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"Man wants but little here below,
And wants that little long."
The saying bears the stamp of age,
But, none the less, it's wrong.
That which man craves most anxiously,
I've uniformly found,
Is not a long-drawn-out affair,
But sometimes nearly round,
And every person wants it, from
The moment of his birth;
The thing that I'm referring to
Is nothing but the earth.

The manufacturers club presses the
button—Czar Reed does the rest.

Just wait until you see the next tax
levy. Then you will appreciate what
the city government of 1896 cost.

All things are said to come to those
who wait but the weight for prosperity
is becoming a trifle wearisome to
empty stomachs.

His Excellency may at least have the
satisfaction of knowing that during the
adjournment of the legislature the
members can't talk back.

PITCHFORK TILLMAN is doubtless
very much of a blatherskite but he has
one redeeming vice—he frequently tells
the truth about his colleagues.

THE DEMOCRAT is pleased to see the
Argus and the Courier taking up the
fight started by this paper upon the
illegal and wasteful expenditures of
the council.

As a matter of course those laboring
men who voted for McKinley and are
still looking for work, will have the
satisfaction of reflecting on the dire
disasters that were predicted in the
event of Mr. Bryan's election.

The construction of brick cross-
walks within the proposed paving
district would seem to be ill advised at
this time. If the streets in question
should be paved the cost of cross-walk
construction will have been thrown
away.

In the present state of the city
treasury we cannot afford to consider
the opening of any new streets at the
expense of the city this year. The same
rule holds good in street opening that
obtains in paving—let the property
benefited stand the expense.

DR. ANGELL will find quite as much
scope for the diplomacy of which he is
a master, in Madrid as in Constantinople,
and the matters to be handled in the
Spanish capital are of real interest to
the American people, which is a con-
sideration not to be sneezed at by public
men.

It is the moral effect of British iron-
clads that enables British financiers to
shape the financial affairs of Greece.
It is the aid and comfort of American
tories that enables them to do the same
thing in this country. The excuse is
the same in both instances—British in-
vestments.

THE corporations are said to have
come to the conclusion that it is cheaper
to purchase ready made legislators than
to take the trouble of making them.
The inference is that the corporations
find that low prices prevail in the con-
traband trade in legislators as well as
in more legitimate lines of commerce.

THERE may be some farmers foolish
enough to believe that all this fuss and
feathers over the new tariff is in their
interest. To those we would say, watch
the downward trend of the price
of your products which will continue
under any tariff, high or low, so long
as those products are measured by a stand-
ard, the unit of which is constantly
increasing in value.

So far as results of general interest
to the state at large are concerned, the
members of Michigan's legislature
could have spent their time quite as
profitably during the past few months
pursuing their private business. Out-
side of passing the appropriation bills
the time for which the people paid them
was taken up with the consideration of
private legislation that is of interest
only to its beneficiaries.

If there is one thing more convinc-
ing than another of the innate selfish-
ness and class character of a protective
tariff it is the spectacle now presented
at Washington by the disgraceful
scramble of every manufacturing inter-
est to secure as much duty as possible
upon the finished article which it turns
out, and as little as possible upon the
raw materials which are used in the
production of its goods.

Now that Senator Campbell has re-
turned to the simple rural scenes and
pleasures of his country home, it is to
be hoped that he will forget the pit-
falls and temptations that beset him at
Lansing and cherish only the soothing
recollection of his associations with
Bill Thompson. The senator may rest
assured that his farmer constituents
will not forget his distinguished ser-
vices to the railroad corporations of
this state. The corporations them-
selves will doubtless remember him
also.

THE number of applications for the
Ann Arbor postoffice that Congressman
Spaulding must "O. K." in order to
keep himself solid with the push pre-
sents a dilemma the settlement of
which will occasion the general as
much travail as the birth of his cele-
brated theory of "safe" bimetallism.

INASMUCH as the late legislature gave
the governor that tired feeling so often,
THE DEMOCRAT takes it for granted that
the adjournment of that body will
have the combined efficacy of a soothing
syrup and a nerve tonic for his ex-
cellency and that he will for a time
forget that he has troubles of his own.

ANDREW CAMPBELL was sent to the
state senate as a representative farmer.
In his every official act he proved the
willing tool of W. G. Thompson, the
leader of the corporation forces in the
legislature. That is where the farmers
of Washtenaw and Jackson counties
were the victims of misplaced confi-
dence.

If the Cuban patriots could stir up a
gold mining excitement in some of the
inaccessible fastnesses of their island
the Cuban question would be solved.
Within a twelve-month the island
would be so full of Americans that
there would be no room for Weyler's
soldiers and no excuse for international
courtesy in dealing with Spain.

