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CHINESE TIME COUNTERS. Crude Methods of Marking the Flight

The Chinese sundial embodied the usual principle, but was crude, indeed, says an exchange. A rod or needle set upright reflected a shadow on a flat surface as the sun moved. On this were characters indicating the hours of the day. The Chinese also used a water clock called the clepsydra. It was a dish of copper or other material. his knife. with an extremely small aperture, from which the water trickled drop by drop. The clepsydra of Canton is thus described by a traveler: "It is a vase of copper; it is situated in a pavilion built on a double arch that crosses a of 2,917. street leading from the great south gate of the city to the palace of the treasurer of the province. Like that which existed, and perhaps, exists still in the Pekin observatory, it is composed of four copper vases, whence water runs from one to another by little tubes fixed at the base. The vase that rests on the floor has on its wooden cover a kind of handle, crossed by a rule mounted on a float and covered with characters representing the hours. When the water has run out- Arbor with 50 delegates. that is, in the morning or evening, it is poured again into the uppermost is poured again into the uppermost will hold its twenty-second annual vase. There is a little brick staircase meeting at Ithaca, May 20-21. by which the attendant ascends. In the temples there are attendants whose

night they beat a gong. "The attendants who thus look after the flight of time occupy the intervals between in making sticks of incense, on which are marked the hours. These sticks are so arranged as to burn a certain length of time for every hour, and these are used by peasants and others. The stick is lighted when the gong sounds, and in this way the pri-

business it is to hang up a placard,

with a white ground, on which is in-

dicated the hour. They strike the

hours of the day on a drum and at

The other candida encourage the cat fights now in procress in New York and Ohio. They are hard on the Morton and McKinley booms but lend much interest to the situation.-Washington Post.

Begin at the Top.

The Japanese begin building their nouses at the top. The room is first built and elevated on a skelton frame. Then it affords shelter to the work-

#### ROUND ABOUT HOME.

MICHIGAN EVENTS RELATED IN

BRIEF ITEMS.

Several People Killed by Lightningvict Tries to Kill a Keeper.

Deadly Work of an Electric Storm.

men from storms.

The recent torrid weather was some hat broken by a terrific electrical what broken by a terrific electrical storm which swept over nearly all the state. Two bolts of lightning struck the farm house of Andrew Oleson, near Wallace, killing two of his children, a boy and a girl, aged respectively 8 and 6 years. The father and mother were fatally injured, while a visitor, Mrs. Anderson, and the youngest child of the Olesons were also inest child of the Olesons were also injured. The house was quite badly wrecked and was set on fire, but Spring "96." Fall dress suits a neighbor's came to the stricken family's assistance. The wind was a veritable cyclone, traveling with almost incredible speed, tearing up Crapo.

fences and blowing down trees. Serious damage was done at other blaces. Wm. Bennett drove his team nto Farnam's horse barn for shelter at Edmore. Lightning struck the building, killing both horses and knocking Bennett and Colgrove down. Henry Cooley was standing in a door at Clio when lightning struck the broom, passed down his left side and fore his shoes from his feet. He will recover. A barn was destroyed near Yale and Orrin Holcomb was killed by aving the top of his head cut off. stephen Hubbard and his 12-year-old on were struck by lightning, near ashley. The boy was killed, but the ather still lives. The depot at Evart vas considerably damaged. Peter chafer, of Nottawa township, Isabella bunty, was instantly killed by lighting while going from the woods with an ax on his shoulder. Paul Marvin's house was badly damaged at Midland, Evart was burned.

Murder Sensation at Holland.

A party rowing on Black river at Holland found the remains of Enos Lawrence, an employe of the Holland Furniture Co., who disappeared about three weeks ago. The swollen and discolored limbs of the unfortunate man were tied at the ankle with a quarter-inch rope, which was wound around the legs and body to the waist, where it was tightly knotted. From Attached to the end of the rope were tied several pieces of castings.

The head was wrapped in an old coat.

Boston clothing store at Traverse City and the guests of the Hotel Whiting At the top of Lawrence's head was a A gag formed of a leather strap had been forced into his mouth and loss of only \$1,000. buckled so tightly around the neck that the features of the dead man were disturbed, and the center of the throat was a stab wound. The bridge where the body was found spans Black river within two blocks of where Lawrence formerly lived. His wife at the time of his disappearance said Enos had gone north. She sold everything she possessed and left the city, but she and her brother, Roy oats, have been located at Howard City, and the sheriff went there to clace them under arrest. that children under two years of age may now be admitted to the school.

3lycerine with Lavander for the hands 2Later developments show that the man Mrs. Lawrence claimed was her brother, was no relation and that they were married in Grand Haven a week They were traced to a farm near of age at present. near Kalkaska where Mrs. Lawrence was arrested, but the man—Ray Porter -got wind of his danger and skipped.

> Murderous Outbreak at Ionia Prison. A dastardly attempt on the life of Keeper J. R. Walker, of house of corection at Ionia was made by Convict ames Williams, colored, a three-year an from Detroit, whose time had nearly expired. Williams, was ordered to step out of the line and await punshment in the rotunda for an infringement of rules, when he suddenly rew a carving knife, which he had oncealed, aimed a blow at Walker's heart. The knife pierced his clothes and inflicted a slight wound. Walker struck Williams on the head with his many are made light. A laundry is day after Christmas. When cut it is cane, but not in time to escape another murderous lunge from the knife, hand, making a gash five inches long, severing the veins and the cords of the thumb. Other keepers came to Walker's assistance, and the convict was clubbed into submission. There seems no doubt that the attack was a conspiracy on the part of Williams and a white convict named Delevan, but the latter backed down and gave up

#### MICHIGAN NEWS.

Bad Axe Methodists will erect a new church.

Eight fishermen were fined at St. oseph for using nets of illegal mesh. Victor Hendrickson, a Finn, was

Burglars shot Leo Hirth, grocer and saloonkeeper, at Indianapolis, and also tried to kill his wife.

And went to Jackson. Mr. Dennis is situated. The newspapers of that re-

saranac, celebrated their golden wed-

their second annual session at Ann wandering the streets in Jackson.

The infant child of A. Vandermeiden was fatally scalded at Grand Haven, by pulling a pan of boiling milk over

Senator James McMillan announces will not again act as chairman of the Michigan Republican state central communittee.

Northville people are well pleased at the prospect of a new \$13,000 fish hatchery, the senate having taken favorable action on it.

Mrs. Hugh Collins attempted suicide gong sounds, and in this way the part of morphine. She was demondent to stop all appointments until the reble account of the hours as they pass." of morphine. She was despondent over domestic troubles.

big crop this season, the trees being wered with blossoms. There are will be sure to

5,000 fruit trees in the county. Caro citizens are investigating sensational charges against the keeper of the county poor house. Cruelty is the principal allegation against him.

Mrs. Port Allen, aged 66, attempted suicide by jumping from the Johnson street bridge at Saginaw, but was eized by Bridge-Tender Lemcke.

Luke Reilly, a Bay City sailor, was lugged in a saloon, robbed and left inconscious on the sidewalk, because he refused to treat the saloon gang. Frank Foster, conductor of a switch

engine in the Michigan Central yards at Ypsilanti had both legs cut off by falling under his train. He cannot re-Henry Anderson, an insane Swede, who wanted to tell President Cleveland

now to save the country, strangled imself to death in his prison cell at

While attempting to run a belt on a evolving pully in an Elkton mill, L. C. tiff slipped and fell, his head falling into the arms of the pulley, causing fatal injuries.

Laban Wood was struck by lighting while working in his garden at Palmyra and instantly killed. The bolt pierced his skull, followed down the body and divided on each limb.

at Battle Creek burned the entire plant to the ground. It was owned by a stock company. The building and machinery cost \$26,500; insured for The four-year-old son of Gideon

Bettner, near Reed City, was fatally the farm home of W. A. Smith at has issued a call for the Democratic editors to meet in Detroit the day be-

cre the Democratic state convention for the purpose of forming an editors' association. While Samuel Van Wey, a Palmyra

is very badly hurt. shows a shortage of \$500. Hills was of a good family and was a good business

man, but drank a little. Mrs H. Havenga was found dead at her home at Spring Lake. The body was found hanging directly over the bed. The rope had been passed through a staple in the ceiling and her knees nearly touched the bed.

The threatened discharge of 700 men at Ishpeming May 1 is followed by the announcement that the allotment of ore for this season made by the Lake uperior-Bessemer ore pool at Cleveand has been cut 2,000,000 tons. Ionia citizens are being stirred up

by repeated charges of city officials being lax in their duties and of astounding and unseemly violations of the law by the lower classes of the inhabithere to the neck the rope was coiled around the body and arms to the also. An electric light wire set fire to the

Boston clothing store at Traverse City apples. deep gash, from the blow of a weapon Julius Johnson attempted to cut a live violet; Canada, sugar maple; Egypt, lo- St. Vincent and Madeira, and "when and he died a hero's death in the thick The three principal mining compan

ies of Ishpeming, Lake Superior, Cleveland Cliffs and Lake Angeline will make a considerable reduction in their working forces. It is thought Supt. A. J. Murray, of the state pub-

There are many fine boys there from

n Lansing. The discovery was made Mrs. Rosenkrans upon her return o the city, after an absence of about tremely bad. week. The body must have been dead two or three days, as it was in a very bad state of decomposition. The labor exchange recently estab-

shed at Saginaw is doing a big business. Members out of work take any goods which they may manufacture to eadquarters, and receive in exchange the goods they want. Checks are stores, and in this way the burdens of gersfontein, in the Transvaal, on the

In the woods near Charlotte, a rifled arge quantity of mail, among which tonish his guests after dinner by gathwere notes, drafts, money orders, etc., amounting to \$3,000. The mail was nostly from Bay City, Saginaw and surrounding points for Detroit, dated May 24 and 25, 1895. The letters had ill been opened, apparently in search of currency.

A special session of the state grand of exemplification of the unwritten library. work to the lodges of southern Michithurch.

The U. of M. has a total enrollment grand's degree. As this is the occaon of the seventy-seventh anniversary Creek lodges will give a grand bauquet in the evening.

Three robbers called at the residence | be \$1,000,000. rowned in the ship canal at the "Soo." of Peter Dennis, near Portage lake, 12 Rev. W. H. Davenport and wife of ing him forced his wife to give them \$1,500. They then went to Geo. Weinhold's barn, stole a horse and wagon and went to Jackson. Mr. Dennis is situated. The newspapers of that re-The Second district W. C. T. U. held give an alarm. The horse was found

The body of a man about 45 years the Buddhists of Kioto, Japan, will The Michigan Fireman's association old was found in the harbor near No. | erect a gigantic bronze statue of Bud-James Murray, of Port Huron, ran the body were found a testament, \$80 nto his burning home to save his lothing, and was burned to death.

An Actor's Mistake

Poor Neil Burgess! He made \$100,000 his "County Fair" enterprise, and then he sank it all and considerably more by speculating in real estate. It is another reminder that it is always | with great minuteness. His wife listbest for the shoemaker to stick to his ast.-Boston Herald.

Putting on the Screws of Oppression. It is proposed to reduce the strength of the Irish bench by five judges, and duction has been effected.

MISCELLANY.

Inited States: established in 1638. War declared with Great Britain, June 19, 1812; peace, Feb. 18, 1815. Until 1776 cotton spinning was per ormed by the hand spinning-wheel.

Measure 209 feet on each side and ou will have a square acre within an Postage stamps first came into use

in England in the year 1840; in the

United States, in 1847. The highest range of mountains is he Himalayas, the mean elevation being from 16,000 to 18,000 feet. The largest inland sea is the Caspian,

POPULAR SCIENCE.

miles long and 270 miles wide,

between Europe and Asia, being 700

There is only one sudden death among women to eight among men. Dr. F. Shue says there are forty varieties of edible turtles in the Unit-

An ostrich will never go straight to ts nest, but always approaches it with many windings and detours, in order, if possible, to conceal the locality from observation. Astronomers calculate that the sur-

face of the earth contains 31,625,625 square miles, of which 23,814,121 are water and 7.811.504 are land, the water thus covering about seven-tenths of the earth's surface.

Trees are the great water lifters. The vise men tell us that an oak tree of average size, with seven hundred thouinjured by the kick of a horse while sand leaves, lifts from the earth into spending the day with his parents at the air about 123 tons of water during the five months it displays its foliage. The air is clear at Arequipa, Peru. From the observatory at that place, 8050 feet above the sea, a black spot, one inch in diameter placed on a white disc, has been seen on Mount Charchani, a distance of eleven miles,

hrough a thirteen-inch telescope Appendicitis, according to Prof. Dieublacksmith, and wife were driving at Appendicitis, according to Prof. Dieu-Adrian, they collided with another team. Their horse ran away, and they progressive formation of a calculus were both thrown out. Mr. Van Wey analogous to the stones formed in the liver and kidneys. He thinks his dressed and many in fantastic costume Chas. E. Hills, cashier of the Belding | theory is confirmed by some recent ex- and masks Banners, flags, streaming Savings bank has disappeared and a periments in which appendicitis was ribbons and green boughs are carried and a preliminary examination of the books

#### CURIOUS FACTS.

The foundation of a church at San Como, Guatemala, has been shifted seven inches by the growth of two bration is at an end. large, white gum trees.

