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We manufacture our own Lumber and guarantee

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Loans on improved farms in Southern Michigan negotiated.

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Washtenaw County Fair.

The Washtenaw County Fair to be held at Ann Arbor, Sept. 25-28, promises to be a great success in every way. The program for the Fair will be both novel and popular. The regular exhibits promise to be better than ever before, and besides this many new features will be added. Besides the regular premiums offered there will be a number of special premiums given by merchants and others interested in the Fair.

The board of managers has taken a wise step in setting aside Wednesday, Sept. 26, as School Day. Splendid prizes consisting of money and beautiful flags will be awarded to the schools of the county having the largest percentage of scholars in attendance. County Commissioner Cavanaugh will act as president of the day. Addresses will be made by Supt. A. E. Jennings, of Manistee, candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Principal Boone, of the Michigan State Normal School, Supt. W. S. Perry, of Ann Arbor, and Supt. M. A. Whitney, of Ypsilanti. Two hundred school children will give a grand concert, to be conducted by Miss Lucy K. Cole, of Ann Arbor. The price of admission to scholars and teachers on School Day will be only ten cents. The interest shown promises that this day will be one of the greatest in the educational annals of Washtenaw County.

Another special feature of the Fair will be the splendid exhibition to be given each day by Bronco John's Wild West, of which J. H. Sullivan, the noted scout and frontiersman, is owner and manager. It will thus be possible for every visitor to the Fair to witness one of the most magnificent exhibitions of Western life and customs ever brought before the public, and this without any extra charge. Mr. Sullivan has medals, awarded him by ex-President Arthur, and friends in New Mexico, for saving the lives of whites from the attacks of Indians. He has a strong combination of frontiersmen, and will give a fine exhibition of life in the far West.

The livestock department will be of the greatest interest to all owners of domestic animals. Prominent breeders and headsmen will bring their best droves, flocks and herds. The speed contests will be of the greatest interest, as some of the best horses in the state will enter for the large premiums offered. These are only a few of the features of the Fair. The entries already made in every department give assurance that the Fair will be a success in every way, and that there will be a fine exhibition in every department. No one can afford to miss the county fair this year. Let every man, woman and child in the county spend at least one day in looking over the large exhibits and enjoying the special attractions. Remember all railroads offer half-fare rates.

List of Jurors.

The following is a list of petit jurors drawn for the October term of the circuit court, and who are summoned to appear at the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, October 2d, at 9 o'clock a. m.

ANN ARBOR CITY:—
1st Ward—D. Schraier.
2d Ward—Sid W. Millard and Geo. Bross.
3d Ward—Abraham Tice and J. E. Harkins.
4th Ward—Gerhard Josenhans.
5th Ward—James B. Cady.
6th Ward—Fred C. Brown.
ANN ARBOR TOWNSHIP:—
1st Ward—William P. Brown.
2d Ward—John Hitchingham.
3d Ward—Benj. Feldkamp.
4th Ward—William Ryan.
5th Ward—Edwin Koebbe.
6th Ward—Henry Luick.
7th Ward—Martin Kock.
8th Ward—W. J. Howlett.
9th Ward—Thomas Holmes.
10th Ward—Burnard Heaney.
11th Ward—William Campbell.
12th Ward—John Van Syckle.
13th Ward—James B. Lindsley.
14th Ward—Patrick Tuomy.
15th Ward—Daniel M. Bureh.
16th Ward—William Cook.
17th Ward—William Lewis.
18th Ward—Henry Sims.
19th Ward—W. F. Allen.
20th Ward—Cary Davis.
YPSILANTI CITY:—
1st Dist.—P. C. Sherwood.
2d Dist.—Raphael Kapp.

The classes in dancing at the Academy, 6 Maynard st., will commence as follows: Children, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29th, 2 o'clock. Gentlemen, Oct. 6th, 10 o'clock a. m. Ladies Oct. 6th, 4:15 p. m. Ladies and gentlemen Tuesday evening Oct. 9th, at 8:15. Gentlemen, Thursday evening Oct. 11th, at 8 o'clock. No stalls to mount. Office and dancing hall on the ground floor.

WANTED—Cider and evaporating apples for the Ann Arbor Fruit & Vinegar Company. 4w

Republican Delegates.

The following is a list of republican delegates elected in this city at the caucuses, Monday evening:

TO THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

First Ward.
H. S. Dean,
G. F. Allmendinger,
L. C. Goodrich,
W. F. Dieterle,
J. W. Bradshaw,
D. F. Schraier,
Chas. F. Staebler,
O. M. Martin,
Wm. K. Childs,
S. A. Moran.

Second Ward.
H. M. Wood,
A. C. Schumacher,
George Apfel,
John Krause,
E. K. Frueauf.

Third Ward.
Chas. E. Hiseock,
C. B. Davison,
John A. Freeman,
Zenas Sweet,
Wm. A. Clark.

Fourth Ward.
George H. Pond,
Geo. J. Vandewalker,
D. W. Springer,
E. V. Seyler.

Fifth Ward.
Eli W. Moore,
N. D. Gates.

Sixth Ward.
E. F. Johnson,
Levi D. Wines,
Jas. Otley,
E. H. Scott.

TO THE REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION.

First Ward.
A. J. Sawyer,
S. C. Randall,
John E. Travis,
J. Q. A. Sessions,
Harris Ball.

Second Ward.
Albert Weimer,
M. Grossman,
M. Schiede,
John Herman,
Gus Lutz.

Third Ward.
Daniel Hiseock,
N. J. Keyer,
Harrington Johnson,
S. J. Jones, Jr.,
Wm. Matthews.

Fourth Ward.
A. M. Doty,
F. B. Taylor,
Harbert Burke,
A. W. Gasser.

Fifth Ward.
Eli W. Moore,
N. D. Gates.

Sixth Ward.
E. F. Johnson,
L. D. Wines,
James Otley,
E. H. Scott.

The Pop Convention.

Gus Peters, E. A. Nordman and a half-dozen more assembled at the supervisor's room in the court house, yesterday, and resolved themselves into a county mass convention, two district conventions, etc., and put up a complete set of nominees for the county offices. Chas. D. Johnson, of Scio, was chairman, and Nelson E. Freer, of Lima, secretary; with Gus Peters and Ed. Nordman as spokesmen. Some parts of the proceedings were quite humorous and the great desire on the part of some of the leading lights to make a speech was a prominent feature.

The ticket nominated was as follows:

Sheriff—Charles D. Johnson, Scio.
Clerk—Russell C. Reeves, Scio.
Register of Deeds—Alex H. Brooks, Sharon.
Treasurer—E. A. Nordman Lima.
Prosecuting Attorney—Nelson E. Freer, Lima.
Circuit Court Commissioners—To be filled by the com.
Coroners—Levi S. Miles and James Morrison, Scio.
Surveyor—George Augustus Peters, Scio.
Representative, 1st Dist.—Emil Zukley, Freedom.
Representative, 2d Dist.—Chas. A. Ballard, Sharon.

In case of any vacancy the county committee was empowered to fill it. Mr. Nordman moved that if any populist declined to run, that he be fined \$25, to be paid into the campaign fund. This was carried with an amendment to the effect that Nordman be appointed to enforce the collection.

Mr. Peters paid his respects to the press of the county, and asked for a fair report of the proceedings, (which, by the way, the Courier has always given them.)

The Ann Arbor Art School desires to announce the opening of classes for work in its rooms in the Masonic Block, on Saturday September 29. The same teachers who were employed last year will conduct the work this year. Miss Hunt will give lessons in color every Wednesday afternoon beginning Oct. 3d. Miss Pepple will have charge of the work in black and white every Saturday morning from 9 to 12 o'clock, beginning September 29th. It is hoped that all those who desire to enter the school will do so at once and have the benefit of every lesson. Beginners can now be received as well as more advanced pupils. The fee has been made very small in order to accommodate every one who desires to do this kind of work. For further information apply to Mrs. W. S. Perry, 61 E. Washington st.

That's How it is.

The ubiquitous book agent, with his versatile description of the comprehensive contents of his sample copy, with its well thumbed pages, has scarcely left our sanctum sanctorum, when in comes a spruce young man with a sample box of patent aluminum and copper and cast-iron writing pens, warranted not to rust or corrode, bend, break, twist or sputter; he is closely followed by the one armed man with a bundle of pencils, only five cents a bunch, warranted never to break when sharpened, etc. This predatory merchant is scarcely out of the door when a slimy, greasy, dirt-begrimed paper is shoved under his nose, setting forth that the bearer has been unfortunate, lost most of his natural resources, including energy, and beseeching aid in money, nothing else will do; then the professional tramp with a sore arm swathed in enough rags to glut a paper mill, strikes us with: "My friend, can't you help a poor fellow who is laid up and out o' work; haven't had anything to eat for two days; just a dime or a nickel 'll do sir,"—and yet one-half of the world wonders how the other half gets a living.

Our esteemed republican contemporary, the Courier, has oiled up its mud-slinger and begun business thus early on the democratic candidates. The Argus respects the Courier and its editors, and at the same time wishes to remark that the Courier's style of personal campaigning can be better afforded by the democratic candidates than by the Courier itself.

The Courier has the greatest respect for the extensive array of able and witty editors of the Argus, both imported and domestic, but at the same time wishes to remark that it detests a prevaricator, and that if any one asserts that the Courier has made a "personal attack" upon the democratic candidates, or any one of them, he either willfully misrepresents or is too ignorant of the English language to comprehend what a "personal attack" is. No one but a coward, Bro. Argus, indulges in personalities, unless attacked in that way. Of course there is a class of editors who when closely pushed for argument resort to dirty flings and low-down personalities in the hope of extricating themselves in the minds of their readers, but such things are not looked upon as honorable in the profession, or applauded by the people generally.

Looking Out For the Girls.

Byron, Ill., Sept. 13, '94.
To the Women of Ann Arbor:
From time to time, the general secretary and other officers of the Student's Christian Association have received letters from young people who wish to take a course of study in the University and earn a part of their expenses. Such students have frequently been helped to work but the number of such is frequently greater than the number of places for them to work. This fact has caused a desire to put the whole matter on a well organized basis.

It is much easier for men to find employment than for women. Just at this time, when you are getting your homes ready to receive a large number of students who will soon return to the University, will you not, as many as can, make a place in your home for a college girl and give her a chance to do house-work to pay for her room?

I shall be in Ann Arbor Sept. 22, and can be found after that at Newberry Hall where I expect to meet many of the new girls. Please call on me or any of the officers of the S. C. A.

I trust that this is only the beginning of what may become a great help to college women in Ann Arbor.

MARY P. BLOUNT,
Vice Pres. of S. C. A.

The republicans of New York have made a grand nomination for governor in the person of Levi P. Morton, late vice president of the United States. He will be elected, too, and Gov. Flowers noticing the handwriting on the wall has declined to be a candidate for a second term against him.

Republican Senatorial Convention.

A Republican Senatorial Convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the Michigan State Senate from the Tenth Senatorial District, consisting of the counties of Jackson and Washtenaw, and transacting other business, as may properly come before it, will be held in the city of Jackson at the Lincoln Club rooms, Monday, September 24, 1894, at eleven o'clock a. m.

By order of the committee,
G. M. DEVLIN, Chairman,
W. S. CARPENTER, Secretary.

A Gospel True Story.

Two prominent business men of this city, went out to Zukey Lake one day last week to spend the day and incidentally, of course, to catch some big fish. During the afternoon while angling for an abnormal pickerel, the clouds began to lower and the lightnings to flash. The breezes also sprang up and commenced playing with the waves, and the waves in turn began to rock the boat, gently at first, but more and more in earnest until the two gentlemen aforesaid began to realize that it might be safer on land than where they were. So both squared themselves, grasped the oars and commenced pulling for shore.

It grew darker rapidly, and the breeze kept increasing in intensity. The stroke was increased, but some way the stroke didn't appear to grow nearer to the fishermen; the waves tossed the boat but no train was left behind them as is usual when two strong men are pulling at the oars. Sweat poured from every pore, and yet the boat evidently made little progress.

At last it was agreed that one should see if they had run into and impaled a whale or something, that was holding them back.

What was the surprise of the stroke oar to find that they had neglected to pull up their anchor, and that in their frantic endeavor to reach terra firma, it had loosened a half-acre or so of weeds which they were towing along. It is needless to say that the anchor was quickly brought in and about the fastest time made for the club house that Island Lake ever saw. Mr. Keech and Frank Allmendinger both, agreed not to tell anybody about it, and just how the story got out is a mystery.

An Ordinance Needed.

There seems to be no ordinance by which common beggars, tramps, etc., can be arrested and prosecuted. Last week a band of gypsies, men and women, perambulated our streets begging for money. At one place a couple of the men were offered something to eat, and at another some old clothes. They spurned the offers in an indignant manner. They wanted it understood that they were no common beggars, and they wanted money or nothing. They got nothing. In many places, however, where women were alone in the houses they were frightened into giving money. If an arrest is made of such an offender, it has to be under the state law, and the board of supervisors are very strict with the prosecuting attorney about issuing warrants for this class of arrests, as they often make heavy costs for the county. These facts go to show how badly some system is needed to deal with this class of offenders. A chain gang with enforced baths, will keep them away from a place. Some of the gypsies above referred to, the women especially, looked as if they had not seen a washbasin or a drop of water since their birth. Cleanliness is abhorred by tramps and beggars quite as much as is labor, and enforced baths alone, might keep the city clear of the nuisance.

Sept. 25 and Oct. 9th, the M. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to large number of points in the west and south-western states at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Full information given at M. C. ticket office.

WANTED—At the Central Mills, rye, oats, barley, beans and corn.

