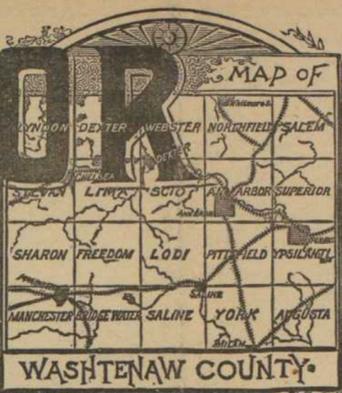


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Our Correspondent Writes of California as an Over-Boomed Country.

PLAIN WORDS ABOUT THAT STATE

Our Citizens Who Intend to go to California to Live Should Read This Letter Carefully—A Timely Communication.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., July 26, 1895.
 Editor Ann Arbor Courier,

In the Courier of July 10, there was given a list of people who were coming to Southern California to live. Now I should like to state a few facts to these people, or in fact to any one who is coming here. If a man wants to come here and go to ranching, why he can make a living, perhaps something more but even the average ranchman makes no more than a living, because there are just as many things to fight against in agricultural pursuits here as there are any where—of a different kind—of course from what one contends against in the East, but just as bad and as profit destroying. But for those who don't want to live in the country, to them especially, I wish to say that they should not come at all, unless they have some definite pursuit in view, and unless they have a very considerable amount of ready cash, that they can afford to lose. The business field here is over crowded to a tremendous extent. Thousand have come here, not because there was, or will be any demand for business that they were capable of pursuing, or any need for it, but simply because the country has been so advertised that they came largely from curiosity. Other thousands have come simply because it is a warm climate and others because they think they can't live any where else on account of lung, or throat troubles, etc. Many of these people have a partial support from incomes derived from Eastern investments, and they do business at a margin of profit, that a man can't stand who depends on the business for a living, and they take all clerical positions at wages that will hardly keep body and soul together. They are content, if they can barely exist, because on account of physical ailments they think they can't even live anywhere else. Now this is the truth as any man will find who comes here and tries it as I have. I have been here two years and I have been all over the U. S. I am a man of many years business experience, and I know what I am talking about.

Above all things don't come here expecting to get any clerical position, or anything of that kind, the chances are a thousand to one against you, and from the nature of things it will always be so. There are many educated men here on the coast doing manual labor (when they can get that to do) they are here and must do something. I never in my life was in a place where so many people who evidently have seen better days, were put to such makeshifts to get along as they are here. People in the East who have comfortable homes and are doing even fairly well, should not think of giving up those good homes and coming here. They will be no better off here and they maybe worse and for those who are not doing well—they will simply do worse by coming here.

It is an extremely peculiar country, and all things are very different from the East. Business methods and customs, and everything else. People (especially heads of families) who have the "California fever," should by all means come here first and inspect things generally before coming here with their families. It will be time and money well spent. Of course if a man has an income to live on these remarks do not apply. But even for those people, the country gets very monotonous and they make long trips for change of air and scenery.

What I write here is the exact truth. Anyone who has not "an ax to grind" and who knows will say so. I know so many who are so bitterly disappointed (and with good reason) and who would give anything to be back where they came from that I just thought I would write you this letter. If you publish it, it may save someone a lot of money and trouble.
 Yours Truly,
 JAMES P. DOUGLASS.

THE ANN ARBOR LIGHT INFANTRY

A Few Words About Our Crack Military Company Which Leaves for Camp Tomorrow.

Company A, First Regiment, Michigan National Guard, or the Ann Arbor Light Infantry, as the organization is more familiarly called, is considered one of the best companies in the state militia. As an organization the company is only five years old, though Co. A, which the A. A. L. I. succeeded is one of the oldest in the state. Five years ago Charles Hiscock, cashier of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank became captain of the new company and since that day the "Infants" have steadily increased in favor with our citizens, as well as in efficiency.

A little less than two years ago Captain Hiscock was allowed with much regret to retire from his post and John C. Fischer succeeded him. Capt. Fischer has grown quite popular with the men and has shown himself a born leader. At the last annual camp at Island Lake the A. A. L. I. won distinguished honors for proficiency in drill, and unless all signs fall the same will be true this year. Drills have been frequent and well attended.

Capt. Fischer has assumed charge of the drill in the manual of arms.

First Lieutenant Will F. Armstrong takes care of the guard mount drill—which with the firing will be paid attention to during this camp.

Second Lieutenant Ross Granger has had charge of the practice in firing squads of men have gone regularly into the country for special work at a private range.

Sergt. Will Cooper is the crack shot of the company and with several other good men is expected to hold up the reputation of the A. A. L. I. at the rifle range at Island Lake.

There are 68 men in the company, all fully equipped, and only two men have been excused from camp, and these only for the very best of reasons. They are George Sanzi and Will Finnegan. The non-commissioned officers of the company are as follows: 1st sergt., Herman O. Walters; 3rd sergt., J. Gwinner; 3d sergt., August Dieterle; 4th sergt., Ernest Phelps; Corporals, Dean Seabolt, Fred Huntton, Noble Monroe, Karl Kern, John Clarkens, John Hoarer, Will Gates and Fred Rentschler.

Boos Band, of Jackson, is now the First Regiment band and will have few rivals at the encampment. It is a celebrated band, and hesitated a long time before mustering into the service.

The regimental bands will be tented with the senior company at the right of each regiment in separate tents from the company row, and companies will be quartered according to the seniority of captains, the senior on the extreme right, second senior on the extreme left, third as a color company in the right center, fourth at left center, fifth at second right row, seventh at third right row and facing the color company, eighth at sixth row and facing fourth company, and the sixth at the seventh row and adjoining the second senior company.

The University Loses Again.

Anderson H. Hopkins, who has for several years done such excellent work at the University library in charge of the catalogue, has given in his resignation to the authorities and is preparing to leave the city at an early day. Mr. Hopkins is one of the most painstaking and valuable men ever employed at the library, and his loss will be sincerely regretted by all friends of the institution. His salary here is but \$900 a year while in his new position he is to receive double this.

A short time ago Mr. Hopkins visited Chicago and while there was invited to lunch with one of the trustees of the funds left by the late John Crorer for the establishment of a large scientific library in that city. The amount of the bequest is about four million dollars. Before departing Mr. Hopkins was suddenly told that he had been chosen to fill the position of assistant librarian at this new library if he would accept. After due consideration he has decided to accept and will assume the duties of his new position about the middle of September.

HARVEY BANNISTER IS DEAD.

He Passed Away Last Night After an Extended Illness.

After an extended illness, covering many weeks and months even, Harvey Bannister died Monday night, Aug. 5, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George H. Winslow, on W. William st., of typhoid fever, aged about 77 years.

Mr. Bannister was one of Ann Arbor's oldest, best known and best citizens. He had lived here many years, and he had always been a man upon whom everybody depended, for his word was as good as his bond. By trade he was a plasterer, and his work was always a recommendation for him.

He leaves a widow and four children, two sons and two daughters, one son, Frank, having died recently at Owosso. Two sons are in the drug business at Saginaw, E. S., one John L., graduated from the pharmacy department, class of '86. One daughter lives at Lake Odesa, Mich., the other in this city as noted above.

The deceased was always a temperate man in all things. He had been for many years a conscientious member of the Presbyterian Church, upon the services of which he was a constant attendant. In politics he has never failed to vote in national affairs with the republican party, though favoring very strongly the prohibitionists at one time. He was one of the original abolitionists, favoring the cause of the enslaved black race as far back as when Ann Arbor was a station of the Underground Railway that took so many slaves to Canada and liberty. He was one of the Old Guard whose ranks are becoming thinned so rapidly.

Funeral services will be held from the house on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

Prospects for the Coming Year Are of the Brightest—Registration has Already Begun.

The Courier had a very pleasant chat with Treasurer Wines of the University School of Music, yesterday. The genial professor is himself surprised at the outlook for the coming year at the school, and is busily engaged in attending to the multitudinous business interests already in motion. For several weeks every day's mail has brought requests from people all over the state for registration and assignment of hours under the various instructors. The growing reputation of such men as Professor Jonas, Professor Lamson and Professor Zeitz, is responsible for this. Last year with all the maneuvering possible the schedule of these instructors was overcrowded.

Professor Wines says that whatever the rush this year all who come can be accommodated with instruction in the school. If present applications indicate anything there will surely be need for the extra instructors whom the management have partly arranged for. The business of the school is already further advanced than it was last year two weeks after the opening day of the instruction.

The University Musical Society have laid great plans for the coming year. Especially great are the arrangements for the Choral Union series of concerts and the May Festival. The Festival will this year begin on Thursday evening and close on Saturday evening, and include at least five musical entertainments. This will give the patrons of the Choral Union series ten numbers for the usual price, three dollars.

As already announced by the Courier two of these concerts will be given by the Thomas' Orchestra which won so great praise here during the last year. Then there will be the two concerts by the Choral Union—one miscellaneous program and one oratorio, the name of which can not yet be given. There will be one great piano recital by some one of the distinguished foreign pianists who are to visit this country. The remaining concerts can not just now be announced.

Mrs. Pangs—Is your husband in wall street a bear?
 Mrs. Riggs—Yes; at least, his type-writer, Miss Huggus, says he is.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

It is to be a Great Boomer From all Appearances.

Secretary Mills informs us that never, since he has been connected with the County Fair Society, has he received so much encouragement as he has for the past two weeks for the coming county fair.

The farmers all over the country seem to take an especial interest and the exhibits will be excellent, notwithstanding the poor season.

There will be a fine line of special premiums which will be announced in due season.

One entirely new feature of the fair will be a "Woman's Day," and for that day Mrs. Mary Mayo, of Battle Creek, Pomona of the State Grange; Mrs. Knaggs, of Bay City, president of the Michigan Womans' Suffrage Association; and Mrs. Lilian Hollister, of Detroit, Great Lady Commander of the L. O. T. M.'s of Michigan, have already been engaged to speak. Others will also be present, and will be announced in due time.

The School Day will be the greatest one ever held, and nearly every district in the county is making arrangements to take part therein. Supt. Pattengill, of Lansing, is expected as one of the attractions, and any one who has ever heard him speak, knows what that means.

The authorities are having the premium lists printed, and are pushing things as rapidly as possible.

The fair commences Sept. 24, and lasts four days.

Much interest is being manifested by our merchants and business men in the coming county fair, and many special premiums are being offered by them. One firm for instance, offers 700 lbs. of sugar, to be divided among fast horse owners, another gives \$30 worth of clothing, another a \$25 stove; another a feed cutter; another a barrel of flour; and shoes dishes silver-ware, photographs, etc., etc., are offered in profusion. It is going to be a good fair, or all indications are at fault.

THE L. O. T. M. REPORT FOR JULY.

The Order has Never Been in a More Prosperous Condition—A Few Figures.

The Courier is able to give its readers today in advance of official publication a few of the figures in the monthly report of the Great Record Keeper of the L. O. T. M. of Michigan. It is a great task to keep the records of so large and so flourishing an order, but Miss Dower has given ample evidence in the past of her splendid ability in this line. The books of the order are in perfect order.

The month of July which the present report covers has naturally been an uneventful one. However there has been an increase in membership throughout the state of 864, bringing the grand total up to 25,516. From per capita tax during the month there has been received \$5,399.61; from supplies and certificates furnished by the office, \$1,201.91; from assessment arrears, \$97.73; total receipts \$6,699.35.

On August 1 there were 607 hives in the state, an increase of eight during the month of July. These new hives were instituted respectively at Menominee, South Haven, Lyons, Detroit, Chester, Marlette, Ogden Center and Valley Center.

Seven claims were paid during July from the Life Benefit Fund of the order, the total amount being \$6,500.

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Prices Tumbling and Profits Not Considered DURING OUR August Clearance Sale

Every Article in Our Store Marked Down.

One case White Bed Spreads, worth \$1.00, selling out at 69c each.
 100 Pairs 10-4 White and Gray Bed Blankets selling out at 59c a pair.
 25 doz. Huck Linen Towels, knotted Fringe, a Bargain at 12 1/2c each.
 15 Pieces Fine Bleached Table Linen, marked down for this sale.
 50 doz. New-Stitch Linen and Damask Towels, 25c quality, now 19c each.
 10-4 Ready-made Sheets selling out at 48c each.
 25 yards Fine Yard Wide Sheeting for \$1.00.

Wash Goods Bargaining

The 12 1/2c Double Fold Irish Lawns selling out at 7c a yard.
 500 yards 10c Ginghams, selling out at 5c a yard.
 The 10c Lawns and Dimities selling out at 5c a yard.
 100 Pieces Best 7c Prints selling out at 5c a yard.
 50 Pieces Stevens' Linen Crash Toweling at 5c a yard.

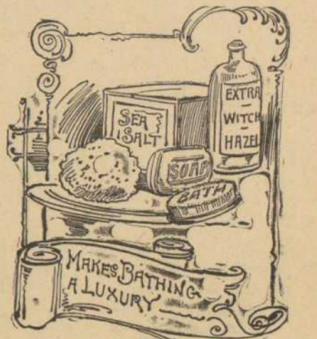
Dress Goods

10 Pieces Black Figured Mohairs at 32c a yard.
 All Wool Navy and Black Storm Serge at 32c a yd.
 20 Pieces All Wool Serge, New Fall Colorings at 25c a yd.
 46-inch French Serge, Black and new shades, at 50c a yard.
 250 yards Light Wash Silks, have been selling at 45c, selling out at 25c a yard.
 Irish Lawn Wrappers the \$1.00 kind, selling out at 59c each.
 The 50c Summer Corsets selling out at 39c.

The \$1.50 Serge Silk Umbrellas selling out at 98c.
 The \$1.50 White Silk Parasols selling out at 98c.
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America has at least two irrepressible conflicts in sight. One is in process of settlement in Cuba, and the other relates to the fact that Canada is made up of 3,428,265 Englishmen and 1,404,974 Frenchmen.

One-fourth of the population of Michigan is foreign born, but many of them have lived here long enough to understand that their interests are with the republican party, which is the friend of every good citizen.

"Are We Losing the West?" is the title of a new pamphlet that has appeared in Boston. The answer is in the affirmative. What was called the West is now the center, and, in fact, rapid transit is playing the dickens with all of our points of the compass from Sitka to Key West.