The Esquimaux give the doctor his ee as soon as he comes. If the patient recovers he keeps it; otherwise he returns it to the family.

The Coliseum of Rome was built to accommodate one hundred thousand spectators. It covers five and one-half acres of land, and was 120 feet high. Florida is noted for its rivers and lakes. The St. John's river is nearly hundred years no more was heard or gerian governor that there would be no four hundred miles long. The Indian seen of the genus till it was again rising against the French authority till river is a salt water lagoon, 165 miles brought to light by the Swedish frigates the war was over. Even when a peace ong and from one to six miles wide

and is famous for its oranges and pine-

National flowers have been adopted turned out in their night clothes. In various countries as follows: Greece, more than 2,000 fathoms, between Cape against them. Verily, he was a hero wire and was severely, but not fatally, tus; England, rose; France, fleur de lis; taken from the trawl the polyps and of battle.—Westminster Review. shocked. The fire was put out with a Germany, corn flower; Ireland, shamrock; Italy, Illy; Prussia, Ilnden; Sax- of the stem were so brightly phosphorony, mignonette; Scotland, thistle; escent that Capt. Maclear found it easy

Spain, pomegranate; Wales, leek. It costs more to send a ton of goods from London to the west of Ireland that between 500 and 1,000 men will than to Japan. A ton of woolen goods be let out. Overproduction is assigned | can be forwarded from London to New as being the cause of the curtailment | York for \$4; to Chicago, one thousand miles inland, for \$7, and to Japan for \$10. The same goods sent from Derry firmed that the phosphorescent light lie school at Coldwater, announces to London cost \$14, and from Gweedore, seventy miles inland, \$24.

physician the dangerous habit of emok- trary. He then found by means two to 10 years of age still waiting for homes. But very few girls are in the ing green tea cigarettes is rapidly growschool and only 15 boys over 10 years ing and becoming more in use with the women of England, many of whom it Henry H. Losenkrans, formerly a is now claimed smoke their five o'clock well-known miller at Byron, was tea instead of drinking it. The effect found dead on the floor at his home, of the abuse of the cigarettes upon their nervous systems is said to be ex-

#### BITS OF KNOWLEDGE.

The man who will not improve his chance, is bound to lose it, no matter whether it has to do with the seeking of salvation or making a fortune.

A 634 carat diamond, the finest ever found in Africa, was discovered at Jagexpected that it will be worth £300,000.

Charlemagne possessed a tablecloth nail pouch was found. It contained a woven from asbestos. He used to asering it up and throwing it into the fire, from whence he drew it cleansed from gravy and other grease.

New Hampshire has reason to proud of her free public library system. Splendid work has been accomplished since 1892, and of the 233 cities and lodge of Odd Fellows will be held in Battle Creek April 25, for the purpose than fifty that have no free public of new methods and new ground place. than fifty that have no free public of new methods and new ground plans.

come the possessor of the sixty-four

grandeur the great Mammoth cave has Jusiness. been discovered in Edmondson county. ble character of the new cave. In commemoration of the victories

won by the Japanese troops in China, dha in that city. It will be 120 feet in height, and the cannon captured by .he Japanese during the war are to be used in making the image.

Willful Waste.

The story writer had been out very ate, and when he arrived home explained his tardiness at length and ned without comment until the end. 'Well," he said, after a gloomy pause, doesn't that explanation satisfy you?" 'Perfectly" she replied. 'It was lovey. Only John, Cear, I think it is very xtravagant of you to squander so much riginality outside of your business."-Exchange.

HOW PERUVIANS CELEBRATE

Harvard is the oldest college in the Christmas Eve a Season of Jollification -isall Fights After Church. A Christmas celebration in Peru ha

peculiar features, says the New Yor

Herald. In the cities, and more espe

cially in Lima, there are bewildering scenes of activity on Christmas ev The streets and square are crowde with gayly-dressed people. Droves of asses are to be seen in every direction laden with fruit, boughs from the moun tains, liquors and other merchandise ice stalls, provided with chairs an benches, are crowded by the perspir ing pleasure-seekers, who find ice ne essary on sultry Christmas. As nigh approaches the streets are packed with a noisy people and joke and jest an merry pranks become the rule. Thes are participated in mostly by strangel; attired persons in masks. Music guitars, clattering castanets and pel bles rattling in gourds fill the air wit ningled discordant sounds. No door i closed. There are music and dincing and the distribution of gifts in ever house. All are welcome to enter Strangers are sure of a hearty welcome and to be a foreigner is to have a double claim on hospitality and to receive louble welcome. All ceremony and re straint are absent. Suddenly the scene changes. The midnight bell a he cathedral has summoned all mass The houses and streets ar nearly deserted, while the churches with their decorations and blazing apers, are througed. Again on Christ mas morning the streets are crowded o'clock the churches are again filled he games and the sports. Of all the ports bull-fighting is the favorite and he Christmas fight is generally the est of the season, as eight or ten bull re frequently killed on that day, be this sport women appear to take mor procession, headed by the priests and monks, who are followed by the soldiers and the people. All are gayly

produced by surgical means in rabbits. | and music fills the air. In the mids of the procession there is held aloft the figure of the Madonna bearing in her there disbands and the Christmas cele- common dwelling. A fine, hardy

Deep down in the water these pecu ender stems, surmounted by a group yet gone. When, worsted in the Franmiddle of the eighteenth century a fine and thus a grand opening was left for specie was observed and described, but insurrection, Mokrani would not rebel the specimens were lost and then for a as he had pledged his word to the Alngegerd and Gladan. Soon afterward the Challenger raised the number of known species to half a score. One of eight hours' notice to the French of the membrance covering the hard axis to determine the character of the light

by the spectroscope." It will perhaps be encouraging to hose naturalists who are too easily disheartened by failures and mistakes to earn that the celebrated Father Zecthi in the first instance decisively afof animals, viewed by the spectroscope was monochromatic, whereas in 1872 he According to a prominent London was able to determine just to the conf improved instruments that the spec rum was sensibly continuous, not onecolored but compound, with the red and violet clearly distinguishable .- Blackwood's Magazine.

A law case which lasted 300 years has again come on for hearing in a Bavarian court. It is waged between he legal advisers of this community appeared before the legal tribunal which then held its sittings at Speier igainst the lords of Thungen, for a sum f 2,000,000 marks, as owners of a forest f noble oaks and beech trees. Century v century death thinned the ranks on ach side but others took up the cause other day matters seemed as fresh as

his venerable suit.-Exchange.

Practical asks if architecture is a ood and profitable study for women? ne may look over the plans of leading Negotiations are in progress by which architects and find a large proportion the Art Institute of Chicago, may be- of small houses built with a single himney, and that in the middle of the of the order in America, the Battle paintings by Gustave Dore which for Iwelling. It is out of the question to the past few years have been exhibited keep a house comfortably cool in sumin this country. The price is said to ner with such construction. Men do tot seem to improve on such points, and A cave alleged to rival in extent and t is high time that women took up the

Better Roads and Fewer Tramps.

There is special merit in the recomnendation of the utilization of tramps for road-building. This would benefit the country in two ways. It would improve the roads and diminish the numthe country for nothing. They are our leisure class and they are supported in idleness by direct taxation. That taxation is levied upon the country farmers who feed the tramps and the city gerous ones. Imprisonment without labor is no punishment for them and are without terror for the tramp. Let ing to the state.-Philadelphia Press. | kish towel.

ruel Military Punishment Once Inflicted

The military punishments of that day 'ere terrific, says Chambers' Journal The duke of Cumberland's general or ders contain on three consecutive days sentences of 800, 500 and 800 lashes for thieving, "mutinous expressions" and "insoient behavior." Three days afterward a sentence of "1,000 lashes" is re corded; it is fair to say the man de served to die; but death would have been a merciful punishment. A martinet of that day might be and was a errible tyrant to his men. Strange out-of-the-way punishments were in flicted for trifling offenses, without addng one lota to the efficiency of the rmy. The soldier might either be picketed" or made to ride the "wooden orse" In "picketing" the culprit' naked heel rested on a sharpened stake riven into the ground, his right wrist nd right leg being drawn up as high dicining post. The whole weight of te body rested on the sharpened stake hich, though it did not break the skin officted excuisite torture; the only reans of alleviation was to rest th veight on the wrist, the pain of which soon became unendurable. Soldier were frequently sentenced to stand of 'he "picket" for a quarter of an hour and in the cavalry it was often inflicted y order of the colonel, without authorty of court-martial. The back of the "horse" was formed

planks so arranged as to form harn ridge eight or nine feet long. The egs (six or seven feet in length) rested on a stand moving upon wheels; to complete the resemblance a rough wooder read and tail were added. The ofender was placed on the back with his hands tied behind him: and to increase he punishment a heavy musket was not infrequently tied to his legs. This ounishment, which might be inflicted y sentence of court-martial or by or er of a colonel of a regiment, wrought so much injury to those subjected to its discipline that it had to be discontinued. Francis Grose tells us that so iate as 1760 the remains of a wooden horse were standing on the parade off

The easy-going Kabyles push democ-

racy to extreme limits, living on familarms the Holy Child, After a long march | far and equal terms with their catthe procession returns to the cathedral, the and their swine-all occupying the of great bravery and many noble traits they yet resemble the Arabs in their want of honesty. A story is told of chief of theirs. Mokrani, which makes far zoophytes, the umbellula, rear their us think the days of chivalry are not f polyps, superficially resembling the 30-German war in 1871, the French had leased from his promise, he gave fortythese was fished up from a depth of his intention to commence hostilities

> Most of the houses in Greenland are entered through a passage constructed

elow the level of the ground. It is so ong and narrow that one has to crawl one's way along it and an unusually stout man finds it hard to get in at all Dr. Nansen mentions the case of a fat storekeeper of Godthaab, who stuck fast in such a passage, unable, despite all his struggling and bellowing, t advance or retreat. At last four boys came to his help, two from the house dragging him inward and two from the outside pushing behind. For a long inie no progress was made and it was being proposed to pull down the wails in order to set him free when, with a ast despairing effort, he was squeezed

emoved to let him out.-Exchange. Army Nicknames.

Everybody is familiar with the name of Tommy Atkins, representing the mings. he market community of Burginn, at British soldier, but how many know the Unterfranken, in Bavaria, and the terms of endearment by which the Gerords of Thungen. The case was com- man soldiers are called? Some of them nenced on the 21st of June, 1595, when are applied to the entire regiment, some to an individual corps. The guards are called "hammel" or sheep." The guards call the soldiers of the line "field rats." The infantry speak of the cavairy as "grcoms," and the cavalry return the compliment by bestowing upon the infantry the names of "sand hares " "sand carriers" and "clodhopand when the case came on for trial the pers " The cuirassiers are known as "flour sacks," the pioneers as "moles, ever. It is hoped, however, that the the nussurs as "packthreads" and the list of June, 1896, will see the last of artillery as "cow soldiers," The latter are called also "astronomers" and the ngincers water rats."-Exchange.

A Woman of Wales.

Lady Llanover, an enthusiastic Velsh woman, whose bardic name was wenyen Gwent, the Bee of Monmouthhire, died recently at 94. She spent great deal of money in fostering Welsh literature and wore the Welsh beaver hat. Her husband, before he was raised to the peerage, was Benjamin Hall, and gave his name to Big Ben, the great bell of the house of parliament, which was set up when he was commissioner of public works.

Jewelry can be beautifully cleaned washing it in hot soap suds to which few drops of ammonia have been addd, and then shaking off the water and laying the jewelry in a box of jeweler's ber of tramps. The latter now live on sawdust. This method leaves no mark or scratches. A cup of hot water taken the first

hing in the morning will often prevent

a bilious attack. Hot water as a beverage is exceedingly wholesome, espepeople who are held up on the streets clally when the digestive organs are for the price of a night's lodging or of | weak. It should be taken before each a cup of coffee. As a class tramps are meal as well as after. A half teaspoonsimply lazy frauds, many of them dan- ful of lemon juice makes it palatable. If a daily tub bath is enervating, try dally sponge bath and a tri-weekly for this reason most of the tramp laws tub. The "tubbings" should be taken at night, in water warm or hot, accordthem be arrested wherever they appear ing to the tastes of the bather. The and put to roadmaking. Under this sponge bath, which should be taken rule we would soon have either good in the morning, should be either cold roads or no tramps and either con- or lukewarm, and should be followed summation would be an unmixed bless- by a brisk rubbing down with a Tur-

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I, Charles E. Hiscock, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES E. HISCOCK, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day of December, 1895. MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public. CORRECT-Attest: Christian Mack. W. D. Harriman, L. Gruner, Directors,

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FASHION HINTS.