ALLMENDINGER & SCHNEIDER.
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Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

NEW FALL DRESS GOODS!

Advance Sale for September.

Not in thirty years has there been such an opportunity to purchase Dress Goods as we will give this month. Immense purchase of Foreign and Domestic Dress Goods; not only on a free wool basis but at a time when the manufacturers were anxious to sell at any price to keep the mills going.

READ THE LOW PRICES.

36-inch Novelty Wool Suitings at 19c a yd.
40-inch all-wool Scotch Suitings, worth 50c, at 39c a yd.
40-inch all-wool Fancy French Suitings, worth 50c, at 39c a yd.
40-inch all-wool Serges, in new fall shades, cheap at 40c a yd.
40-inch all-wool Henriettas, in choice shades, at 40c a yd.
45-inch all-wool French Serges, worth 75c, at 50c a yd.
40-inch Covert Cloth Suitings, very choice, at 50c a yd.
45-inch Novelty and Fancy Boucle Suitings, at 50c a yd.
50-inch Covert Cloth Suitings, worth \$1.00, at 75c a yd.
45-inch Silk and Wool French Suitings, at \$1.00 a yd.
45-inch all-wool Storm Serge, the 75c quality, at 60c a yd.

50 PIECES NEW BLACK DRESS GOODS FOR THIS SALE.

NEW SILKS,
NEW CLOTH CAPES,
FALL JACKETS.

200 New Fur Capes, 24-inch to 30-inch, from \$5.00 to \$50.00. Ladies, you are invited to make our Dress Goods Department a special call and examine the new styles.

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LEADERS OF LOW PRICES.

GOODYEAR'S DRUG STORE.



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HOLD HIGH CARNIVAL on all vegetable life at this time of the year. Chemistry affords means of quickly and effectually exterminating them and protecting the plants—whether flowers or vegetables. We have the stuff that will do the work. A good article will go twice as far as a cheap one. And we sell the best at the lowest price.

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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 Roscommon 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.

Barkworth appears to be a man who has been too fond of writing letters.

It was President Cleveland who denounced the present tariff law. Will the Argus please make a note of that fact.

And now the Courier praises Gen. Spaulding for his silver views, which are diametrically opposed to its own.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

Oh! By gosh!

The government is only \$17,000,000 short for the first half of the fiscal year. That's nothing. The raise in price of wool, now that it is on the free list, will soon make up that trifling.

Death has stepped into the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic the past year and removed 7,238 of the old veterans. The roster now shows 369,083 members of the order in good standing.

In Maine, besides electing all four congressmen, and their state ticket by over 40,000, the republicans elected every state senator and 137 out of 151 representatives. Whew! But that was a cyclone.

Have you noticed how the price of wool goes up now that there is no tariff on it? You haven't? Well, that's funny! The Argus said free wool would raise the price, and the Argus never tells a lie you know.

Readers how does the new tariff suit you, sugar advanced from 5 to 7 cents per pound?—Broadway, (Va.) Enterprise.

The new tariff is a sweetener and no mistake. And it seems they are finding it out even way down in 'Ole Virginia."

The people should not forget that the last legislature, which was republican, consumed two months less time and made better laws, than did its predecessor, which was democratic, and known to fame as the squaw-buck legislature.

Ex-President Harrison delivered some excellent short talks to the people in Prof. Wilson's district in West Va., and they seemed to be pleased to hear him, thousands gathering wherever his train stopped. He can make the best and clearest short speech of anybody in the country.

It has been stated from Washington, D. C., that the old soldiers in the pension department are being continually dismissed by Hoke Smith, and confederate soldiers put in their places. In all upwards of 2,000 old soldiers have been kicked out of place since Gen. Harrison was president.

A prominent democrat said to the Ypsilanti Tuesday, that he was going to vote for every man on the republican ticket who lives outside of Ann Arbor. He wants to teach his brethren of that city not to be so hoggy about nominations. Republicans should take the hint.—Ypsilanti.

Complete returns from Vermont give the republicans a plurality of 28,356, and a majority over all of 27,310. The vote was republican, 42,736, democratic 14,380. Loss to the democrats of 4,963, and a gain to the republicans of 9,274, making a change of 14,237 votes in the little state of Vermont alone.

Col. Thos. G. Lawler, of Rockford, Ill., who has been elected commander of the G. A. R. is a native of Englewood where he was born in 1844, coming to this country when a child, and being educated at Rockford. He enlisted as a private in Co. E, 19th Ill. Inf'y, and saw much hard service, coming out of the war a colonel. He is a worthy veteran.

Wonder what the farmers, voters, housekeepers, etc., think about the fact that as soon as the new tariff bill became the law sugar went up in price, and French brandy, liquors, cordials and other spirits, used especially by the rich, went down 60 cents per gallon. The poor are taxed on their necessities, by the new bill, and the rich relieved of burdens on their luxuries.

Decency still rules in Kentucky. The people of one congressional district, at least, have given out to the world that no man can be grossly immoral and still retain the respect of, and be continued in office by them. W. C. P. Breckenridge was defeated last Saturday in the primary elections by his competitor W. C. Owens, by a handsome majority. Vale Breckenridge! Ta ta Willie!

Free wool; cheap raw material! That's the present trend of democratic tariff tinkering. The farmer can now get just about one-third for his wool that he could during the republican tariff. He has to sell grades that he formerly received 30 cents per lb. for, at 10 cents per lb. Now how much cheaper can he buy a suit of all wool clothes? Will some one answer who has had experience and knows?

Before Mr. Strong would accept the chairmanship of the democratic state central committee he made the leaders of the party give him a bond that he should not be held personally responsible for the expenses of the campaign. For the empty honor of allowing his name to be placed on the ticket for the short term senatorship he didn't propose to foot all the bills of the campaign. They don't appear to get the start of Mr. Strong very much, so far.

The Detroit Free Press claims that James O'Donnell, A. J. Sawyer and Edward P. Allen are practically against Gen. Spaulding, and on the sly aiding Mr. Barkworth, the democratic nominee for congress in this district. What arrant nonsense. But then, if democrats choose to hang any hopes on that sort of aid, let them do it, by all means. Neither of the three gentlemen referred to are in the least disgruntled, but on the contrary are talking and working for the success of the entire republican ticket from top to bottom. Mr. Barkworth can count that as being a sublime truth.

The laboring men of this city who have been led to believe that a protective tariff protects labor, will do well to study the class of men employed to do the work on the campus at the present time.—Ann Arbor Democrat.

A protective tariff has as much to do with the employment of men on the University campus, as the king of the Hottentots does with base ball. But the thousands of men who had plenty of work under the McKinley bill, and have been out of work ever since the democrats carried congress and went to tinkering up the Wilson bill, will believe that the tariff has some influence on wages and it will be difficult to make them see otherwise. It is a fact that has had a practical demonstration with them. And they are waiting anxiously to enter their protest at the ballot box.

Rupture, or Hernia, permanently cured, or no pay. For Pamphlet and references address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

THAT HARMONIOUS HARMONY.

That there is an extreme amount of harmony existing in the ranks of our friends the enemy, especially in regard to congressional matters, can be judged by the following in regard to their convention held at Adrian, taken from the Daily Times of last Wednesday:

"The democrats nominated Mr. Barkworth for congress yesterday, but not unanimously even though there was no candidate against him. Among those who arose and voted no on the motion to nominate him was Hon. Ed. Smith, who was the Cleveland elector in this district in 1892. One delegate wanted to know if the convention had nominated a populist and asked that Mr. Barkworth's letter to the populist convention be read. For obvious reasons this was not done. There are several thousand people in the district who have read the letter, however, and it will not be forgotten during the campaign. Fully one-third of the delegates remained seated when the motion to nominate Mr. Barkworth by acclamation was made and six of them were so far anti-Barkworth as to rise and vote no. This is the record of a democratic convention and shows that there are many men in the party who are not yet prepared to go over to the populists, body and breeches."

THE POINT MADE CLEAR.

Will somebody name the provision in the new law which is an improvement on the old? Let us stop generalization. Let us know what you mean. It is asserted in some quarters that it is better because the rates of duty are less and the average percentages lower. In whose interests are these lower duties? Whom do they benefit?

Senator Mills answered this well when he said in his recent speech:

"What has been the fact in reference to every tariff act in the history of the government that reduces duties? Importations increased and with increased importations came increased revenue. It was so in the Walker tariff of 1846. Now with these facts before us, and they are mathematical and cannot be contradicted, there is to be a very large increase of importation under this bill, and a large increase of importations means a large increase of revenue."

So we start with the declaration from those who framed the law that importations are to be increased under it. But what does this mean to the American people? Increased importations of articles we make in the United States means diminished productions in the United States. It cannot mean anything else, and diminished production in the United States means diminished employment to our American labor, and diminished wages to those who are employed. You cannot escape from that conclusion.—Wm. McKinley.

Gov. Rich has appointed John H. Grant as judge of probate of Manistee county vice N. W. Nelson, deceased. Judge Grant is a graduate of the University, lit. class of '82, and a lawyer of much ability and good practice at Manistee. In making this appointment, Gov. Rich has shown that he has the best interests of the people of that county at heart, for his appointee is an honest man and the interests of the widow and orphan will be perfectly secure in his hands.

The tariff fight is to be continued until the "good times" of forty years ago are fully restored, is what the democratic leaders tell us. In other words, it is to be continued until wheat sells for forty cents a bushel, farm hands work for eight dollars a month, laborers receive twenty-five cents a day, calves sell at 37-1-2 cents a yard and eggs and butter and turkeys and onions will not pay for hauling to market. The leaders are mistaken. They will not live to see those good times "fully restored" if they live to the age of Methuselah.—Cedar Springs Clipper.

The effort of the Courier to make Ann Arbor appear as having more than her share of the democratic candidates is not a winner. By custom recognized by both old parties, well-behaved county officials are given a second nomination. Michael Brenner was from Manchester; Andrew Hughes, from Selo; Thomas D. Kearney from Northfield; P. G. Sney from Pittsfield. These were entitled to renomination and there were no opposing candidates. The county delegates recognized the custom. Properly the city of Ann Arbor gets clerk, one circuit court commissioner and one coroner. Let the Courier save its tears to water the tombs of the republican candidates after election.—Argus.

Bro. Smith was imported from Adrian to write funny articles for the Argus, and we take it the above is a genuine specimen of his wit. Of course things are not what they are but what we want them to be. These gentlemen are not residents here, of course not! Judge Babbitt isn't a resident of Ypsilanti, he's a resident of Ann Arbor. Bro. Smith, himself, should be credited to Adrian. But we are still of the opinion that there may be a little difficulty in making the people understand it that way.

REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL PROBABILITIES.

The Detroit Journal's Washington special gives in detail the claim of the Republican National Congressional Committee for the approaching elections for Representatives in Congress, which presented in tabular form, is as follows:

State	Present	Expected	Expected
	Rep.	Dem.	Prob.
Maine	4	2	5
New Hampshire	3	2	5
Vermont	3	2	5
Massachusetts	13	12	25
Rhode Island	2	1	3
Connecticut	4	3	7
New York	27	20	47
New Jersey	8	15	23
Pennsylvania	30	20	50
Ohio	21	10	31
Michigan	12	7	19
Indiana	13	2	15
Illinois	22	11	33
Wisconsin	10	4	14
Minnesota	7	3	10
Iowa	11	10	21
North Dakota	1	1	2
South Dakota	2	2	4
Nebraska	3	3	6
Kansas	3	0	3
Colorado	2	0	2
Oregon	2	0	2
Montana	1	1	2
Idaho	1	1	2
Washington	2	2	4
Utah	1	0	1
Nevada	1	0	1
California	7	3	10
Texas	13	0	13
Arkansas	6	0	6
Missouri	13	1	14
Louisiana	6	0	6
Mississippi	7	0	7
Alabama	7	0	7
Georgia	11	0	11
Florida	2	0	2
Tennessee	10	2	12
Kentucky	11	1	12
West Virginia	4	0	4
Maryland	6	0	6
Delaware	1	0	1
Virginia	10	3	13
North Carolina	9	1	10
South Carolina	7	1	8
Total	356	126	482

They thus claim gain of 77 members, giving them the house by 24 majority. By arranging the states in natural groups we make the table more graphic. Now let us have the democratic expectation for comparison.

HIS OWN WORD FOR IT.

Ionia, Mich., Sept. 14.—Several months ago Thomas E. Barkworth met an Ionia professional man. During the conversation he lamented the drain on his purse and time of a political campaign, ending with, "My dear sir, if you ever hear of my running for office or accepting a nomination, or entering politics, you send me a telegram at once, at my expense, notifying me that I am a self-convinced ass."

On hearing of Barkworth's nomination at Adrian, Sept. 11, his Ionia friend indited the following telegram:

Ionia, Mich., Sept. 13, '94.
Hon. T. E. Barkworth, Jackson, Mich.: Although congratulations are due you as the unanimous choice of your party for an exalted position, yet I beg to remind you that you are a self-convinced ass. Under prior arrangements, I send this at your expense.

Hon. Rowland Connor, of Saginaw, is the name of the democratic nominee for congress in the 8th district. Hon. Rowland Connor! Let's see! Is he not the man who went out of his way to insult the members of the Michigan Press Association, at their meeting in that city a few years ago? The name sounds familiar some way, and there is an unpleasant association with it also. Guess he must be the same man. The press of Michigan, irrespective of party will no doubt give Mr. Connor the support he deserves. He made no exceptions in his insult. It was sweeping and all embracing, and these men all have good memories, no doubt.

Here is some most excellent advice given in the New York Sun, by one who is termed a "fallen woman."