A jawbone 6 feet in length has just been dug up at West Troy, N. Y. It is a foot in diameter at one end and tapers to a point, while on the inside of the curve are thirty large cavities from which the teeth have disappeared.

Immigration has lately begun to increase, by reason of the business revival and the growing demand for labor. During June, the arrivals were 33,565, against 23,384 a year ago.

Spain has concluded to pay the Mora indemnity to the amount of the \$1,500,000 agreed upon some years ago. The value of the property confiscated was about double this sum, and 40 per cent of the amount allowed goes to the syndicate of attorneys that prosecuted the case.

Gladstone has not been much of a phrase-maker, but he named the "unspeakable Turk," and this troublesome individual is likely to require a great deal of attention from the Salisbury ministry.

Patriotism! There is magic in the word. It is bliss to speak it and bliss to hear it. The human race through ages burn at the shrines of patriotism.

The reforms do not always start in the east, but one has started there, and it is hoped that it will prove contagious, and spread rapidly. The prejudice against it in the west is a foolish one, and must in time die out.

Various national debts were refunded last year to the extent of \$2,500,000,000, and the saving effected in interest was \$23,000,000.

The latest information from the moon is that 132,856 craters have been counted on its surface, all dead.

The recent "break" of Ambassador Eustis suggests that it is not always best for our government to be represented abroad by a man who knows how to talk the language of the country to which he is sent.

It is said that Morton thinks Allison would be a good man for the presidency. Others think that way, too.

The gold reserve is shrinking slowly, but as the syndicate's period of guardianship is not yet ended, the treasury will probably be protected until it is able to do this when the inward flow of gold begins.

Immigration is a pretty trustworthy business barometer. It shrinks when business is bad and expands when business is good.

The "John Sherman democrats," as the 50c dollar men call the members of the Cleveland end of their party, are growing in numbers and influence every day.

The trolley cars in Philadelphia have reduced taxable property to the extent of \$1,000,000 worth of horses, but as the general net increase in the valuation for the year is \$13,000,000 the city has no complaint to make.

A good idea has been adopted in English coinage. The new bronze coins coming from the London mint will serve for weights as well as money of the realm.

Minnesota, which was once considered outside the corn belt, reports this year 1,250,000 acres planted to corn, or 200,000 more than last year.

Americans spend at least \$75,000,000 a year in visiting Europe for pleasure and hardly \$1,000,000 at our own natural wonders of Niagara, the Yosemite Valley and the Yellowstone Park.

The London capitalists are not only anxious to buy our government bonds, but they are also eager to purchase our first-class railroad bonds at good prices.

In taking possession of the Island of Formosa Japan assumes the task of dealing with the savage natives of the interior, who remain unconquered, though they have been invaded by the armies of Spain, Holland and China.

The candidates for governor on the republican ticket, so far as heard from are: Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw; Ex-Congressman James O'Donnell, of Jackson; Congressman "Deed" Aitkin, of Flint, on a 16 to 1 platform; State Senator J. R. McLaughlin, of Detroit; Ex-Secretary of State Harry A. Conant, of the Independent State of Monroe; Ex-U. S. Senator John Patton, Jr., of Grand Rapids; Ex-State Senator Dunstan, of the upper peninsula; State Senator Clapp, of Kalamazoo; with a number of cities and towns yet to hear from.

Many of the Kentucky Colonels are favoring the suspension of the distilleries for one year on the strength of the carefully ascertained fact that there are now 85,000,000 gallons of whisky in bond.

There are more men now at work in the iron, steel and tin works at Pittsburgh than have been employed there since panic of 1893.

Probably there is more ruffianism in every political campaign in England than there is in the United States in ten campaigns.

Sherman says he is not a candidate for president and would not accept the office "if all the people should join together and offer it" to him.

In an address the other day before a woman's convention Mrs. Julia Ward Howe spoke of the work by which "we clubbed Massachusetts." Mrs. Howe has used the English language with so much ability that her opinion on new words is entitled to respect.

A French scientist has obtained from cleveite and sulphuric acid the extreme red of the spectrum, leaving only one permanent line, green in color, not yet found in earthly substances.

It is probably true, as suggested by a Philadelphia paper, that if the recent 3 per cent. loan of that city had been offered to the citizens in small amounts it would all have been promptly taken.

The Pingree potato patch is said to be a great success again in Detroit this year, but other western cities have tried it and failed.

Gladstone, being asked what he regarded as the brightest hope for the future, replied: "I should say a maintenance of faith in the Invisible. This is the great hope of the future, the mainstay of civilization."

As is most always the case, it is now ascertained that the white settlers are entirely to blame for the Indian uprising in the Jackson Hole country, Wyoming.

Michigan lumbermen seem very indifferent relative to claiming the space allotted them at the Atlanta exposition and there is strong likelihood there will be no display of Michigan woods there.

By the latest dispatches another victory has been gained by Spanish troops in Cuba, and another insurgent leader killed. The rebels on that island must be very prolific in leaders, for in every engagement one or more are killed and the insurrection surely crushed out.

Reed is the only presidential candidate who rides a bicycle, which is calculated it is said, to make him solid with the wheel element in American politics.

The republican party has always been in favor of the best money known to the civilized world, and it is not likely to endorse any other kind, directly or indirectly.

Bland is the ablest and sincerest man on the free silver side. If the silverites have any earnestness and sense of gratitude they will nominate him for the presidency.

This year's corn crop promises to be one of the largest in the history of the country, and it will pay off enough mortgages to put an end to the existence of the populist party.

The delay in the payment of the sugar bounty is charged to the hostility of the administration, but an easier explanation lies in the fact of a democratic scarcity of money for the purpose.

A buffet car has appeared on one of the electric lines of Philadelphia. The Frenchman lives on the boulevards, and seems to enjoy it, but if an American can't live at home he will do it on wheels.

In the high schools of Japan the English language is placed on the same footing as the Japanese and its study is compulsory.

When the troops halt before the next mob, and the officers in command orders the sharpshooters to pick off the ring-leaders, the exhibition of back hand-springs will exceed anything of the kind ever seen in the biggest shows on earth.

The politicians who are constantly figuring to have Gen. Harrison make a speech and put his foot in it, are requested to look up the General's record.

The Governor of Texas has issued a proclamation prohibiting prize fighting in any part of that state. This raises Texas and her governor immensely in the eyes of decent people everywhere.

The railroad managers, who make it their business to study such things, say that, while the limit of profitable wheat production has about been reached in this country, there is no danger of an overproduction of corn, as it is a crop for which the demand is constantly increasing, both at home and abroad.

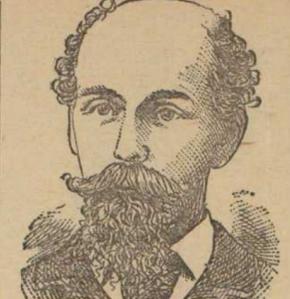
Here is a little paragraph that will do well to cut out and read, if you are a parent, and then learn it by heart and practice it: How many children know their fathers only as anxious, money-making machines, and their mothers as tired, nervous, middle-aged drudges.

The state fair will be held at Grand Rapids this year, on the grounds of the West Michigan association. A citizens' guarantee fund of \$5,000 has been raised to cover any possible loss and elaborate preparations are being made for the big show.

The abstract of the condition of the national banks of Michigan, exclusive of those at Detroit, at the close of business on July 11 shows the average reserve to have been 25.19 per cent. against 26.40 per cent. on May 7.

Much of the former labor of carpenters, brickmakers and furniture-makers is now performed by machinery, but the census shows a large increase of workers all these trades. Between the years 1880 and 1890 the number of carpenters in the United States increased from 53,547 to 140,021, and their average annual earnings from \$459 to \$675.

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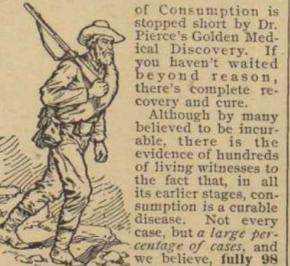
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State elections will be held Nov. 5th in twelve states, as follows: Kansas, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Nebraska, New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and in the territory of Utah.

Here is a new plan in road making, and one the Massachusetts people, of whose progress an article in Saturday's Daily gave a good idea, might find profitable to adopt.

The miners of Ishpeming, who are out on a strike, are a set of cowardly ruffians. They tyrannize over everybody there and appear to run things just as they please.

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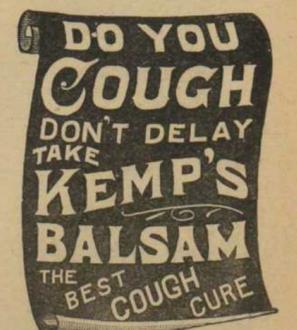


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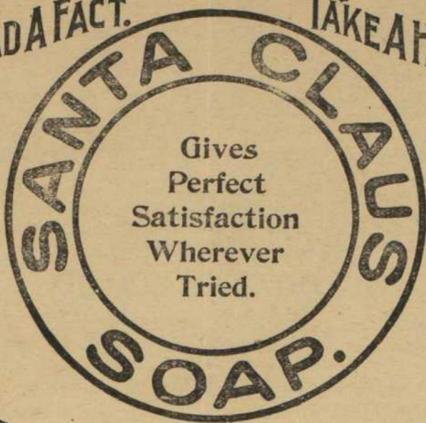
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Mid Ocean, July 6, 1895.

Dear Mr. Editor:—

A bicycle trip in Europe, like charity, begins at home. At two o'clock, on the afternoon of June 18th, myself and friend, Harry McClure, left Tecumseh with an escort of wheelmen. The escort diminished one by one. A patch of deep sand swallowed several; a convenient town furnished a resting and stopping place for others, but the steady fast rode 15 miles to Saline and then left us together with Leon Rosacars, a boy of 15 years, who was to accompany us to Niagara Falls. Then we rolled along merrily to Detroit, passed the night there; crossed to Windsor, in Canada, and ran hard aground at the custom house.

I don't like to dwell upon what happened to us there. Here is a recipe for passing the custom house with bicycles. Get a day off, and if you smoke, take several pounds of tobacco and your pipe. Enter the custom house. There you will be told to go back to Detroit and get some letters from the L. A. W. consul. Go and return. You will be told that instructions have just been received from the queen or governor not to accept such papers. Now look disconsolate and discover that you have a friend in Windsor who may aid you. Mount your wheel, and tear madly up and down the streets until you find the friend. Get the friend to ask his or her uncle to entreat his friend to ask the collector to take his guarantee that the wheels will go out at Niagara. Then get dinner and feel relieved. After dinner, learn that the collector has gone to a funeral. Get your wheel and chase the funeral 3 miles, and get frowneyed at when you gesticulate wildly what you want. Go back and wait calmly until 5:30 p. m., when the collector will appear, sign your papers and you may go on rejoicing, after losing 9 hours. That was our experience.

We rode thirty miles that evening and put up at the Bicycle Rider's Farm House where they charge nothing a day and give you the company bed-room, and all the bread and milk you can eat in the morning. All the next day, we rode in sight of Lake Erie, blue and rippling in the sunshine. So in the morning, but in the afternoon we rode in a drizzling rain. Occasionally we bathed our rheumatism with a concoction of witch-hazel and arnica, and then struggled on. Canadian roads are of the finest or we could not have ridden. We looked so be-draggled that even the geese hissed at us when we passed.

I have not space to describe the magnificent view which we had of London, nor to linger upon praises of the beautiful scenery in Dundas valley as we neared Hamilton. Lofty hills surround it, forming a vast amphitheatre which contains green groves, brown filled fields, waving grains, and cloud shadows. Intoxicated with every variety of cherries, we wheeled or reeled into the U. S. again across Niagara's new suspension bridge. Then, Sunday in Buffalo and spin over a few of its 200 miles of asphalt. Here we bade good bye to our boy companion who had ridden nobly the 360 miles so far. Monday on the road again, and we soon saw the blue outline of the Appalachian range of mountains.

The hospitality in this region is delightful to bicycle riders at least. We even took breakfast with a crazy woman who mumbled and croaned while we devoured our meal in haste. That day we passed the north end of lakes Canandaigua, Seneca and Cayuga. Here we toiled up one hill only to plunge precipitately down another. Harry displayed his total depravity by coupling to a load of hay and coasting up one of the longest hills. We coasting through Syracuse and Utica and started down the Mohawk, riding the tow-path. When we met the stubborn mules which drew the canal boats we had to dismount and stand aside respectfully. We soon tired of the monotony of the canal, and took to the highway where we passed, now between gray rocky walls, now through

towns with rows of houses built in old colonial style, and here a talkative farmer's wife pointed out General Herkimer's historic mansion. At Albany we were compelled by heavy rains to take a day boat down the Hudson to New York.

This trip was a panorama of historic buildings with lines as strict as Quaker bonnets; rocky wooded islands; the lofty hill called the Storm King; mountains and highlands whose green sides vied with envy herself; the blue Katskills suggestive of Rip Van Winkle; Tarrytown and the Palisades whose bordering rows of perpendicular rocks contain the broad, bold, flowing river; and the rakish looking cottage at Newburg, which was at one time Washington's headquarters. At New York we created our Victors and were amused to see them taken to the pier in a hack while we walked. Once on board the "Veendam," we witnessed usual parting scenes; heard volleys of "smacks" in various dialects, and saw the crowd surge off the boat at the last moment. Out in N. Y. bay, the kodak then fired a last shot at New York, and then we went below to dinner.

We are on a Dutch boat, and the passengers are of every nationality, with Dutch and German predominant. But the dinner: First course was soup, composed of seven different vegetables and melted grease. Then with great pomp the soup plates were removed and meat of some nondescript character and admirably cooked was brought on, accompanied by potatoes cooked in sea-water, and some cooked sea-weed which they called greens. Next course was the same, only reversed. Then desert came in the shape of more seaweed, sweetened, and a new alias, viz: pie plant sauce. Of course we had coffee and milk, so called, but we decided that it had been condensed and then expanded to the utmost tension or perhaps was the milk of the scape-goat. And the sugar! I had supposed it impossible to spoil that, but it looks and tastes like pulverized isinglass. Harry and I tried one course after another, fearfully yet firmly, and then went on deck wiser but hungrier men.