THE financial question is not settled
and it never will be settled until it is
settled right. The people who are
satisfied with our present money sys-
tem are few and far between. Even
the gold men do not approve of system
that embraces seven kinds of currency,
and not one man in five can tell which
class of notes are legal tender and
which are not.

THE waste and extravagance that
has been piling up taxes of late is not
occasioned by defects in the city char-
ter, as some would have us believe, but
because the city council ignores the
plain provision of that charter in the
expenditure of public money. The
charter is all right if the common
council will conduct public business
within its limitations.

THAT gold is increasing in value is
admitted by the highest gold standard
authorities. It follows then that a
dollar made of a fixed number of grains
of that material must take on a cor-
responding increase. The dollar that
is more valuable to day than it was
yesterday, necessarily requires more of
anything else in exchange for it. Moral:
Dear dollars make low prices.

THE campaign in Ohio this fall will
be made upon the same financial lines
as that of the presidential campaign of
last year. The Democratic party has
no surrender of principles to make. It
made a stand for principle at Chicago
and it has as yet no reason to regret
that action. The party is stronger
and more firmly united to day than it
has been since the Buffalo fake was
projected into its councils.

AT the risk of being charged with
carrying chestnuts, THE DEMOCRAT
will again call the attention of the com-
mon council to a matter that has thus
far escaped its official notice—to the
fact that some person or persons are
squandering a considerable sum of
money upon South University ave. and
that that money is supposed to belong
to the taxpayers of this city whose in-
terests the common council are presumed
to protect.

SHOULD the mutations of time or the
exigencies of politics throw the island
of Cuba under the protection of Uncle
Sam the commercial instincts of the
American people would soon accom-
plish what Weyler's armies have been
unable to do—the subjugation of the
native population. And, by the way,
Cuba under American dominion, would,
for a few years, be pregnant with op-
portunities for the enterprising and
ambitious.

THE legislature cut the appropri-
ations for the ensuing two years down
about one-seventh. This cut, with the
\$200,000 increase in revenue from the
railroads under the Merriam bill will
afford us a slight reduction in state
taxes. The people can stand the reduc-
tion. They could have managed to
wiggle along had the useless expendi-
tures of the state government been
pared down a few hundred thousand
more and the railroads required to pony
up their full proportion of the expenses
of running the state.

WATTERSON said Bryanism was dead
in Kentucky. But the Democratic
state convention held down there this
week endorsed the candidate and prin-
ciples of the Chicago platform. There
were a thousand delegates. There was
one dissenting voice. Last fall it was
16 to 1. Now it is 1,000 to 1. The Ken-
tucky editor should confine his political
remarks to Cleveland. As he seldom
tells the truth about anything else he
will be pretty sure to call the turn on
Grover. At all events he's ancient his-
tory now and the public don't care.

THE proposition of the Times runs
thusly: One set of city officials made a
mistake upon South University ave.,
hence it is perfectly proper and legiti-
mate for a subsequent set of city offi-
cials to waive proper and legitimate
methods of doing business in order that
another mistake may be made.

HAD Mr. Bryan been elected Presi-
dent of the United States last fall the
explanation of the continued hard
times would not have been hard to find
—that is for some people to find—but
inasmuch as the protection sound-
money prosperity confidence men won
we are at a loss to know why the goods
are not delivered and the transaction
closed up.

WHILE it is the purpose of THE
DEMOCRAT to criticize freely all acts of
the city government which do not ap-
pear to be in line with good public
policy, it is no more than fair to say
that the amount of time devoted to the
business of the public by the elective
and appointive officers who serve with-
out pay, is fully appreciated only by
those who have been through the mill.

THERE has been a great deal of senti-
mental slush dished up on account of
the arrest and conviction of the Com-
mander of the Salvation Army for dis-
turbance of the peace in New York City.
The verdict of the court in this case
simply extended the protection of the
law to people who did not care to have
their slumbers broken at unseemly
hours of night even by a religious
demonstration.

WHILE waiting for United States
Senators to unwind their tariff speeches
President McKinley is doing a very
flourishing business in federal patron-
age. The number of office seekers
who have found out "where they are at"
was largely increased this week. In
the eyes of those who are necessarily
turned down (and they are about 16 to
1) the importance of the country of the
great Republican victory of last Novem-
ber will perceptibly diminish.

It is with gratification that we notice
that our esteemed neighbor across the
way, the Register, is now devoting a
considerable proportion of its news
space to the propagation of silver senti-
ment. While the Register is still
classed in the ranks of the sound money
press it is probable that its editor has
come to the inevitable conclusion that
the "soundness" of money is determined
by its capacity to accurately measure
the business transactions of society,
rather than by its so called intrinsic
value.