T. J. KEECH, Supt.

Fashion has run riot in dress trim-Dress skirts are not quite so full as they were.

wraps Ice cream may be eaten with either fork or a spoon. Children are to wear poke bonnets,

and one is occasionally seen on an

Capes and jackets are popular spring

adult. Laces are more varied and elegant than ever, with on end of applique deigns on net and chiffon. Handsome lunch cloths and buffet

overs that wash well are of fine linen,

ordered with renaissance lace. There is a great choice of silver andlesticks, but, after all, none surpasses in beauty the colonial reproduc-

Fine checks promise to be very popu-

lar, and shot mohairs are especially recommended. Colonial silverware, in true octagon shape, with a novel disposition of beadwork and empire garlands, is the

correct thing.

A holder with a loop so long that it may be looped around the apron belt so that it can be easily removed. may save burned fingers by being always at hand. Remember to thoroughly wash and

if overdone, gives a coarse, unpleasant Long or one piece effects are creeping in more and more, to the delight of stout figures. Under the name of redingote and princess gowns some very

NOTES OF THE DAY.

pretty costumes are evolved.

French doctors have taken a picture it in soap and cold water. of an unborn child by means of the Roentgen rays.

In the early days of Sir Isaac Pitman's shorthand crusade the system was assailed on religious grounds. Mayor Warwick of Philadelphia performed three marriage ceremonies in over the spots on dark clothing will one hour one day last week.

year, and Greece, Turkey, Portugal and | will evaporate quick and leave no stain. Spain are also running behind in reve-

tolen from her twelve years ago.

The Empress Eugenie has presented to the Paris Museum of Decorative Arts all the plans and drawings for the or-Jacket waists are popular this sea- namentation of her private apartments in the Tulleries. The United States naval officers, at

the request of the Russian government,

JAS. TOLBERT, Prop.

are to superintend the testing of a lot of armor plates which have been made for that government by the Carnegie company. The tests will take place at Indian Head. Boston is about to make an experiment in high liquor license. Sixty hotels will be called on to pay \$2,000 each

instead of \$1,500, as formerly, and the

tax of retail dealers will be \$1,000 each. These are said to be the highest licenses yet required in this country. Sawdust is turned into transportable fuel in Germany by a very simple process. It is heated under big steam pressure until the resinous ingrediants become sticky, when it is pressed into bricks. One man with a two-horse power machine can turn out 9,000

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

bricks a day.

A red-hot iron will soften old putty Green tea will revive rusty black lace and render it as good as new.

A soft cloth wet in alcohol is excel-

scrape the vegetables used in soup and lent for wiping off French plate glass to be chary with the seasoning, which, and mirrors. The tone of the plano improves when the instrument is moved from the wall

of the room. A few lumps of beeswax, wrapped each in a bit of old linen, and put in the folds of a white satin gown will keep it

from turning yellow. To remove sewing machine oil stains rub the stain with sweet oil or lard and let it stand for several hours; then wash

Coarse brooms will cut a carpet, and

lthough imperceptible at first, their ravages will at length show themselves n the increased number of shreds, espeially if the carpet be a velvet pile. A little keresene oil rubbed briskly

brighten the garments and remove the Italy's deficit is about \$12,500,000 a stains almost like magic. The kerosene When ordering meats remember that

eef, when boiled, loses one pound of A few days ago a Wilmington, Del., | weight in every four, and when roastroman received a little box by mail in ad eighteen ounces. Mutton loses even which was a watch and chain that were | more than beef. This should be thought of where much meat is used.

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EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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FRIDAY ..... APRIL 24, 1896.

#### Democratic State Convention.

The Democrats of Michigan will meet in State Convention in the Auditorium in the city of Detroit on Wednesday, April 29, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, to select 28 delegates to the Democratic national convention at Chicago, Ill., July 7, 1896, for the selection of a Democratic state central committee to serve for the ensuing two year 4, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

ELLIOTT G. STEVENSON.

FRANK H. HOSFORD,

Second district:—EDWARD DUFFY, Ann Arbor. WM. P. STERLING, Monroe. Washtenaw County is entitled to 19 delegates

The selection of ex-Congressman James S. Gorman, of Chelsea, as delegate-at-large, by the county convention Wednesday, was a fitting recognition of Mr. Gorman's services to the people of this county and district.

The Democratic county convention was both harmonious and enthusiastic The delegates did their duty in a quiet and business like way, which gave good evidence of the solid foundation on which the Democratic party in Washtenaw county is built. The postponement in appointing a committee on resolutions until after the state convention had met, was a sensible thing our future lies in educating the chilto do. Little could be accomplished by discussing problems then, which would be met and settled later by delegates from all parts of the state, representing all of our people's interests.

The University of Michigan Calendar for 1896 7, just published, states the total enrollment in all departments at a growth in attendance notwithstanding the business depression and the competition of other schools and colleges. The Ann Arbor High school has do much to keep business brisk in Ann Arbor, and if the attendance increases at the same rate in future years (and it is liable to grow at a much greater rate) there need be few fears for the future of our city.

### TION.

Hon. James S. Gorman Delegate-at-Large.

The Democrats of Washtenaw county gathered in the court house Wednesday | make effective all plans presented by County Chairman Arthur Brown called ment and use greater efforts to have presented Hon. W. D. Harriman as the enforced. convention's temporary chairman. Tracy L. Towner, of Ypsilanti, acted as temporary secretary. No committee on resolutions was appointed. The following gentlemen were chosen on thes : committees:-

Credentials-Dr. MacLachlan, of York, M. J. Cavanaugh, of Ann Arbor, James M. Forsythe, of Ypsilanti.

Permanent Organization and Order of Business-Thomas P. Kearney, of Ann Arbor, James Taylor, of Chelsea, J. M. Palmer, of Ypsilanti.

The afternoon session session opened that the credentials committee found delegations present from all the townships in the county. There were no contests. Chairman Kearney of the permanent organization and order of business committee reported to make the temporary officers permanent and to adopt this order of business:-

The election of a delegate at large to the state convention at Detroit April 29, 1896; the convention divide into voting precincts, and caucus to elect 18 delegates to the state convention and report the same back to this con-

vention; adjournment. This was adopted.

Nominations for delegate-at-large were now in order. M. J. Cavanaugh, of this city, placed the name of Arthur Brown, of Ann Arbor, in the field. Hon. Charles R. Whitman nominated ex-Congressman James S. Gorman, of Chelsea. By motion of the M. T. adopting the course of study and rais-Woodruff, of Ypsilanti, both motions ing a fund for District Organizes, also 92 per cent, and State. 86 per cent were laid on the table. A vote was giving special prominence to the Temtaken, Messrs. F. P. Bogardus, of Ypsi- ple fund and State organizer work with gusta, acting as tellers. The result tions. was as follows:-M. T. Woodruff, 5; W. G. Doty, 2; George McDougal, 2; J. W. Babbitt, 19; Arthur Brown, 40; James work is not understood as it should be ably warm, with moderate amount of S. Gorman, 74; total, 142. Mr. Gorman among Christians. was declared elected.

These delegates were elected to go to J. F. Schuh, Dr. Kapp, W. H. McIntyre, the church. Chas. R. Whitman, Edward Duffy; Manchester and Sharon, James Kelley Bridgewater and Lodi, Philip Blum; Freedom and Saline, Geo. Nissley; Pittsfield and York, Dr. MacLachlan; Ypsilanti and Augusta, John Hurley: Scio and Lima, J. V. N. Gregory; Superior and Ann Arbor town, T. V. Quackenbush; Northfield and Salem, Wm. Donegan; Sylvan, James Taylor; Lyndon, Dexter and Webster, W. H. Arnold; Ypsilanti city, J. W. Babbitt,

John Terns and J. P. Kirk. Hon. Charles R. Whitman then ad-

committee at that time, although the call for the convention did not include

t. He nominated Judge J. Willard was downed, however, and will not be taken up until the next county convention. Mr. Gorman then thanked the convention for his election and after a vote of thanks to the officers, proposed by Mr. Doty, the convention adjourned.

#### TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

White Ribbon Echoes.

Edited by W. C. T. U. Press Supt.

The Loyal Temperance Legion meets every Saturday, at three o'clock, in the hall over Calkin's drug store on State street. All of the children of the city are invited. Last Saturday the little people studied temperance in the

The lecture entitled "The Passion Play" which was given in University Hall a short time since to a delighted audience, will be repeated Saturday evening next, April 25th, in the Methodist church, under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. It is hoped that this entertainment will be well patronized, as the proceeds are to be used to help carry on the Loyal Temperance Legion work among the OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY. children. Tickets 25 cents. Children under twelve 10 cents.

#### W. C. T. U. RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were adopt ed by the Second District W. C. T. U. which convened in this city last week: Resolved, That as members of the Second District Convention we extend. to the citizens of Ann Arbor, our sincere thanks for the cordial manner we have received in their homes and their royal hospitality; to the pastor and trustees of the First Baptist church opened for our use; to those who have furnished us so delighted music; to the life be kind to all living creatures, huchildren and all who have contributed and brute. to our enjoyment and success.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

Realizing the great tendency of the

present age toward irreverence. Resolved, That we will make greater efforts in the year to come to have God's ed; and that we will set the example by forth instances of the instinctive given in Ann Arbor by home talent, avoiding the Sunday newspaper and sagacity of brute animals, some treated the Sunday train.

Realizing that early impressions are the most lasting and that the hope of dren, therefore

Resolved, That we will seek to organize and foster an interest throughout our district in L. T. L. work the coming generations may be fortified against the drink traffic.

3,014. This is a wonderfully good a silent but a powerful agency is work- garden, as well as charm by their showing. It is certainly very encouring, whose aim is to have our Scientific aging to note that there has been such Temperance law ignored if not re-

Therefore, be it resolved that we the members of the Woman's Christian poets as Cowper, Burns, Bryant and Temperance Union redouble our vigil-Music, 150. These 4000 students will ance and appoint a local Superintendent of this department in each union, whose duty it shall be to visit the schools and with gentle and prayerful persistency work for the enforcement of this law which was conceived by the Brotherhood of our Motive and brought into existence through the efforts and DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVEN- prayers of our National Superintendent, Mary H. Hunt.

NARCOTICS.

Inasmuch as we daily see the alarming increase in the use of Narcotics in the form of tobacco and knowing the dire results, therefore resolved that we double our deligence to further and to hold their county convention. by the Superintendent of this departthe delegates to order at 11:30 a. m. and the law regarding the sale to minors

Whereas, we view with alarm the erious inroads made upon the foundations our social life in the increase of and Mesdames Jenny Vorhees and C. outrages committed upon the persons of G. Plympton, any one of whom may be little girls and young women.

Resolved, That we call upon all right minded men and women to unqualifiedly condem those conditions which breed moral miasma as well as those exponents of the law in shape of judges and juries who allow justice to miscarry it suffered very little injury previous to plete to the smallest detail by this and the minions of evil to triumph no-

Whereas the press has long been organization and of the world) to be able damage. Correspondents, however,

Therefore resolved that we endeavor to shake off the lethergy which has them to be not greatly nor permanently heretofore hampered progress in this department and make most strenious efforts this campaign year to place our work and principles in greater promi medium of the newspapers and to this much longer without serious consequenend do we recommend that a live woman from each union be mustered in more critical than at any previous time for active duty in this department.

Resolved, That we as a District make a strenuous effort to follow the recommendations of our State Executive Board especially with regard to the

Realizing the importance of increas-

Resolved that we urge each Union to bring out work in its different departthe Detroit convention: Ann Arbor eity, ments into greater prominence before

Realizing that as W. C. T. U. workers we have not made the progress we should in eradicating the drink traffic and feeling assured that we can never attain the success we seek without a stronger weapon therefore resolved that we urge every union in the District to petition the next legislature to favorable. This belief is based largely so change the State Constitution that on the fact that the steady cold weather woman may be allowed the right of suf- has thus far prevented any development

Resolved, that we extend our sincere the election of the county campaign this their great bereavement.