Soon the dread angel of sea-sickness put his hand on my friend's stomach and so suddenly that Harry put the ship's menu on the front of his coat instead of thoughtfully feeding the fishes as many a less hurried man was doing. I want to tell about the fat man whose legs would not go through between the dining table and the seating bench, and the belling of the ship who walked the deck until 1 o'clock a. m. to avoid seasickness—of course the lady had an escort and the three fat men who sit all day and tell stories while they shake all over with laughter, or the melancholy fellow who said this boat was a regular stomach pump, and how Harry swore that he would eat that soup this time if it killed him, so that he would not get it again, and the Dutchman who "can't make out which is de head or dail of deez officers' vich."

I would enjoy describing these but there is one which surpasses all these. He, too, is Dutch, and we call him the lying Dutchman. His face is so honest, and his melancholy is oppressive, but cheerful power of lying is colossal. On the day before the 4th of July he came on deck looking so woe-be-gone that everyone pitied him. The ladies asked his trouble, and he begged them not to talk about it. He said that he had just learned that the ship was to stop right in mid-ocean and celebrate the 4th. They were all to have tub races, and orations, and the men were to swim on one side of the boat and ladies on the other, and we should fish, "and for dat all you boys one dollar." His indignation waxed strong. "You dink I stands and bays, no. I goes to my state room and fish the window throo." Then he begged the ladies to go altogether and beg the captain not to stop. Three of the most credulous actually did.

Next day he suggested that if there were no fireworks we might have water-works. "For dere ist youst water-works." In the evening he invented vocal fire-works. We all at a signal hissed a long "sh" and then ejaculated a "bang" when our imaginary sky-rocket burst and this was fol-

lowed by a prolonged groan. Next day our flying Dutchman came on deck much perturbed by a plot which he had discovered among the steerage passengers to throw all the steamer chairs overboard. "And den we stand oop all de time." He had learned this from his three months old son whom he was bringing in the steerage because it was "sheaper." This is all now, but I shall write you again for now. C. H. VAN TYNE.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Daniel Pierce, of Ann Arbor, has received an increase of pension through W. K. Childs' agency.

A bounty claim of "Jeff" Davis has recently been allowed by the pension department, through the agency of Mr. Childs. There are still some claims for clothing, etc., that are yet unsettled.

There are people so constituted as to be utterly unable to see any propriety in a joke when they happen to be the victim, although they are among the first to laugh over the miserable plight of others under similar conditions.

The Coldwater correspondents of the Detroit dailies should know that Company A, 1st regiment M. N. G., belongs to Ann Arbor and not to Adrian as they credit it. Adrian can't have the earth you know. It has got Stearns, Smith, and the Press, and that's enough.

John Baumgardner has just completed for parties in Maple Rapids a granite monument, which consists of a solid, highly polished granite cube, two feet six inches each way, weighing 7,000 pounds, standing on one of its points on a square block of unpolished granite. It is not only novel in design but is a beauty.

A considerable step toward the solution of the most discussed "good roads" problem will have been taken when the loose stones in the road are picked up and thrown out of the track as often as they work up. Notwithstanding the law says these stones shall be removed at least twice each year, there are many country roads where it is extremely doubtful if the stones are picked out even once a year, thoroughly.

Some three or four weeks ago a lady in this city sent a couple of stamps to a firm of architects for a pamphlet published by them giving plans for houses. The harvest has been something really wonderful. Not only did she receive the pamphlet, but she has been receiving by every mail since, from one to a dozen circulars and letters, from firms all over the country who deal in everything that enters into the construction of a building, from the cement for the cellar bottom, to the patent shingles for the roof and the electric proof lighting rod and weather vane that tips out the top of the chimney. The postman on that line should have his wages raised.

Dr. C. G. Darling, who with Mrs. Darling returned home Wednesday, was so enthusiastic over his trip that he was not seasick at all while crossing the Atlantic on his way to England, but coming back! Oh, my! All the "Henglish" that he had absorbed, together with all the cockney accent, and even the turned up trousers came up, and he was so thoroughly renovated inwardly that none of the foreign expressions or manners have clung to him. He cast them all into the Atlantic, and when he reached the harbor of New York was an American again, pure and unaffected. So that it is perfectly safe to approach him without fear of being shocked by some acquired foreign slang or provincialism.

R. C. Barney isn't very slow at a good story, though in his behalf it can be truthfully stated, that he never indulges in fish stories, which are altogether too common. This morning, in conversation with a few friends, the talk in some way turned on to gardens and the ability of weeds to grow when everything else would dry up and die out. "Some three or four years ago," he said, "I took my family and went to Vermont, being absent just four weeks. When I went away my garden was as clean as a parlor floor, not a weed in sight, and all freshly hoed. When I came back! You would hardly believe it, but the weeds were so high I had to hunt some time before I could find my house." Not a syllable was raised in protest to this, but each listener acknowledged himself floored, and quietly walked away.

"I was glad to see that item in the Courier about the extravagant manner in which the road roller company is "treating" everybody connected with city affairs," said one of our most prominent citizens this morning. "It don't look right. It looks as though the company had sold that machine at an enormous profit, and that the tax-payers of Ann Arbor, for all these festivities, were paying for not these festivities. That company are not junketing and feeding Ann Arbor people out of their own pockets, just for good fellowship, you can depend upon that. The fact is that the profit on the machine sold this city has been an excellent one, even after paying for all of the feasting and traveling that has been done. I certainly hope that the people of Ann Arbor have not secured a white elephant, but if it turns out that way it will not be surprising to a great many of the business men of the city."

One month more, then from its cloister By the sea-shore, comes the oyster, Bringing in its adolescence, Of all good things the quintessence.

Henry Oltmeyer, of this place, and Mrs. Anna Klaser, of Hamburg, were married on Thursday evening, Justice Gibson officiating.

Over at Flint they propose to crush six hundred tons of field stone to put upon their streets. That's business, just the same. How many tons will Ann Arbor need?

Michael J. Lehman has opened a law office in Detroit, where he will spend half his time. After a little he expects to remove to that city permanently, we are informed.

Bishop J. F. Hurst, chancellor of the American University, at Washington, D. C., will preside at the sessions of the M. E. conference to be held in this city commencing Sept. 11.

A great many people are growling about the streets of the city being torn up all the time with some new improvement. Now really, won't it be a sad day when Ann Arbor ceases to improve?

Jay White, of Ypsilanti, was arrested last night by Officer Sweet for being drunk on our streets. He put up at Hotel Judson and Friday a. m. paid to Justice Pond \$6.70 fine and costs and was released.

The annual picnic of the Braun family took place at Whitmore Lake Tuesday, and there were about thirty present. That they had an enjoyable time is useless to state. They had the best time possible.

The first advertiser was Samson, the strong man we read about. He took two solid columns to demonstrate his strength, when several thousand people tumbled into his scheme, and he brought down the house.—Michigan Farmer.

Bennet French, of the sixth ward was arrested Saturday by officer Peterson on complaint of George James, who said that French poisoned some thirty of his chickens. Hence the arrest. Trial set for Aug. 14, before Justice Gibson.

The actual cost of the 99 square yards of macadamized street just put down before the engine house, outside of rolling, was \$82.35. This is counting the stone used as costing 60 cents a load. The cost of rolling is estimated at about \$5.

The gold watch put up for raffle by Mrs. Wm. Hassett, to raise means to take her little daughter to Ann Arbor for treatment, fell to the holder of ticket 99. About October 1st, the little girl will go to the hospital.—Alpena Argus. There are many ways adopted to help along those who are in need and deserving, but the above is quite novel.

Not a new business by any means, but classed in a new way is trapping. It is now a "profession," but it will probably be some time before a department of the kind is established in any of our schools. However the death of one tramp is noted in or near Boston recently, who left an estate valued at \$12,000 to \$20,000, all of which was accumulated in the practice of his "profession."

A. W. Gasser has returned from Cleveland, Ohio, where he has accepted a position as superintendent of a large carriage factory. While Mr. Gasser's friends will be glad to learn anything to his good fortune, yet they will deeply regret the necessity of parting company with him. He expects to leave in a couple of weeks with his family. A. W. is one of the kind that will make friends wherever he goes, a genial, pleasant whole-souled gentleman.

Deputy Sheriff Newell received a telephone message from Ann Arbor yesterday telling him to look for a stolen horse. The horse was stolen Tuesday night and traced as far as Milan, when the trail was lost.—Dundee Ledger. This is probably the horse that was stolen at Geddes, and which the Ann Arbor newspapers were requested to publish, for fear that the thief might take the paper and seeing the notice, get on to the fact that the officers were after him. Isn't it true that a horse thief recognizes the fact that some one will be after him as soon as the owner misses the animal, and no matter what is published about the theft, that he will do his level best to get out of the country? Because nothing is said about it in the papers, will keep no thief off his guard for a moment.

The first onslaught of the Salvation Army on the ranks of Satan in this city Thursday was quite a noisy one, but very orderly. No prisoners taken yet, but the enemy better look out, for when the Army commences to capture it takes them by squads and sometimes by companies and regiments. It is a curious way of carrying out the commands of the Saviour, "Go unto all the world and preach the gospel," but it appears to be a very effective way in some places, and the Army has done a great deal of good after its own fashion, and anything that does good in the world should be protected and fostered. There is altogether too much that is bad. Their way may not be our way, but all do not see as we see or feel as we feel, and their methods are pleasing to others. So God speed the Salvation Army and help it to make the world better.

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PERSONALS.

For some Dame Nature's voice is eloquent and free In the sighing of the forests and the murmur of the sea. Two thoughts alone we harbor as we pace the sizzling street— The dampness of the moisture and the hotness of the heat. —Washington Star.

Mrs. B. F. Watts is visiting her sister in Flint.

Prof. Asaph Hall, jr., of this city, is at Charlevoix.

Nate Stanger has had his vacation and is home again.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bischoff, Thursday, a daughter.

Mrs. A. L. Noble and daughter Edith, have gone to Bay View.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eaton, of E. Ann st., has gone to Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. L. W. Gaffney is entertaining Miss Bramwell, of Corunna.

Mrs. A. E. Millard has moved from 77 E. Ann st. to 11 Thayer st.

Mrs. Rufus Waples has gone to Huron Bay to spend the summer.

Rev. T. W. Young has returned from his trip to Baltimore Md., etc.

Mrs. Wm. Judson and son have returned from a Cavanaugh Lake trip.

Miss Winifred Beman will be the guest of friends in Troy, Ohio, for a time.

Miss Hannah Stanger has returned home from Detroit and the St. Clair Flats.

D. A. Hammond has returned from his trip up north in the interest of education.

Mrs. Alice Haven and daughter Grace have returned from their visit with Ohio friends.

George R. Barker, lit '98, is now on the reportorial staff of the Detroit Journal.

President and Mrs. Angell returned Thursday from their extended stay at Edgewood.

Miss Nellie George is spending some weeks with her grandparents in Waterloo, Ontario.

Commissioner F. W. Rickenbaugh, of Toledo, is here to spend several weeks with friends.

Miss Emma E. Bower has returned from her very pleasant visit to the Northern resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Peterson, of N. Main st., left Thursday for a two weeks' visit in Ontario.

Mrs. Jocelyn, mother of Prof. L. P. Jocelyn, and Mrs. Lillie Judson, have gone to Detroit to reside.

F. M. Miller and wife, and D. J. Lewis, of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Bessemer.

Mrs. Seymour, of State st., is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Fred C. Brown and child, of Chicago.

Misses Dorothea and Hattie Kruse, of Grand Rapids, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kim, of N. Main st.

Prof. Albert J. Volland, of Racine, Wis., lit. '76, is in the city visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Volland.

Judge and Mrs. Battin who have been visiting W. M. Sturgeon for some time past have left for their home in Ohio.

Mrs. J. Smith, of Brooks st., has returned from her four week's visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Hampshire, in Holland.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols and daughter Anna Belle went to Owosso Friday to visit O. F. Webster and family.

J. H. Prentiss left Thursday for a trip through Colorado and Montana in the interests of the Ann Arbor Organ Company.

Miss Carrie Rockwell, who has been attending the Summer School left Saturday for Chelsea, where she will teach the coming year.

Will Fisher, of N. Main st., left Thursday morning for Reedsburg, Wis., whence he will make short side trips to Milwaukee and Chicago.

F. S. Abbott, of Lansing, will remove here next month to reside permanently. He is looking over the city with a view to entering into the hardware trade.

Supt. Joseph Clark, of the University Hospital, accompanied by Mrs. Clark, returned Thursday from a general tour of the Atlantic sea shore resorts.

Ottmar Lutz, who has been at the sanitarium in West Cairo, Ohio, for the past three months, is expected home in a few days, much improved in health.

J. R. Myers and wife are in the city. He is at present engaged in booming Texas City, Texas, and hopes to interest several local capitalists in Texas real estate.

Elias Culver, of Mason, a member of the at one time famous "Secret Nine," of Ann Arbor, was in the city a day or two since for a short time. He is now on the road traveling for a New York house.

M. D. L. Branch, of Stockbridge, whom many of our older citizens will remember, and who recently buried a daughter at whose house he made it his home, is in the city greeting old acquaintances.

Little Irene Clark has been taken to Pittsfield, Mass., by her father, W. R. Clark, where she will live with her grandparents hereafter. Clarence Clark is in New York City studying medicine with an uncle, who has a large practice in that city.

Miss Anna Stanch is the guest of Detroit friends for a time.

Prof. T. A. Bogle has returned from his western trip.

Mrs. S. A. Moran will spend the winter in Florida.

Mrs. E. V. Hangsterfer is spending the week at Whitmore Lake.

John H. Blake, of Big Rapids, is visiting friends in and near the city.

George Stanch and Sid Bangs were at Strawberry Lake over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Spence has returned from her outing among the northern resorts.

Mrs. Dr. Rockwell, of William st., is visiting friends in Michigan City, Ind.

Rev. Henry Tatlock is now in New York, and is expected home this week.

A new boy at the house of Chas. Klager, at No. 9 Mosley st., Thursday.

George Schlummer, of Lansing, is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Emma Fischer, of W. 2d st., has gone away for a week's vacation.

Miss Grace Chamberlain, of Battle Creek, is visiting friends here and in Dexter.