"This is the best way to help do away with disreputable houses: Bring up your sons as well as your daughters to be chaste. Teach them that it is as vile and degrading for men to live impure lives as it is for women to do so. Let society insist that men be virtuous to enter respectable houses; and if men fail, let society treat them as it does the 'fallen women.'"

Does she not tell the truth? Does not society damn the woman, but open its arms to the harlot, the rone and the rouser? And society seldom knows where its boys are after dark.

Go by favor—The cotillion.
A gastronomic secret—Hash.
Infant outfits—Convulsions.
Will spread reports—Cannon.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption, and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thomas Eggers, 239 Florida st., San Francisco, suffered from a fearful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficiency of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at The Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co's Drugstore, and George T. Haussler, Manchester.

FAVORS THE SINGLE TAX.

[From the Chicago Times.]

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 13.—The nomination of "Tom" Barkworth for congress by the 2d district democratic convention at Adrian is received by his friends here with every manifestation of delight.

The convention which nominated Barkworth, the bitter assailant of Cleveland and congress, indorsed the "wise, economical, patriotic, and statesmanlike administration of Grover Cleveland; denounced the action of the republican senators who, aided by a few alleged democrats, defeated the will of the people as recorded in the elections of 1890 and 1891," and taunted Gorman whom they wouldn't renominate, for his "faithfulness, his untiring industry, and the valuable character of the services rendered by him in sustaining democratic principles, in steadily laboring to embody them in legislation, in his unswerving loyalty to our president in his administration of the affairs of that exalted office, and in his uncompromising loyalty to our party."

The single tax people in the 2d district are on the alert as a result of Tom Barkworth's nomination. They will bring Henry George and Tom Johnson here for speeches if possible, and James A. Hearne is now regarded by the Adrian theatrical managers as an assured booking. Hearne plays "Shore Acres" and gives a lecture on the single tax "on the side" for a Sunday afternoon attraction when he plays in a town.

Free Wool—How it Works in Practice.

A college professor recently said: The prospects of free wool has reduced the price of wool, and now I will get cheaper clothing. The free wool policy of Grover Cleveland suits me.

Just then his mail came with three letters from residents of as many different states, each saying in substance:

I had made arrangements to send one of my sons and one of my daughters to college in which you are a professor, but owing to the low price of wool, I will not be able to do so. If free wool comes, the price will not pay me for the labor of producing wool. My lands are not adapted to anything but the production of wool and mutton, and with free wool they will be of substantial value. This will render it impossible for me even in the future to hope to be able to patronize your college.

The professor on reflection said:

This free wool will considerably reduce the number of our students. I see that my salary will be reduced for two reasons: 1. The reductions in the number of students will render it necessary, and 2. under a tariff for revenue only all prices for labor and other services will go down, and my salary with them. And, besides, the resources of others, in addition to wool growers, will be reduced and with that fewer students will come to us. The free wool and low tariff party is no longer my party—it must be defeated. Scabbers occupy extremum. Free wool will soon bring free trade, and this is ruin to our college.

In free wool I can now see, in the language of Shakespeare, Shipwrecking storms and direful thunders break.

The poet truly has said: God never made an independent man: 'Twould far the concord of his general plan.

The inquiry now comes home to me: "What shall it profit a college professor if he gains the low prices of the world, yet loses his own salary?"

"Thus endeth the first lesson."

Many a laborer who voted for free trade in 1892 and has since lost his wages is asking the same question.



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To those interested, Bay View offers special advantages in the great Chautauqua course and Assembly, held in July and August, the program of which will be of unusual excellence this year, comprising classes in many branches of learning and lectures by noted professors and teachers from the highest colleges and universities of this country.

The Way to Reach these RESORTS

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Railway, which runs through the entire region, and is known as "The Scenic Line," on account of the beautiful scenery through which it passes, traversing the shores of lakes, rivers, and bays, for miles, which, with the splendid service offered by this line makes the trip a delightful one.

Through parlor and sleeping cars from Detroit to Petoskey and Bay View, are run during July, August and September; via the Detroit, Lansing & Northern

Railroad to Grand Rapids, thence via the C. & W. M. Tourist tickets at reduced rates are sold at principal stations on these and other lines from June 1st to Sept. 30—good to return until Oct. 31.

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WHERE THE SUMMER BREEZES BLOW.

Would you fly if you could
To a spot in the shade
That nature hath made:
Rich with ferns and wild flowers
One of nature's fair bowers?
What is life to the soul
If to labor is all?
What is joy to the heart
When for rest we depart
To the woods and the dells,
Does your heart cry for rest
In a place that is best,
With no shadow or sorrow
Nor care for the morrow?

If so, send your address for a list of "SUMMER TOURS," published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Geo. H. Heafford, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.



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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.
By order of the Board of Health.
DR. JOHN KAPP, Health Officer.
H. B. DODDLEY, Inspector.
ELI W. MOORE, Asst. Inspector.
ANN ARBOR, JUNE 15, 1894. Sept. 19

ANNUAL TAX SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, 1891.

The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery.

In the matter of the petition of the State of Michigan, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

On reading and filing the petition of the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, praying for a decree in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said petition will be brought on for hearing and decree at the October term of this court to be held at Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on the first day of October, A. D. 1891, at the opening of the court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon by the State of Michigan, for such taxes, interest and charges, or any part thereof, shall appear in said court and file with the clerk thereof acting as registrar in chancery, their objections thereto on or before the first day of the term of this court above mentioned, so that in default thereof the same will be taken as entered and a decree will be taken and entered as prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said decree the lands described in said petition for which a decree of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by such decree, on the first Monday in December thereafter, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lots and of each and every parcel thereof, at the office of the County Treasurer, or at such convenient place as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and that the sale then and there made will be a public sale and each parcel described in the decree shall be separately exposed to sale for the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person offering to buy for any given tax and paying the full amount charged against such parcel, and accepting a conveyance of the smallest undivided fee simple interest therein; or, if no person will buy for any of said several taxes and pay the balance thereof and take a conveyance of less than the entire thereof, then the whole parcel shall be offered and sold, if any parcel of land cannot be sold for taxes, interest and charges, such parcel shall be passed over for the time being, and shall, on the succeeding day, or before the close of the sale, be reoffered; and if, on such second offering, during such sale, the same cannot be sold for the amount aforesaid, the County Treasurer shall bid off the same in the name of the State.

Witness, the Hon. Edward D. Kline, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Washtenaw County, this seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1891.

E. D. KLINE, Circuit Judge.

Countersealed, Circuit Judge.

ARTHUR BROWN, Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

To the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw.

In Chancery:

The petition of Stanley W. Turner, Auditor General of said State of Michigan, respectfully shows that the list of lands herein set forth and marked "Schedule A" contains a description of lands in said County of Washtenaw upon which taxes were assessed for the years mentioned therein, and which were returned as delinquent for non-payment of taxes, and which taxes have not been paid; together with the total amount of such taxes, with interest computed thereon to the time fixed for sale, and collection fee as provided by law, and the cost of advertising and other expenses of sale of each of said parcels of land.

Your petitioner further shows to the court that said lands were returned to the Auditor General under the provisions of Section 122 of Act 206, of the Public Acts of 1891, as delinquent for non-payment of said taxes for said years respectively, except such of the taxes set forth in this schedule as were returned to the Auditor General prior to the 12th day of June, 1891, and remain unpaid.

Your petitioner further shows and avers that the taxes, interest, collection fee and cost of advertising and other expenses of sale, as set forth in said Schedule A, are a valid lien on the several parcels of land described in said schedule.

Your petitioner further shows that the said taxes on said delinquent lands have remained unpaid for more than one year from and after the date of their return to the County Treasurer of said County of Washtenaw under the provisions of Act number two hundred of the Public Acts of 1891, or under the provisions of the several tax laws under which such taxes were previously returned; and for more than one year prior to the first day of May, 1891; and the said taxes not having been paid, and the same being now due and remaining unpaid as above set forth, your petitioner prays a decree in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of said lands, for the payment of the several amounts of taxes, interest, collection fee, cost of advertising and other expenses of sale, as computed and extended in said schedule, against said several parcels of land contained therein, and in default of payment of the said several sums computed and extended against said lands, that each of said parcels of land may be sold for the amounts due thereon, as provided by law, to pay the lien aforesaid.

And your petitioner will ever pray, etc.

Dated July 13th 1891.

STANLEY W. TURNER, Auditor General.

SCHEDULE A.

TAXES OF 1891.

Township 2, South of Range 6 East.

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STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

And What They Cost the Taxpayers of Michigan.

The following interesting statistics relative to our state educational institutions and their cost is taken from the Grange Visitor:

THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
The number of students in the Normal School for ten years is as follows:

1883	475
1884	519
1885	628
1886	676
1887	714
1888	803
1889	808
1890	808
1891	808
1892	1,092
1893	967

About 2,500 have been graduated from this school.

The Normal School has a small fund arising from the sale of lands granted by the state. The interest on this fund in 1893 was \$4,143.10. The last legislature appropriated \$50,110 for 1893, and the same for 1894. There was also appropriated \$20,000 for a gymnasium.

The salaries paid at the Normal School are as follows:

Principal	\$4,200
1 professor	3,000
10 " "	10,200
1 " "	2,100
1 " "	1,800
1 " "	1,200
1 " "	900
1 " "	800
1 " "	720
1 " "	600
1 " "	480
1 " "	300
1 " "	80

Total salaries \$50,900

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The number of students for 1892-3 was 355 as follows:

Agricultural course	168
Mechanical	120
Special	42
Ladies	25

There are about 700 graduates.

The following is the pay roll.

President, dwelling and	\$3,200
One professor, dwelling and	2,000
Two professors, dwelling and	\$1,800
Each	3,600
Five professors, dwelling and	\$1,800
Each	9,000
One professor	1,800
One professor and dwelling	1,800
One professor	1,800
Six assistant professors, rooms and	6,000
\$1.00 each	750
One instructor, rooms and	900
One instructor	900
Three instructors, rooms and	1,500
Secretary, dwelling and	1,800
Assistant secretary, room and	600
Librarian, room and	600
Foreman of farm, dwelling, board and	625
Foreman of garden, rooms and	750
Foreman of iron shop, room and	500
Foreman of wood shop	750
Florist, dwelling and	350
One assistant florist, rooms and	300
One consulting botanist, rooms and	1,000
One consulting entomologist, room	800
Four assistants in experiments, rooms and \$50 each	2,000
One assistant in experiments, room and	600
One assistant in experiments, room and	300
One assistant in experiments, room and	300
Engineer, dwelling and	600
Fireman	300
Herdsmen, room, board and	420
Two janitors, rooms and	618
One clerk in the mechanical department, room and	420

Totals \$67,225

Of the above \$35,303 were paid from college funds, the rest from experiment station or other sources.

The following are some of the chief items of expense for the year 1892-3:

Farm department	\$1,905.28
Garden department	2,557.88
Student labor	4,887.31
Salaries	\$3,203.00

The legislative appropriation for the two years, 1893 and 1894, was \$33,725, for purposes as follows:

Team and harness for farm	\$27.00
Fencing	500
Drainage	500
Mechanical department	500
Wages and roads	3,500
Team for garden	200
Repairs of building, heating and water	10,000
Equipment of botanical laboratory	1,000
Museum cases	225
Library	2,000
Foundry	1,200
Sheds	300
Rooms in agricultural laboratory	500
Gallery in library	800
Addition to dwelling	500
Hospital building	2,250
Sewerage system	1,000
Outhouses	300
Student labor	8,000

In 1893 the college received an income as follows:

Legislative appropriation	\$16,802.50
Interest on land grant of 1892	38,539.70
From U. S. government for experiment stations	15,000.00
From U. S. government act of 1890	18,000.00

Total \$87,002.20

Students' fees amounted to \$7,182.96.

These fees go to various funds for general and special purposes of expense.

The college cost the taxpayer on an average of about five cents for each \$1,000 of his assessed valuation.

THE MINING SCHOOL.

There were 92 students present in 1893.

The appropriations for 1893-4 were \$110,000. \$35,000 of this sum is to be used in the construction of an engineering building, the remainder for current expenses.

The pay roll is as follows:

Director	4,000
3 professors @ \$2,000 each	12,000
1 instructor	1,800
Secretary	800
Librarian	1,000
Janitor	1,200
Engineer	780
Stenographer	450
Carpenter @ \$3.00 per day	450

The pay roll for March, 1894, was \$1,880.97. That probably is an average.

Notice to the Public.

Whereas, my wife, Mary Kearns, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, and without my consent, I hereby forbid any person harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting. MICHAEL J. KEARNS.
Dated, Ann Arbor, Sept. 3, 1894.

W. S. MOORE,
DENTIST.

Work done in all forms of modern dentistry: crown and bridge work a specialty. Graduate of the U. of M. Office, 27 S. Main st., Ann Arbor, Mich.

A University Boy in China.

A few days since Dr. W. F. Breakey received a letter from a University boy, H. L. Canright, M. D. '89, and formerly in the Dr's office. He is now with his wife at Chentu, West China, and is a medical missionary there. Dr. Breakey has kindly allowed us to make a few extracts for our readers:

"I was married three years ago, and started immediately on our long journey to Western China. We are now in our third year here. The Lord has surely led us in an especial manner all the way. His blessing has been upon us in laying foundations for our work. Mrs. Canright and myself have both been down to death's door, but God in his mercy has raised us up and now we are well acclimated and healthy.

"We are now (the letter is dated July 7) just entering upon our hottest season. The temperature here is about like that in New Orleans in America. This city is the capitol of the largest and most wealthy province in the empire. It is situated in the midst of a broad and very fertile plain which supports an immense population. Many Chinese travelers call it the finest Chinese city they have seen. It is the best I have seen in crossing the empire from east to west.