AS the result of her horse play
Greece will have to pawn her revenues
to secure the thirty millions which are
necessary to smooth out Turkey's ruffled
feathers and she may have to submit
to the national humiliation of having
a foreign bailiff take charge of her
finances. While the bondage of Greece
is placed upon modern commercial lines
it is as complete and galling as those
they were wont to impose upon con-
quered people in the days when Greece
was more than a colored spot upon the
map of Europe. If the Greeks were
wise they would adopt the Kansas plan,
move on to new territory, and let the
powers foreclose their mortgage.

A MOST distinguished "sound" money
authority, the firm of Dimock & Co.,
investment brokers of New York city,
say in their weekly letter that there is
no possible chance for the McKinley
administration to maintain the gold
standard without issuing more bonds.
Are our gold standard friends ready to
stand sponsor for a financial system
that makes the periodical issue of
bonds necessary to prop up the cur-
rency with which the people make their
exchanges. The simplest function of
money is to be the medium by which
the people transact their daily business.
It should not be medium of building up
an enormous national debt in time of
peace.

The idea which prevails in some
quarters that the bicycle is in a measure
responsible for the depression in busi-
ness is not founded upon very sound
economic reasoning. That many peo-
ple have denied themselves some of the
ordinary conveniences of life in order to
enjoy the luxury of a wheel is doubt-
less true. But this change in the in-
vestments of a portion of the people has
not hindered the employment of labor
nor the production of wealth. It has,
if anything stimulated business from
the fact that many dollars which are
now spent for bicycles would otherwise
have remained idle. The sum that has
been invested in wheels has simply
taken a different channel. It of course
makes a difference to the dry goods
man and the bicycle dealer whether the
new woman spends her surplus cash
for fine raiment or invests it in a
bicycle, but it will make no difference
in the sum total of commerce or in the
employment of labor, and these are the
standards by which to measure the
effect of changing conditions upon
business.

THE horse need not despair. The
bicycle has not, and cannot, for most
practical purposes displace him. The
notion that the prevailing low price of
horses is due to the almost universal
use of the bicycle is largely erroneous.
There are estimated to be upwards of
3,000 wheels in Ann Arbor today. It is
safe to say that these 3,000 wheels have
not displaced twenty-five horses. This
being the case it is idle to talk about the
bicycle lowering the price of horses.
The people who now use wheels are,
for the most part, those who formerly
used their feet as a means of locomo-
tion. The family horse still remains,
the gentleman's driving horse is with us
yet, and those whose useful and essen-
tial beasts through whose assistance the
traffic of the city is carried on have not
been dispensed with nor will they be
within this generation. The trouble
with the price of horses is the same old
trouble that has knocked the bottom
from under the price of the farm and
all its products—that price is
named in more valuable dollars now
than formerly.

THE next year's tax levy will need to
pass the one-half of one per cent.
limit in order to meet the projected
expenditures and make up last year's
deficit. At the close of the fiscal year
ending March 31, 1896, the city had a
balance in its several funds aggregat-
ing \$18,551.58. This balance was dissi-
pated last year and on March 31, 1897,
the city's account was overdrawn
\$2,674.62 at the banks. This overdraft
together with the sum necessary to run
the city until the summer taxes come
in must be made good. Provisions
should also be made for funds to run
the city until the taxes of 1898 come
into the treasury, in August of that
year.

THE DEMOCRAT would also suggest
to the common council that the approp-
riation for the street fund should be
sufficient to pay back the \$14,918 that
has been transferred to this fund from
other funds during the past two years
and leave a sufficient sum for this
year's work. This would necessitate
raising at least \$24,000 for the street
fund. But the funds from which this
money has been withdrawn can be
made correspondingly smaller. The
object in doing this would be to place
squarely before the people the exact
course their money has taken. It is a
sham to appropriate \$5,000 to the street
fund and \$5,000 to the water fund and
then spend the whole amount upon
streets. So long as this method of in-
discriminate borrowing without repay-
ment is pursued the annual appropri-
ations are a farce. The reports of the
city treasurer show that during 1895
and '96 \$14,918 that was raised for other
purposes has been used upon the streets.

An Iowa Opinion.

TO THE EDITOR:—

In a recent issue THE DEMOCRAT
said "There is a movement on foot to
pass an ordinance requiring bicycles to
be licensed. Just why a bicycle should
be singled out for a special tax more
than any other vehicle does not appear,
etc."

There is no good reason; but with
your permission, I can "show cause."