The Humane Society. In January last the executive com-

mittee of the Humane Society of Ann Babbitt, of Ypsilanti, as campaign com- Arbor appointed what they called an He Sees About Everything mittee chairman. This proposition educational committee, the purpose of which was to keep the community informed of the design and working of this class of organization. At an early meeting it was agreed that the most effectual way impressing the people of the city with the subject would be to sprinking: All east of center of Forest suggest the getting up of a series of ave. and Fourteenth sts, 6 to 8 a. m. exercises in the ward schools, in which and 7 to 9 p. m. Between this line and it should be set forth in adaptation to the center of State st. 6 to 8 a. m. and the several grades of the pupils. The 5 to 7 p. m. All west of the center of superintendent of the city schools and the teachers in the several wards all The above rules apply to all consumers showed themselves more than willing to accept the plan suggested, and it meter. The penalty for violation of has now been carried out by all of them these rules will be turning off of the with no other aid than the supply by the committee of some appropriate literature. The round has now been completed, as follows: Second Ward, Miss Gundert, princi-

pal, March 20. First Ward, Mrs. Plympton, principal, March 27.

Fifth Ward, Miss Goodale, principal, April 3. that hour until after the first act of the Third Ward, Mrs. Edson, principal,

April 8. Sixth Ward, Mrs. Downs, princi-

pal, April 9. Fourth Ward, Miss Ailes, principal, April 10. The first of these exhibitions so im-

pressed the committee that they feared they should have to praise this above the others; but in view of the entire round of the six schools, they do not feel inclined to make such distinction, but simply report their impression of the series as a whole. The children seem to have been so won to the spirit of kindness that they needed only to make its applications. The teachers will now need but to persevere in this kind of lessons to make it Our Man does not wonder that stores certain that their pupils will through and offices rent slowly and for low

The exercises at the schools consisted tary appliances are so much more deof recitations in which all classes from the child of six years to the seventh the comfort and health of the tenants grade pupils, were represented. The and would be to the landlords' advanpieces selected were well adapted to tage too, because of the ease with teach lessons of kindness, and were which their buildings would rent. pronounced with evident appreciation name. His house, and His day observ- of their import. Some of these set with deserved censure the inhumanity of those who abuse dumb animals. persistent energy of the promoters of The birds were in all the schools the pets of the pieces spoken. The wanton destruction of these either for mere sport or for the adornment of ladies' head-gear, was aptly set off in the seections, while notes of alarm were sounded as to the danger land tillage and to nature's musical cheer from the threatened extinction of these insectivorous songsters, which, if allowed freely to multiply, would keep down Whereas, we are fully persuaded that the greatest pests of the farm and the

> ditties all humanity around them. There were several pretty original ssays by the children on the subject of these exercises, while such classic Longfellow were made to speak in well pronounced selections their kindly sym-

pathies with the brute creetion. Perhaps the highest cheer of occasions was when a roomful of ladies and their friends to add another merry children sang in unison from fine building to the University campus Mr. George T. Angell's Band of Mercy

Several members of the city school poard deemed it worth while to attend and encourage these exercises, as also not a few others. The superintendent of the city schools on several occasions gave the committee the favor of his presence and his earnest aid and ap- entirety on the above dates, and is

On the morning of the 17th instant nembers of the committee were most ordially received by Rev. Fr. Kelly and taken to every room in the parochial school of St. Thomas' church, where we found the most perfect discipline and order, and a full sympathy with the purpose of our mission.

Besides the undersigned there are on the committee Mr. W. N. Brown onsulted on the subject of their action. ANDREW TEN BROOK.

Ann Arbor, April 18, 1896. Michigan Crop Report April 1, 1896

Wheat in the fall made small growth. the profession. Every scene will be but the winter was not unfavorable and about March 20. From that date to the organization. The play calls for the at 2 o'clock. Dr. MacLachlan reported torious trials in our metropolitan city. end of the month there was no covering of snow, and the "freezing" and "thaw- and Messrs. Ellis, Brady & Garwood, ing." usual in March, caused the fields the proprietors, have spared no expense conceded (by the superior minds of this to look brown, and did some consider- whatever to give some of the finest stage pictures ever produced. one of the most potent factors of success at the time of making their reports April I, were hopeful that warm rains evening, April 27. would give the plants a start and show damaged. But the warm rains do not come. Since the first of April the wea ther has been continuously dry, with cold winds from the north and north nence before the people through the west. Such weather cannot continue ces. The condition of wheat now is

The averages of correspondents' esti mates, made April 1, are as follows: comparison being with average years: Southern counties, 84 per cent; centra counties, 86 per cent; northern counties, One year ago the average condition in the State April 1, was 85 per cent, and lanti, and Frank Hammond, of Au- greater efforts to reach the rural sec- in 1894, 90 per cent. March, 1895, was a cold, dry month, and on April 1, the frost was not all out of the ground. In ing membership and feeling that our March, 1894, the weather was remark- should but have accumulated in the blood.

since sowing.

precipitation. The amount of wheat reported mar keted in March is 606,118 bushels, and in the eight months, August-March is 7,313,236 bushels, which is 1,547,079 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year.

The average condition of cloves meadows and pastures is, in the southern counties, 63 per cent, central 72, northern, 88, and State, 69.

Live stock is in good condition. The averages run from 90 to 96 per cent. The outlook for fruit is generally

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Russell appeared in "The Rivals" and

in order that the audience might not be

disturbed during the play, the curtain

was raised at 8:15 and no new comers

play. This new rnle should be follow-

ed at all performances in the opera

house. It is extremely annoying to both

players and audience to have half of

the words unheard because of such

Our Man would like to see the

owners of business places provide

proper sanitary appliances for their

tenants' use. There are very few

stores and offices in this city which

have suitable closets and wash rooms.

properly supplied with water and

properly drained. In most of our busi-

ness places there are either no such

conveniences or else those that are

provided are worse than none at all.

rates in many of these buildings, when

those in buildings with proper sani-

sirable. They are neccessary to both

Few entertainments have late'y been

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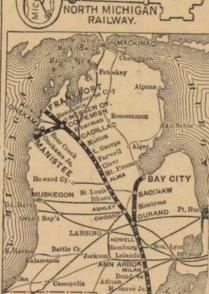
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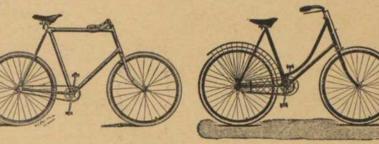
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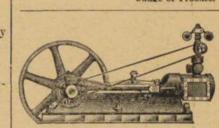
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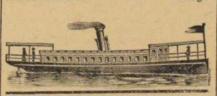
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'Harvard"

Estate of Corydon L. Ford.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the probate court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate of fine in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 3rd day of April in the year one thousand such bunded and interty six

"Ariel,"

"Erie,

Bicycles.

D EFAULT having been made in the conditions of payment of a certain morigage, made by John Harrison of St. Johns, Chino County Michigan to Lovel Harrison of the city of Ain Arbor Mich., bearing date the 2'rd day of January, 1885 and recorded in the Registers office of Washtenaw County on the 23rd day of January, 1885 in Liber 65 of Mortgages on page 369 on which mortgages there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of (\$586.85) five hundred and eighty six dollars and eighty five cents together with an attorney fee provided f. r. in said mortgage and no suit at law or proceeding in equity having been instituted to recover the smount due on said mortgage or any part thereof. Now therefore by virtue of the power of sale provided for in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided notice is hereby given that on Monday the 18th day of May 1886 at the east front door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor, that being the building in which the circuit court for said County of Washtenaw is held, at 11 o'clock in the foremoon there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy such indebtedness and the legal costs of such sale, the following premises. The west half of the north west quarter of section 14 in the township of Pittsfield in said county being all the interest said John Harrison had in and to said premises at the date of said mortgage.

Dated, February 17, 1886.

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Dated, February 17, 1896.

LOVEL HARRISON, Mortgage.

THOMPSON & HARRIMAN,

Attorney for Mortgagee.

Estate of James Capelin.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw Ss. At a session of the probate court, for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate of fice in the city of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 9th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate In the matter of the estate of James Capelio, deceased.

William J Canfield the administrator of said estate comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the iorenoon be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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 said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Ann Arbor Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulated in said cauty, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, (A true copy.)

Judge of Probate, WM, G. Doty. Probate Register.

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Teachers Examinations The examinations of Teachers of

Washtenaw county for the ensuing vear will be held as follows: Regular examinations for all grades at Ann Arbor, the third Thursday of August, 1895, and the last Thursday of

Regular examination for second and third grades, Ann Arbor the third Thursday of October, 1895, and the third Thursday of June, 1896. Special examination for third grade,

> WM. W. WEDEMEYER, County Commissioner of Schools.

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We invite you to examine our

George Wahr,

### The Democrat.

FRIDAY ...... APRIL 24, 1896 Arbor to mourn her loss. She gradu- history of Michigan will be asked:-

have busines at the Probate Court, will please request Judge Babbitt to send their Printing .c

JOTTINGS. Circuit Court reopens April 27th.

The Germania Lodge with give oncert Monday evening. The Hay & Tood Mfg. Co. will open their factory here, May 1st.

Dr. W. J. Herdman is making repairs on his residence on Huron st.

The Ann Arbor Typographical Union will elect officers Monday night. Fraternity Lodge, F. & A. M. will work the Third degree this evening.

William Grennan in Hunter & Co.'s boiler works broks his left arm Mon-There was an enjoyable faculty con

cert yesterday evening in Frieze Memorial hall.

Arbor Hive, No. 113, will give a May party in Maccabee hall, Thursday evening, May 7. Alexander Salvini will appear as

Hamlet at the opera house Friday evening, May Sth. Geo. F. Allmendinger will vacate the

store he now occupies on W. Liberty st., to 28 E. Huron st. Prof. M. E. Cooley will speak on ment and better service than Refrigeration tomorrow evening before

the Engineering society. Several concerts and ice cream socials will be given next month by the Light Infantry boys. Officer Blackburn arrested Fred

stealing clothes off a line. A new literary society has been started by the girls in the High School.

It is called the "Clematis." Prof. E. F. Johnson will address the graduating class at the high school in

Van Wert, O., this evening. Vernor Snauble will build a residence near the south west corner of

William and Thompson sts. Chas. A. Sauer is building a large residence on S. Division st., near Madison for Mr. Phillips, of Dexter.

The U. of M. base ball team will play he Oberlin college team Saturday, May 2nd., on the Athletic field. The U. of M. baseball nine won

game from the University of Illinois, Saturday by the score of 5 to 3. Frank Minnis' razor strops are meetng with an extensive sale. Fifteen gross of them have been sold since Jan. 1. Ground will be broken within two

weeks for the new St. Thomas church at the corner of State and Kingsley sts. An enjoyable tea social was given by the ladies of the Congregational church yesterday evening in the church

George R. Barker, until recently local editor, of the Argus, writes from Flint that he will attend the University next fall. Clark C. Hawes, of the Arlington

hotel has been appointed night clerk at line of FURNITURE, CARPETS, the St. Charles hotel, Toledo, and will accept the position. The bondsmen for Paul G. Suekey

paid \$3,500 to the county board of CHINA and SILVERWARE paid \$3,500 to the county board of Supervisors Monday, to settle Suekey's The following resolution Dr. Heneage Gibbes is suffering from

a fractured ligament of the foot. He received the wound while leaving a

Henry Pipp, contractor, and Koch Bros., masons, will erect a residence for Mrs. Bertha Diehl in the rear of the Diehl hotel.

Rev. Max Hein will hold divine service Sunday; preaching at 10:30 a. m., and Sunday school at 12 m., in Light Infantry armory.

Two 'phones have been put in this week, one in Street Commissioner Ross' office and one at J. H. Miller's

Sons, 35 N. Main st. Mrs. J. M. Morton has moved her millinery store into the building left vacant by the removal of O. M. Martin's under-

taking establishment. Rev. J. Mills Gelston will preach Sunday evening at the Presbyterian

church on the topic, "Some Ways to be Useful Given in the Bible." Dr. C. M. Cobern, of the First M. E. church, will preach on "Doubts Concerning the Bible Story of Jonah and

the Whale," Sunday morning. Two candidates, A. A. Pearson, of the Times and Henry Schultz, of the Argus, received the master's degree Friday evening from Frateruity Lodge,

Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Davies, D. D., of 56-58-60 S. Main st. Phone 164. Detroit, bishop of the Prostestant 6; Tennesser, 6; Arkansas, 5; District Episcopal church in Michigan, confirmed a large class at St. Andrew's vesterday evening.

Rev. F. L. Wilkins, D. D., of Chicago, national secretary of the Baptist Young People's Unions of America will speak next Sunday morning and evening at the First Baptist church.

A sewing class meets at the Y. W. C. A. rooms Thursday at any time between 2 and 6. Young ladies, bring your making and repairing. We have a good sewing machine. Little girls' class from 5 to 6.

The Lyceum debating society of the High school has challenged the Normal debating society at Ypsilanti to a contest debate. This is the first challenge ever sent by a debating society in our high school to an out-of-town society.