"Our home, or mission property, is situated on one of the large streets nearly a mile from the south gate, and fully two miles from the great east gate.

"We spent over a year in Chungking, 300 miles southeast from here, studying the language. On coming here after that we both continued studying, and I commenced medical work among the people. This includes visiting and dispensary work. Since Feb. 17 I have been engaged in building a street chapel, street wall and gate, and also a new dispensary which was granted by the mission board this year. The dispensary only has to be plastered when it will be ready to occupy, the other work being all done.

"I find my mechanical skill very useful in this country. I have had most of my furniture made since coming here. It is a pleasant pastime to buy the lumber in logs and direct the carpenters in grinding? out by hand a first class extension table or bureau.

"There are three other missions in the city and it is a pleasure to help make their homes more pleasant in this way. We can not afford to bring foreign furniture, and of course to buy it here is out of the question.

"I am in need of a Qualitative Chemistry both to study and teach. Will you please send me Dr. Prescott's Qualitative Chemistry, if it is in print, or if not whatever is used by the medical students in laboratory work now. * * * If Dr. Vaughan has a new edition of his Physiological Chemistry I would like that also, or even an old one, if not too much trouble for you. * * *

"I will close with many thanks to you for past favors, etc."

Dr. Canright's address is: H. L. Canright, M. D., Chentu, West China, via Hankow.

Our County Fair.

The managers of the Washtenaw County Fair are making a great hustle, and the people all about us, from Wayne to Grass Lake, from Clinton to Northville, from Manchester to Salem, from Oakville to Pinckney, and so on indefinitely, for a radius of fifty miles or more, are preparing to take advantage of the half-fare rates on the railroads and attend.

The entries will no doubt be far in excess of any that have been made for years. There are good reasons. One is that there was no county fair last year, so people have got rested up a little, and again the times are hard, and anyone who has anything nice to display will surely be on hand with it to take the premiums offered.

Then again the attractions offered are more than ordinary. The Wild West Show will draw crowds of people who do not care to see the big pumpkins, the huge squash, the abnormal cabbage heads, etc., while the races will be away ahead of past years.

The Fair commences next Tuesday the 25th, and lasts through Friday the 28th. All the accompaniments and adjuncts of a great fair will be on hand.

There are many extra premiums offered by business men of the city, and these will induce an extra display. Everybody who comes will be pleased.

No one will be sent away disappointed. Come to the fair, and bring the family. The children will be more benefited than you yourself, for there is where they will see and compare their own efforts with others. It is an educator of itself.

Pimples, boils and other humors of the blood are liable to break out in warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

PERSONALS.

Z. Roath has gone to New York.

D. F. Allmendinger went to Toledo Saturday.

Walter C. Mack left for New York Saturday to purchase goods.

Mrs. L. E. Cheever has returned after an absence of four weeks.

Frank Ohlinger, of the Daily Times force, is taking a short vacation.

Albert West, of the fire department, is visiting a daughter in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Chas. LeSuer, of Toledo, O., is visiting her sister Mrs. C. B. Davidson.

J. J. Quarry has returned home from a visit to his old home in Canada.

J. C. Hoffstetter, of Erie, Pa., has been visiting his old home for a few days.

Mrs. N. H. Drake has been entertaining Mrs. George E. Hall, of Chicago.

Ed. G. Mingay, of Toronto, Ont., is the guest of his brother Tom W. Mingay.

Hon. Perry F. Powers, of the Cadillac News and Express, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Bertha Weimann, who has been visiting friends in Detroit, has returned home.

J. E. Beal was called to Alpena yesterday by the severe illness of his father J. E. Field.

James E. Kearns has returned from Pittsburg, Pa., where he went to visit his son Will.

Fred Overton and sister Miss Julia, are visiting relatives and friends in Richmond, this state.

Miss Grace Flagg, who was the guest of Detroit friends a couple of weeks, has returned home.

Theodore Wetzel, formerly with H. J. Brown, now of Calumet, is visiting his old home for a time.

The Misses Florence Sterrett and Lena Michael returned last evening from a week's stay in Detroit.

Herman Armbruster has been in Detroit this week attending a meeting of the Detroit Schutzenbund.

Mrs. Theda Y. Beardsley has returned from Harvard, Ill., and is with her daughter Mrs. E. A. Keith.

Prof. E. F. Johnson returned from Lansing Saturday, where he had been attending a meeting of the K. O. T. M.

Mrs. Hiram J. Beakes and Mrs. Samuel Willard Beakes will receive their lady friends on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beardsley, of Grand Lodge, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Keith.

Mrs. W. P. Baillie has been called to Minneapolis, Minn., by the serious illness of her son Frank, with typhoid fever.

Miss Fannie A. Gardner returned last Friday from a three week's visit with an uncle, Mr. Cass Curtis, at St. Louis, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jacobs, of Chicago, have been in the city for a few days past, called here by the death of Miss Storms.

Mrs. Sed James and daughter, Miss Gussie, of Indianapolis, Ind., have been visiting old friends in Ann Arbor during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Sprague, of this city, have been visiting their daughter Mrs. G. R. Williams, at Milan during the week.

Chas. Jacobs has returned from his trip through the Rocky mountains, greatly improved in health. He had a remarkably fine time.

Mrs. W. P. Brown, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. W. K. Brock, of Ypsilanti, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown last Thursday and Friday.

Col. Dean J. Q. A. Sessions, and the entire contingent of G. A. R. excursionists who went to Pittsburg, Pa., returned home Friday and Saturday. They all report a great time.

As the local political pot begins to simmer, preliminary to the boiling temperature later on, it is noticeable that the pot is beginning to call the kettle black, with the delusive hope that he may divert the public eye from his own short-comings to those of the "other fellow." That those who pursue such childish and shortsighted tactics are very superficial judges of human nature is quite evident, for every sensible person is a lover of fair play, and a departure from a fair line of argument on the presentation of personal political claims or qualifications, to a slanderous distortion of facts, is sure to react upon the author and create sympathy for the person assailed. The wise and successful politician or political writer doesn't work along such debasing lines.

"Am I Married or Not?" asked Mr. A. despondently, "I declare, my wife is so nervous and irritable that I don't stay in the house a moment longer than I can help. My home isn't what it used to be."

"Mrs. A. is suffering from some functional derangement, I presume," said B. "Yes, she has been an invalid for years." "Exactly. Her experience is that of my wife, but she was cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Get this remedy for Mrs. A., and the happiness of your home will soon be restored." Mr. B. was right. For prostrated, painful periods, irregularities—in short, all the "complaints" peculiar to the female sex—the "Favorite Prescription" is a sovereign specific.

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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

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To-day Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Roys, of the 2d ward, will celebrate their golden wedding, having been married September 19, 1844, in the city of Detroit. Both bride and groom are each now 74 years old, and are well preserved in their age. Those present for the occasion are their son H. M. Roys, and grandson Spencer Roys, of Farwell; their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pickett, of Wayland, Mich.; Mrs. Roys' brother, L. Bostwick, of Pontiac; and sisters Mrs. P. Wilcox, of Phoenix, N. Y., and Mrs. Fanni Ewood of Wayland, Mich.; Mr. Roys' sister, Mrs. John McMath, of Bay City, and others whose names we have not been able to ascertain. This aged couple are among the best known and most respected of our pioneer citizens, and it is the generally expressed wish that they may live to celebrate their diamond wedding. Rev. C. M. Cobern will be present to do the matrimonial honors of the occasion.

Lew H. Clement has returned from his visit to England in the interest of the Ann Arbor Organ Co., and reports that his trip was successful. He succeeded in making arrangements to ship Ann Arbor organs to London, and is confident that the London sales will reach 300 or 400 organs a year. The Ann Arbor organ is recognized by English dealers as a high grade organ and is bound to take well with the English trade. Mr. Clement sold one large combination organ to the dealer who has the title of "Organ maker to the Queen." Besides the prospects of opening up this new territory, Mr. Clement reports general trade as improving very greatly and looks for a fine business for the Ann Arbor Organ Co. for the coming year.—Daily Times.

Probably the most difficult things in the whole city that the board of health has had to contend with are the slaughter houses in the 5th ward. Not only are the odors from these places endangering the sanitary condition of the city but the effect upon the school children in that ward is most deplorable. Children whose innocence and freshness of youth should be shielded from all influences that would tend to harden the feelings and blunt the sympathies, are obliged to listen every day to the groanings of dumb animals that are being slaughtered in these places. If for no other reason these slaughter houses should be made to change their location, and the board of health should have the support of all fair minded citizens in their effort to effect this change.—Ann Arbor Democrat.

The Courier has labored year after year on the removal of those slaughter houses, but there never has been a time when it could be done. Once Dr. Breakey as health officer, got all necessary arrangements made, both with the owners of the buildings and for another location, but the council weakened at the last minute and it fell through.

Wednesday Oct. 3d, the T. A. A. & N. M. Ry will run their Ninth Annual Ohio Excursion. Train will leave Ann Arbor at 11:30 a. m. Excursion tickets good for 30 days, will be sold to Toledo and all points on the Wheeling & Lake Erie Ry., Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo Ry., Ohio Central Lines, Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Ry., and Pennsylvania Cos. Lines. Baggage will be checked to destination. Call on agents for particulars.

Delicate subjects—Invalids.



Mr. C. E. Bohall, W. Union, Minn.

Blood Poison
By Iry or live oak, caused inflammation, eruptions and intense itching and burning on my legs. I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and do not have any poison symptoms. I have gained 12 pounds since taking Hood's. O. E. BOHALL, West Union, Minnesota.
Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures
Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, biliousness

The Ann Arbor Courier.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19, 1894.

FRIENDS OF THE COURIER WHO HAVE BUSINESS AT THE PROBATE COURT, WILL PLEASE REQUEST JUDGE RABBITT TO SEND THEIR PRINTING TO THIS OFFICE.

WANT COLUMN.

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, or lost or found. Horses for sale or rent. Wants, etc., inserted three weeks for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

FOR SALE.—Gray mare seven years old, well broken, \$75 cash. At Wm. Scadin's, Webster, owner going south.

ORDERS for the Champion Door Bottom, or Weather Strips, may be left or addressed to 25 North State St. They keep out wind, rain and snow, saves their cost in fuel.

FOR RENT.—Three unfurnished rooms. Very nice—light housekeeping, No. 18 Geddes Ave.

WANTED.—A horse wanted to keep during the summer for its use. For particulars enquire of E. G. Calkins, 31 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.

TO RENT.—A furnished 7 room house during college year, 25 E. Jefferson St.

ROOMS.—For light housekeeping and furnished rooms only at Room 3 third floor Hamilton Building. Modern conveniences, including steam heat.

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, 9:00 and 11:00 a. m., and 1:30, 3:30 and 7:00 p. m. J. E. BEAL, Pres.

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.

LOCAL.

As women love to see justice done. Then their husbands will rock the cradle. Trotting and jouncing till set of sun. And between times rock the cradle. While sorrowfully thinking of days gone by. When they were as free as the birds that fly. And nervously start at the babies cry. And commence to rock the cradle.

When women broader fields do view. Oh, then he'll rock the cradle. But how he'll fume and fuss and stew. As he sulkily rocks the cradle. When mamma emancipates woman kind. Household cares will be left behind. Leaving huddle to do the shine. And resignedly rock the cradle. Mrs. L. S. H., Sharon.

The next term of the circuit court convenes on the first Monday in October.

The board of supervisors will meet in annual session on Monday, October 1st.

The way grass and vegetation is starting up again since the rains is quite astonishing.

Capt. Chas. H. Manly, of this city, is a candidate for state senator on the democratic ticket.

Street preaching at the corner of 4th avenue and Washington street, next Sabbath at 4 p. m.

Prof. Frank C. Wagner, of this city is the civil engineer of the new system of water works just put in at Howell.

Newton Feich of the 5th ward, has a field of corn that will go about 75 bushels of ears to the acre. It is a fine one for this year.

The street car arrangements are progressing as rapidly as possible, and we are promised that cars will be running this week, sure.

The Courier is way off. The Courier has a wooden ear.—Argus.

Well, a wooden ear is preferable to an entire block head.

H. Armbruster of this city, won the 2d prize at the Schutzenfest at Detroit Monday, making 266 points, the prize being valued at \$26.90.

In the report of the democratic convention last week, John Baumgardner should have been credited with nine votes instead of one. It was a typographical error.

Mary had a little lamb. Which grew to be a ewe. It followed her to school one day, and then it realized what a fool it was, for the school was a college, and there it soon became a mutton stew. —Philadelphia Record.

The democratic representative convention for the 1st district is to be held in Ann Arbor, Thursday, Sept. 27. For the 2d district, at Saline, to-morrow, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Granger's juvenile dancing classes will commence again on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29. The adult classes start in the following week, Oct. 6th.

E. M. Stofflet, S. J. Richards and T. R. Dodsley, all of this city, took 1st, 2d and 3d prizes respectively in the bicycle race at Manchester last week winning \$4, \$3 and a silver cup.

The entire post office force, including the P. M. himself, are being uniformed in fine, new suits. The carriers will have brass buttons, but the remainder of the force will have plain buttons.

The top of the great campus chimney would make a wonderful lookout for military operations. All the surrounding country can be viewed therefrom. It is a fine piece of masonry.

O. O. Sorg has moved his paint shop into the building on the rear of his lot, and will have his office at his residence over the store, which has been rented to Mr. Wolf, who will open a bazaar therein.

Miss Flora M. Storms died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Eaton, at No. 22 E. Ann st., Monday, after a long continued illness. Funeral services will be held at the residence today, being conducted by Rev. N. S. Burton.

A special train is to be run from Manchester through to Ann Arbor on Wednesday and Thursday Sept. 26 and 27. This is a grand, good thing for the fair, and will enable people from that section to attend.