It is as Jefferson said:—
"This is the tendency of all known
governments. A departure from prin-
ciple in one instance becomes a pre-
cedent for a second, that second for a
third, and so on till the bulk of the
society is reduced to mere automatons
of misery, and have no sensibilities left
but for sinning and suffering. Then
begins, indeed, the *bellum omnium in
omnia*, which some philosophers, ob-
serving it to be so general in the world,
have mistaken to be the natural, instead
of the absolute state of man. And the
forehorse of this frightful team is pub-
lic debt. After that comes taxation;
and in turn wretchedness and oppres-
sion."

There is no need of taxing bicycles,
or other vehicles. Roads are built ex-
pressly to encourage their use. Land
without roads would have no value;
for all governmental service to the
citizen are rendered *via* the highway.
There is but one defensible system
for raising revenue—a tax upon land
values, irrespective of improvements,
to the exclusion of all other taxes,
direct and crooked. The values which
attach to land because of the growth
and improvement of the community
should be taken for the use of the
government—National, state and local
—taken in strict accordance with sec-
tion and of article 1 of the Constitution,
taken exactly as Lincoln took the quo-
tas of men for the Union armies.
The value of land and the necessity
for government are both the result of
population, and the revenue of ground
rent from the one should pay the cost
of the other.

Were the single tax in force in Ann
Arbor, it would lower rent, raise wages,
encourage industries, equalize oppor-
tunities and benefit all (except land
speculators, as such). It would compel
investments in industries. Every indi-
vidual controlling natural opportunities
would have to utilize land by employ-
ing labor, or abandon it to others. It
would not permit flinging the user of a
bicycle for making use of a highway.

J. HAGERTY.

Burlington, Iowa.

IMPOSING CEREMONIES

MARKED THE LAYING OF THE COR-
NER STONE OF ST. THOMAS
CHURCH.

The Board of Regents Meet and Make Ap-
pointments for the Ensuing Year—About
the New Electric Light Plant—The Coun-
cil Committee Considers the Paving Ord-
inance.

The corner stone of the new St
Thomas Cathedral was laid Sunday
afternoon with impressive ceremonies
in the presence of several thousand peo-
ple. Three excursions on the Ann Ar-
bor road and one on the Michigan
Central brought many people from
neighboring cities to participate in this
notable event in the history of the
Catholic church in the University
town. The weather was clear but cold
and raw.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the De-
troit contingent arrived, about 200 in
number, together with Bishop Rade-
macher and his escort of forty uni-
formed. Knights of St. John, a squad
picked from the several commanderies
of the order in Detroit. The parade at
once formed and, headed by a brass
band, marched through the principal
streets of the city. In the parade were
twenty-five uniformed Catholic Knights
of America, from Toledo, the uni-
formed Knights of St. John from De-
troit, and marching members of the
Catholic Mutual Benefit associations
from Toledo, Ypsilanti, Owosso, Detroit,
Jackson, Monroe, Ann Arbor and
other places, followed by the visiting
church dignitaries in carriages.

The cornerstones laying took place
after the parade and at the south front
of the church. The stone with its ac-
customed contents was put in place by
the Rt. Rev. Bishop Rademacher, of
Fort Wayne, Ind., assisted by Fathers,
Sullivan and Coyle, of Detroit, both of
whom are children of St. Thomas
parish.

After this ceremony Dr. Morrissey
president of the University of Notre
Dame, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, de-
livered a most eloquent and scholarly
address appropriate to the occasion,
taking for his text the words of St.
John, "For God so loved the world
that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whosoever believed in Him should
not perish but have everlasting life."

A description of the church edifice,
which is now well under way, was pub-
lished in THE DEMOCRAT a few weeks
since. It will be rapidly pushed to
completion and will be an ornament to
the city as well as a credit to the enter-
prise and liberality of the Catholic
society.

To the almost boundless resource and
undefatigable industry of the Rev.
Edward Kelly the pastor of St. Thomas
parish, is due a large measure of the
success of which has attended the vari-
ous educational and religious institu-
tions conducted by the parish. Con-
nected with the church there is a good
school in which the Latin, English,
scientific and commercial courses are
taught. Besides the school there is a
well equipped conservatory of music,
whose annual June festival never fails
to crowd the opera house. Upwards of
200 Catholic students from the univer-
sity and a goodly number of youths
from the high school are faithful
attendants at St. Thomas' church
every Sunday. In the erection of the
cathedral, which is to be the crowning
piece of the Catholic church in Ann
Arbor it is thought that considerable
help may be received from the Catho-
lics of the state, who are public spirited
enough, and have interest enough in
their religion, to wish to see a grand
edifice in the Athens of the west, one
which will command the respect of
their children in attendance at the uni-
versity. This would see the more
likely as nearly all the other churches
have received such aid.

Dr. Angell's Mission.