The family of Hon. J. T. Jacobs are at Huronia Beach enjoying a very pleasant outing.

Miss Minnie Cavanaugh left Saturday for Manchester to spend a month visiting friends.

Emil Speil, of Detroit, stopped in the city last night on his way to Grand Rapids a wheel.

Mrs. Judge W. D. Harriman left on Tuesday for Mackatawa Park, Mich., to spend a month.

Dr. John R. Rogers, medic '95, has gone to Philadelphia, where he expects to locate in practice.

Mrs. John M. Wheeler and Miss Christine Lilly have returned from a week's visit in Detroit.

The family of Rodger W. Cady, of N. Main st., have returned from a visit with friends in Wayne.

Mrs. H. J. Brown and children left for Truemanburg, N. Y., Monday, to be absent until Sept. 1st.

Miss Marie Durheim, typewriter for Bach & Butler, left Sunday for Orange Mass., to spend her vacation.

Mrs. A. W. Gasser has returned from several week's visit with relatives and friends at Liberty Centre, Ohio.

Mrs. J. Richards, of Charlotte, who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned home Monday morning.

Miss Nina M. Davison returned Saturday from a two week's vacation spent with relatives in Toledo, Ohio.

Ruth Eagle, of this city, is spending a few weeks with her uncle, George Blades, at Petseysville, Livingston Co.

Miss Bessie Cooper, of Manton, Mich., is spending a few days with George Cooper, of the Register office.

A little daughter came to bless the home and hearts of Ralph C. McAllister and wife last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Walker, who has been a guest at Dr. Rich's, returned to her home in Ann Arbor last evening.—Middleville Sun.

The family of Dr. Mc Names, of Jefferson st., remove today to New York City to make that their permanent residence.

Dr. Eli Sturgeon and wife, of Salem, Ohio, arrived last Sunday night to visit their son, W. M. Sturgeon, at 35 East Ann st.

Mrs. Mary Durstine and three daughters, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of her mother Mrs. Henion, of Thompson st.

Fred Phelps, formerly with the Two Sams, but now of Bucyrus, Ohio, is in the city visiting friends. His wife and child accompany him.

Dr. W. J. Herdman has gone to Lyndville, N. C., to be absent till Sept. 10. Dr. Hale will attend to Dr. Herdman's practice till he returns.

A. B. McCullough, of Northville, is now in the employ of the Ann Arbor Carriage works. He will not move his family here for the present.

Mrs. Clara Hathaway and son, of Owosso, who have been visiting Ann Arbor friends and relatives the past few weeks, have returned home.

Rev. G. P. Coler left Friday night for Indianapolis for a conference with the national board of the church in regard to the work in this place.

Prof. and Mrs. Dean C. Worcester left Wednesday for a trip to the East. They expect to visit New York, Boston, Batavia and Washington and will be absent about five weeks.

Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Drake had a son born to them Sunday. Mrs. Drake is at Battle Creek where her parents reside. Prof. Drake is gracefully receiving the congratulations of his many friends here.

Miss Una Abel, of Detroit came here Sunday to spend several weeks with her mother at the S. A. E. house. Miss Abel has been engaged to spend the next season playing with Mme. Modjeska's company in "Ingenues." Her many friends in this city will be delighted to meet her again.

The sweetest rest is at even, After a wearisome day, When the heavy burden of labor Has been borne from our hearts away.

Dr. Chas. B. Nancrede has gone to Charleston, W. Va.

Miss Christine Lilly left Monday a. m. for Old Mission.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan went to Old Mission Monday a. m.

Mrs. M. King and child left Tuesday a. m. for Cadmus to be absent a month.

Paul C. Voorhels returned Monday from a several weeks' visit at Grand Rapids.

One unruly "critter" sometimes leads the whole world out of the pasture.

Dr. W. H. Jackson left Monday for Old Mission, for a three week's vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Novy are at Battle Creek, for a five weeks' stay at the Sanitarium.

Mrs. Dr. W. F. Breakey went to Old Mission Monday for a stay of a few weeks.

Dr. A. K. Hale went to Syracuse, N. Y., Saturday evening on business, and returned yesterday.

Mrs. C. S. Miller and son Clinton left Monday a. m. for Charlevoix, to be absent during the month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Keith and son George of S. Thayer st., returned Sunday from a two week's outing.

Ambrose C. Pack, Randall's well-known operator, leaves Saturday for a two weeks' outing at Base Lake.

Mrs. Martha Wilder and son Floyd, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. W's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Brown, of S. Main st.

Misses Mary and Catharine Ganly of Detroit, visited their aunt, Mrs. M. J. Martin, over Sunday, on their way to Chelsea.

John Lautner returned from Ann Arbor Wednesday, and will spend the remainder of the summer vacation here.—Grand Traverse Herald.

Miss Belle Turnbull, bookkeeper at Noble's Clothing store left Tuesday for a three week's vacation at her home at Hamilton, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reed who have been visiting Mrs. R's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hiseock, of N. Main st., returns to Chicago Monday morning.

Mrs. W. W. Beaman and daughter Winifred left Monday for Troy, Ohio, where they expected to go some days since, but were detained by circumstances.

Mrs. Horner and little son returned Saturday to their home in Grand Rapids, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Eberwein, on W. Liberty st.

Will Bowen, who left here a year or so ago, and has been living at Los Angeles, Cal., for several months, is in the city again for a time. He returns to take his father back with him, and is very enthusiastic over that beautiful region.

Mrs. J. E. Barrows will move, about Sept. 1st, from her present residence on E. Huron st., to Maynard st.

The High School department of the Epworth League will give a social Friday evening at the M. E. Church parlors.

Mrs. Selbring is moving from E. University ave., to 98 E. Washington st., which she has taken on a three years lease.

C. W. Culbertson, W. L. Jones and R. S. Hauseman, of Ridgeway, Lenawee county, wheeled into the city yesterday to call on friends.

Henry Herzner, who is clerking at John Moore's drug store, has accepted a position with White & White at Grand Rapids, and leaves for that place Monday.

Prin. E. T. Austin was in Owosso the last of the week enroute to Stanton to assist in a county teachers' institute. He has finished his college work at Ann Arbor and will soon receive his degree.—Owosso Times.

The Waukesha, Wis., Freeman, of August 1, contains the following notice which will be read with much pleasure by the lady's many Ann Arbor friends: "Rev. Isaac M. Hughes, of Richmond, Ind., preached a vigorous and helpful sermon last Sunday morning. Mrs. Ella Butler Babcock sang that beautiful song 'Calvary' in her own beautiful way, and her Waukesha friends found it a great pleasure to hear her sweet voice again."

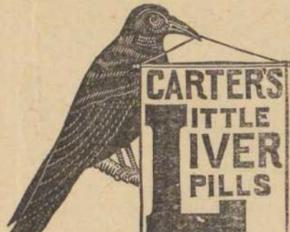
The startling fact that one filthy well used by a milkman at Stamford, Conn., has caused over 500 cases of typhoid fever and 24 deaths, has caused people to open their eyes a little as to the causes for this awful disease. Since Chicago began to get its lake water four miles from shore the death rate from typhoid fever has fallen off over 50 per cent. The fact is well established that typhoid fever is a wholly needless disease, and sanitarians should keep up the fight against it until it disappears.

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The most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap in the world. It is the only preventive of pimples, blackheads, red, rough, and oily skin, red, rough hands with shapeless nails, dry, thin, and falling hair, and simple baby blemishes. It is so because it strikes at the cause of most complexional disfigurements, viz., THE CLOGGED, IRRITATED, INFLAMED, OVERWORKED, OR SLUGGISH PORE.

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Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancery, State of Michigan, made and entered on the seventh day of June 1895, in a certain cause therein pending wherein John Christian Schmidt is complainant and Sarah Fletcher and Mabel A. Fletcher are defendants. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the east entrance of the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, State of Michigan (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described property situated in the city of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, to-wit: Lot number seven in block number three south of Huron street in range number five east, according to the recorded plat of the village (now city) of Ann Arbor.

Dated August 5, 1895.
O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD, Circuit Court Commissioner, Washtenaw County, Mich.
THOMPSON & HARRISMAN, Solicitors for Complainant.

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Health always brings wealth of beauty. A healthy state of the system comes with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a medicine prepared for woman's ailments—it cures those derangements and weaknesses which makes woman's life miserable.

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The manufacturers of Gessler's Magie Headache Wafers offer \$100,000 for any case of Headache or Neuralgia they cannot cure. This is not a bluff, but a bonified offer which has been open to the world for years. When a firm will back their goods with their money, you may feel assured that they know they have merits. They have given relief to thousands. A. E. Mummy will return your money if they do not accomplish all and more than we claim for them. Price 25 cents.

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Can be looked for at Our Store. We don't however carry Cheap and trashy garments, such as \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Suits, but make a specialty of finer grades running from

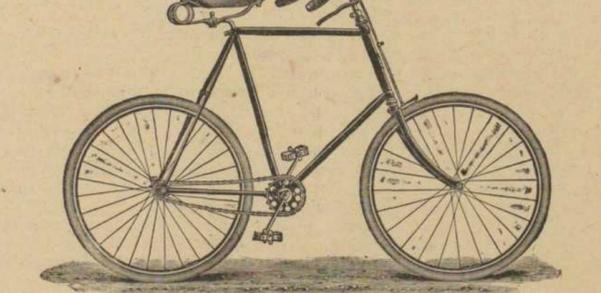
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That Straw Hat looks a little out of place for dress and we would suggest one of our

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SALE

In order to open our new store, No. 11 North Main St., Opera House Block, with a new and complete line of fall goods we will for the next 30 days commencing Friday morning, July 19, at our great Removal Sale sell you genuine first class footwear at prices that will draw your most careful attention.

Here is a Chance

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The success of our recent sale enabled us to again go into the market and buy at our own figures THREE HUNDRED SUITS which are now on sale.

Suits sold for \$5.00 worth \$7.00 and \$8.00. Suits sold for \$7.00 and 7.50 (all wool) worth \$10.00 and \$12.00, and

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That would be good value at \$15.00. This is an opportunity not to be overlooked and anyone looking for a suit at a less price than than can be found elsewhere should attend this the

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1895.

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WANT COLUMN.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey Cows; one a new milch. B. N. Smith, Pittsfield, 29

AGENTS WANTED—Old established factory replacing travellers, with local salesmen, reputable men can secure uncovered ground. One agent has averaged \$350 per month for two years. P. O. 1371, New York.

FOR SALE—Good family phaeton cheap if sold at once. Enquire of D. F. Schaefer, Ann Arbor Mich.

DRESSMAKING by day or at home—making over dresses of all descriptions. French livington system—address E. W. P. O. Box 1493, or call at 7 S. Brown st., Ann Arbor.

GOOD AGENTS to canvass for Picturesque Detroit and Environs. There is money to be made. Address, Enquire of M. L. Cone, 47 S. 4th Ave., Ann Arbor.

DEAD—Augustine Sage—who had just returned Clark Bros. farm of 333 acres, hence we want to rent it. A. M. Clark, Ann Arbor. A. F. Clark, Saline.

WANTED—An energetic young man or woman to sell dress goods to private individuals in this locality. Good opportunity for bright persevering party. Address given full particulars, New York Dress Goods Co., 115 Worth St., New York City.

FOR SALE—Very cheap, or would exchange in part for city property. Long time given; 200 acre farm. W. B. Collins, P. O. Gregory.

FOR SALE—Jersey Bull. First prize, Michigan State Fair. Address J. F. Avery, Sable, Mich.

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, or Lost or Found Houses for Sale or Rent, etc., inserted one week in daily or three weeks in weekly edition for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

FARM FOR SALE—The Bullock or Everette farm, in Salem township. Plenty of water, timber, and land in splendid condition. School and church, one mile; R. R. and P. O., two miles; Ann Arbor, twelve miles. Good neighborhood. Andrew E. Gibson, No. 10 Huron St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For house and lot in the city of Ann Arbor, 40-acre farm in the township of Lodi; good building, 2 good wells and 2 cisterns, 4 acres timber. Address W. OSINS, box 1551, Ann Arbor, Mich.

LOCAL.

Why does the cycle maiden ride. As fast as e'er she can? Doubtless her keen eye hath discerned Not far ahead—a man!

The man who struck an odorless kerosene oil well at Allegan the other day, deserves much praise, and if it proves a success, later on a monument.

The board of directors of the Washetaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. met at Secretary Child's office Tuesday, and adjusted nine claims to the amount of \$3,613.28.

"God never put one man or woman into the world without giving each something to do in it or for it—some visible, tangible, work, to be left behind them when they die."

The Salvation Army, fifty strong, going to be here Thursday evening. Street meeting at the court house at 7:15. Meeting at the Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock. Look out for the brass band. Salvationists from all parts of the state to be here. Everybody invited to come.

Dr. Philip H. Quick, who graduated from the medical department, class of '95, has located at Olivet, and will remove his family thereto as soon as a vacant house can be obtained in that place. The Dr. is one of the kind that will win success, and we bespeak for him the kind offices and patronage of the good people of Olivet. He will be a safe and wise man when the services of a physician are needed.

Prof. Louis McLouth, formerly of Ypsilanti, and well known in Ann Arbor, and since 1887 the president of the S. Dakota Agricultural College, at Huron, has a nine column article in the Dakota Huronite of July 25th, reciting the troubles in the institution over which he presides, and how politicians have injured the school by doing what they should not do, that is, meddling with the affairs of the college, and appointing and discharging teachers for personal and political reasons. He makes out a good case, and his many old friends here will bear witness that he is a good man.

"I have heard worse playing than that," said he. As he ceased with a cheerful air: And the audience wearily rose to go, And sadly murmured "where?"

No legislation can abolish unwritten laws. The crickets are chirping as if fall was really here.

No man likes criticism, and he particularly dislikes it if he deserves it.

When the ladies cannot get men to go with them they go off by themselves and have a hen party.

"I fear," sadly said the postage stamp when it found itself fastened to a love letter, "that I am not sticking to facts."

"We shall get an early frost, you see if we don't," said a person who keeps track of the weather, to ye scribe this morning.

The Epworth Leaguers of this, Adrian district, will meet in mass convention at Chelsea on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 13 and 14.