As the campaign approaches the democratic party is like the Irishman who fell out of a sixth-story window, and when within a few feet of the ground gathered his wits and soliloquized, "Now for a dom big boom." —Buffalo News.

Street Commissioner Sutherland is fixing up the old cemetery park, and E. Huron st., where it passes the same in right good style. This open public square will at no distant day become a source of pride to the people of Ann Arbor.

The people of Ann Arbor will rejoice over the fact that Miss Emma E. Bower was re-elected without opposition as Great Record Keeper of the L. O. T. M. She has proven herself a capable and efficient officer and is deserving of this honor.

Nobody cares how the men act about these things (marriage) in Maine or Kentucky or Texas; how do they act in Michigan is what we want to know?—Ann Arbor Democrat. The writer of that item should have found out by this time, surely.

Marshal Banfield informs us that the ordinance relative to burning leaves and debris in the streets or in yards during the afternoons will be strictly enforced. In which determination he will have the backing of a large number of our citizens who believe the ordinance should be lived up to.

The Chicago Times of Sept. 14th, has this item in reference to our city: "An Ann Arbor committee made up largely of professors and ministers propose to rid the town of hobos, who shock the citizens with their improprieties and general lack of culture. Work and baths are the antidotes prescribed."

D. F. Mertz, general secretary, tells us that the authorized canvass for rooms by the Students' Christian Association began September 14th. The parties who canvassed several days ago and claimed to be working for the Christian Association, misrepresented as they were engaged in a private enterprise.

How dear to our heart is Cash on subscription. When the generous subscriber Presents it to view. But the man who don't pay We refrain from description. For perhaps gentle reader, That man might be you. —Exchange.

There has been a lively scramble of republican politicians about city and county for the past few days. One would think this a republican county by the activity in republican ranks. That's a good sign. Hope it will continue to be as active until Nov. 6th, and end with a republican victory all along the line.

The verdict of the coroner's jury on the death of Joseph Kennedy, the young man from this city who had both legs cut off by a M. C. R. R. train, by jumping therefrom while the same was in motion, and who subsequently died in a hospital in Detroit last week, was that death resulted from his own carelessness.

An Ann Arbor man is showing the photograph of a fish 42 inches long that he declares he caught up at Manitou Island. Strange how they will teach a camera to lie too. By the way we fear that the vivacious lady in charge of the Democrat, will select this island now for an outing, on account of its name.—Adrian Press.

A meeting of the society for the abating of the tramp nuisance will be held in the court house on Tuesday evening Sept. 25th at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of adopting a constitution, electing officers and taking such other steps as may conduce to the effectiveness of the society. All members are urged to be present.

"Pa, where is Trumbull ave.?" said a youngster to his paternal ancestor the other morning. "There is no Trumbull avenue in Ann Arbor, my son," was the reply. "Oh! yes, there is, papa; I know there is for I saw it on the new street cars, down to the depot yesterday." The father, as usual, gave up to his son whose eyes took in everything.

The republican county convention to nominate county officers meets at the court house in this city to-morrow. There is likely to be a change from former conventions in one respect. There will be a spirited contest for nominations. Heretofore it has been difficult to obtain the consent of candidates to allow their names to go on the ticket. Now all that is changed.

Hon. Thos. E. Barkworth of Jackson, was in the city last Friday afternoon and evening, and was chaperoned while here by Ex-City Attorney Norris. Mr. Barkworth is not the tall, graceful Apollo-like ideal that we picture a congressman to be, but on the contrary is a little, short, active Englishman. He found most of the democrats here whom he met in pretty good humor, but yet he didn't meet them all.

The amount of building going on in this city is quite wonderful for a hard-up year. It doesn't seem as though the times demanded all these new residences, but when one looks about and finds that there are few empty ones, and that those that are empty are old houses, the mystery is explained. If the demand for houses in this city is any indication, there will be a larger attendance at the University the coming year than ever before.

There is some complaint made about the new artificial stone crosswalks being dangerous for horses, as they slip upon them and injure themselves. If such is the fact it is too bad, for these crossings are excellent for pedestrians. Could not the slipping be obviated by making creases in the walks as is done at Fireman's Hall? The walks there are in constant use and no trouble seems to arise from their being slippery. These crossings are elegant and durable and it is to be hoped hoped that the cause for complaint can be done away with.

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Ever brought to this city, at prices that will please the closest buyer. Having purchased our Clothing Stock for SPOT CASH we can and will sell you Suits and Overcoats much cheaper than our competitors. This is the natural result of a Cash Purchase.

Furnishing Goods and Hats

Are our great leaders and will be sold very low. Make it your business to examine our show windows. IT WILL PAY YOU.

NO. 35 SOUTH

MAIN STREET.

NOBLE'S STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

A man is lingering at the gate—Some tramp or burglar maybe: Oh, no, he is a candidate—He wants to kiss the baby.

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In which will be found a very complete line of Shoes. LADIES' FINE SHOES a specialty, in all the varied widths and sizes. By looking over the stock it will readily be seen that the Children have not been forgotten, from the infant up. Babies' Shoes as low as 25c. Particular attention is called to our fine line of Mens' Wear; and medium and cheap goods for men. Ask to see our Two Dollar Shoe.

WASHINGTON BLOCK,

ANN ARBOR, MICH.

CLOAKS!

The cool nights remind us that Summer is over, that Fall is now with us, and that Winter is not far away. Last year you went to the "Worlds Fair" and to make up for it went without a cloak. This year you will have to have one, and of course you will be pleased to know that while the styles are superior to those of any past season the prices are much below, as the following will show:

\$10.00 Cloaks, 36 inches long, Good Beaver, Edged with Coney, latest style collar and sleeves, } \$6.98

\$12.00 Cloaks, 36 inches in length, fine cloth, Fur and Braid trimmed. Extra value. } \$9.50

HIGHER PRICED GARMENTS EQUALLY CHEAP

Plush Capes, value \$12.00, good lining, 30-inch length, Coney-trimmed, excellent article, } \$9.75

Special Values in CHILDRENS' CLOAKS

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FOR

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We recently made the best Clothing purchase we ever made (three thousand dollars' worth for cash), of Einseint & Co., manufacturers, who lately failed, at less than actual cost of manufacturing. These goods are all new, this season's style, made in first-class manner, and are perfect fitters. These suits will be sold from Two to Four Dollars LESS than other dealers can possibly sell the same values.

A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting Ann Arbor to make our store their headquarters.

We want you to see our store. We want you to see our bargains.

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A LARGE LINE OF SECOND-HAND STOVES AT

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68 South Main Street.

I intend to sell more Stoves in the next sixty days than any dealer in Ann Arbor. The price and quality of goods will do it.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

Chelsea Fair Oct. 9-12.

Fowlerville Fair Oct. 9-12.

Milan hasn't an empty house. That's business.

Bert Rose and family are moving from Duluth to Sharon.

Remember the county fair dates, Sept. 25, 26, 27 and 28.

Miss Josie Hoppe is teaching the school at Lima Center.

Miss Mamie Fletcher of Sharon, is attending the Normal, at Ypsilanti.

Chelsea will have a course of lectures this winter, or else all signs fall.

The Chelsea schools are 25 ahead of last year on foreign pupils up to date.

Mrs. John M. Pearson, aged 60 years, died at her home in Ypsilanti, Sept. 12.

Harry Kies, of Bridgewater, has gone to the military academy at Orchard Lake.

A new flouring mill, with all the modern improvements, has been started at Howell.

Will Keeler, Fred and Max Irwin, of Sharon, are attending school at Ann Arbor this year.

The sum of \$2,900 will be raised by taxation on the taxpayers of the Dexter village school district this year.

The Normal school at Ypsilanti starts off with an enrollment of 150 in advance of last year. How's that?

Novi has an "oldest resident" in the person of Mrs. Mary Ann Bush, whose 107th birthday occurred in June last.

Mrs. Isa Stewart died at her home in Ypsilanti, Sept. 7th, aged 89 years. She was one of the oldest residents of that city.

The Dr. Conklin who disappeared so mysteriously at Cassopolis recently is a son of Dr. E. M. Conklin of Manchester.

School commenced last week at Mooreville with Mr. Niles, of Ann Arbor, and Miss Chase, of Tecumseh, as teachers.

Mrs. Lurena Spalding, wife of the late Dan P. Potter, died Sept. 7, at her home in Ypsilanti, aged 72 years, of paralysis.

Earl Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Pepper, aged about 14 years, died Sept. 9th, at their home in Milan, of diabetes.

About \$5,000 was paid to people in the vicinity of Grass Lake the past season for huckleberries. Quite a valuable crop to have.

It is rumored that Henry George will come into this district and speak in favor of his admirer and follower, Thos. E. Barkworth, for congress.

The heavy wind last Saturday afternoon unroofed Albert Case's barn, blew down trees, fences, corn, etc., doing quite a large amount of damage.

According to the Mail Plymouth is to send a czar to Ann Arbor this year: "Czar Bradner left Monday for Ann Arbor to attend school. He will enter the law department." p

Wm. Ansbro sent to this office one day this week a stalk of corn which is 11 ft. and four inches from root to tassel. He has about an acre that is exceedingly large.—Fowlerville Observer.

Supervisor Davenport, of York, is feeding the Tecumseh people with his A No. 1 celery. A prime article might find good sale in Ann Arbor. The stalks appear to have a bitter flavor this year.

The roaring Ed. Nordman of Lima, has declared that he is to 'stump' Washtenaw county this fall. Ed. has cleared and stumped a 200 acre farm, but he has taken a big job now.—Stockbridge Sun.

Secretary Mills of the Washtenaw county fair has succeeded in making arrangements to have a special train to run from here to Ann Arbor on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 26 and 27.—Manchester Enterprise.

Congressman Gorman was in Adrian Tuesday attending the democratic congressional convention.—Chelsea Herald. Yes, and he was smart enough to keep off the ticket, too, wasn't he?

Some excellent advice is being given the farmers this year, that in view of the scarcity of corn and coarse grains it will be well to kill off or sell off the common stock and keep nothing but that which is valuable.

The Brighton Express says: "Look out boys, for the girl who frankly declares she is bound to die an old maid. Before you are aware of it she will be wearing your name, together with a broad gold ring on the third finger of her left hand."

Our friend John J. Robison of Sharon is so modest that he does not wish us to mention that he left a peck of splendid yellow plums at our residence.—Manchester Enterprise. It seems that John J. has not lost his old trick of securing the plums.

A number of delegates from the democratic congressional convention marched through the streets on Tuesday evening carrying new brooms and hurrahing for Barkworth.—Manchester Enterprise. Their jubilation will be short-lived.

Sheriff Brenner was in town Monday—on official or political business—don't know which—maybe both.—Milan Leader. Mike says it's all business with him. That when he is tending to politics he is tending to business just the same.

David O. Dixon of Lima, died Sept. 2, aged 84 years. He was a native of New York, and came to Michigan in 1834. There are four surviving children, Mrs. A. Beach, of Lima; Mrs. Townsend, of Chelsea; D. D. Dixon, of Dexter and C. B. Dixon of Ann Arbor.

The members of the Christian Association have been playing the part of World's Fair guards around the school for the past week. A band of them is a each train to show the "new" the ladies' study hall and to help them find a resting place and seat in some hash house.—Ypsilantian.

Ancl Morgan has raised and marketed upwards of one thousand bushels of cucumbers this season. Had the season been less dry and hot the yield would have been full better. He tells us that another year he expects to go into it on a much larger scale, doing a regular gardening business.—Saline Observer.

Frank P. Bogardus for representative on the democrat ticket, is a new suggestion, and a good one. He would be an intelligent and faithful member.—Ypsilantian. The suggestion is all right, of course, but the trend of events are against it. Ypsilanti isn't in it this year, you know on the democratic ticket.

A new kind of insect has been captured in Oakland county. The Holly Independent says it has the wings and legs of a grasshopper, the claws of a mole and the tale of a lizard. It is fit for nothing on earth unless it be to conduct a "long felt want" in some town struck with the dry rot.—Brighton Express. No use for it in this section. Holly better keep it.

There is no disputing the fact that the Russian thistle has arrived in Michigan. He is closely related to the "Tumbld Weed," that rolls into heaps along our corn-fields in November. If scientists would only find some way to harness the intruder into usefulness there would soon come a natural enemy which would use him up in short order.—Stockbridge Sun.

A movement has been started by the agricultural papers, urging the adoption of a system whereby the public highways may be lined with nut and fruit trees. Their desirability for a shade is unquestioned, then the wholesale edibles, esteemed as luxuries, thus supplied would be of great benefit to the people. If Arbor Day was utilized to secure such a result, the importance of its purpose would be apparent to all.—Dexter Leader.

The storm that swept over the country Saturday night did damage in many sections. Mr. F. A. Graves of Ypsilanti township was aroused from sleep by a fearful crash which seemed to shatter everything about him, but on examination, found that a tree standing near his house had drawn the charge and saved his house from destruction. A tree is Nature's lightning rod, and Mr. Graves was fortunate in the service it did for him.—Ypsilantian.

The Milan Leader would like to have some enterprising capitalist invest his money in Farmer's Sheds at that place. Perhaps they would find too many farmers there who rather let their teams stand out tied to a post, and lunch off the telephone wires and nails around and the post, the same as is the case here at Ann Arbor. Most of the farmers, here at Ann Arbor, at this rate, find something else to buy with ten cents.

The Jerseys lead the herd again this year at the State Fair. J. F. Avery who has always given his herd special and careful attention has found it profitable and when premiums are awarded he never misses getting a nice little bundle. This class was awarded Tuesday and he was again on the winning side with four firsts, three seconds and three thirds. If not so much for the money there is in it the reputation is everything especially when the judges of stock want stock, they go to this class of breeders. Good enough John.—Saline Observer.