Nothing definite is yet known of the
rumored objection of the Turkish gov-
ernment to receiving Dr. Angell as the
American minister to that court, but it
is believed that the injudicious demon-
strations over the appointment of the
doctor by those interested in mission-
ary work in Asia Minor are the ground
of the objections of the Porte, if ob-
jections there be. In that event it is ex-
pected that Dr. Angell will be sent
upon the more important mission to
Spain. He returned from Washington
Sunday morning, but refuses to be in-
terviewed.

Word has been received from Wash-
ington that the Sultan has withdrawn
his objections to Dr. Angell and the
doctor will sail Saturday for Constan-
tinople.

A. O. U. W. Excursion.

Ann Arbor Lodge, No. 27, A. O. U.
W., has arranged to give an excursion
to Detroit, Tuesday June 15, over the
Michigan Central railroad. The fare
for the round trip will be 85 cents. For
children under 12 years old the fare
will be 45 cents.

HONORS TO THE DEAD.

How Memorial Day Was Observed in Ann
Arbor—An Interesting Program.

Memorial day opened bright and
clear, promising well for the observ-
ance of the sacred rites to which the
day is dedicated. Early in the day
people began to gather from the sur-
rounding country to take part in the
ceremonies. The Ladies' Relief Corps
received and arranged the generous
donations of flowers in the basement
of the court house. The morning was
given over to the decoration of the
soldiers' graves in St. Thomas Cem-
etery.

At 1.30 p. m. the procession formed
at the court house, Welch Post, G. A.
R., under the escort of the Ann Arbor
Light Infantry, and J. T. Jacobs
camp S. of V. and marched to the
Fifth Ward Cemetery. After the exer-
cises there the veterans and troops
marched back to the foot of Detroit
street where cars were in waiting to
convey them to Forest Hill Cemetery,
where the closing exercises of the day
were observed.

At 8 p. m. a large crowd filled Uni-
versity hall to listen to an excellent
program commemorative of the heroic
deeds and sacrifices of America's citi-
zen soldiers. Commander Horace P.
Danforth presided.

Prof. Stanley rendered the "Star
Spangled Banner," upon the great
organ.

Rev. W. L. Tedrow made a forceful
and eloquent petition for divine bless-
ing and guidance.

This was followed by the singing of
the National hymn by the whole con-
gregation.

Comrade W. K. Childs then read in
an impressive manner the words of
prophetic wisdom that fell from the
lips of Abraham Lincoln, at Gettys-
burg.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell sang the
pathetic ballad of "Two Fallen
Braves."

Karl Harriman, who can always en-
ertain an audience, followed with a
recitation of "Good bye, Jim," and
was forced to respond to an encore.

Miss Clara Jacobs sang that old song
which always touches the patriotic
heart, "The Red, White and Blue,"
with the audience joining in the
chorus.

Mrs. M. Adelle Hazlett, of Lansing,
delivered the address of the evening in
a somewhat dramatic style, dealing
principally with war scenes and remi-
niscences.

The exercises were closed by the sing-
ing of the Doxology and a benediction
pronounced by Rev. J. T. Sunderland.

THE PAVING ORDINANCE.

An Informal Conference by the Members
of the Council.

The mayor, city attorney and mem-
bers of the council met Wednesday
night for an informal discussion of the
paving ordinance which will be sub-
mitted to the council for final action
next Monday night. The result of
their deliberations may be summed up
as follows:

Paving shall be laid upon petition of
a majority of the property owners. The
entire cost of the paving in any dis-
trict, including street intersections,
shall be divided as follows, one-fourth
upon the city at large, three fourths
upon the abutting property. The as-
sessment of the cost upon the abutting
property shall be by foot frontage; the
portion assessed upon the property
owners shall be paid by bonds and the
tax to redeem the bonds will be levied
in four equal annual installments with
the interest upon the bonds added. The
one-fourth paid by the city will need to
be raised in one year, as the bonds will
not cover that portion.

While this does not meet with the
approval of THE DEMOCRAT in the
matter of assessing any portion of the
cost upon the city, we have had our
little say and it is useless to rehash the
arguments against this course.

There will be 13,400 yards in the con-
templated pavement on Main street
from Catherine to Williams. This
with the incidental expenses will cost
in the neighborhood of \$20,000. One-
fourth of this means \$5,000 extra for
the general street fund this year.

The Bonds Bill Passes.

The legislature passed an act last Fri-
day allowing the city of Ann Arbor to
issue \$40,000 paving bonds. These
bonds will be issued on the same plan
as the lateral sewer bonds, and paid by
a tax levied upon the property of the
issuing district for which they are
issued, in four equal annual install-
ments.