The man who boasts that he works with his head instead of his hands, is respectfully reminded that the woodpecker does the same, and is the biggest kind of a bore.

Professor W. J. Hussey, of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, has been chosen to succeed Professor Barnard, as astronomer at Lick observatory. Prof. Hussey is an old U. of M. boy and has a large number of friends in Ann Arbor who will be pleased to hear of his advancement.

In all your gettings, young man, don't get the big head. It shows a weak spot that will make you the laughing stock of your friends if indulged in too freely. Don't think for a minute that the world can not get along without you, for it can. It was a pretty fair sort of a world before you got into it, and will be after you leave it.

A glance over the "ads" in the eastern seaside resort papers is often quite interesting. It seems that all sorts and sizes of people can find lodgings there. We notice that one landlady advertises that she has, "a fine, airy room for a gentleman twelve feet square; "another has a "cheap and desirable suit of rooms for a respectable family in good repair;" another has "hall bedroom for a single woman eight by twelve."

The teachers' institute closed Friday evening. The final registration was 140, the highest ever reached at this place. Supt. Pattengill, Supt. Whiting and Supt. Briggs addressed the teachers at the close of the afternoon session. Each was in his happiest mood. There being no other exercises the teachers all attended Prof. Hinsdale's lecture in the evening.

Some Ann Arbor people have been breaking the law by fishing with nets in Whitmore Lake. The deputy game warden knows of it, but is disposed to be lenient this time, but will not be hereafter, and anyone who breaks the law will be compelled to stand the consequences. This law has been frequently noted in the papers of this county and there is no excuse for ignorance in the matter.

The Hillsdale Standard man is in a quandary as to whether he should doff his hat to a lady in bloomers, or whether she should jerk her head gear off on getting sight of him, or whether they should pass like enemies and never speak. While the thing is being settled the gallant editor dodges into stairways and other convenient hiding places whenever he sees a pair of bloomers.—Coldwater Sun. Do you really believe he gets where he can't see 'em?

Here is a remedy for intoxication that will be a very pleasant one if it proves to be of any value: "It is said that victims of the liquor habit should eat tomatoes sprinkled with salt, consuming as much each day as possible. Let the eating of tomatoes and salt to excess be continued for several days and the tomato eater will find liquor offensive, undrinkable, or if drunk, ungrateful to the stomach, so much so that it will be thrown up. This is the cheapest gold cure yet heard of and it is 'said to be effective."

An exchange calls the attention of its readers to the important fact that before a deed can hereafter go on record, a certificate showing that all taxes on the land described in the deed have been paid for the past five years. The new law that went into effect the first of August, places the county treasurer's fees at 25 cents, which must be paid by the person that presents the deed for record. For some time past this fee has been paid by the county, but the law now prohibits this, therefore all must govern themselves accordingly.

The following is the programme to be given by the Beethoven Quartette, at Brighton, on Thursday evening, August 15th: "Three Doughty Men," bass solo, by Henry C. Meuth, with quartette accompaniment. "See the Rivers Flowing," by Quartette. Tenor Solo, selected by Aug. Koch. Bass solo, selected by J. A. Kelly, with quartette accompaniment. "Mill Wheel," by Quartette. Tenor solo, selected by F. Ryan, with quartette accompaniment. Miss Ella Meuth will preside at the piano, and F. C. Wrightman will act as musical director. Excursion rates have been secured to Brighton for the occasion. Any desiring to make the trip should leave their name with Mr. F. Ryan, at W. G. Burchfield's, E. Huron st.

Be merry, man, and take not sore in mind The wailing of the wretched world of sorrow. To God be humble and to thy friend be kind, And with thy neighbor gladly lend and borrow: His chance tonight, it may be thine tomorrow. —William Dunbar.

Daniel Pierce, of the 2d ward, has been granted a pension.

James B. Saunders has been appointed to take the labor statistics for Ann Arbor.

Never stand on damp bricks while washing or ironing; not even in hot weather.

Dr. John Bigham will occupy the pulpit at the First M. E. church next Sunday morning.

The T., A. A. & N. M. Ry and the Detroit, Lansing & Northern Ry are talking about building a union depot at Alma.

Mrs. Wm. Canwell, of Chubb st., lost her family horse Monday morning. The animal had been turned out in an orchard, and ate too many apples.

The ladies of St. Thomas' church are to give another lawn social on the grounds of the St. Thomas school, Thursday evening, August 15th.

The cottage of the Juniper Club, at Island Lake, is rapidly approaching completion, and when finished will be one of the finest on any of those bodies of water.

Michigan Farmer: "Kind-hearted Detroit mother to her little boy: 'Don't cry, Tommy, come and look out of the window and see the new trolley car kill somebody.'"

Instructor Hughes is lecturing to his class this week on the law of real property. He has a very interesting class now of seventeen students. Visitors are welcome.

S. C. Hedrick business manager of the Saginaw Courier Herald son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hedrick, of this city, has been offered the management of a newspaper at Los Angeles, Cal., but will probably not accept.

A dispatch in yesterday's Detroit Free Press from Duluth states that a large party of Michigan University students left there Saturday for a trip to Hudson Bay, where they will spend two months. The route the party will take involves about 400 miles of canoeing.

For poisonous stings of insects, from the mosquito upward, a liniment of equal parts of ammonia and sweet oil is a necessity in every family. This will be of great advantage to camping parties especially, and they ought never to go without a bottle of this liniment prepared.

Fred McGinnis was arrested Saturday night by Officer Huhn, for being drunk on our streets. Prosecuting Attorney Randall told him to get out of town at once and he promised to do it. Later in the evening he was found still in town and drunker than before. Justice Pond this morning sent him to jail for ten days.

If you are not already acquainted with this fact it is worth knowing: Bread moulds quickly in August weather; as soon as it is stale, and before the mould attacks it, put it in a moderate oven till well heated through and it will be like fresh bread. If the oven is very hot put it in one pan and turn another one over it.

A Bay City boy ate thirteen green apples a few days since, and died in consequence. There are many people who believe that it was the fatal 13 that killed the boy and not the apples. Had he only possessed a sufficient presence of mind to have eaten 14 apples he never would have died. Boys should remember this when eating green apples.

Prof. Bogle, who has just returned from his Kansas farm, states that corn will be an immense crop there this year. The greatest crop ever raised in that state was in 1891, 290,000,000 bushels. This season the estimate for the year is 400,000,000 bushels. Rains have been plenty there, and hay, oats, etc., are all large crops. Take the country altogether and it will be a success, as usual.

A scientist who has been studying up the matter, says that the rain supply for this section comes from a southerly current of air above us, that brings the mists arising from the Gulf of Mexico here, where by the action of the electricity with which these mists and clouds are highly charged, condenses and shakes down the water in rain drops. The former heavy and frequent thunder storms for which this country was once noted, were thus accounted for. The lack of thunder and rain storms of late years, is caused by the telegraph, telephone and electric light wires, together with the thousands of miles of railroad track absorbing the electricity and dissipating it before it has an opportunity to act on the clouds, and thus give us rain. This is quite a plausible theory, but it knocks the Grass Lake News man's "too much ditching and drain tile theory" into the middle of Mud Lake.

Now if the telegraph, telephone, etc. companies above mentioned will only place their wires underground, perhaps they can bring back the good old showers again and make the earth rejoice.



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Our \$7.50 Suit in blue and black and gray Cheviot is a Hummer. Originally \$10 and \$12

STRAW HATS.

At the price you can afford to buy two. You will want one anyway. Price 48c. See our Window.

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You usually pay \$3.00 Some merchants ask \$3.50. We are showing it in our windows, stop and look it over.

WASH SUITS.

The Facility suit different from all others. Ask to see it. Reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.38. from \$1.50 to \$1.12.

INVENTORY SALE

Our first annual Inventory Sale will begin August 2d, and continue till August 27th. You ask what this means?

It Means Just This

That Every Tan Shoe in the House is to be sold at one-quarter off of the marked price.

IT MEANS ALSO, that Every Other Pair of Shoes in the House will be greatly reduced in price, so that our stock will be very much decreased when we take inventory, August 28th.

THIS WILL BE THE LAST CHANCE TO GET SUCH GOODS AT SUCH PRICES THIS SEASON.

NO GOODS WILL BE CHARGED DURING THIS SALE.

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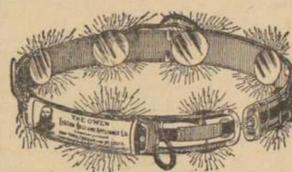
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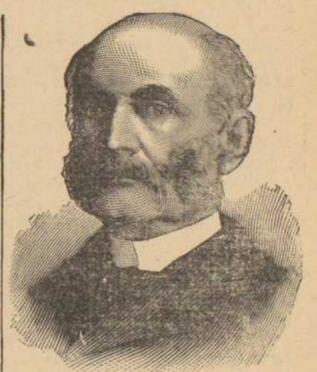
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W. J. BRODIE.

107 W. Polk St., Chicago, Oct. 27, 1895.

THE OWEN ELECTRIC BELT AND APPLIANCE CO. Gentlemen—Solely in the interest of others who are, or may become similarly afflicted with myself, I venture to offer my experience with the use of the Owen Electric Belt, and that I am actuated entirely by that motive, must be apparent from the fact that until you see my name and address recorded on this letter you had no knowledge of either. I had long been a sufferer from chronic dyspepsia and nervous prostration, contracted or aggravated by many years residence in the East Indies. About three years ago I purchased one of your Belts in the hope that its use might afford me some relief, and wore it continuously as directed for about four hours every afternoon for a month or so, and the result was perfectly marvelous. My indigestion with all its attendant miseries, nervousness, depression, irritability and insomnia, from which latter I was a great sufferer, have disappeared. I then discontinued the use of the Belt (the existence of which I had indeed forgotten), until about six weeks ago, when a recurrence of my old trouble very forcibly reminded me of it. I again put it into wear (after ceasing its use for over one and one-half years), and with the same extraordinary results, being again restored to health, strength and vigor, after wearing it for only ten days. Under these circumstances I can most emphatically recommend to others suffering from the ailments which I have endeavored to describe, the adoption of the use of the Owen Electric Belt. I had long been aware of the curative powers of electricity from what I had read on the subject, and on my return to England I purchased from Pulvermacher of Regent street, London, the combined chain bands, of which he is the patentee, for which I paid three guineas, and although I must admit that I derived some benefit from their use, I am bound to say the general result did not approach the benefit derived from the use of the Owen Belt, besides which its utility is so great an improvement in comfort and convenience; Pulvermacher's being cumbersome and complicated in adjusting to the body, besides causing from being uncovered, blisters and sores, and above all not being able to regulate the current as is the case in the Owen Electric Belt. You are at perfect liberty to make what use you think fit of this letter, and I shall be glad to answer either verbally or by letter any inquiry made from me on this subject. I am, gentlemen, Yours respectfully, W. J. BRODIE.

WANDERING NOTES BY THE WAY.

How the Crops Look—A Polish Settlement—The Bitter Feeling of Coldwater People—Frog Hair, etc.

For one to see the benefit caused by the rains that have fallen in the past ten days, he should have gone away from here at the time the first rains came and returned in that length of time. That very thing was done by the writer, and the change is not only noticeable but remarkable.

As we journeyed west to Jackson, south to Jonesville and west again to Coldwater and ten or twelve miles beyond to Bronson, on Tuesday of last week, we saw very few good fields of corn until in the vicinity of Quincy and Coldwater. Although they claim not to have had any more rain than had fallen in Ann Arbor, yet corn fields denoted that the soil could stand drouth better.

In Branch county, and especially in the southern portion, in the township of Bronson, Noble, and Gilead, are some of the finest fields of corn as ever stood up in Michigan. There are many fields where this cereal stands eight or ten feet tall and very even. It was a sight that reminded one of the palmy days of corn raising on the back prairie of Illinois.

PROSEOUS POLANDERS.

The land in that section of Branch county is not very rolling, and there are few hills. Much of it is naturally low, composed of sandy loam, and no doubt retains moisture better than Washtenaw's clay and sand hills, or her loamy plains either.

Only a few years ago much of the land south of Bronson village was no more than a huge swamp, covered with heavy timber. A large colony of Polanders got in there, bought up the land very cheap, and went to work. Their first energies were spent at ditching, one ditch they dug is said to have lowered the water level two feet, and their reward has been great.

They have cleared up the land and now have the best farms in Michigan, with a soil almost exhaustless. Their crops are fine, and they are, almost without exception prosperous, and make good citizens.

Their children attend the public schools, take to the English tongue, and are as thoroughly Americans in most instances as are the Yankee children.

In politics they were originally democrats, as most foreigners are before they become familiar with the country and the parties, but of late large numbers of them have come over to the party of progress and sound policy. They are smart, kept posted on what is going on in the community in which they live, and in the state and nation also, and are not led or hoodwinked by designing political party heelers and wire pullers.

Branch county has certainly been greatly benefited by the Polanders who have redeemed a large tract that would have lain in idleness had it not been for their industry.

A GOOD IDEA.

The farmers in one section of Bronson township, have done a very sensible deed. A large number of them have so arranged their farms that their woodland comes all together. There is one strip of woods containing about 600 acres, belonging to the various farmers in that section. By this means the timber is protected from the winds, and a better quality is grown. From it they get all the wood and timber they need for their own consumption, and much that is merchantable besides, while fine new trees are growing to take the place of the older ones cut out and used. It is thought by some that the dry seasons are beginning to injure the timber somewhat, though moisture is retained in the tract remarkably well.

IT IS NEAR GILEAD.

That the location of this country may be better known, it will no doubt enlighten some of our readers to state that it is on the Indiana state line, just west of the township of Gilead, made famous by the farmer governor, Cyrus G. Luce. The ex-Governor had a magnificent farm there in his day. He spent many years of toil in bringing it to perfection, but he does not live there any more as things about it indicate. He is now one of the bankers and business men of leisure of the very pretty little city of Coldwater.

THEY FEEL SORE.

Speaking of Coldwater calls to mind the fact that the people of that city feel very sore over losing the Lewis Art Gallery. They are not particularly displeased with the citizens of Ann Arbor, or angry at the University because of its good fortune, but they are very bitter toward the late Mr. Henry C. Lewis. They say that through a promise that the gallery should become the property of the city after his death, that it never was put upon the assessment roll, and thus escaped paying its just share of taxes. They also claim that he did not give it to the University because of any love he bore the great institution, but because he was miffed over the taxing of some of his other property, and they therefore give the gentleman no credit for his good deed.