An intelligence office is now in operation in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. over the post office. The money is refunded to each applicant at the end of ten days if the need is not met. The service is free to members of the asso-

second hand clothing, especially for the State Normal. His lecture was of women and children. Packages may special interest and value to wage be left at Harris Hall, or, if the address is sent by postal, to Mrs. John R. Miner, 42 Liberty st., they will be weeks. Instruction has been offered

Argus bindery, has received a brown Special credit is due the instructors, seal skin from New York city. This Messrs, F. W. Hughes, D. W. Springer. skin is quite a rarity in this country, E. L. Seyler, H. H. Soulding, and J. A. there now being but four of them in C. Hildner for their untiring interest New York. Mr. Skinner has an order and earnest efforts in making the to make an instrument case of it.

The lot and building at 7 W. Wash- bical to the young men. Certificates ington st, occupied by Gottfried are being issued to each student show-Schoettle, has been purchased by Fred ing the amount of work covered during Reimold, who will tear down the pres- his attendance. Those who have taken ent structure and erect a fine new brick advantage of the Night School this State st. Opposite Court House, block which he will been building is and are already planning on what they block which he will occupy himself. year feel highly pleased with the work Main st., ANN ARBOR. George B. Schwab.

ated from the Ann Arbor High in 1891. How did the state derive its name? Friends of The Democrat, who Miss Hyde was a neice of Mrs. Judge What tribes occupied the State when E. D. Kinne, of this city. Albert M. Bucklin, of 133 Broadway, north side, attempted to commit suicide Saturday evening, stabbing himseif near the heart. He was intoxicated at the time and desired to leave this world because of his faiture to support his wife and children. Dr. Kapp was

Miss Josephine Hyde, a former resi-

dent of this city, died of consumption, Equality club, at the home of Mrs.

Tuesday, Apr. 14, at Los Angeles, Cal. Philips, 23 Monroe st.; Monday at 3 Miss Hyde leaves many friends in Ann o'clock, the following questions on the

called but pronounced the wound not The Salvation Army will hold special meetings Saturday evening and all day Sunday, April 25th and 26th. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Pebbles of Detroit, and the North Western Division Brass Band will be present. On Saturday evening there will be a musical blizzard and presentation of flags conducted by Staff Capt. and Mrs. Pebbles. All are invited

Hon. Theodore Roosevelt will lecture this evening in University hall before the Students' Lecture Association. Mr. Roosevelt is a famous civil service reformer who has done much to purify the polities of his city, state and nation. He is now president of the police commission of New York city. His subject will be Enforcement of Law. Course tickets admit and single tickets will be

sold at 50 cents. THE DEMOCRAT has received the May number of the Penny Magazine, an attractive little publication from the Penny Magazine Co., Philadelphia. The cover is daintily illustrated and printed in colors. The contents consists of poetry and short stories by a number of clever writers, among them being Hamlin Garland Edgar Fawcett, Smith, aged 33 years, Monday, for and Herbert D. Ward. The subscription price of the magazine is 25 cents per year, and single copies are sold at 5 cents.

At the twenty-third national confernce of charities and corrections, to be held at Grand Rapids, June 4-10, 1896. these 11 sections of work will be considered-state boards of charities, charity organization, child saving, social settlements in cities, juvenile reformatories, care of the chronic insane poor, care of the feeble-minded, scientific study of social problems, municipal and county public charities, merit system in public institutions and soldiers' and sailors' homes. These men from Ann Arbor are on commit ees: James B. Angell, general reception; Prof. G. P. Coler, charity organization; Regent L. L. Barbour, social ettlements; Regent Roger W. Butter field, Prof. C. H. Cooley, Prof. H. C Adams, scientific study of social probems; Regent W. J. Cocker, Prof. Otto Kirchner, merit system in public insti-

The Republican county convention

net in the court house Monday. W. W. Wedemeyer presided. J. J. Goodyear was chosen secretary. James O'Donnell was present and addressed the convention. Mr. O'Donnell did not speak to support Pingree's cardidacy for governor, as he is himself a candidate for the Republican gube: natorial nomination. Capt. E. P. Allen and A. J. Sawyer were called upon for speeches and cheerfully made them. ed:-Resolved, that we the Repub licans of Washtenaw county in convention assembled are in favor of a tariff which shall protect American indusries, and of reciprocity that priceless ommercial boon given to the American people by that peerless statesman James G. Blaine. Resolved, that we are in favor of an honest dollar whether it be of gold, silver or paper, and we have confidence that the Republican party will give such a dollar to the American people. Capt. Allen was chosen delegate at large from Washtenaw county, on the second

ballot. The vote stood:-Allen 107: Sawyer 50; Freeman 29; Boyden 1; total 187. The University Calender for 1895 6 appeared Tuesday. The total enrollnent for this year is 3,014, distributed as follows:-Literary, 1,204; engineering, 331; medical, 452; law, 675; pharmacy, 83; homeopathic. 27; dental, 189; ummer school of 1895, 187. The summary by states is as follows; Michigan 1,628; Illinois, 335; Ohio, 194; Indiana, 109; New York, 87; Pennsylvania, 85; Iowa, 76; Missouri, 51; Wisconsin, 37; Kansas, 23; California, 22; Colorado, Massachusetts and Minnesota, 21 each; Nebraska, 20; Kentucky, 16; Montana, 14; Oregon, 10; Utah, 10; New Hampshire, 8; North Dakota, Washington and Wyoming, 7 each; South Dakota, of Columbia, 5; Maine, New Jersey, New Mexico, Rhode Island and Texas, each; Connecticut, Idaho, Louisana, Mississippi and North Carolina, 3 each; Maryland, Nevada and West Virginia, each; Arizona, Georgia, Oklahoma, Vermont and Virginia, 1 each. From outside the United States 16 students ome from Ontario; China, England are registered from the Hawaiian Islands. Austria, the Barbadoes, Bulgaria, Norway, Quebec, Russia and South Africa each have one student

Probably there are very few who do not know of the existance of a Night School in Ann Arbor and that it is conlucted by the Young Men's Christian Association. The closing exercises of this school were held Monday night at which time a very pleasing program was given. Besides the music afforded by Messrs. Long and Crego and the solos by Sidney Martin and Gerald Brown, the most prominent feature of the evening was the practical ad-The Charitable Union is in need of dress by Dr. R. S. Brown, President of earning young men. The Night School opened Octy 1st for a course of 25 in eight branches, each under the J. L. Skinner, proprietor of the charge of a competent instructor. classes interesting, helpful, and pracFRESH\_ STRAWBERRIES

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friends in Toledo. J. D. Ryan left Saturday night for Rochester, N. Y. W. W. Wedemeyer returned from

Kalamazoo Sunday evening. Mrs. W. F. Breakey has returned from a visit to friends in Marshall. Mrs. J. L. Babcock is visiting relatives and friends in Waukesha, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Martin, of Bay

first settled by the whites? Who were

the first explorers? Where was the

first settlement founded? What can

you say of Father Marquette? How

long was Michigan under French rule?

How long did the French and Indian

wars continue,-give outline. How did

the the British come into possession of

Michigan, and when? Paper, Pontiac's

war and taking of Mackinaw. All in-

terested are invited to be present at

Personals.

Dr. Mary Wood-Allen spent Tuesday

I. B. Bent spent the week with

these meetings.

in Battle Creek.

City, are visiting Judge N. W. Cheever George Hayler, of Van Wert, O., has eturned home after a short visit with

his parents here. Dr. D. A. MacLachlan spent Saturday and Sunday here, and drove back to Detroit, Monday.

Dr. G. C. Darling and son spent several days in Detroit, returning Saturday morning. Mrs. Christian Haebich has been

visiting her brother. Ludwig Walz, and has returned to Chicago. Miss M. Grace Taylor, of S. Ingalls st. returned home Monday from a visit to friends in Flint and Owosso.

Mrs. Martin, of Lincoln ave. returned to the city, Saturday, from New Zealand, where she visited a daughter. Dr. and Mrs. Roy S. Copeland will take a trip awheel through England, Scotland, Ireland, France and Germany this summer.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Bradshaw spent Mon lay in Lansing, attending the meeting of the trustees of the state home missionary association of the Congregational church.

Karl E. Harriman has returned to this city from Toledo, where he has been theatrical critic for the Toledo Commercial He will take part in the entertainment to be given by the University comedy club, May 5th.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Catherine Seyfried, Packard st. died of dropsy Monday. She was the

widow of George Seyfried.

Pains in The Head and Neck. Ypsilanti, Mich., April 6, 1896.ave been troubled very much with headache and pain in the back of my neck. I have been taking Hood's Pills and I have derived great benefit from them. I do not intend to be without Hood's Pills. Mrs. I. P. Campbell, 14 Prospect St.

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Too Much Amateur Drama

That the public does not hunger for Shakespearean plays interpreted by amateurs was evidenced by the empty chairs at the Detroit opera house last night, when a company of students of the University of Michigan essayed "Julius Caesar." Had the same persons come in the guise of a glee and and Japan are each represented by 4 banjo club, the theater would have students; 3 are from Germany, and 2 been packed. The players gave a very creditable performance, and their efforts were frequently rewarded with generous applause by the auditors. The speeches of the leading characters were read with force and dignity. The costuming was admirable, and the mob was well drilled and effective although not distinctly Roman. Under the stage management of Edward Weitzel the production was free from stage waits and other faults that usually mar amateur entertainments. The performance was more of a society than theatrical event .- Detroit Journal.

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[OFFICIAL.] COUNCIL CHAMBER, Ann Arbor, April 20th, 1896. Regular session.

Called to order by President Hiscock. Roll called. Quorum present. Absent, Ald. Brown.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR. To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor.

Gentlemen:-In presenting this, my second annual address to the Common Council of our City, I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the Council of last year for their many courtisies hown. I hope and have every reason to believe that the relationship of Council and Mayor will continue as pleasant for the year just beginning; and with that very desirable object in view, your the out-going Council they again orattention is especially directed to the necessity of harmony between the several departments of the Cities govern- 1895, which I do hereby disapprove, and ment. I am sorry to confess that all

has not been as we would like it, that been, and the city has been the looser thereby. Let us be warned by past experiences, and not duplicate this error. sons at the time stated. I believe that every member of your as much at heart as myself, and shall port with the objectional matter still therefore have very little advice to therein. give. To so manage the affairs of our City that the taxation may be as light as possible for a progressive City, is, I am sure the desire of all members of the Common Council, and to that end I ask of you to instruct your Committee on Finance to closely investigate the conditions and requirements of the different funds, and to recommend the appropriation of no more money than is really necessary to carry out the several funds through the year if handled in the most economical and careful manner. What I mean by economy is not that you hold on to the City's money, regardless of the demands of progress, such is false economy. A moderate amount of money properly expended in substantial improvements is always the proper thing to do, and now I ask the assistance of your Honorable Body in the matter of making some of these improvements; of lowering the bridge over the Michigan Central Rail Road, and raising the one on Broadway street, thus connecting with our City the Fifth ward which is practically shut out by this unnecessary barrier. I ask that \$100.) your Honorable Body direct the Board

work. I again, as I did a year ago, call the Council's attention to the smoke nuisance. There are portions of this City where the smoke from chimneys, where soft coal is ured for fuel, is ruining the property of our citizens. The Supreme Court of our State has said it is illegal. Our citizens have been pleading with the several Common Councils of our City for years. They have come to them with large petitions bearing the names of many of our most respected citizens and largest tax payers, but all in vain. The chimneys continue to scatter soot over their property, and the tax gatherer never misses a call. The matter before the Council is dving slowly but surely in committee. Let it not be said that the Council of 1896 ever neglected his duty, or to act promptly in defense of its citizens. Committees having in charge such matters as this should be called upon to make a report of the progress they have made upon the subject at every regular meeting of the Council.

of Public Works to ascertain as soon as

I understand that there are smoke consumers that can be applied at reasonable cost, that will not only burn the soot out of smoke, but will cause an actual saving of 15 or 20 per cent. on the amount of coal consumed, so that the cry of burdening industries or of driving out industries cannot be used in this case, and even it were a hardship it is still your duty. The citizen pays his taxes for protection, and we have no right to allow his property to be destroyed, even though by so doing others may make fortunes.

I do not advise placing this matter in the hands of a Committee, it is simply ordered built across Thompson street hoist with 50 feet 4 inch rope, me pull a question of duty and law. If your on the north side of Madison, and furth- hook with, 40 feet 11 inch rope, one hay Honorable Body will place this matter er the Board would recommend that a hook, one wire cutter, one pair rubber in the hands of the City Attorney, it will be attended to at once.

the attention of your Honorable Body is our Fire Department of which the citizens of Ann Arbor are justly proud. It is one that for the size of it will compare fairly with any in this country. and is deserving of our special attention. Their quarters need a thorough overhauling and painting. They should also have a bath-room, where after being called to a fire, or at any other time they bathe and refresh themselves.