On the north side of Pleasant Lake in Jackson county, a cave-in on the road took place about 18 months ago, on what seemed to be hard ground. It was not thought to be much of a sink in the road. Hundreds of dollars have been spent by the commissioners of Henrietta trying to fill it up, but without any effect, as it grows larger and larger. The road has been closed up, as no bottom can be found, and whether it is an underground lake or river, no one knows. But it adds to the attractiveness of Pleasant Lake, as it is only about 80 rods distant, with a high hill between them. Many climb the hill and look with wonder on the little lake that they had often traveled over, all unconscious of the fact that only a thin covering hid the water underneath. The lake now covers about 11-2 acres, and still the ground seems to be settling all the time.—Jackson Citizen.

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A GRAND TEMPERANCE ADDRESS.

Archbishop Ireland's Noble Words on an Important Subject.

By request, the Courier publishes the sermon of Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, before the national convention of the Total Abstinence Union of America. Archbishop Ireland said: Brethren and Fellow Total Abstinents:

Welcome to the Cathedral of St. Paul. Be, I pray you, at home within its walls. Here your work is thoroughly understood and approved without the least reservation; here hearts open to you in warmest affection, and prayers most fervent ascend to God that His blessings may flow upon you most generously. Soldiers of a noble cause I salute, I honor, I love you. Your warfare is significant in itself of heroic self-denial. It combats a foe that is hideous to souls, to God and to the church of God. Its victories shed upon men the grace and the joy of heaven. We pray indeed that your numbers for the sake of earth and heaven were increased a hundred fold—Aye, a thousand fold. The spirit of soul which lifts men to the high plain of your mission is rare in poor humanity—are unfrequent in the material or the moral world, but their fewness brings out in bolder relief their own grandeur, and the refreshing streams flowing from the few suffice to give consoling and healthful waters to the many low lands that lie at their feet.

Members of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America I again bid you welcome to the city and to the Cathedral of St. Paul. Twelve years ago your Union held a convention in this city. It was my privilege to address the convention from this pulpit and I spoke in eulogy of its labors and in hatred of intemperance, words which seemed strong and determined. Years have since gone by; experience and mature thoughts have come. Are my words today to be different in tone from those twelve years ago? Yes, be they different if more mature thought and better observation are capable of giving to them a stronger tone. I have seen and observed much since then and I am most free to confess that the enemy of family, of country and of church; the enemy of man and of God is intemperance. And the habit of the battlefield enables me to speak with more boldness today than I did twelve years ago.

The aspects of intemperance are many; the reasons for battling against it are also many. I will confine my remarks today to 'one general point.' I will speak to you as Catholics, and of the duty of Catholics in the present day towards the virtue of temperance. You are children of the Catholic church. Her aspirations and her loves are yours. Her honor and her glory are among the highest of your ambitions. I need not tell you what the teachings of the Catholic church are regarding temperance. She teaches most emphatically that one act of drunkenness is a mortal sin, stripping the soul of the light and grace of God and condemning it to eternal punishment. The church faithfully re-echoes the scriptural words, that drunkards shall not enter the Kingdom of Heaven; that they whose God is their belly have for their end perdition. She hates intemperance because it is a sin, because it ruins souls; those souls for whose salvation Christ died and for whose salvation she exists. Intemperance certainly is not the only sin but I am not confining your warfare to intemperance, but in the present condition of society in our own country, for I wish to localize to our own times and country whatever I have to say, and avoid all possible arguing or objection, and show intemperance as a general evil. It is a sin and it gathers around it a myriad of sins, for it is its nature to weaken the moral force of the soul and ignite the passion of our base nature. The Catholic church hates intemperance and hates the practice and methods which lead to intemperance. She hates intemperance because of the sensuality which it teaches. The Catholic church is the church of Calvary's cross; the church of him who nailed to the cross our concupiscence that we might sacrifice them in our own persons. She has as her Gospel sets forth—as her history shows, for eighteen centuries demonstrates that she is the church of self-denial: the church of the sacrifice of the flesh; of the subjugation of passion; the church of the victorious spirit in man. She commands absolute abstinence from the illicit, and she commands most strongly abstinence—frequent cases of it—abstinence from the licit, in order that controlling the mind and body in abstaining from the licit will make easy and sure abstinence from the illicit. Hence her saints; her heroes have all been noted for their self-denial, for their crucifixion of the flesh. To the holy mother church the ideal Catholic is the man in whom the spirit is king. In whom the body with all its habits is ruled by the spirit, which in its turn is ruled by the law and grace of Almighty God. Such is the church in her precepts and in her counsel, and such must she be if she is the church of Jesus Christ.

What now are the conditions in which this church must live among us? It is an age, alas, of intemperance. Drunkards, the victims of intemperance are numerous. Let us not be deceived and let us not be afraid to speak the facts, drunkards are not few among Catholics, as they are not few outside of the church. Drunkards are not few among us. Catholics suffer with few the others from the prevailing plague. I may say that large numbers of Catholics are more exposed to the black cloud than others to their fellow citizens; they are to a large extent the poor of the population, and there is the temptation of alcohol as a forgetfulness of poverty and a solace from grinding labor. Moreover the poor have not the protection of comfortable and

refined homes. Again many Catholics are immigrants from foreign countries, and they bring to America local traditions and tendencies originating from causes altogether outside of religion. These traditions and tendencies are often intensified into their worst forms in new homes because the immigrants are isolated from the conservative influence of older homes and disposed to be more reckless from the unusual social and political liberty which is accorded to them; but whatever the facts, whatever the cause, whatever the exception, we deal with things as they are and as known; too many children of the Catholic church are victims of intemperance, and too many others show, while striving to avoid excess, a fondness of alcoholic drinks. What other conclusion can there be when we look around us and see the frequency of the wine cup and beer glass in social family circles; in Catholic club rooms and amid Catholic festivities and banquets? What other conclusion can impress itself upon the public mind when we see so many saloons owned by Catholics and patronized by Catholics? What other conclusion, when in the political life of the country Catholics are found as the representatives of liquor interests, and on election days from whatever cause, Catholics are known frequently to cast their votes in behalf of liquor interests? Surely there is a contradiction between the Catholic church as she exists in her dignity and holiness, the ideal, and the condition of many Catholics as they exist; in fact is the fault here in the Catholic church? The fault comes from poor human nature which the church finds as it is and hopes to reform and lift up. Men are weak and disposed, despite the teachings of the church, to yield to base appetite. We hate intemperance because of its ravages among us. It is not the fault of those who rob the sanctuaries and altars of their praise; it is not the fault of devoted priests and devoted laymen who think their duty is done if they save themselves, and who have sufficient courage to go out into the highways and byways and denounce the enemy; who have not the push and self sacrifice required to plan and work; to plan again and work again until drunkenness in all its forms shall be driven far away from the Holy Catholic church.

The aspirations and the loves of the church I have said are ours. Very well; Catholics to arms; crusade against intemperance; God wills it; souls are perishing; drunkards shall not enter the kingdom of heaven, and you know of drunkards within your reach who by supreme efforts if necessary can be saved through your work. We are all responsible for our brothers. We must work by example and by word and by argument as individuals, as Christians and as citizens, using every force which God brings to our hands to save our brothers. Ah, the ravages of intemperance; its ravages among Catholics. Not only are souls lost, but they, even, who do not drink to what is called an excess are exposed through the igniting of passions to many sins; spiritual life is repressed, for the more satisfaction given to the body the lesser the will becomes. Here is a field for zeal, a field for your love of Christ and souls, and for the holy church herself. The church depends much for her outward life upon the co-operation of her children. At certain periods of her history in certain countries we see her shine forth in outward forms; in her membership; in her pure immaculate inner life, showing to the eyes of those who would be blind if they could that she walks ever as the creation of Heaven. Why would we not have the Catholic church in America appear before all the eyes what she is before Almighty God; the church of temperance; the church of self denial; the church of self sacrifice; the church of Christ's cross. It is in our power, and I have but little respect for the child of the church who will kneel down to pray and say, "Holy church, I love thee," and who going abroad among men seeing her chosen mission annulled, does not with all the energy of his being come to her rescue, and rejoice in the occasion given to save her and make her appear before all what she is before Almighty God. You and I, my brethren, who understand and know the teachings of the Catholic church easily distinguish between the church herself and the frailties of her members; who love and respect the church no matter what some of her members do; but is this the case with all our fellow citizens? Is this the case with all the weak minded ones among us and with non-Catholics at large? It is our duty and our mission to set the Catholic church before nations as the church of truth and holiness; and believe me, and believe your own experience, men of the nineteenth century, men of America seek short roads of truth. It is quite useless for you to unfold the leaves of the history of eighteen hundred years in behalf of the church; men will say we need a church of today and not a church of the past. It is useless for you to tell them of sanctity in sanctuary and convent, and in ten thousand quiet Catholic homes; they demand results which they can see in street and market place; which they can see without the aid of a telescope or magnifying glass; they limit logically and illogically all argument to the one given by scripture, "By their fruits ye shall know them." The church is ever ready to put forth the fruits of holiness and truth, but as wants are many these fruits do not strike the eye of the casual observer. How do the casual observers seek to know the fruits of the Catholic church? By the morning paper telling the records of courts and prisons; by what is seen and heard in the street and public places; by the names that are over portals of saloons; by the political news telling who in national seat and municipal council cast their vote in favor of liquor interests;



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against Sunday closing, in favor directly or indirectly of any measure countenancing the awful and hideous sin of intemperance.

The age today is material and demands material effects, but all the more in its heroes it admires the spiritual life. It knows that triumph over sensual life does not come from earth; when it sees it, it recognizes it as the gift of Almighty God. Now the Catholic church is precisely the church of the cross of Christ, only we have all around timidity and inertia, allowing clouds formed by the exhalation of alcohol to hide the ideal church from the public gaze, and we do not rush as a crusade at the sacrifice of life and tear away the evil, and let the world see what they have been craving for, the ideal church, Christ's own church. People see our faults, our drunkards and our habits of intemperance, and it is our duty too for the sake of truth, for the sake of God and of man, to eliminate drunkards from the ranks of the Catholic church and bring by argument and prayer, and wise legislation, this church to be the church of temperance and its advocate on all occasions. Do not believe that I limit your zeal to Catholics. I speak only of Catholics today because I speak in a special manner in the name of the Holy Church. We are in America for zeal. The work of the church today must gain the public esteem and the public love. I know America; the mind and the heart of America, and the mind and heart of Americans pant for truth and goodness. Prejudice is not a product of American soil.

Catholics think sometimes that they are misunderstood and calumniated, and it is true if we mean by the word Catholic the Catholic church, but America is judging the Catholic church from certain Catholics whom it sees, and it believing illogically may be, but as fact if Catholics are so degraded in many cases and so devoted to intemperance, we surely know some one is to blame. They are, not read in the signs of the times, who do not perceive that America is resolved to have a reign of temperance. America, whatever her tendencies be from the supernatural, demands natural effects; she will accept the supernatural only as a consequence, a superstructure built upon the natural. She demands temperance. America has set her face against the saloon, which is the den of corrupt politics, and no church, whatever it be, which will not come out publicly and plainly before America as the church of temperance, America will not esteem it and will consider it rather an odious excrement upon its soil. Catholics of America, I appeal to you in the name of country, in the name of church; admire you must the esteem of America, love you do the inner life of God's church, then by all your ambition be Catholics as far as you can—be true Catholics and you have served church and you have served country.

In the great works of the Catholics today in America, say what we will, the greatest is the work of temperance. My experience is that those who are valiant soldiers in one good cause are valiant in all good causes. Do other works, but other works without working to aid the temperance movement will not suffice. Have other methods and practices of zeal; give full scope to other precepts and other counsels of the Church, but with all these, and prominent among them all, let there be the work of temperance. Have your festivities and banquets in token of mutual friendship, but let not the tables groan beneath the weight of alcohol's curse. Praise the self-denial of the cross, discipline in any form, but believe me the chosen form of self-denial today is the pledge, and it brings you nearer to heaven than the hair shirt or fasting. Give them in abundance counsel and money, but the best church for your fellow Christians today is that church which will lead them into the ranks of the Holy Church. This is the work for priest and layman. In our church there are certain few points which we must reach out to and which I would emphasize. We must on all occasions diminish immensely the number of drunkards. I will not look for the millennium; I know the weakness of poor human nature, and that here and there will still be culprits, but we must, and we can if we will, reduce so much the number of drunkards, that it shall be the accepted saying that no drunkards are among the Catholics. It is difficult? Those who say it is difficult calumniate their poor, weak brethren. Those Catholics who are most the victims of intemperance, speak to them; they have the principles and instincts of faith within them; they lament their weakness, if one temptation catch

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DOMESTIC.

THE Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen met in biennial convention at Harrisburg, Pa.

DR. SWAYZE B. L. MERRILL dropped dead in the Illinois Central depot in Chicago from heart disease.

HEAVY frosts were reported in several of the western states.

The crowning event at Pittsburgh of the twenty-eighth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was the parade of the old soldiers and sailors. Thirty-five thousand veterans marched over a route 3 miles long and 500,000 people cheered the marchers.

THOMAS OSBORN and Marcus Murphy quarreled over hogs at Polkville, Ky., and killed each other.

MR. AND MRS. ORSON HIGGINS were killed and a little girl fatally injured by a train at Putnam, N. Y.

By a large majority the New York constitutional convention struck out the \$5,000 limitation which may be recovered in case of death by accident.

W. F. BRECKMAN, a farmer, killed his wife and Robert King, his stepson, at Roseburg, Ore. Family quarrels led to the crime.