In regard to the controversy that has arisen over the possession of a large portion of the most valuable pictures in the collection one Coldwater gentle-

man told the writer, that it was his opinion that Mr. Lewis wrote his will just as he intended to, and that the nephew who now holds the pictures as an heir, has no valid right to them. He thinks that there was a bill of sale given to Mrs. Lewis at one time, as claimed, but as it cannot be found, and as the will was made after the bill of sale was given, it is his opinion that it was purposely destroyed by Mr. Lewis when he willed his pictures, statuary, etc., "as catalogued," to the University.

This same gentleman also believes that as there are no direct heirs of either Mr. or Mrs. Lewis, and as the nephew who now holds these paintings and statuary, does so for his own pecuniary benefit, and the dollars and cents there is in them (they cost about \$50,000), that the people of Coldwater are not in sympathy to any extent with his claim, and that under the circumstances believe that the state should come into possession of what is honestly its own. Whether they tax this nephew for the pictures he claims is not known to the writer.

COLDWATER WAS REMEMBERED.

The City of Coldwater was not entirely left out in the cold, however. Mr. Lewis gave them his private library, which was very valuable, and covered a wide range of subjects, and which gives to that city probably one of the finest public libraries in the entire state. And there were other bequests of value also. But the pictures, the pride of the city, have gone, and the average Coldwater heart is chilled through and through.

No one can blame them for feeling bad about it. This gallery was to that city what the University museum is to Ann Arbor, and when people there had visitors they could always entertain them a day or so in the gallery at no cost and in a delightful manner.

IT WILL BE PUT TO GOOD USE.

But the good people of that city can have the satisfaction of knowing that the collection will be put to most excellent use where it has gone. In the not distant future it will be the foundation for a school of art. Even now, if it was available, it would be used, for there is a school already started, with a number of students ready to take advantage of this gallery. The collection will always be well cared for, and no doubt constantly added to, and people from near and from far will rejoice that Mr. Lewis was so thoughtful as to provide the nucleus, around which a great school of art will grow up, for that will surely be the result.

Coldwater will yet be proud of Mr. Lewis and of the grand deed he did. One can hardly believe such a thing possible now, especially after conversing with Coldwater people, but as great changes as that have been wrought in the course of time, and will be in this instance.

"FROG HAIR" HAY.

To change the subject, we shall go back to agriculture, and give notice right here, that hay is higher now than it will be this winter. The farmers are saving every bit of marsh grass mowing wet marshes which they have never cut before. This they facetiously term "frog hair," and they will feed it out to their live stock, and sell their good hay. They have also sown considerable millet and Hungarian grass, and will cut up all their corn stalks and straw and by mixing with bran and ground feed make cheap and palatable fodder for their cattle and horses, and sheep. If you imagine a farmer does not look out as just sharp for the almighty dollar, as any man in the cities, you are much mistaken.

Some farmers have their corn stalks run through a threshing machine fixed for the purpose. In that way the corn is not only shelled, but the stalks are all broken up, ready to feed without cutting up.

A NOVEL SUGGESTION.

A gentleman with whom we conversed is firm in the belief that our dry seasons are the direct result of the cutting down and destroying of the great forests that once covered this fair peninsula. His remedy is novel, to say the least, he would have the state confiscate a strip of land about ten miles wide, running from the south line in about the center of the state to the straits of Mackinac, and plant it at once to forest trees or trees of some sort. This tract he believes would have the effect of restoring our rains once again, and making this lower peninsula a Garden of Eden. If something of the kind is not done he believes that the rain falls will continually grow less until this fruitful and beautiful state will become a great Sahara, with not a living thing upon it, either in the shape of vegetation or animal life. The idea might not be practical from the fact that forest fires would be quite apt to destroy much of such a strip.

WELL KEPT UP.

One thing on the main line of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern R. R. was quite noticeable, and that was the neatness with which the railroad property is kept up at the various stations. No station of any importance but has its lawn and flower garden and the usual unsightly places are made to delight the eyes of travelers. We could but contrast it in our mind with the treatment of Ann Arbor, for instance, by the M. C. R. R. But there is another difference that we noticed also. As a general thing the M. C. R. R. employes are courteous and gentlemanly. A person can always get

a civil answer to a civil question, but on the M. S. R. R., the Jackson branch conductors perhaps excepted, it was not our experience. They each and every one appear to own the road, and run it on the alleged Vanderbilt principle of "the public be d—d." This may be a trifle harsh on some of them, but it has been our experience for several trips, and so we can but conclude that their unaccommodating ways and important manners are permanent and chronic.

A SURPRISE.

Speaking of the yield of wheat in this section one farmer told us that it was turning out far ahead of their calculations. The correspondents for the department of state had placed the yield at seven bushels per acre on an average in Branch county, but he believed it would reach fully ten bushels per acre, and might reach twelve.

The potato crop would also be excellent, that is, the late crop; the early tubers were failures, by reason of the dry weather.

Clover fields, however, had been practically wiped out of existence.

There are many other things noted that might be spoken of, but these wandering notes are already too numerous, and the length of this article will no doubt scare many, who will leave it unread.

WILL INTEREST FARMERS.

Status of Agricultural Education in the United States.

The status of agricultural education in the United States is given an extended review in the forthcoming year book of the agricultural department. It shows that there are sixty-five institutions in operation under the provisions of acts of July 2, 1862, and August 30, 1890. Sixty of these maintain courses in agriculture. In fourteen states separate institutions are provided for white and colored students. Special courses in dairying and other agricultural industries have been recently established at a few of the colleges. The value of additions to the equipment of these institutions during 1894 is estimated at \$1,415,495. Agricultural stations are now in operation in all the states and territories. Sub-stations have been established in several states. Exclusive of these the total number of stations is fifty-five, of which fifty-one receive the appropriations provided by law. The total income of the stations during 1894 was \$996,157, of which \$719,830 came from the government and the remainder from states and individuals. The station bulletins are now regularly distributed to half a million persons closely identified with agricultural interests, the experiment stations are conducting a wide range of scientific researches in laboratories and plant houses, and an equally large amount of practical experience in fields, orchards, stables and dairies. Thirty stations are studying problems relating to meteorology and climate conditions, forty-three are investigating soils, twenty drainage and irrigation, thirty-nine conducting field experiments with fertilizers, forty-eight matters connected with the more important crops, thirty-five composition of feeding stuffs and digestive experiments, twenty-five silos and silage, thirty-seven methods of feeding and thirty-two dairying. Botanical students occupy more or less of the attention of twenty-seven stations and horticulture forty-three, while several stations have begun operations in forestry. About 320 experiment stations are in operation in the different countries of the world.

Attractive Religion.

"Is your religion winsome? Does it charm and attract? Does it show itself in a pleasant face, a cheerful smile, gentle tones, courteous manners? Is it kindly and thoughtful for the comfort of others, willing to serve, slow to push personal claims, quick to sympathize and help? Or is it sour and hard, grim and frowning, dominated by petty gossip and jealousies, self-asserting and domineering—driving away more than it draws? Look into this matter. Carefully consider this question. See whether or not you are properly representing Christ?"—Moralian.



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HOW SHE MIGHT GET ONE.

The Millionaire's Daughter Was Tired of No-Account Noblemen.

"Father!" The beautiful heiress looked lovingly into the eyes of the great capitalist. "Yes, my child."

He, who was cold and haughty to others, was gentle as a woman with her, and his voice and manner showed how much her happiness was to him. "I'm dying of ennui, father," she said. "Won't you grant me a little favor?"

"Anything in reason that you wish, Beatrice," he answered. "It will not cost much, father," she said. "I am a widow of everything I have and I would marry. Buy me a man."

"My child, but last week I got an English duke and a French count, and—"

"I know, father," she interrupted, wearily, "but you were cheated on that last importation. I knew the moment I saw them that they were not according to invoice, so I couldn't accept either. I want a man—a real man."

"Some one of courage, energy and independence?" he asked, hesitatingly, as if fearful of her answer. "Yes," she said.

"Alas! my poor girl, there are none for sale," he said sadly. "I can buy you a title or a yacht or social position or a duke, but a man—a real man—cannot be purchased. Let me get you another invoice of lords, and possibly you may—"

"No," she said, decidedly, "I must have a man."

He walked the floor in great perturbation for a few minutes. Then his face suddenly brightened. "I have it!" he said, "Strange I never thought of it before."

"You'll buy me one," she said. "I cannot," he replied. "But—but," he added, so agitated by his discovery that he could scarcely speak plainly, "it just occurs to me, my child, that—"

that possibly you might get one yourself, just like other girls, you know."

The Secret of Glamis.

In a certain drawing room the other afternoon we were talking of some well-known superstitions and, among others, of that secret room in the castle of Glamis, which, Sir Walter Scott tells us, is known only to the earl of Strathmore, his heir-apparent, and one other person in whom the earl may choose to confide. One of our party told us an amusing story concerning the secret chamber of Glamis. Once, when stopping at the castle in autumn, a curious and indiscreet visitor took advantage of the host's absence to suggest a plan by which the whereabouts of the hidden chamber should be revealed. The castle was full and it was proposed that each guest should hasten to his or her room and hang his or her pillow out of the window, while one visitor was told to mark off such window as displayed no white signal. In the middle of carrying out this pretty plan the master of the castle returned unexpectedly and great was his wrath at this unseemly curiosity. Never had the owner of Glamis appeared in so towering a passion. The display of temper is hardly to be wondered at, for the Glamis secret is regarded with an extraordinary seriousness by the Strathmore family and when imparted to the heir has been known to fill him with gloom hard to dispel.—Sketch.

A Jehu's Courtesy.

A noted American singer is fond of telling of a little experience she had in Boston once upon a time. She was to sing at an evening concert, and a carriage was to be sent for her. She was staying at the time with a friend, who had a suite of rooms in a large apartment house, in which the tube system of communication with the outer world prevailed. It was past the time when the carriage should have appeared, and the lady was growing a little nervous. She was sitting with her wraps on, when the bell rang furiously. Hurrying to the tube herself the prima donna said: "Well?"

The reply came in a voice heavily charged with irritation.

"I'm a hackman," said the voice, and I was sent here to get some cussed lady, an I don't know what in time her name is! I've rung ev'ry bell in this house! Are you her?"

When informed that the "cussed lady" herself was speaking to him he coolly replied:

"Well, come on. We'll have to lope it all the way to the hall to get there on time!"

A Practical Bracelet.

The English two-mile whistle bracelet is now the fad for women cyclists. Those who wheel in the country and are venturesome enough to go off unattended should wear them, as the call is warranted to be heard two good miles. If some enterprising American will improve on this English one by adding an automatic screech of "Tramps" all the objections to women's flying round the country by themselves are done away and a fortune will accrue to the inventor and deliverer.—Vogue.

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ESTATE OF ELIZA H. AULLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF WASHTENAW.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Eliza H. Aulls, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Matilda Ruckman praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frank E. Jones or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Daily Courier, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

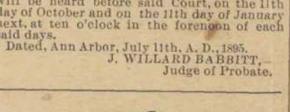
[A true copy.] J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

W. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1895, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Daniel E. Wines, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 11th day of January next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 11th day of October and on the 11th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days.

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COUNTY AND VICINITY.

John Shannon, of Northfield, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is much better.

Our mathematician has figured out that an "inch" of rain means a gallon of water spread over a surface of nearly two square feet, or a fall of about 100 tons upon an acre.

The barn and outbuildings of A. J. Dort, just outside of Ypsilanti, burned Monday morning last. They were insured in the Washtenaw Mutual for about \$300. Loss about \$500.

The Manchester Enterprise tells this one: "When the morning train reached here last Friday a live turkey was found on the pilot. Its foot was caught in such a manner that it could not fly away and the engineer will probably fat it for Thanksgiving."

George C. Smithe and wife arrived home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Smithe's health is very much improved. They have been staying with friends in Chicago for several weeks past.—Ypsilanti Commercial. Mr. Smithe's many friends in this county will be glad to read the above item.

In the southern counties the wages per month of farm hands average \$15.60 with board, and \$21.70 without board; in the central counties \$14.66 with board, and \$22.31 without board; and in the northern counties, 16.04 with board, and \$25.58 without board. The average for the State are \$15.45 with board, and \$22.31 without board.

The farmer is about the only man in business who is able to receive cash price for his goods at all times. The wholesale houses and factories wait for their money; the merchant is stood off for the price of his goods; but a farmer comes to town with a load of hay, wheat or corn, and gets cash in hand. When his hogs are ready for the market he gets his money, and so it is with every product of the farm.

Ypsilanti: "Mrs. Lizzie Payton-Smith was committed to the insane asylum last Thursday by Judge Inabitt. Mrs. Smith was a graduate of the Normal and in possession of some property but for a long time has had some symptoms of insanity. At one time she claimed to be the wife of an English Lord. Last year she married a student named Smith and moved to Tacoma, but recently she returned here and her disease became worse." Dr. Patterson took her to the asylum.

The horse barn belonging to Calvin Conklin, of Sylvan, was struck by lightning and burned Saturday morning last. It was filled with hay. The loss on barn and contents was upwards of \$1,000. Insured in Washtenaw Mutual for \$700. A horse belonging to Chas. Samp, of the same township, was killed by lightning Saturday morning, for which the above company will pay two-thirds its value. Secretary Childs tells us that this is the fourth loss sustained by the company on this same farm, known as the A. F. Prudden farm, within the past few years.

Here is an incident from the Middleville Sun that will bear a little thought to say the least: "While picking up rubbish in the yard Mrs. C. M. Beach overturned a stick of wood six inches in diameter and five or six feet in length; under it she found apparently millions of red ants together with a quart or more of larvae. She immediately replaced the stick and went to the house for boiling water to destroy the pests. In half an hour she returned and not an ant or an egg was in sight, although a thorough search was made. Question, 'Have ants reasoning powers?'"