The matter of placing and keeping the streets of the City in a good condition is becoming a serious matter. The City has no place from which to procure suitable gravel for making good roads, and the time has now arrived when of the Fire Department for your consiyour Honorable Body should be looking deration. for a way out of the dilemma. I should advice instead, of spending so much money in covering our streets with poor gravel, only to be washed away by the rains and then hauled on again the next year to do as little graveling as possible, and each year as soon as any street becomes so that it cannot be kept in proper condition by the old process, I should advise the putting down of macadam, except in business portion of the City, where I would advice brick paving.

been expended in graveling and fixing it and yet it is always bad. It is the first of our streets to meet the eyes of strangers arriving by way of the M. C. R.R. and it certainly cannot give them lows: a good impression of our streets. I would advise your Honorable Body to look well into the matter and if possible, macadam Detroit street from the Court House square to the bridge over the M C. R. R. There is no likelyhood of any sewers being put down in that street. for a number of years, and then only for a short distance below the Junction of Division street, I would adadvise not delaying the macadamizing | Fire crackers.....

of any street on account of sewers, be- Plumbers stove ... cause the damage occasioned thereby Stove pipe ... is easily repaired. With a good maca: Hot air furnace. dam road from the Court Yard to the Bakers oven ..... M. C. R. R., and the bridges over the Burning rubbish ...... railroad and the river put on a proper Traction engine ...... grade, that which for years has been a Wood in oven of cook stove ..... disgrace to our city, will be one of its | Spontaneous combustion ...... nost beautiful drives. Dated, April 20, 1896.

WARREN E. WALKER,

By Ald. Moore. Resolved, that the message of the Mayor be referred to a committee of three for division and reference. Adopted.

Pres. Hiscock appointed Ald. Moore Koch and Dell as such Committee. Ann Arbor, Mich., April 14th, '96. To the Honorable Common Council of the

City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen:-At the last meeting of dered the printing of the report of the Board of Public Works for the year for the following reasons:

1st. On February 18th last it was during the last year there was not that disapproved by me as being misleading harmony and good feeling between the and unreliable and of having the ap-City Officials that there should have pearance of unloading onto the council responsibilities which they themselves should bear and for several other rea-

It was then returned to the Council, Honorable Body is just as much inter- and they sustained the veto. They ested and has the welfare of our City just have now no right to print the re-

2nd. I objected then as I do now to

the City of Ann Arbor lending its hand in carrying out any scheme to advertise Paving Block Companies or any other company at the expeuse of the City and to the great detriment of other compe titors. It is an injustice that should not be tolerated, much less be carried out by the authority of our City. I obiect to a part of the 1st page as it casts serious reflections on all previous mempers of the Board.

3rd. Finally I object to the publishing of said report on the ground that it would be a useless waste of the peo oles monies, that there is nothing herein which interests the citizens o they care about but that has been here tofore published in council proceedings I would suggest that the objectional matter be stricken out and the repor placed on file in the office of the Cit Clerk which will answer all purposes : far as the citizen is concerned and sav to the city the cost of publishing (which I am told will amount to nearly

WARREN E. WALKER.

Filed February 14th, 1896. The resolution passed over the veto possible the cost of carrying out such

of the Mayor as follows. Yeas-Ald. Maynard, Moore, Koch, Grossman, Dell, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule, Cady, Danforth, Pres. Hiscock-13.

Nays-Ald. Laubengayer-1. By Ald. Shadford.

Resolved. That the rules of the form er Council be adopted for this session and that a committee of three including the President of the Council, be appointed to formulate the rules of this

Pres. Hiscock appointed Hiscock, President Hiscock appointed the following as the Standing Committees of Common Council for the year 1896 and

Finance-Cady, Coon, Soule. Ordinance-Maynard, Brown, Dan-

Sewers-Koch, Moore, Dell, Burke, Shadford, Coon, Cady. Streets-Moore, Grossman, Burke, Shadford, Soule, Cady.

Sidewalks-Coon, Maynard, Koch, aubengayer, Brown, Rhodes, Danforth.

Fire Departmenth-Shadford, Gross

Water-Laubengayer, Moore, Brown. Police-Dell, Koch, Burke. Lighting-Soule, Cady, Danforth. Bonds-Brown, Moore, Grossman. Licenses-Grossman, Coon, Dell. Parks-Burke, Maynard, Shadford. Poor-Rhodes, Danforth, Lauben

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS. To the Common Council:

Another thing to which I wish to call creek, from property line to property horse blankets, 9 lanterns, 7 play pipes, line, the same to be built of five lines of tile, each two feet in diamater.

Board of Public Works.

Glen V. Mills, Clerk. Referred to the Street Committee. A petition signed by Richard Hudson and 9 others asking for a hydrant at the corner of Oakland avenue and Tappan street was read and referred to the Fire Department and Water Commit-

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

To the Common Council: The Board of Fire Commissioners Body the annexed report of the Chief ber buckets, 2 tarpanlins, 4 hydrant

James E. Harkins, Michael Grossmann.

Board of Fire Commissioners. Office of Chief of the Fire Department. Ann Arbor, Mich., April 15th, 1896. To the Honorable Board of Fire Com-

Gentlemen:-I herewith submit to your Honorable Body my seventh annual report of the Ann Arbor Fire Department in which you will find a brief review the work preformed by the Department Detroit-st, has long been an eye sore to during the year ending March 31st, our citizens. Year after year money has 1896, the numbers of alarms responded to sixty-four (64) making a total of three

hundred and forty (340) since April 1st, 1889, the date of our organization. The cause of the alarms was as fol-

Chimney fires causing no loss	1
Defective chimneys	
Careless depositing of ashes in barrels, boxes, etc	
Oil stoves	3
Gasoline stoves	
Children with matches	13
Sparks from locomotives	4
" " cupola	
Cigarette	

Incendiary ..

Total number fires. Value of property destroyed ... \$11,575.89 Amount Insurance paid ...... 11,993.7 Total amount Insurance car-Value of property destroyed

on which there was no Insurance ..... Number of miles traveled in respon-

ding to and returning from above alarms ... Number of feet of hose laid ......25,050 Number of discharges from chemicals used during the year ....... Of the above alarms forty-six were by telephone and eighteen were run in to

the Department. The question of Fire Alarm system s still open for discussion and should receive very careful attention.

The water service has been very superior to that of any previous year, the preasure having been kept so nearly up to the required standard as to leave little cause of complaint.

The cost of maintaining the Dertment during the year has been as

8	partment during the year has b	een
1	follows:	
	Salarles 9 8	5,35
	Men's bedding	50
,	Washing "	63
1	Repairs on stoves	1
	Coal	12
	Gas and repairs to gas fixtures	20
	Repairs and supplies for chemical fire extinguishers	1
	Supplies for men's department in-	
	cluding towels, soap and matches.	1
1	Repairs on apparatuses	-
ì	Repairs on building including lum- ber, nails, glass, etc	5
1	Painting roof	1
	Medicine and surgical treatment for	
S	horses	3
16	Horse shoeing	6
	One new double harness with hang-	11
	Repairs on harness	**
-	One horse blanket	
t	Harness, oil and soap	
	Curry combs and brushes	
	Chamois and Sponges	
Z	Oats	15
r	Hay	19
-	Straw	3
	Ground or mill feed	1
1	Oil meal	
t	Carrots	
34	Feed box	300
y	One pair horses	27
0	Horse hire getting team	-
e	500 feet 2 inch cotton hose	40
œ	Waste and polish	13.5

Gold dust. . 3 7.327 7 Total We received from the sale of old brown horse \$75.00 which being deducted from above amount leaves the actual cost of the department \$7252.74

Hose spanners.

Freight and express charges...

Lantern, globes and wicks...

One year subscription to Fire and Water Journal....

Lanterns.

Nails.

Four hundred dollars (\$400.00) of which was for additional fire hose which has put this branch of the department in excellent condition.

The salaries account has been slight ly increased by there being no second or third grade men, they all having served the required time entitled to the maximum of the scale of wages fifty dollars (\$50) per month, we have also an additional expense in the person of Chas. Carroll who has been employed as Engine House watchman at a salary of fift en dollars (\$15) per month, aside from this there has been but one change in the manual force, M. C. Ryan having resigned, his place is filled by Geo. Hoelzle.

Following is an inventory of property and equipments under supervision of the Departments Officers.

Land fronting 66 feet on Huron street and 103 feet 8 inches on Fifth avenue Building corner Huron street and Fifth Avenue 66 feet front and 62 feet deep, six horses, three set double and one single harness, 300 bushels oats, 14 tons of hay, 150 pounds bran, 100 pounds oil meal, two hose wagons, 4250 feet cotton hose, one exercise wagon, one button The Board of Public Works would steam fire engine, one hook and ladder recommend that a plank crosswalk be truck with 225 feet ladders, one hose culvert be constructed across West gloves, 13 rubber coats, two 24 inch Washington street on the line of Allen's hose jackets, four seat cushions, six 100 feet 1 inch rope, four crowbars, five forks, 3 shove's, 4 axes, 3 ax helves, 22 spanners, 4 hose straps, 33 charges for chemicals, 2 dozen expansion rings for hose couplings, nine 4 inch gaskets, 12 21 inch gaskets, 3 curry combs, 3 brushes, 6 tie straps, 4 pails, 6 brooms, one extra horse collar, one extra horse collar pad, 2 plunger rings for steamer, 2 oil cans, 2 small oilers, 75 pounds waste cans polish, 1 gallon harness dressing, 6 iron feed boxes, 3 brass gongs, 2 scrub brushes, 4 stoves with pipe, 25 feet # in. hose, one 12 foot step ladder, 6 sponges nerewith transmit to your Honorable and 3 chamois, 3 lantern globes, 5 rubwrenches, 2 burr wrenches, two cap wrenches, two monkey wrenches, one three way siamese, two 2 way siamese. 2 respirators, 2 extra wheels for apparatus, 1 set bobs, one set pole chains, 1 coupling ring expander, 3 saws, 1 bitt stock four bitts, 1 bench vice, 1 draw shave, 2 screw drivers, 3 cold chisels, 1 revitng hammer, 1 pair nippers, 1 wagon jack, 1 grind stone, 1 oil stone, one rivet set, 1 file, losquare, 1 gasket cutter, 14 bed-steads, 14 mattresess, 14 quilts, 15 pillows, 13 white spreads, 28 blankets, 38 pillow slips, 47 sheets, 12 wooden chairs, 2 tables, 14 lockers, 25 lowels, 7 boxes matches, five bars soap, flag, I committee wagon, I delivery vagon, and 1 delivery sleigh.

The buildings located in Fifth and Sixth wards being in charge of the Board of Public Works, I make no statement as to their contents. APPARATUS.

sufficient for the present demand of our

City.

The appartuses of the Department

are all in good condition and are amply

As this branch of the Department is somewhat impaired by the fact that tatting tongue never. The tattler is some of them have almost out-lived their limit of usefullness for our pur-

endeavor to dispose of the roan team known as Fred and Billy, and purchases others to fill their places

Aside from responding to the above mentioned alarms and doing the work incident thereto, the members of the Department have furnished most of the labor required in making necessary repairs to apparatus and building, have delivered to the needy poor (of our city) five hundred and ten 510 loads of wood, furnished man and team for conveyance of Council committees and performed many minor jobs thereby saving which in the course of a year would be quite a sum in the expense account of the city.

Thanking your Honorable Body for past courtesies and hoping to merit your approbation in the future. I vecy espectfully submit the above report. Fred Sipley,

Chief Fire Department. Received and placed on file.

RESOLUTIONS. By Ald. Koch.

Resolved, That the bonds for liquor ealers and druggists be placed at \$3000 and \$2000 respectfully. Adopted as follows:

Yeas-Ald. Maynard, Moore, Koch, Grossman, Laubengayer, Dell, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule, Cady, Danforth, Pres. Hiscock-14. Navs-None.

By Ald. Cady.

Resolved, That the Ann Arbor Street Railway Co. be ordered to at once fill up with gravel and put the space be-tween the rails of their track in such condition as to be of easy passage for

Adopted as follows: Yeas-Ald. Maynard, Moore, Koch,

Grossman, Laubengayer, Dell, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule, Cady, Danforth, Pres. Hiscock-14. Nays-None.

Ald. Maynard moved that resignation of Daniel J. Ross a : a member of

the Board of Public Works be accept-Adopted as follows: Yeas-Ald, Maynard, Moore, Koch, crossman, Laubengayer, Delt, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule, Cady,

Danforth, Pres. Hiscock-14. The confirmation of Eugene Oester-

lin as member of the Board of Public Works failed as follows. Yeas-Ald. Koch, Grossman, Laubengayer, Coon, Cady, Pres. Hiscock-6.