The Washtenaw Teachers' Meeting.

The Washtenaw county teachers will
hold a meeting at Manchester tomor-
row, which promises to be a very inter-
esting one. Subjects, Essery, of Man-
chester; Austin, of Saline, and DeWitt,
of Dexter, will present papers. Com-
missioner Cavanaugh, of Ann Arbor,
will also be present.

WASHTENAW COUNTY.

MANCHESTER MENTION.

C. A. Ballard and son of Wolf Lake were in town Saturday.

Revival meetings have been held this week at the M. E. church.

Miss Julia Conklin of Ypsilanti was in town from Saturday until Monday.

Paul Schoettle of Adrian spent Sunday with his father, Rev. Geo. Schoettle.

Miss Babbitt, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting this week at Mrs. Ella Nestel's.

Davis' Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. showed Wednesday evening, under canvas, at this place.

Born, Sunday, May 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kimball, of Sharon, a daughter.

W. C. Mack is closing out his stock here, and will discontinue the store at this place.

Miss Edith Kapp of Ypsilanti spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Kapp.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Welling, of Tecumseh, visited Harmon Clark and family Sunday.

A. J. Nisle has been slightly under the weather the past few days, but expects to be out again soon.

The old Bessac store has been treated to a new coat of paint and has been christened the "yellow kid."

While at play with some boys Monday evening, the young son of Harvey Blaisdell fell and broke his leg.

Jacob Braun and Fritz Rehfuß wheeled over from Ann Arbor Sunday, returning home the following day.

Jacob Blum has been laid up with rheumatism a few days, but is able to be about again with aid of a cane.

The Country's Teacher's Association meets at this place Saturday, when an interesting program will be carried out.

Chas. Wuertliher, who has been at Ann Arbor the past two months has returned home, much improved in health.

Fr. O'Reilly of Adrian, delivered an able and patriotic address Sunday morning at the Catholic Church to the G. A. R. and a large congregation of citizens.

Mrs. Andrew Service of Sharon accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Dillie S. Hall and son Clarence left Wednesday for a month's visit with relatives near Syracuse, N. Y.

Fr. Heidenrich and the Choir of St. Mary's church went to Chelsea, Tuesday evening, to assist in the exercises, at the dedication of a new pipe organ at the Catholic church there.

Mrs. J. M. Robinson went to Ypsilanti Friday last to visit friends, and Mack, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Case drove down Sunday. Mrs. Robinson returned with them.

James Raymond of Grass Lake passed through here Saturday en route to Blisfield, to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law Jacob Fisher, who was buried at the latter place Monday.

W. Warne Wilson of Detroit, Supreme Commander of the Columbian League was in town Monday and organized a lodge of that order at this place. Fifteen charter members joined at the meeting held in K. of H. hall.

A change of the time table of the Lake Shore taking effect last Sunday brings the morning train at 7:14 a. m. and the afternoon train at 2:39 p. m. The first 35 minutes later and the latter six minutes earlier than the old schedule.

Memorial exercises were held at the central high school building Monday afternoon. The G. A. R., the Woman's Relief Corps, and the school children participating. Afterwards they marched to Oak Grove Cemetery where the graves of departed comrades were decorated.

George Stantz, a farmer, about 35 years of age, living five miles southwest of town, committed suicide in a somewhat sensational manner, Sunday morning. Leaving the house, he went to the grainery, taking with him a shot gun, the stock of which he buried in the wheat in the bin, and placing the muzzle of the gun to his temple, he pushed the trigger with his foot. The charge made a large hole in his head, scattering his brains over the building in a shocking manner. Mr. Stantz was a married man with a family, and no motive for the deed is known. His father suicided a few years ago by cutting his throat.

One week ago last Saturday Michael Flumm, a carpet weaver, living near the Manchester Marble Works disappeared from home, and his whereabouts had been a mystery from that time until the discovery of his body in the river near the Fellows bridge, Sunday afternoon. When last seen, the day of his disappearance, he was said to be very much intoxicated, and in crossing the bridge probably fell off and was drowned. A searching party Sunday, found his cap in the woods near the river at the place above stated, and a search revealed his body caught on a brush pile a few yards down the stream. Owing to the decomposed state of the body, it was buried the following morning.

CHELSEA CHAT.

Judge Newkirk of Ann Arbor visited Chelsea last Tuesday.

Miss Anna Guinan of Manchester was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Mr. Austin Howlett of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here with friends.

Sheriff Judson was present at the Decoration Day exercises last Monday.

Mr. Tim Dinlane and family of Howell were visitors here last Sunday.

Mr. Archie Bacon of Detroit is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. J. Bacon.

Mr. Ralph Freeman is very ill with rheumatism at the home of Miss Mary Smith.