The Ypsilanti moralizes and draws conclusions as follows: "Shirt waists and bicycles! Bicycles and shirt waists! In the language of the poet, the woods is full of 'em. You can scarcely look out into the street without seeing one or more varieties of the above named articles either singly or in combination. It is hard to decide which enjoys the greater degree of popularity, the wheel or the shirt waist. With young ladies the balance is about equal, although the difference in cost makes the waist much more numerous than the bicycle. With the boy the wheel is decidedly favorite unless the waist happens to adorn the person of a bright and charming young lady, in which case it possesses an attraction far beyond that of the most perfectly constructed, up to date wheel ever produced."

The farther a story travels the more importance it assumes. To such an extent has this snake story taken hold of the people in the vicinity of Whitmore Lake that they have become very timid about going out after dark even though the huge snake has never yet been seen on dry land. It is said that while a man who was mowing one of the adjacent marshes went to his dinner some body made a track across the sandy road something like a snake of such proportions might naturally be expected to leave, only that in addition to the long trail usually made by a snake there were added huge footprints, the size of elephant tracks. When the haymaker returned from his noonday meal and saw this path of the serpent he went away terrified almost unto death, leaving his mowing machine and other tools out on the marsh where they with the hay partially made, still remain subject to the destroying influence of the elct ments.

B. J. Howlett, of Chelsea, was in the city over Sunday.

John Mast and wife, of Hamburg, spent yesterday with his brother, E. Mast, of this city.

D. D. Morris of Lima, called on friends here Sunday on his way to St. Louis, for a week's visit.

There was a fire at Chelsea Saturday by which R. A. Snyder lost his dwelling house. He had recently bought the place and moved his family thereto.

Elliott T. Austin, W. P. Bowen, L. L. Jackson, Miss Lois McMahon, Miss Ada A. Norton and Arda B. Rorison, are in attendance at the University summer school at Ann Arbor.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

James J. Parshall, the veteran fruit raiser of Ann Arbor town, is quite well contented with the prospects this year. He says that the early peaches have been dowered somewhat by reason of the dry weather, but the late ones will be fine and plentiful.

A committee of the Law and Order League went over to Ann Arbor a few days ago to find a lawyer who could engineer a warrant that would not show "as many holes as a skimmer."—Ypsilanti Commercial. Well, they displayed remarkably good judgment in so doing, for we have them here.

A swindling piano agent is said to be working this way. He solicits orders for the Fischer pianos, \$5 to be paid to him in advance, and the balance in \$2 instalments, with 52 music lessons thrown in. He is a fraud of the first water, but talks and acts like a Quaker. Set the dog on him if he calls on you, and buy your piano of a reliable dealer.

"There is no news about that item" as he handed us the paragraph quoted below, "but if there is a housekeeper among your readers who does not know it already, you will be thanked for publishing it." "Pickles or vinegar will not keep in a stone jar which has ever been used for lard or any other kind of grease."

Thursday, August 8, will be a race day at Chelsea. Besides the human race who will be there in great numbers, the day will be devoted to various kinds, fine list of premiums for horse, bicycle and foot racing and for ball games is in readiness and the event promises a most pleasant one. Purses for the horse racing run to \$25 in cash and in the others good monies are offered.

As you munch the succulent peanut, do you know what a large part it plays on the industrial stage? The yearly production of peanuts in this country is about 88,000,000 pounds, Virginia, Georgia, Tennessee and North Carolina harvesting the most in the order named. But, after all, the American crop of peanuts is small compared with Africa, which in 1892 shipped 400,000,000 pounds of peanuts to Europe. Now if Africa once enters into the watermelon business! Oh, yum! yum! Just think of it?

Marshall Peterson arrested Andrew Neff, of Scio, Saturday, turned his poor old horse over to the pound master with directions to kill it, and gave Neff over to the custody of Sheriff Judson. The prisoner is charged with cruelly driving, overloading, and mutilating a horse and not giving the animal proper care and food. The horse was old, and for the want of proper care was in a pitiable condition. When officer Peterson's attention was called to the animal it had bled at the mouth nearly a gallon, and could hardly stand up. Neff will have his examination before Justice Pond Friday.

There is one thing that the alleged murderer Holmes appears to be honest about. When asked what church he belonged to he frankly said that he did not belong to any, and added: "I am a believer in the teachings of Tom Paine and Bob Ingersoll."

And his life and acts are a fit result of such belief.

Take the human family, and convince them that they are responsible to no one for their acts, that there is no hereafter, that all grave buries not only the body but the soul as well, and there will be multitudes of Holmeses. You will meet them on every side and at every turn, and the entire race would soon sink back into savagery. It is the belief in Christianity that has brought this world to its present enlightened condition. Destroy that and it would take but a brief period to restore the Dark Ages, or even worse.

A Query.

Van Billy—What language do you speak, Miss De Gushah?

Miss De Gushah—(sighing divinely)—But one.

Van Billy—And that?

Miss Gushah—The language of love.

Van Billy—Ah, really! But you must find it embarrassing that nobody in society understands dead languages nowadays.

Willie—I was going fishing Sunday, but my papa wouldn't let me. Reverend Dr. Sainly—That's the right kind of a papa to have. Did he tell you the reason why? Willie—Yes, sir; he said there wasn't bait enough for two.

Judge—How do you account for the fact that the man's watch was found in your pocket? Prisoner—Your honor, life is made up of inexplicable mysteries, and I trust your honor will so instruct the jury.

Facetia from the Adrian Press.

Mrs. Garlick, of Ypsilanti, caused the arrest of D. O'Brien for assault and battery, but the case was dismissed. Some people love garlicks and others do not. Daniel does not.

Jerome Bates, of Batavia, last week dug a Spanish coin from his garden. It bore date of 1739. It was probably lost by Carlos III, as his name was on it.

John Harris, colored, who a year ago started the small pox at Ypsilanti, but recovered and was discharged, had a relapse. Just been arrested for adultery.

Gold rings have recently been pawned at Coldwater for one dollar each. They cost the poor fellow who pawned them 25 cents a dozen; and still there are those who oppose the doctrine "16 to 1."

Dr. O. R. Long, of Ionia, refuses the homeopathic deanship in the University, and says he wishes to give his attention to criminal insanity. Then why don't he accept the deanship?

By a rising vote of the Sharon Center church, the young men of that place will be requested to hereafter desist from playing ball on Sunday. In these courteous days, even the devil is treated with a great deal of politeness.

The Hon. George A. Sub-Treasury Peters, the populist sage of Scio, exclaimed a month ago, with a sigh, O, that wheat would yield only seven bushels to the acre. It is turning out ten to fifteen bushels to the acre. Mr. Peters is an excellent farmer, a kind father, an indulgent husband, a poor prophet and a worse politician.

The water in Grass Lake is so low that pickeral and black bass parry the heat by twisting their tails up over their heads for sun shades. It beats the dickens how much a fish knows when it comes right down to business!—Grass Lake News. We hate to impugn the veracity of a brother, but we solemnly believe the above is a lie.

A man went into an Ypsilanti barber shop the other day, all out of breath and said he'd give \$5 to be shaved in a minute. Instantly he was knocked down into the operating chair, a towel driven down his shirt collar with a mallet and cold chisel, and two barbers then sprung upon him and had him shaved, wiped, combed and cologned with the 10th of a second yet unspent—a "mighty close shave." He paid.

A girl at Massillon, Ohio, died in terrible agony one week after a spider had disappeared in her ear.

A Newark, N. J., child, born with twelve fingers, twelve toes and a double palate, lived only a few hours.

One of Schwelb's disciples at Lexington, Ky., hit off the head of a live blacksnake to win a wager of \$60. A New York policeman recognized in two thieves he had arrested schoolmates he had not seen in thirty years. Lightning struck a wall near Winchester, Ky., and since then the hole in the ground has been as dry as a mummy.

Divorce came to a Kansas City couple as the result of a quarrel over the size of angleworms their canary bird should eat.

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 - 1 Style P, walnut, used 18 months; a bargain, 400 325
 - 2 Style P, ebony, shop worn; will be sold low, 374 315
 - 1 Style H, dark oak, with pedal attachment; a fine piano for organ students, 500 375
- BRAUMULLER PIANOS.**
- 1 Style 2, ebony, medium size; but little used; fine piano, 300 240
 - 1 Style 4, mahogany, rented 15 months, 325 265
- SMITH & BARNES.**
- 1 Ebony, an excellent piano, the care somewhat marred, but in good condition, 325 250
 - 1 Ebony, little used, case fairly good condition, 325 250
 - 1 mahogany, case soiled, good tone and action. (These pianos will be sold low to close), 350 266
- BOARDMAN & GRAY.**
- 1 Style 12, walnut, like new, a fine piano, 475 360
 - 1 Style 12, mahogany; used by teachers in warehouses, 475 360
 - 1 second-hand, black case, (old style), good tone; cheap, 350 200
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 - 1 Style A, walnut used 11 months, good tone, a desirable instrument, 300 235
 - 1 Style A, ebony, in good condition, in good condition, good tone and touch; will be sold low to close, 275 225
 - 5 Style A, walnut, rented 3 to 6 mos., like-new, case in first-class shape, good tone and action, 300 240
 - 1 Style A, oak, a beautiful piano, fine case, and shows no no wear, 325 250
 - 1 Style A, ebony, good as new, latest style case. Our Erie Pianos will be sold at a sacrifice, as we desire to close them all out, having discontinued the agency. 575 225
- ODD PIANOS.**
- 1 Guild, dark case, (taken in exchange for a Clifford), used two years, in fair condition; price very low, 275 200
 - 1 Haines Bros., Style 8, rosewood, in good condition, 325 225
 - 1 Newby & Evans, black case, used three years, but in good condition, 400 250
 - 1 Ivers & Pond, black case, used 16 mos., shows no sign of wear; a standard piano at a low price, 375 275
 - 2 Colby, walnut, rented 11 and 13 mos, in good condition, fine tone and attractive cases, 350 225
 - 2 Pease, elaborate black cases, fancy glass panels, used 18 months; a low price to close, 350 225
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- SQUARE PIANOS.**
- 1 Chickering, case newly refinished, in good condition, 140
 - 1 Hazleton, a good piano, big tone, an excellent instrument for halls or Sunday Schools, 150
 - 1 Brackett, small, 50
 - 1 Raven & Bacon' small, 60

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GREAT AND WONDERFUL WEST.

Denver—Salt Lake City—the Mormons—the Great Canons—the Beautiful Scenery—Brilliant Prospects for the Future.

One of the party who went to Denver to attend the meeting of the National Educational Association has very kindly given the Courier the following brief write up of the journey and wonderful country of the great Rocky Mountains. The article will be found very interesting indeed:

The first of July found thousands of teachers from every part of the land, with grip in hand, en route to Denver, that wonderful city of the west—the gateway to greater wonders beyond.

Michigan's contingent numbering about 150 left Chicago under the conduct of State Supt. Patten and State Manager Supt. Perry over the North Western R. R. It was a merry crew of congenial spirits, as the people along the route discovered, when "Pat" with his singers made the welkin ring with song after song from his "knapsack," closing with the improvised yell, Heorrah! Heorrah! Zip, Boom, Yell! Michigan, Michigan, A. E. A.!

Denver baggage-men were wild when 12,000 people arrived with trunks, wheels and telescopes of every description, and it required several days of hard words and determined effort to properly clothe those dusty travelers, but when at last peace and a change of clothing came, and the gay colored badges were displayed, every possible honor and homage was given during the convention.

Denver is the city of conventions. Four national associations have held their meetings there this year, and more are to follow. It lacks only one thing of being an ideal place for such gatherings—it has no large hall.

Denver is well located and substantially built of brick and their beautiful red stone. The architecture is modern, of course, the streets are well cared for, car service is splendid. Colorado is a great state; is bound to make herself felt in the union. Her agricultural products are not extensive, as they are nearly all earned at the cost of generous irrigation; but in fruit products Colorado is likely soon to distance Michigan. Such strawberries as we ate there in size and flavor, the latter part of July, could scarcely be grown at any time in Michigan.

The chief interest of the state is, of course, mining. Listening to the talk of street and office, one might think her mighty mountain sides all bulging out with silver and gold. The people seem to be about 16 to 1 still in favor of free silver coinage, but the opinion is less obstinate than it was a year or two ago. For last year the product of these metals was \$20,000,000 of gold to \$10,000,000 of silver. At this rate we may soon expect to hear that half the people are genuine gold bugs.

But the glory and grandeur of Colorado is her mountain scenery. The solemn, cave-like gorges, the towering snow-capped peaks above, the tumbling rivers, and shimmering cataracts, make up a scene that can be enjoyed but scarcely described.

On foot and on burro we worked our way several miles up the Cheyenne cañon and were more than paid for our effort. We rode up the celebrated Ute or Mormon Pass, and through the Garden of the Gods, that freak of nature in rock formations. For three days we lingered at Ferndale, thirty-eight miles up the Platte cañon, than which a more beautiful or restful nook can not be found in the west. Then we were whirled up Royal gorge, through Eagle cañon, Gunnison valley, Black cañon, and finally by many a zigzag turn, at one time going forty-eight miles by rail to get ahead sixteen miles, we scaled Marshall Pass, 11,000 ft. high.

Contemplating our situation at this dizzy height, we thought of descending on foot rather than to run the risk of the plunge by rail. Diligent inquiry eliciting no rumor of accident ever happening here, we composed ourselves to the more pleasurable occupation of admiring the wonderful views about us.

After the convention excursions from Denver were offered in all directions. The first excursion to Salt Lake, 730 miles distant, carried about 1,400 people, and was in three sections. Each section was provided with a guide who called attention to every point of interest, and did as well as he could in answering the innumerable questions which pedagogues alone could ask. The mountain cañons, Leadville, the highest city of the world, Glenwood Springs, famous for its natural hot baths, and the great desert beyond, were the special points of interest during the trip.

When the Mormons were driven out of Illinois, they traveled west but knew not whither. Brigham Young assured them he should know the place when he saw it. On reaching the crest overlooking the valley, he exclaimed: "That is our Canaan." Beautiful for situation is Salt Lake City, in a valley completely engirded by mountains—the Oquirrah and Wasatch.

The Mormons have given character to the place, in its architecture as well as its religion.

Temple Square is famous the world over. The Tabernacle with its seating

capacity of 12,000 is open to the public. Its acoustic properties are perfect, an ordinary voice on the rostrum being heard easily at any point.