Nays-Ald. Maynard, Moore, Dell, Burke, Shadford, Rhodes. Soule-7. Ald. Danforth excused from voting. By Ald. Maynard.

Resolved, That the City Attorney and is hereby directed to furnish to this council an opinion in regard to the qualigrations of J. R. Miner to act on the Board of Public Works.

Adopted. Ald. Coon moved that the Board of ublic Works be instructed to build the orick Crosswalks ordered by the Council last fall.

Adopted as follows: Yeas-Ald. Maynard, Moore, Koch, Grossman, Laubengayer, Dell, Burke, Brown, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Soule,

Cady, Danforth, Pres. Hiscock-14. Nays-None. On motion the Council adjourned.

GLEN V. MILLS. City Clerk.

Board of Public Works. Office of the Board of Public Works Ann Arbor, April 8th, 1896. Regular Session. Call to order by Pre

Present, Pres. Miner, McIntyre. Absent, Mr. Ross. The minuets of April 1st, were read

and approved. Mr. McIntyre moved that the estimated cost, together with profile, for

sidewalk grade on West Washington asked for by the Council be referred to that body. Adopted.

Mr. McIntyre moved that the estimate of the engineer relative to drain on Depot Street be referred to the Council with the recommendation that the same be approved, Adopted.

COn motion the Board adjourned. Glen. V. Mills, Clerk.

Office of the Board of Public Works, Ann Arbor, April 10th, 1896. Special Session.

Called to order by President Miner Present, Pres. Miner, Ross, McIntyre By Mr. McIntyre. Resolved, that the Office of Street

Commissioner be and is hereby delared vacant. Yeas-Pres. Miner, Ross, McIntyre.

Nays-None

By Mr. McIntyre.

s hereby designated to perform the duties of Street Commissioner, until

Resolved, that Daniel J. Ross, be and

further orders of this Board. Yeas-Pres. Miner, McIntyre-2

Nays-None. Mr. Ross excused from voting. On motion the Board adjourned.

Glen V. Mills, Clerk.

Office of the Board of Public Works Ann Arbor, April 15th, 1896 Regular Session. Called to order by President Miner.

Present, Pres. Miner, Ross, McIn-The minutes of April 8th and 10th were read and approved.

Mr. McIntyre moved that the Street Commissioner be directed to put up signs on Felch Park, warning teamsters from driving on the same.

Adopted. Upon motion the Board adjourned. Glen V. Mills.

The Empress Elizabeth of Austria is said to submit herself to severest regimen in order to retain the beautiful figure for which she is noted. She fasts morning and evening, making her only regular meal at noon, of broiled meat, biscuits, and a glass of wine. Occasionally she eats a raw egg or a little fruit. She wears heavy flannel underwear winter and summer, takes vapor baths and massage, and by dint of all this and much horseback riding, she keeps a waist measure of twenty

inches in spite of her fifty-six years,

The Tongue. The best cure for an inflammable

ongue is the water bucket of absolute silence. Hasty speech is explosive; silence is cooling. The talking tongue is more dangerous than the angry tongue. A hasty word may be excused, but a just like sin-its foreign substance here is for no other purpose than to annoy logue.—Harper's Bazar. pose. I respectfully suggest that we and irritate.-Rev. Fuller Bergstresser.

GENERALITIES IN BRIEF.

Karl Mathias, of Toledo, claims to have discovered the Egyptian process of mummifying human bodies. Despite the official denials which have been issued, the London News epeats its assertion that 10,000 British troops are going to the Soudan in the

The Matabele uprising in South Africa has extended to the borders of he Transvaal, and the Boers have esked their government for arms and protection. Prof. H. P. Pratt and Prof. Hugh

Wightman, of Chicago, announced to the world that diphtheria and typhoid germs are absolutely killed by the Roentgen rays. Nine Gloucester, Mass., fishermen

were lost off Long Island when the fishing schooner J. W. Campbell, of floucester, was sunk in a squall. even survivors reached Bedford. The rebels in Nicaragua have met

everal defeats recently and are re-

ported to be suing for peace, but President Zelaya demands unconditional surrender and the punishment of rebel leaders. Four men engaged in driving a headng from the shaft to the slope of the

Eddy Creek colliery, near Olyphant, Pa., were instantly killed, and a fifth painfully injured, by the collapse of a roof weighing over 30 tons. Three firemen were crushed to death and several others seriously injured by

falling walls at a fire which destroyed the old depot of the Pennsylvania Railway Co., at Philadelphia, and entailed a loss of about \$200,000. A dispatch from Shanghai declares that it is true, as has been before re-ported, that Li Hung Chang, who is on his way to Moscow to be present at

the coronation of the czar, bears with him a secret Russo-Chinese treaty. London: The Daily News asserts that President Kruger's original de-mand for an indemnity from the char-tered South African Co. for the Jame-

son raid was \$15,000,000, but that negotiation has reduced it to \$7,500,000. Telegrams from Bitlis, eastern Turcev. state that the houses of Rev. Geo. Knapp and Rev. Royal M. Cole, Amerssionaries, have been blockaded by the Turkish government, and that their servants have not been allowed to go and come from the markets.

An explosion occurred in the Broadwater mine at Niehart, Mont., by hich seven men lost their lives and six others were seriously hurt. The accident occurred in the magazine ised for thawing powder and was caused by a careless miner with a candle.

The Raines liquor law in New York s easily evaded on Sundays, owing to a clause in it allowing hotels to disense liquor where regular meals are served. A sandwich sufficed as a meal for barroom frequenters, and saloons

A dispatch from Wady-Halfa, Egypt says: Sarras and Akasheh have been strongly garrisoned. The railway be tween these points is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible. The dervishes at Suarda, who number 3,000, have advanced their posts to Megra-keh, distant 15 miles from Akasheh, the main body of dervishes still re-

maining at Dongola. Brief, incomplete and unsatisfactory eports of a battle near Mariel, Pinar del Rio, are given out by the Spanish authorities at Havana. They acknowledge that the troops were forced to retreat from two positions and were finally driven into fortifications at San Claudio where they were under the protection of gunboats. The losses are not given, but reports from other ources will soon find their way to the

United States. O'Neil, charged with violating the local option law two years ago, came up in court at Charlotte second time. On the former trial O'Neil was found guilty and sentenced to six months at Ionia which was set aside by the supreme At the second trial court plead guilty and was fined \$100 and costs, \$100 more, which he paid. His

defense has cost him nearly \$2,000. United States Consul J. L. Pearov at olon, Colombia, reports that Capt. Hendricks, of the American schooner George W. Whitford, has complained that his vessel was seized by the Colombian gunboat Cordova off Manzanilla Point and forced to return to Colon by the officer of the Cordova, who boarded him and threatened to sink his ship with the Stars and Stripes flying from the masthead. Spanish influence is back of the out-

While brooding over the idea that his family would suffer from want John Lehman, of Chicago, shot and killed his three smallest children. then attempted to end his own life by hanging, but failing in this, turned the revolver upon himself and sent a ullet through his heart, killing himself instantly. His wife and two older hildren were away from home or they night have met a like fate. Lehman had \$1,500 in the bank, but was out of

employment Fire totally destroyed the abattoir and stock yards of the Michigan Beef and Provision Co., a quarter of a mile beyond the city limits, west of Detroit. Adjacent to it on the north and east des are the stock yards of the Michigan Central railroad and these caught blaze and with the house of the forenan of the yards were quickly consumed. The plant is one of the most valuable in Michigan and has been greatly improved of late years, all the atest machinery in the slaughtering usiness being in use. The loss is about \$100,000.

The stockholders of the Columbus, ima & Milwaukee Railroad Co. met at Lima, O., and voted to change the name to the Michigan, Ohio & South-ern Railroad Co. The company will absorb all the interests and property of the West Virginia, Ohio & Western; olumbus, Lima & Milwaukee; Detroit Toledo short line; Central Michigan and Ohio belt line and several other short railroads in Michigan and Ohio, thus connecting the coal fields of West Virginia and Ohio with the lakes. Work will be commenced at once on those portions of the road from Columons to Defiance and from Detroit to

His Last Blissful Thought. The old organ blower of Pinkelbury lay dying. The curate was visiting him. "Would you mind, sir, asking our organist to play the 'Dead March' over ne?" asked the sick man. "Certainly I will, Jones," said the urate.

"Thankee, sir. None o' that 'ere weedle-dum Beethoven, you know, sir. Only Handel's." "I am sure he will do it," responded the curate. The old man lay placidly for awhile,

hen exclaimed with fervor: "How thankful I be that I shan't have to blow for him when he plays the loud part at the end.' Stopped by a Train

actors all back out? Louis, Mo. Fogg-No: that wasn't the trouble The Devil's Bible. but our leading lady insisted on wear-God has a Bible and satan has one, ing a dress with a train three yards oo, only instead of saints and apostles long and the stage is only eight feet includes witches, false miracle workby six, so we decided to have a monoers, necromancers and oracles.-Rev. U. B. Knappenberger.

OUR LAWMAKERS AT WORK,

SENATE-1034 day-The Senate spent the Constant Communication Between Train session the Bering sea arbitration treaty was mached. The treaty provides for a commission to arbitrate the claims made by citzens of England against the United States for seizure England against the United States for seizulo tessels engaged in the capture of fur sea prior to the Paris award. Some questlowere asked as to the amount involved in the proposed settlement, and it was stated in repthat this could not be definitely given. Thearest approximation to the figures possible was the sum which Secretary Gresham hagreed to pay, which was something less the \$600,000. House-Contested election cases of cupied much of the day. Mr. Hull, chairm of the committee on military affairs, called the resolution for the appointment of Wm. Franklin, of Connecticut; Thomas J. Hende son, of Illinois; Geo. L. Beal, of Maine, as Geo. W. Steele, of Indiana, as mer bers of the state board of managers the national soldiers' home; no actio The committee on ways and means report flavorably the bill introduced by Mr. Stone. sylvania, to repeal the section of on act which gives free alcohol for t SENATE .- 104th day .- The early part of the day was given to Mr. Gray's speech on the Duopposition. He defended Secretary Carliste and his administration of the treasury against bose institutions of irregularity. House, ir. Blue's fight against the reappointment of een. William B. Franklin as a member of the oard of managers of the national home for isabled volunteers terminated unsuccessfully.

and the committee report was adopted. SENATE. - 105th day. - The debate on the ond resolution proceeded, Mr. Hill continubond resolution proceeded, Mr. Hill continuing in opposition his speech which is not yet
completed. Mr. Hoar supported the proposed
bond investigation. An exciting episode occurred late in the day concerning Pacific railroad affairs. Mr. Gear presented a bill proposing an adjustment of the railroad debt.
This led Mr. Allen to criticise the committee
for alleged partially to "Collins P. Huntington
and his lobby." A bitter personal altercation
between Mr. Gear and Mr. Allen followed.
House.—The net result of five hours' work on
the private calendar was the passage of four
pension bills. SENATE.-106th day.-During the morning

hour the joint resolution for the appointmens of Gen. Franklin. Representative Steele. Gen. Beai and Gen. Henderson as members of the board or managers of the National Soldiers Home was adopted without debate. Minot bills were reported and the sundry civil appropriation bill was presented by the committee. The Indian appropriation bill was taken up on motion of Mr. Pettigrew. The pending question related to estarian schools, but no action was taken owing to the absence of several interested senators. There was sharp criticism of the amendment appropriating various amounts to Brawyers in connection with the settlement with the western Cherokee Indiana. Unanimous agreement was made to postpone temporarily the bond resolution until appropriation bills now reported were disposed of. The debate on the Cherokee claims in the Indian bill then proceeded until adjournment. House.—For the first time this session Speaker Reed was late in arriving. Clerk McDoweli called the House to order and announced that in the absence of the speaker, a speaker pre our the joint resolution for the appointment the House to order and announced that absence of the speaker, a speaker proould be elected. Mr. Hull. of Iowa, was mously elected and took the chair. He was ested but a few moments when Mr. at peared. The general deficiency bill—t of the appropriation bils was taken d. after considerable hot discussion in the tariff-revenue question became in hich the tariff-revenue question became in-olved, the bill was passed.

Rev. Albert Diaz, an American Bap-tist missionary, and his brother, Al-bert, were arrested in Havana and are nothing definite can be ascertained regarding the charges against them further than it is generally understood that they are of a political nature.

#### THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK. Chicago Best grades ... 4 10.. 4 40 Lower grades .. 2 50.. 4 00 Cincinnati— Best grades...3 85..4 00 3 75 4 75 Lower grades...2 00..3 75 2 65 3 80 Clevelandest grades ... 3 80.. 4 00 ower grades .. 2 00, 3 75

GRAIN, ETC. Pittsburg 74

k were 223, against 211 the same week last

The bimetallic conference, called with the view of paving the way to international negotiations on the sub ect, assembled in Brussels. Delegates present from Germany, Inited States Great Britain, France, Austria, Russia, Belgium, Denmark, Holland and Roumania.