Miss Louise Pardon of Ann Arbor visited her brother Wm. Pardon last Sunday.

Misses Cora Plow and Jennie Wilson of Grass Lake spent Sunday with friends here.

The young ladies X. Y. Z. club gave a reception and dance at Boyd's hotel Friday, May 28.

The Chelsea Tent K. O. T. M. expects to go to Jackson, June 12th to attend the grand jubilee.

Mr. R. S. Armstrong arranged a surprise party at her home for her daughter, Effa, Friday, May 28, which was very much enjoyed by all present.

Misses Nellie Towry, Effa Armstrong, and Messrs. Henry Stimpson, Leroy Hill, Wm. Zinke and Lewis Zinke of Ann Arbor spent Sunday in Chelsea.

The Stone Works team and the City Colts engaged in a game of base ball last Monday afternoon at the fair grounds, score 13 to 5 in favor of city.

Decoration Day exercises were held at Sylvan Center, Sunday May 30. The G. A. R. Post of Chelsea attended in a body, and the address was delivered by W. W. Wedemeyer. Although the weather was unfavorable a very large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. Geo. Staffen and Miss Mae Wood, both very well known in this community were married Tuesday evening, June 1st at the St. Mary's rectory by the Rev. Fr. Considine. Miss Kate Staffen, sister of the groom and Mr. Edward McKone, stood up with them during the ceremony.

An Organ Recital Service was held in St. Mary's church, Tuesday eve, June 1st. Mr. Gregory Freytag of Detroit had charge of the new pipe organ, and a double quartet of mixed voices from that city rendered some beautiful selections. A lecture "The Genesis of Music," was given by the Rev. Charles Ormand Reilly D. D. of Adrian. A very large crowd was in attendance.

Decoration Day was observed here with very appropriate exercises. The morning was devoted to the usual decoration of graves, but the afternoon was spent in dedicating the new Soldier's Monument erected by the Ladies Relief Corps and others. Addresses were delivered at the cemetery by Chas. Townsend of Jackson, Judge Buck of Kalamazoo and the Rev. D. Reilly of Adrian. Music was furnished by a male quartet and both the Francisco and Chelsea Bands. The weather was exceptionally fine and the services were greatly enjoyed by everybody present.

DEXTER DOTS.

G. Wall was in Detroit last week on business.

Ed. Stone of Bay City, is visiting at H. Booth's this week.

Archie Wotters, our new tailor, has left for parts unknown.

M. S. Cook is beautifying his house with a fresh coat of paint.

John Walton of Free Port, is visiting at George Rosier's this week.

Dr. Charles Howell of Ann Arbor, was visiting friends here last week.

The interior of the Dexter Savings Bank has been painted and newly decorated this week.

Dexter's new band is progressing finely. Our citizens will soon have the pleasure of listening to her.

The G. A. R. Boys' also a great many of our citizens went to Chelsea, Monday, to the unveiling of the Soldiers' Monument.

The ladies of the M. E. Society gave a surprise party on Mrs. Helen Stanton, Monday afternoon it being her birthday. All report a good time.

Sam Andrus, son of Gottlieb Andrus, while drawing stone for his father's barn Tuesday morning was badly injured. His horses ran away with him.

The Decoration services were held at the opera house Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. E. P. Allen of Ypsilanti, delivered the oration to a packed house. After the services the cemetery was visited and the graves of our departed heroes were strewn with flowers.

SALINE SECRETS.

The funeral of Mrs. Wood, of this place, was held at the house Saturday.

Rev. Wallace and Rev. D. H. Yokom, of Manchester, exchanged pulpits last Sunday.

Lela Fitzgerald attended the district meeting of the Epworth League, at Adrian, last week.

The High School ball team defeated the Ann Arbor Newsboys, here, last Saturday, 14 to 10.

Dr. Hopkins, of Hillsdale, an itinerant nostrum dispenser, made Saline an annual visit Tuesday.

Kelsey & Lampkin's mottled team ran away Tuesday, and caused a little momentary excitement.

Miss Agnes Sears has closed a very successful term of school in district number 5. A picnic was given.

Decoration day was not observed here further than by the G. A. R. going to the cemetery and strewing flowers.

The town ball nine expect to have a game here with York to-day, and the High School with Lake Ridge Saturday.

The Epworth League held a social and business meeting at the home of Miss Clara Sturm, last Tuesday evening.

Mell Bliss and Miss Myra Forbes were married last Sunday, at Milan. The former will continue in Dr. Unterkircher's drug store.

Chas. Rogers and Homer Fish have consolidated barber shops, and occupy the room adjoining the postoffice. The firm is Fish & Rogers.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church, will hold an experience social to-night at Mrs. P. W. Wrennett's. A program is provided.