We arrived there Sunday just in time to hear the afternoon service, which was full of interest. The address—a very suitable one—was by Wm. Canning, a business man of the city, who, as the Mormon custom is, did not know, until he entered the building, that he was to speak. The organ playing and the singing by a chorus of 300 were both superb.

Monday morning we were treated to a ride over the city in street cars, ostensibly to see the school buildings and facilities, which are of a high order of excellence. The wonder is that they are the creation of the past few years, under the efficient management of Mr. J. F. Millsbaugh, city superintendent, graduate of our High School and of the U. of M.

About half the board are Mormons. Here, as in all business relations, Mormons and Gentiles work together in the heartiest good fellowship. A majority of the offices in the territory are held by Mormons, because 75% or 80% of the voters are Mormons. They hold to their religion and its ultimate sway with the most confident tenacity. Polygamy is dead by act of congress, and by an article in the new constitution; but many families of the older men still exist and are well cared for by their quondam head. These families now live in different parts of the city, and are well received in society. Other evidences of former polygamy are Brigham Young's "Beehive"—cluster of cottages—and the elegant house of his favorite Amelia.

Salt Lake City is financially solid. During the past three years of business depressions, not a bank has failed; the people are industrious, conservative and honest. Many do not live in elegant houses—some in adobe, often old and poor—but they are not in debt.

Utah's commercial products are many and varied. Beet sugar in one section last year amounted to 8,000,000 pounds; salt making from the brine of Salt Lake is an extensive industry; asphaltum occurs in large quantities, while the guano beds promise large returns. Then there are mineral paints, and a species of valuable amber. In some quarters there are valuable mines of gold and silver.

Mormon Utah, its people, and the prosperity it enjoys will hereafter hold a higher place in our esteem.

Our companion in doing the city was none other than Bishop Bywater, a distinguished Mormon, member of the Board of Education, who was both talkative and catholic in spirit.

HOW IT LOOKS TO OTHERS.

Prof. Volland Tells How They Alay the Dust Nuisance at Racine.

Prof. Albert J. Volland of Racine, Wis. in conversation with a Courier scribe this morning, said in effect:

"I am astonished at the condition Ann Arbor is in with reference to dust. It is almost intolerable here. With us, at Racine, we manage the dust nuisance in this way:

"In the early spring some resident of a street will take a petition and secure a majority of house or property owners on that street. This is presented to the council who refer it to the board of public works to investigate.

"The board takes the petition and finds out if a majority of property owners on the street have signed it, then they make out an estimate of the cost and the amount which should be assessed to the city by reason of street crossings. This is reported back to the council.

"The council then advertises for bids for sprinkling the street for the season, and each property holder has his or her share, according to frontage, assessed in the regular taxes.

"This way appears to be very satisfactory, for all of the principal streets of Racine are sprinkled in this way, and every year more and more of the side streets come into the scheme.

"There is little or no faultfinding, the manner of securing the desired end being so eminently just to all concerned.

"And the saving from the ravages of dust, to say nothing of the comfort of the people, is very great.

"It is a wonder to me that Ann Arbor, so progressive and wide awake in almost everything, should wallow along as she does in dust, especially when the remedy is so simple.

"If you will only try this scheme once I feel sure that it will never be dropped. At any rate it is worth experimenting with.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, each bottle guaranteed. Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold by The Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co., and Geo. J. Heussler, Manchester.

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FOR BETTER ROADS.

What Massachusetts is Doing For the Improvement of its State Road System.

From an ardent advocate of better roads throughout the country, we have recently received a review of the good roads legislation of Massachusetts. The movement in that state has from the start been highly aggressive. Colonel Albert A. Pope has been in the van.

The spirit of her Legislature has been shown by making the Highway Commission a permanent one, and by appropriating \$300,000 to be expended, under the immediate supervision of the Commission, in constructing new and rebuilding old roads.

As a natural result of the popular agitation and the monster petition, presented to Congress in 1893, the United States recognized the necessity of a move in this direction, and under the "Agricultural Bill" made a special appropriation of \$10,000 to meet the expense of a careful investigation into the condition of roads throughout the country, and for the publication of such information as would assist the people in bettering their highways. The Department of Agriculture has issued a number of bulletins, and it is gratifying to learn that more than a score of States have already passed new road laws, while nearly all the others are planning for the adoption of measures for the promotion of this reform.

The course pursued by Massachusetts is the one which commends itself most strongly, both to the people at large and to their legal representatives, the various State Legislatures.

Starting in June, 1892, a Temporary Commission was appointed to examine into the condition of the roads of the state, and to draft a bill providing for the improvement of the highways of the Commonwealth. The law suggested by the Commission was, with some changes, passed in June, 1893, but, before any petitions for construction of State highways were submitted to the General Court, an act was introduced and passed June 20, 1894, increasing the powers of the Commission, and permitting the Selectmen of any town, or the Mayor and Aldermen of any city, as well as County Commissioners, to petition the Highway Commissioner, without further legislation, in building State highways.

The \$300,000 has been pretty evenly divided among fourteen counties. Before deciding which of the petitions should be granted an official visit was paid to each locality, and full information as to the value of the proposed improvement collected. While this method has distributed the work in small sections of roads, thus increasing the expense per mile, the advantage to the people at large will be greater, for the reason that each portion of the State highway constructed is intended to be an object lesson to those living near by. County Commissioners and other officials will watch the work as it progresses and follow out the same lines in building county and other roads which are not intended for State highways.

The plan is to build, section by section, such roads as will connect the great centers of trade, and join with through roads all other states, so that both local and interstate communication will be benefited.

The contract for the construction is usually let to municipalities as this is most effectual in teaching the people the art of road building, and protects the State against cheapening the work by the importation of foreign laborers, an element which is apt to be objectionable.

Wherever traffic is of sufficient proportions to warrant it the roads have been broadened. The advantage to owners derived from the construction of the way is, as a rule, so much greater than the injury to them by widening the road that, in a large majority of cases, the town officials have been able to procure releases without any cost.

Thirty-eight sections have been contracted for, and only eight of them are to have a width of eighteen feet of hardened surface, all others being fifteen feet wide. As the primary object is to get length of way, the commissioners are considering the advisability of building single-track roads in the thinly-settled districts. These would not be over nine feet wide, with here and there portions of double width as convenient passing points for carriages. A mile and a half of such roads can be built for less than the cost of a mile of fifteen feet width, and the advantage in getting produce to market is not lessened, provided such construction is confined to localities where the average traffic is from six to eight vehicles an hour.

Careful consideration has been given to the plan of planting shade trees along the highways. With this end in view,

experts have been consulted concerning the best varieties for the purpose, and the wayside trees have been examined, so as to determine the species well adapted to the climate and soil of Massachusetts.

As the estimated expense of procuring and planting these trees is not less than one-half a million dollars, the commission has rightly made this question secondary to road building, but in the meantime they are collecting such data as will enable them to work with profit on the adornment of the roads after the construction is well in hand. The American and English elms have the advantage of fairly rapid growth, with shade high above ground, and the leaves falling from them give but little obstruction to the gutters. They have the disadvantage of being subject to the attacks of insects, so that the cost of protecting them from these pests would be considerable. Maples grow well and are beautiful, though they often shade the road too much. It is the custom in parts of Europe to plant the roadsides with trees which yield profitable crops. In France and Germany, for example, cherry trees abound. In these countries the yield of the wayside trees belongs to the neighboring land owners, but in some cases to the community, and their product is well guarded by law. There will be more or less experimenting on the part of the commission before they decide upon the species to be planted. The law provides for the beginning of this work in the spring of 1895, and from that time it will be carried on slowly, so as to give us the benefit of experience.

Every state should make a beginning on road improvement. In thinly settled regions of the country, where the people do not feel able to undertake much, they can do no better than to start the reform by constructing sections of single-track roads. No community can afford to neglect the common roadways. Our prosperity is too intimately connected with the facilities for communication.

WORKED THE SAME RACKET.

A Woman Who Makes a Living by Working Upon Sympathy.

The Battle Creek Moon gives the following account of a woman who will be recognized by our city officials as one who worked practically the same "racket" here a few weeks ago, until the authorities found out her methods, when she silently stole away, to work some other city:

"Last week a woman who had a large excrescence, weighing several pounds, growing from her breast, was in the city working upon the sympathies of the charitable ladies. She claimed to live between here and Climax and that she was a soldier's widow. She said that she had been to Ann Arbor and had a cancer removed and showed the alleged scar. She was desirous of raising money for her. It is said that she succeeded in taking about \$30 out of the city, besides a new pair of shoes and a new dress, which were given her. It has since been ascertained that the woman is a fraud and that the excrescence is her stock in trade. A gentleman wrote to Ann Arbor to the medical department and received a reply that no such woman had been there. The woman is a fraud. It is too bad that well meaning and charitable people should be imposed upon by such frauds, when there are so many cases of deserving destitution that really need the assistance of liberally disposed citizens.

Aunt Huldah says, tell your readers among the housewives, that when bottling pickles or catsup, boil the corks, and while hot you can press them in the bottles, and when cold they are sealed tightly.

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A CASE CITED IN OCEANA CO.

A Further Case Cited by the Jackson Patriot, in which Rheumatism, Resulting from Same Cause, was Cured in the Same Way.

From the Muskegon, Mich., News.

Oceana County, Michigan, is widely known as one of the finest fruit-growing sections in the country, and especially for its fine and luscious peaches. But all the peaches grown on trees are not to be placed in comparison with the peach bloom which has again returned to the cheeks of one of the best known ladies in Hart, the county seat of Oceana County. How this wonderful and beautiful effect was obtained, and the history of the illness preceding the cure, has been known long since to residents of Hart and others throughout the county, but to a News reporter of Muskegon, who was in Hart at the fair, the following interesting and joyful tale was unfolded recently by Mrs. W. S. Eggleston, the person who once was a helpless invalid. To-day a more happy woman can nowhere be found.

"In 1891," said Mrs. Eggleston, "I resided in Cass county, at which time I in common with nearly everybody in the county suffered a severe attack of the grippe, only it left me with a still more serious trouble. The greatest part of my trouble then was in my stomach. I had no appetite and wasted away until I lost twenty-four pounds. Of course I was doctoring, but nothing reached my case. I moved up to Hart in June, 1892, and my ill health continued, although I tried two resident physicians. I grew disgusted finally and quit doctoring, as it seemed it would take our all, and yet I grew no better and looked like a skeleton. My husband read in a paper of a medicine called Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he immediately got some for me. I had no hope hardly and was not enthusiastic over the new pills, but I am now."

"It is a solemn fact that I began to get better the very first day and kept on improving. In a short time my stomach had a better feeling; my appetite picked up and I could eat everything I wanted to. I had a second trouble, however, which I did not expect the pills would reach, but they did, and the result is that a swelling in my right side, caused by some ovarian trouble, is almost entirely gone. I can lie on my right side now with comfort, and this is not all the relief I obtained.

"Formerly in wet weather my bones would ache terribly. Now I do not notice any bad effects whatever. I am able to walk three miles at a stretch now, for I did that last week in going to visit a friend. I tell every one of my wonderful cure, and many of my afflicted friends are using the Pink Pills now with good effect. I now weigh 132 pounds, a gain of twenty-one pounds."

Mrs. Eggleston's husband was present during the narration of his wife's troubles and triumphs, and he willingly corroborated the statements made by her.

A neighbor, Mrs. Brown, who happened to drop in, stated that Mrs. Eggleston did not look like the same woman who came to Hart a year ago.

RHEUMATISM'S VICTIM.

How He Was Attacked—How He Was Treated—How He Was Cured.

From the Jackson, Mich., Patriot.

How often are seen people a little past the meridian of life who, but for the lingering effects of some ailment of an unusually stubborn nature, might still be enjoying robust health, but who on account of the lack of a remedy to assist nature in throwing off the disease are broken down and worn out long before the allotted time.

Marcus S. Lyon, of 1071 Francis Street,

Jackson, Michigan, is one of the unfortunates. A year and a half ago Mr. Lyon was a physical wreck, hardly able to leave his bed, and his friends had no idea that he could survive more than a few months longer at best. He is however to-day a well man. During the course of a recent conversation with a reporter, he gave a history of his case and the cause of his recovery, as follows:

"About two and a half years ago I had a severe attack of influenza which proved very bad in its effects, and would not yield to ordinary treatment. Some four months later I had another attack which was fully as persistent as the first. After being treated by the family physician for some time I thought the disease had run into rheumatism, and I treated for the same several months, all the time getting worse. I kept getting weaker in the muscles of my legs, feet and hands which were quite sore and tender. My feet and the lower part of my legs, and my hands were badly bloated and droppedical and had a numb or paralyzed feeling, and I could stand on my feet but a few minutes at a time. I became restless and nervous, and would awaken twelve or fifteen times in the night, and my legs would shake for a few seconds, similar to shaking ague—but not cold. With all the rest, my limbs had stiffened and I had not been able to dress myself for several months, and some of my friends thought I would not live but a few weeks. I was looking so bad and pale and still had taken what the doctor had ordered all the time. I went to another doctor for his opinion in my case. He, judging from the dropsical condition of my limbs, said I had Bright's disease. I disputed this and another doctor said I had no indication of it whatever of which I was confident. Dr. N. H. Williams finally concluded my blood was out of order and I asked him for a remedy for my bad blood. This was in February, 1893. He said about all that could be done was to exercise out of doors, get my strength when the weather got warm. At last he said he had gone into my case as far as he could and I dropped him and his medicine and began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People about the 15th of March, 1893, and in ten days after taking the pills the dropsical condition and weakness began to leave my feet and legs. In a comparatively short time I was nearly cured, and I gained strength so that I could walk a mile and back. I then went to work at my trade as a joiner and stair builder, and have worked almost every day since. My recovery has been a wonder to my friends. I am sixty-five years old this month, and my general health has never been better than it is at present. I can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as a great blood builder and for general debility. A dozen or more of my friends have been using Pink Pills on their merits in my case, with very beneficial results. I can say the Pink Pills have been a life-saving remedy for me, and have given me at least a few more years of health and vigor."

MARCUS S. LYON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March, 1894.

A. A. SPAULDING, Notary Public.

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