A Paris correspondent says that at France's invitation, Russia now directs the negotiations with England on the subject of the Nile expedition, growing out of the objection urged by France and Russia against employing the Egyptian debt surplus to defray the expenses of the expedition.

Got the Turnpike for Damages Isaac W. Raven of Millhelm, Pa., be came the owner of a turnpike the other day that he didn't know what to do with. Three years ago he was thrown from a carriage on the pike and sustained a broken leg. This led to a suit for damages and he got a verdict for \$5,000, which was sustained by the Supreme Court. But the turnpike people refused to pay and the sheriff, in attemtping to satisfy the claim, only had one bidder and that bidder was Raven and he got the pike. Raven compromised with the company by giving back the turnpike and accepting \$3,000 cash, they to pay all costs.-Philadelphia Times.

Limit of Earthly Evistence. Buffon, Flourens, Humboldt and a great many other eminent naturalists, scientists, etc., were of the opinion that the natural limit of earthly existence among the animal creation is five times as long as the time expended by them in reaching maturity. Buffon gives the following table to substantiate that peculiar belief: The camel grows for eight years, lives forty; the horse grows for five years, live twenty-five; the ox grows for four years, lives fifteen to twenty; the lion grows for four years, lives twenty; the dog grows for two years, lives ten to twelve; the man grows for twenty years, lives 100.

Oliver Cromwell was, unfortunately, ndowed with a very big and painfully ed nose. This circumstance gave rise many nicknames. He was called the Almighty Nose," "The Nose of Old England," "The Copper-Nosed Saint," together with other names more

Selfishness is the worm that eats the

descriptive than polite.

livine life out of the heart of man. Dobson-What made you give up that Selfishness is the giant that battles with Christ for the souls of men.-Rev. play you were going to have in your C. S. Sargent, Congregationalist, St. amateur dramatic company? Did the

shop.-Truth.

A SPHONE IN HIS HAT, men and Dispatcher,

Record, which will, it is said, reduce to minimum the danger of collisions of able cars on the bridge. It is probable hat within a short time telephone consections will be made between all the rains running on the bridge and the rain dispatcher in charge. This will give the dispatcher almost instantaneous command over all trains. Asstant Engineer Kingsley L. Martin as conducted experiments which have shown that the plan is feasible. The experiments heretofore have been with the electric-light trolley wire strung over the bridge with a ground circuit in the truck of the car. In the future this will be abandoned and a metallic circuit, which gives much more favorable results than the ground circuit. will be substituted. Under the proposed system the train dispatcher will sit in his office and wear a head telephone and will have a long distance ransmitter and signal bells before him as well as apparatus he now uses. At both ends of every train there will be a head telephone and a transmitter, so arranged that the gripman may speak into it without moving from his place at the wheel or his gaze from the tracks and signals. He will be ready to receive orders and execute them instantly. The trainmen ordinarily will have their telephones hung up and will only adjust them when a bell rings. when all the trainmen will put their receivers to their ears. In foggy

weather the men would probably wear the head telephone constantly. During the experiments a car fitted with an ordinary telephone was connected with the terminal so well that a voice in the car could be distinguished and understood during the entire trip to the other end of the bridge.

INSECT CIMLETS. Destructive Ability of the White Ants of the East.

The excavations of the so-called white ant of the east are remarkable from the fact that they are made in many instances under cover, says the San Francisco Examiner. The insects. build or excavate long tunnels, enter the building from below, and, instead

of climbing a table, after the bold and open fashion of ordinary ants, they begin beneath the leg and excavate a tunnel. How much labor this entails can be imagined by boring a hole up held "incommunicato," and, therefore through a 's' le with a gimlet; yet a tunnel is not only made by these marauding insects but the table is completely hollowed out. Probably the most remarkable instance of the work of these insects was seen in Ceylon some years ago and reported to the British government by Col. James Campbell of the 50th regiment. He was sitting one afternoon in an old Dutch house conversing with some ladies and gentlemen when a loud roar was heard and the house literally fell about them. To their amazement they sat uninjured, surrounded by the wreck of the building with the blue sky above them. They scrambled out through the clouds of dust and found that their escape was little less than a miracle. Other parts of the building fell in with such a crash that the noise was heard all over Colombo, and people ran to the wreck from every direction. Examination showed that the building had been completely undermined by these wonderful workers; the timbers had been ollowed out and nothing but shell left. to support the roof, which finally fell, leaving the wreck as a monument to the work of this destructive insect.

FOR THE MUSICAL MAIDEN.

To Enable Her to Hear Herself Others Hear Her. Too much pedal in playing is worse than none at all.

Do not place books or music on th piano if it can be avoided. It tends to deaden the tone of the instrument. If you love your plano do not allow bric-a-brac to rest upon it. It is it wretched taste; besides, it is often the cause of an unpleasant rattling while the instrument is being used.

Never place your piano close agains the wall. It will sound much better if drawn out into the room. If this is no possible, allow a space of eight to twelve inches between it and the wall. Cultivate the habit of listening to your own playing. Fine results may be obtained by playing single notes and chords very slowly, endeavoring to produce a pure, round and long tone without striking the keys heavily. Listen to the tone. Speed is not everything Even in rapid passages musical effect

should be most carefully studied. While playing Mozart's composition it is well to remember that he (Mozart) demanded of the planist a perfect le gato, a singing touch, and an unaffected style. He practiced what he preached and his beautiful fingering was the result of a close study of Sebastian Bach and his son Emanuel. He required "8 quiet and steady hand, with its natural lightness, smoothness, and gliding rapidity so well developed that the passages should flow like oil," the delivery. of every note, grace and accent with osed to over-rapidity of execution and of trainmen. to violations of time. "Three things," he said, "are necessary for a good performer," and he pointed to his head, his heart, and his fingers.-Chicago Inter Ocean.

Old Maps. A surprising discovery has lately peen made in Amsterdam, Holland, of

some old maps made between 1705 and 1719, showing the regions in Central Africa which have in modern times been rediscovered by Livingstone and Stanley. The maps are based on infornation furnished by Portuguese traders and are surprisingly accurate. The course of the Congo river, under another name, is laid down. The mans tre accompanied by writings giving information derived from the blacks of he great lakes which form the sources of the Nile and which Livingstone and Stanley called the Victoria Nyanza. All the modern discoveries were made by men who did not know that this erritory had been to some extent napped and explored nearly two cenuries before. The Zambesi territory was better known to the Portuguese n 1700 than it is to modern discoverers. They had many settlements at he mouth of the Zambesi river, but hese were overthrown by wild hordes of blacks, and all trace of them has ince been lost.-Exchange.

A Roland for an Oliver. Husband (reading Sunday newspaper) -Mary, here's something new in the household line. I have had your baker's and grocer's home-made bread. pies and chocolate; here is a whole column about home-made desolate. (Thinks he is funny.)

Wife-You needn't read it. You can get the recipe at your favorite bucketmother that it of the

An electrical telephone signal sys-NEWS FROM ALL QUARTERS em will soon be introduced on the BRIEFLY RELATED. Brooklyn bridge, says the Philadelphia

PICKED AND SORTED.

The South African Situation is Becoming Very Serious and the British in Mata beland are in Great Danger-England and Germany May Have a Squabble

Buluwayo is Seriously Threatened

An official dispatch from Buluwayo, atabeland, says that it is impossible o estimate the numbers of the enemy he whole country is now in the hands of the rebellious natives and they are massing in great forces northward. No official statement from any source worth considering for a moment if t takes the ground that Buluwayo is not in danger. The latest advices re-ceived from Buluwayo have greatly ncreased the anxiety felt for the safety of that place. It has been stated that Buluwayo is held by 1,000 nen; this is not correct. The number of fighting men at Buluwayo is under 900, and of this small number, compared with the 15,000 Matabeles in the vicinity of the town, 300 are reported to have been dispatched to hold Mangwe pass, which is a steep detile, with angular turnings and can be rendered mpregnable, and which is absolutely necessary to prevent all outside com-munications being cut off from Buluwayo. Then, again, large numbers of Matabeles, presumed to be friendlies, have, by some excuse or other, succeeded in entering the town, and it is well known that they have planned to rise and strike at the British as soon as the warriors of the Matabeles are heard outside the line of defenses. As a measure of defense against the expected attack upon the town dynamite mines have been laid in the outskirts of the town and in the ground over which an attacking party would nec-essarily approach. These mines have been wired and connected in the central laager, which will be the point of retreat of attack and from which the

surrounding country is in full view.

A later dispatch from Buluwayo, Matabeland, says that 42 men attacked the vanguard of the Matabeles and rove them back to the main body The English sustained the loss of only ne man wounded. According to reports over 50 of the natives were killed. the 15,000 natives then moved around Buluwayo in the direction of Mangwe

London: Urgent requests for troops have been made by people at Buluwayo. and the home government is blamed for postponing the dispatch of strong reinforcements to South Africa. The inaction of the war office is undoubtdly due to the desire of Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, to avoid anything which night be construed into an attempt to coerce the South African republic (the fransvaal). There is no change in the situation, so far as the Boers are concerned. They are continuing their preparations, apparently for a great struggle, and it is feared that the fact that Mr. Chamberlain thought it necssary to notify President Kruger that the dispatch of reinforcements to the Cape would not imply a change in the friendly policy of Great Britain to-wards the Transvaal, will encourage the Boers in their idea that Great Britain is afraid of them, and that it will only require a combined effort upon the part of the Boers of the Fransvaal, Orange Free State and Cape Colony to drive the British out of hat part of the world. The Boers boast of being able to muster about \$60,000 fighting men, and they claim this force can defy the whole British army.

London: The Times publishes information going to show that the arm-

energy is being assisted from German London: The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says that the German press is indulging in the bitterest coments upon England's action in South Africa, in which they see a direct menace to the Transvaal. They charge olonial Secretary Chamberlain with luplicity in his statements to parlia nent and in his messages to President

ing of the inhabitants of the Trans-

vaal which is going forward with such

Kruger. London: The Exchange Telegraph o. says that better news was received from Buluwayo by Colonial Secretary Chamberlain. The wagon train of rovisions from the south was said to have succeeded in entering the be eaguered town and the reinforcenents from Mafeking are reported to be advancing rapidly without obstruc

Bicycle and Tool Works Burn at Toledo By the explosion of a barrel of gasine in the Dauntless bicycle factory at Toledo the entire plant was wrecked he fire started near the elevator and mickly reached the assembling room on the fifth floor where about 2,000 bi cycles were stored. The fire was com-municated to the Toledo machine and cool works where many valuable pat terns were ruined. amount to \$40,000 with insurance at \$30,000. The loss on the bicycle factory is placed at \$110,000 and the insurance at \$75,000. The surrounding property was damaged to the extent of \$2,000, fully insured.

Deadly Tornado Near Sandusky, O. A tornado, accompanied by a heavy ainfall, swept over the northern part of Sandusky county, O., killing two persons, injuring a number of others and doing great damage to buildings and other property. The dead are: Wm. L. Greene and John Low. The wind leveled every tree and building in its path. A bridge was wrecked and a big tree blown down upon a W. & L. E. freight train, which crushed appropriate expression. He was op the caboose and nearly killed a number

Bert Holmes, the Grand Ledge oung man who, on Jan. 12, shot and ouse at Grand Rapids because the atter played a practical joke on him, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree after an interesting trial in which an attempt was made to show Holmes as subject to tem-porary insanity. The trial has nearly nned Holmes' parents financially and they are nearly crazed with grief, for in his achad every confidence quittal. Judge Burlingame later sen-tenced Holmes to Jackson prison for His attorneys will take the case

to the supreme court. Drawn from the Bible.

"I think," he (Hall Caine) says, "that know my bible as few literary men mow it. There is no book in the world ike it and the finest novels ever writen fall far short in interest of any me of the stories it tells. Whatever strong situations I have in my books ire not of my creation but are taken rom the bible. 'The Deemster' is the tory of the prodigal son. 'The Bondnan' is the story of Esau and Jacob, hough in my version sympathy ataches to Esau. 'The Scapegoat' is the itory of Eli and his sons, but with samuel as a little girl. 'The Manxnan' is the story of David and Uriah. My new book also comes out of the sible, from a perfectly startling source,"

AcClure's Magazine.

Paris theaters took in \$3,700,000 last ear. \$135,000 more than in 1894. Those a which there was an increase in the eceipts were the Opera, the Comedie rancaise, the Varieties, the Gaite, the orte St. Martin, the Nouveautes, and he Gymnase, where M. Porel made the argest gain, more than \$80,000 over the year before.