At Cedar Rapids, Ia., Judge Shiras decided contracts exempting railroad corporations from liability for fires are not against public policy.

HEAVY rains have benefited corn and vegetation generally according to United States weather bureau reports. TWO MASKED highwaymen held up a stage coach near Phoenix, Ari., and relieved the passengers of their valuables and \$500 in money.

PETER JACKSON refused to sign articles for a fight with Corbett before the Sioux City (Ia.) club, and has drawn down his stake money.

W. D. PINKSTON, secretary-treasurer of the Western Iron Works company of Butte, Mont., is \$12,000 short.

WAR between the cattle and sheep men has again broken out in Colorado. Three thousand sheep were driven over a cliff near Grand Junction and a herder was fatally injured.

ALGERNON H. WILCOX, who was said to have made \$1,400,000 by fraudulent land schemes, was arrested in New York.

FIVE valuable imported stallions owned by M. W. Dunham were killed by lightning at Wayne, Ill.

THE G. A. R. encampment at Pittsburgh listened to reports of officers and decided on Louisville as the next place of meeting. The report of Commander in Chief Adams showed that 7,283 veterans died during the past year, leaving the total membership 360,083.

REV. DR. CHARLES S. POMEROY, for twenty-one years pastor of the Second Presbyterian church in Cleveland, dropped dead in his home. He was 60 years old.

At the third annual meeting in Kansas City of the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo William E. Barnes, of St. Louis, was elected grand snark.

THE Citizens' bank at Rossville, Ill., was robbed of \$10,000 by a man who secured an entrance during the noon hour.

THE Mehrkof Brick Manufacturing company of Little Ferry, N. J., went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$127,500.

ISAAC N. WOLCOTT, a wealthy farmer living near Chestnut, Ill., killed his wife, who had begun suit for divorce, and then blew off his own head with a shotgun.

THE Post Office Clerks' National association in session at Boston elected Benjamin Parkhurst, of Washington, as president.

MARSHALL H. ABBOTT, an extensive real estate operator at Salem, Mass., failed, with liabilities estimated at \$500,000.

NEAR Charleston, Mo., a train was hurled from the track by a cyclone and two passengers were killed and a score injured, a number fatally.

G. C. DE BRONKART, the Belgian consul at Denver, died suddenly while visiting in Chicago.

NORTH MEMPHIS, Tenn., was swept by a tornado in which one man was killed and two others injured and a property loss of \$250,000 inflicted.

MASKED men tarred and feathered Rev. Charles Clancy, of Frontier, Mich., and then rolled him down a steep hill.

JOSEPH BECHTELHEIMER and his wife received probably fatal injuries in a runaway accident near Young America, Ind.

THE directors of the Western Union Telegraph company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 cent, payable October 1.

ON the Terre Haute (Ind.) track Alix trotted a mile in 2:04, equaling the world's record of Nancy Hanks. Carbonate lowered the 2-year-old record to 2:10.

THE drought has left an epidemic of typhoid fever through all the Upper Miami valley in Ohio. At Piqua in one day eleven corpses were awaiting burial.

BUCK HARLAN, a notorious counterfeiter, was captured by secret service men near Shelbyville, Ind.

At Terre Haute, Ind., Fantasy lowered the record for 4-year-old nares, trotting the mile in 2:06, beating her own time one second.

WILLIAM ENOCHS, of Martinsville, Ind., was driven from his home by white caps for alleged cruelty to his wife.

KANSAS farmers were selling their hogs for transportation charges to market, having nothing to feed them.

The taking of testimony was completed in the trial at Chicago of President Debs and other officers of the American Railway union. The arguments will be made on September 25.

BERNARD TOKER was shot and killed at Connellsville, Pa., and his wife Mary fatally wounded by Franz Morris, a 13-year-old boy that they had befriended. The lad stole \$13 and escaped.

OFFICIAL returns of the Arkansas state election held September 3 show that over one-half of the counties in the state voted against liquor license.

THE Norwegian steamship Forbuna, from Java, landed in Philadelphia Arthur Vincent, a New York boy, who had circled the globe without a cent of money. He left New York two years ago at the age of 14.

COL. THOMAS G. LAWLER, of Rockford, Ill., was elected commander in chief of the G. A. R. at the Pittsburgh encampment. The Daughters of Veterans elected Mrs. Ellen M. Walker, of Worcester, Mass., as president, and the Woman's Relief Corps selected as president Mrs. Emma R. Wallace, of Chicago.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. FETTERS were killed at Edon, O., by a Wabash train an hour after their wedding.

OVER thirty buildings were consumed by fire in San Francisco, the loss being \$100,000.

THE custom of publishing in newspapers the list of unclaimed letters at postoffices has been abandoned, congress having failed to make a sufficient appropriation for the purpose.

In a suit at Bloomington, Ill., Judge Tipton ruled that druggists, dry goods and grocery dealers were not compelled to sell to colored people.

H. B. MORGAN, postmaster at Peoria, Ill., refused to deliver out-of-town newspapers not bearing postage of a cent a copy.

STATISTICS compiled by the bureau of statistics show that during August the exports of breadstuffs amounted to \$10,851,336, against \$22,630,343 a year ago, and for the eight months ending August last to \$85,348,714, against \$129,361,102 for the corresponding period of 1893.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 14th aggregated \$853,263,145, against \$794,382,538 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 7.8.

SAM JOHNSON, a 21-year-old negro, sold himself to Col. Stark Oliver at Selma, Ala., for \$90.

THERE were 207 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 14th, against 215 the week previous and 314 in the corresponding time in 1893.

THE forest fires in Wisconsin were extinguished by the first heavy rain that has fallen since June.

JAMES BARRETT was hanged at Eddy, N. M., for the murder of John Holihan at Seven Rivers.

ENOCH DAVIS, who killed his wife, was shot at Lehi, Utah, he having chosen that mode of execution in preference to hanging.

At Terre Haute, Ind., Robert J. paced a mile in 2:01 1/2, breaking all records. Carbonate put the 2-year-old mark at 2:09, and John R. Gentry cut the all-around record to 2:03 1/2 in a race.

In accordance with a recently enacted law Judge Lippincott, of Jersey City, refused to receive a plea of guilty made by a murderer.

THOMAS TAYLOR, 33 years of age, killed his wife, who was 25 years old, in Washington by shooting her and then shot himself. Jealousy was the cause.

A BOTTLE of pop exploded at St. Joseph, Mo., and put out the eyes of William Gardner, aged 13 years.

THE first snow of the season fell at Omaha, Neb.

ADAM FOREPAUGH's circus stranded at Bluffton, O., on account of no funds to pay employees.

WHILE planting flowers in a cemetery at Homewood, O., a tombstone fell on Susan Johnson, an aged woman, inflicting fatal injuries.

AN increase of from 60 to 65 per cent. in prices has been made by the tack trust since January 1, and small dealers were being forced to the wall. The American liner New York made the 3,408-mile run from Southampton to Sandy Hook in 6 days 7 hours and 20 minutes, breaking all records.

At Nellig, Neb., Barrett Scott was convicted of embezzling \$32,000 while treasurer of Holt county.

FRED MILLER, 70 years old, while drunk fatally stabbed his wife at Kenton, O., and then drowned himself in a well.

In a quarrel over a line fence at Northport, Ala., John and Alexander Tyler (brothers) killed each other.

TWO new counterfeiters are in circulation, one being a \$10 silver certificate, check letter A, series 1899, and the other is a \$5 note of the First national bank of Cincinnati.

BEVERLY ADAMS, a negro, was hanged at Hopkinsville, Ky., for murder.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

NOMINATIONS for congress were made as follows: Illinois, Eighth district, Lew Steward (dem.). Michigan, Second district, J. S. Gorman (dem.); Seventh, C. E. Carleton (dem.). Wisconsin, Sixth district, O. A. Wells (dem.) renominated; Eighth, L. E. Barnes (dem.) renominated; Tenth, E. C. Kennedy (dem.). Indiana, Twelfth district, W. F. McNagney (dem.) renominated; Thirteenth, Lew Warner (dem.). Minnesota, Sixth district, M. R. Baldwin (dem.) renominated. Ohio, Thirteenth district, A. H. King (rep.). Missouri, Seventh district, J. P. Tracey (rep.). Mississippi, First district, J. M. Allen (dem.) renominated. Pennsylvania, Eighteenth district, D. G. Smith (dem.); at large, Thomas Collins (dem.), Henry Myer (dem.).

At the Maine election H. B. Claves was reelected governor by a majority of 37,000, the largest in the history of the state. The four republican congressmen—Thomas B. Reed, Nelson Dingley, S. L. Milliken and C. A. Boutelle—were reelected by increased majorities. The legislature will have a working republican majority of 135, which insures the reelection of Senator William P. Frye.

WILLIAM H. HATCH was renominated for congress by the democrats of the First district of Missouri.

DON PRO PICO, the last Mexican governor of California, died at Los Angeles, aged 94 years.

BRIDGER GORMAN, known as the queen of gypsies in America, died at her camp near Cincinnati, aged 85 years.

THE populists of New York met at Saratoga and nominated Charles B. Matthews, of Buffalo, for governor.

CONGRESSIONAL nominations were reported as follows: Michigan, Eighth district, Rowland Conner (dem.).

Wisconsin, First district, James R. Doolittle (dem.). Ohio, Sixteenth district, O. O. Barnes (dem.). Maryland, Sixth district, F. Williams (dem.). Alabama, Ninth district, T. H. Aldrich (rep.). Minnesota, Second district, John Moonan (dem.); Sixth, Kittie Halvorsen (pop.).

COLORADO republicans met at Denver and nominated a ticket headed by A. W. McIntyre, of Alamosa, for governor.

AT a convention of the American Protective association held in Chicago O. H. Mann was nominated for state treasurer, S. D. Snow for school superintendent, and W. S. McComas, J. W. Pickens and J. B. Strubel for congress. R. P. KEATINGE was nominated for governor and G. E. Gignoux for congressman by the Nevada democratic convention in session at Carson.

CANDIDATES for congress were selected as follows: Wisconsin, Fifth district, Henry Blank (dem.). Alabama, Ninth district, T. H. Aldrich (rep.). California, Fourth district, T. B. Shannon (rep.); Fifth, E. V. Loud (rep.) renominated. Virginia, Gardner Tyler (dem.) renominated.

The official result of the election in Maine gives Claves (rep.) for governor a plurality over Johnson (dem.) of 38,424.

THE following congressional nominations were made: Wisconsin, Seventh district, G. W. Lewis (dem.). Colorado, Second district, T. M. Bowen (rep.). Virginia, Tenth district, Thomas Goode (rep.). New Mexico, T. B. Mills (pop.).

EX-SENATOR DOOLITTLE declined the nomination for congress tendered him by the democrats of the First Wisconsin district.

BOLTERS from the democratic party met at Carson, Nev., and nominated a state ticket headed by Theodore Winters for governor.

DANIEL SCULLY, who for nearly a quarter of a century was a justice of the peace of Chicago, died of pneumonia.

FOREIGN.

IT was reported that the Chinese forces were cornered in northern Corea without supplies and were killing their ponies for food.

THE governor general of Cuba has been ordered by the Spanish authorities to restore the import duties on American products.

THE sultan of Turkey has contributed 300 Turkish pounds to the fund for the relief of the Wisconsin and Minnesota forest fire sufferers.

CAPT. ADOLPH FRIETSCH, who sailed from New York August 5 in a schooner-rigged skiff 47 feet long, reached Queenstown in safety.

FIFTY-FIVE Brazilians were executed at Montevideo by order of President Peixoto. Military and naval officers were among the unfortunate.

At the Rosedale track, Toronto, E. F. Radway, of London, lowered the 100-mile bicycle record to 5:01:10 1-5.

A FIRE in the leather market in London caused a loss of \$1,000,000.

THIRTY persons lost their lives and 2,000 buildings were destroyed by a fire in Chung-King, China.

LATER.

OWENS was said to have been victorious in the contest for the democratic nomination in the Ashland (Ky.) congressional district. His plurality over Breckinridge was estimated to be 410. WILLIAM BLANFORD, an alleged forger of Clinton, Ind., was arrested after a search of two years.

THE Mexican congress was opened by President Diaz, who, in his speech, said that Mexico was on friendly relations with all nations.

M. L. DAVIS, of Little Rock, Ark., tendered his resignation as American consul at Merida, Yucatan.

ANDREW BEE, who recognized Jefferson Davis when the latter was escaping, died at his home in Martin, Allegan county, Mich.

LEONARD BLODGETT, of Luzerne, N. Y., aged 55, attempted to assault a girl and fatally wounded both her parents.

WHILE passengers were being transferred past a wreck at Hammond, Wis., an oil tank exploded and twelve were seriously burned.

A WINDSTORM did great damage at Niagara Falls and caused the suspension bridge to sway like a cradle.

FIFTEEN persons were injured, several fatally, in a runaway accident near Irondale, O., caused by the raising of an umbrella.

In a decision at Des Moines, Ia., Judge Spurrier held the malt liquor law to be constitutional.

THE Mutual Benefit Life Association of America closed its doors under orders of the insurance department of New York state.

J. L. GOODMAN and B. Y. Armstrong, Gatesville (Tex.) editors, shot each other to death in a street duel.

At Portland, Ore., J. W. Stanegeis, a civil engineer, killed Mrs. Mabel Calvin and committed suicide. Jealousy was the cause.

At Monticello, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. George Clouser celebrated their seventieth wedding anniversary.

THIRTEEN men were indicted by the grand jury for complicity in the recent lynching of six negroes near Millington, Tenn.

SCRANTON, Pa., suffered a loss of \$250,000 by a blaze in the business district.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 15th were: Baltimore, .684; New York, .653; Boston, .647; Philadelphia, .570; Brooklyn, .546; Cleveland, .513; Pittsburgh, .493; Chicago, .433; Cincinnati, .425; St. Louis, .400; Washington, .347; Louisville, .277.

Home Seekers' Excursion.

To all parts of the West and Northwest via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway at practically half rates. Round trip tickets, good for return passage within twenty days from date of sale, will be sold on September 11 and 25 and October 9, 1894.

For further information apply to the nearest coupon ticket agent or address Harry Mercer, Michigan Passenger Agent, Detroit, Mich.

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A very important invention which will be hailed with delight by every body using a stove or range for hot water circulation. After years of experience we have succeeded in producing a simple and perfect WATER BACK.

It overcomes all the present troubles of extracting lime and other sediments which accumulate in water backs, often making them useless and in great many instances becoming dangerous.

The outlay of dollars is reduced to dimes. No household using a range can afford to be without it.

No more trouble by using city water for hot water circulation.

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CUSTOM WORK. We will do Custom Work, tanning hides for owners at reasonable figures. Farmers can thus secure first-class Robes at nominal prices. We make a specialty of MOTH-PROOF ROBES from hides of cattle, which to be appreciated must be seen. Call and see us.

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The New Carrier and P. O. Service.

Several minor changes have been made in the postoffice and in the free delivery system in this city and others are contemplated which Postmaster Beakes thinks improves the service a little and will accommodate the patrons of the office. The business delivery on State st. has been attached heretofore to the route of carrier No. 1, and the merchants on that street have not been able to receive their mail until 10 o'clock or after in the forenoon. This has been transferred to carrier No. 6, who goes directly to State st. and the business men of this section receive their mail shortly after 8 o'clock in the morning. Another slight change has been made to accommodate the Kyer Milling Co., with whose mail prompt receipt and answers oftentimes means a considerable benefit, their mail being added to mounted carrier No. 8 and delivered to their office shortly after breakfast.

Mounted carrier No. 8 now delivers the mail on the outskirts around more than half the city, commencing at the corner of Main and Summit sts. and ending on Packard st. at the end of the Miller addition. It is expected that returns will be received from Washington within a few days and that mounted carrier No. 9 will be serving the patrons in the eastern section of the outskirts within a week or ten days at the latest. Mr. Beakes has not given up the fight for the other two carriers asked for, and expects to get them this fall. With two more carriers Ann Arbor will have a perfect free delivery system and every resident will receive mail from two to four times a day.

The mounted carriers are given full eight hours each day for delivering their routes, their mail at the office in the evening being handed out by other carriers. The residents of route No. 8 will call for their mail at the window of No. 2, and those of route No. 9 at the window of carrier No. 7.

The letter boxes for the new section are being put up today and several additional ones are being placed in the old district. The new boxes are of the latest design and painted a bright red. They are located at the intersections of the following streets: Miller ave. and Gott st.; W. Huron st., opposite Mrs. J. M. Wheeler's; W. Liberty and Seventh sts.; S. Main and Hill sts.; S. State and Packard sts.; Packard st. and E. University ave.; Tappan and Hill sts.; Forest ave. and Hill st.; Washtenaw and S. University ayes.; E. Catherine st., in front of University hospitals; E. Huron st. and Fourth ave. The night box in front of the post office, which nobody is able to find unless he has been previously posted on its location, is to be discontinued and in its place a box will be put up on the electric light pole in front of the office, which will be collected at 6:30 and 7:30 in the morning and at 7:30 and 8 in the evening.

Of the candidates for positions in the postal service in this city who have taken the civil service examination, Glenn A. Trowbridge has the credit of having the highest standing, 91.33 per cent and he has been appointed by Postmaster Beakes to the position of stamper, vice Bert Hammond, resigned.

—Daily Times.

State Taxes.

County Clerk Brown has received the following apportionment of state taxes for this county. The amounts for the different funds are:

Soldiers' Home	\$2,400.44
Normal School	1,402.13
University	5,160.67
State Public School	960.18
Agricultural College	462.58
Michigan Asylum	1,234.31
Eastern Michigan Asylum	1,234.31
Mining School	1,568.85
Industrial Home for Girls	960.18
Industrial School for Boys	1,234.31
School for the Blind	576.11
State Prison	137.17
House of Correction and Branch Prison, U. P.	205.75
Home and Training School for the Feeble Minded and Epileptic	411.51
Asylum for the Insane	1,028.76
Supt's Poor Report	2.66
Recompilation of Records in Adj't	
General's office	169.78
Military purposes	2,267.72
State Board of Health	31.85
Agricultural Institutes	82.30
Board of Fish Commissioners	685.84
General purposes	24,772.19
	\$46,830.13

Prof. Montgomery has his time greatly taxed with 120 pupils in his botany class.

"I am almost dead"—is the universal cry of Ann Arbor women, all owing to house-cleaning, canning fruit and renewing house furniture.

It is wonderful after so long a drought, with vegetation all burnt up, and even the trees shedding their foliage, that we should have such a bountiful crop of peaches, pears and plums.

Rev. Gelston gave a very interesting discourse last Sunday morning on Sabbath breaking. He demonstrated very forcibly that any nation that had no regard for the Sabbath, was on the down grade. He alluded to our railroads and censured in strong terms our state authorities for holding military reviews at the state encampment on the Sabbath.

Bread Cast Upon the Water.

It generally pays to do a fellow creature a good turn even when there is no thought or prospect of a future profit. Fifteen years ago, in the winter of 1879-80, Congressman Mielejohn, of Nebraska, was a law student at Ann Arbor. He expected to be a congressman, eventually, as do all the law students of the U. of M., but his immediate prospects were not flattering. He did not propose to slip up through any fault of his own and so he worked away night and day hobnobbing with Coke, sleeping with Blackstone and attending lectures by everybody.

Presently, with the hard work and lack of exercise his head went wrong and he became a victim of fever. There were hundreds of aspiring young sawbones who were willing to practice on him but he had no friends to speak of, and was left to the tender mercies of a college boarding house with all the racket made by the irrepressible inmates. Under these circumstances he had not a ghost of a show for recovery.

Very fortunately for Mielejohn, there was another law student, older than he, and a married man, who took pity on his condition and carried him to his own house. The young man was suffering from a critical case of typhoid fever, and the Good Samaritan took him into his home, gave him the best of nursing and engaged competent physicians to take care of his case. He slowly recovered from the dread disease and finished his course of study.

The Good Samaritan went away and fell into evil ways. His natural desires were such that he should have been born a Musselman. It was not his fault, poor man, that he was born in the wrong environment, where the law says a man must get along with one wife, and be thankful that she is not a termagant. Eventually he found the restraint of Christian laws too irksome and he started a modest sort of a harem. Then his troubles began. His foolish but faithful wife made a fearful protest and then surrendered to the inevitable; but his later ventures were not so easily managed. The first thing the Good Samaritan knew he was held up to public scorn as an example of shocking depravity and became the defendant in one of the nastiest criminal cases in the history of the New York courts. Saltwater and all the quibbles of the law could not save him from Sing Sing, and there he went.

And the poor student, who was befriended 15 years ago, came to the front with all the power of his legal learning, and all the influence and prestige of his position as a congressman, and moved heaven and earth to secure a pardon for the Samaritan, no longer good. The Samaritan is none other than Col. William B. Hayes, who was pardoned from Sing Sing prison a few days ago.—Detroit Evening News.

Wants that May be Satisfied.

If you wish to learn of the processes by which wealth is created, attend our County Fair, Sept. 25-28.

If you wish to see examples which will be of interest to every craft and calling, attend our Fair.

If you wish to imbibe the inspiration of a big crowd, and the pleasure of a big show, attend our Fair.

If you wish to see what nature and toil have wrought out for man this year, attend our Fair.

If you wish to know more of the economies of nature and art, attend our Fair.

If you wish to see the toil, progress and prosperity of agricultural life symbolized by a great display of soil products, attend our Fair.

If you wish an eye-opener to the truths of nature, the business principles of your own vocation, and the welfare of your own household, attend our Fair.

If you wish to take in the sights of the season, and know more of the mysteries of progressive invention, attend our Fair.

If you wish to become better acquainted with the grand achievements of modern skill in labor, attend our Fair.

If you wish to know of the wonderful prowess of well directed labor, attend our Fair.

No one is allowed to exact exorbitant prices for anything sold to people on the grounds. No hawkers, peddlers, or sharpers with fakes, or snide games to beguile the innocent or swindle the unwary will be tolerated, but the attractions and amusements will be of a high order, legitimate and in no way demoralizing or objectionable.

Marriage Licenses.

No.	Name	Age
2414	Linton C. Meader, Ann Arbor, 35	
	Virginia D. Farmer, Chattanooga, Tenn., 29	
2415	George Thumm, Ypsilanti, 28	
	Alice Sanderson, Van Buren, 28	
2416	George B. Gregory, Ypsilanti, 28	
	Flora A. Wiley, Ypsilanti, 22	

John Eisele and Mamie Kearney were married at 8:30 o'clock a. m., yesterday by Rev. Fr. Kelley, at St. Thomas' church and took the ten o'clock train west to be absent a week or more. The couple have many friends and well-wishers in the city.

A GRAND TEMPERANCE ADDRESS.

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them they may live it through, and tens of thousands today sit near the saving waters looking anxiously towards their wavings, but they may not be saved if there is no man by to let them down into those waters. Oh, on the last day, how many of those Catholics, lost for all eternity through intemperance, will say, Oh, if my brethren had given me counsel, had come to my rescue, I should have been saved."

If Catholics, priests and laymen, would organize a strong, vigorous temperance crusade, and maintain it in the country for a decade of years, what a change would be effected.

The drinking custom must be discontinued. Now I wish no one to say that the use of wine in moderate quantities is licit. We know all these theoretical ideas, but we know also the practices, and we know that these drinking customs lead to excess, diminish spiritual life and give scandal. Some Catholics believe this solution, a holy life, and live as if they were the only ones on earth and had no duty towards their fellowmen. They will indulge in certain practices, forgetting still the important law; forgetting that we have duties towards our fellowmen and knowing that we shall be judged on the last day in view of the influence which our actions shall have on our fellowmen. Therefore, cry down those evil drinking customs; agitate against them; blame them; speak to them, form public opinion and public opinion shall rule. Convince the leaders in Catholic club rooms and banquets; advocate to the populace of the city true total abstinence among Catholic families.

The warfare must not cease against the saloon. When I speak of saloon I mean, to avoid arguments, the American saloon, such as it stands and such as it is, and the American saloon is a den—a vile den of intemperance. The air of the saloon is laden with blasphemous and sensual words, and there are and bring men there to drink. I make no reference to the personal character of the saloon keeper, but the atmosphere in which he works is bad itself. The deadly enemy of body and soul of the family and country, and of God is the saloon, and America demands and she shall demand in stronger tones yet that this American saloon shall disappear from the face of our fair land. Now in this warfare let Catholics lead by the means of their opinion and by wise and prudent legislation. Let it come, and again it is an easy task to bring it around if we are in earnest, and a man shall travel far and wide in cities before a Catholic name shall be found above the portals of a saloon. In public you have to carry on war against the saloon.

I must make a remark the truth of which in my observation has often been brought home to me. Our zeal must be of every one of us. As this year today are the saloons the poor man's club room. If he avoids it and wishes to meet a friend and have a social chat to spend a half hour the street is his only refuge, and I believe you will not on a high plane regard the saloon as we have built up club rooms and coffee houses and institutions of one kind or another that give the sociableness of the saloon without its vices.

We must work and bend every effort so that Catholics in political matters shall always be arrayed against the liquor traffic. Yet on election day hundreds will vote with saloon interests. What is the cause I know not. I have suspected that it is political slavery. Now political or any slavery is hideous, and especially is so when it brings with it slavery to alcohol. The Catholic church, my brethren, has set herself before the world on a high plane and as the means of temperance total abstinence; they beg of priests and laymen to enlist in the cause and form societies; they ordered Catholics to do what they might. Now saloons as well as other business houses close on election day. They demanded legislation against selling liquor to minors and drunkards, and they said emphatically that saloon keeping is a business unworthy of Catholics, that Catholics should leave it as quickly as possible and seek more decent means of livelihood.

Some years ago the Pontiff of Rome, the head of the Catholic church, in a letter addressed to America, commending the Catholics in political matters, societies—in a special manner this society, the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America; invoked the co-operation of Catholics in favor of country and God; asked that the priests as leaders should show the way to the cause of abstinence. I shall not quote the actions or letters of individual bishops. Only a few days ago the representative of the Sovereign Pontiff the Apostolic Delegate, Satrioli, in confirming the decrees of the Council of Baltimore, declared that the vice of saloon keeping today in America is such that the bishop has the power and right to say that no saloon keepers shall be admitted to membership in Catholic societies. The church holds out to us a high ideal. Whatever Catholics do the church has done her duty. The question now is will Catholics rise to the high elevation of this ideal. I have confidence that they will. Today in the history of the century, we know in the country at large the cause has advanced rapidly. There are enemies of temperance who would tell us of failures but never of success. Why have we not advanced? Have we not made drinking and saloon keeping odious; among Catholics especially? Why, the growth of temperance for the last 25 years is such that I thank God for it. From my heart this morning I say to every man, woman and child, Twenty-five years ago public opinion had neither the courage or candor to speak as it does today. Today this society has its 60,000 members. Other total abstinence societies have many more outside of your society. Total abstainers are numbered by the hundreds of thousands and he that drinks today is ashamed of drinking and admits though he has not the courage to quit. Today in the history of the century, we know in the country at large the cause has advanced rapidly. 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