George Burkhart has been appointed postmaster and now only awaits his commission before opening up business in the Davenport building.

Some very desirable improvements are being made upon our streets. The stone gutters which extend several blocks in every direction from Main street corner are being cleared of grass and debris.

The High School alumni held a business meeting Saturday evening and decided to hold an alumni banquet the day after commencement. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Idaline Webb; vice-pres., John Mitchell; sec., Miss Agnes Sears; treas., Miss Alice Sturm.

MILAN MATTERS.

Mrs. Will Guy is seriously ill.

Mrs. T. A. Miller came home from Cleveland Saturday.

O. H. Brown was an Ann Arbor visitor on Tuesday last.

Grace Debenham had friends visiting her Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Chapman of Detroit is spending a few weeks here for her health.

The Presbyterian ladies sewing circle met with Mrs. W. E. Ward, Tuesday.

Mrs. Webb Blackmer is making a short visit with friends and relatives in Toledo.

Minnie Mead and Dr. Hafford's two children are going to Albion to spend a part of the summer.

Several of the Milan young people attended the ice cream social at Kaleighville Tuesday night.

Mr. Hoecradle of Dundee is here attending his brother, Mike Hoecradle, during his severe illness.

Mrs. McLaughlin went to Petersburg last Friday to spend the following week with friends in that place.

Mrs. W. E. Ward and daughter Estella spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. C. R. Christendend, at Rawsonville.

Decoration day, Lee Denton, Horace Lewis, Fav Jackson, mounted their wheels and made a trip to Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Saline, Mooreville, and then home.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, will meet with Mrs. Fred G. T. Wilson, next Tuesday afternoon. The missionary society will meet at 2 o'clock. Supper will be served from 5 o'clock to 7. All are cordially invited to attend.

Judge Newkirk of Ann Arbor delivered a very fine address to the Milan people on Decoration Day in Gay's opera house, after which the G. A. R. marched up to the mound where the usual program was carried out of decorating the grave, firing a salute, etc.

The highwayman, who held up Bert Mead between Saline and Mooreville, was arrested by Deputy sheriff Wilcox Saturday night at the depot. He was tried by Justice Doyle, Tuesday, and discharged, to go on his way rejoicing, as nothing sufficient could be brought against him, so that he could be convicted.

The Baccalaureate address will be given by Rev. Bouck next Sunday night. The senior class day exercises will be held next week, Thursday, June 10th. Commencement, Friday night, the 11th, when Mr. H. B. Pattengill, of Lansing, will give the address. Music will be furnished Thursday night by the Adrian Quartette and the Ann Arbor Mandolin Club, and Friday night by the Ypsilanti Orchestra.

SALEM JOTS.

Chas. Gooth is now a victim of the measles.

The Maccabees meet Monday eve for initiatory drill.

Miss Ethel Doane has been quite sick with measles.

Henry Whipple is on the sick list. Dr. Waid is attending him.

The excursion on Memorial day was well represented by Salemites.

Walter White's infant child died Monday of congestion of the brain.

Fleet Smith of Whitmore Lake was a caller among friends Tuesday.

Miss Ina Stark of South Lyon has been the guest of Rev. O. M. Thrasher and family the past week.

The Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Calvin Wheeler Wednesday. Supper was served to a goodly number and a pleasant time reported.

The annual fishing party occurs Saturday, June 5th at Whitmore Lake preparations are being made to make it one of the social events of the season.

Miss Anspauch, teacher in the west district has just closed a successful term of school. The closing exercises were in the way of a school picnic, a good time for all.

Peter Coddron an old and respected citizen died at his home Wednesday, May 26th. Funeral was held from his late residence Friday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Hannaford officiating.

Memorial exercises were observed with the usual amount of interest ever taken by the citizens of this community a detail of the G. A. R. Post of Northville assisted in the ceremonies.

Jas. Robins the manager of our cheese factory reports a daily input of about 7,000 pounds of milk, which means nearly 600 pounds of cheese per day. Jim is a first class cheese maker.

Nate Caverly proprietor of the Salem House is making some much needed improvements. Nate says the latch string is on the outside and all are welcome. We can verify the statement by experiences of the past.

SHARON NEWS.

School closed in District No. 6 Friday.

Mrs. Mary Heartbeck is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. L. Kuhl.

Mrs. Hannah Bishop and Miss Jane Mount, of Jackson, are in town.

Mrs. Brunts has been confined to the house for a few days by sickness.

Mrs. Harriet Bullard, who has been absent for some time, returned here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Raymond and daughter, of Reading, are visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Bullard and son, Chauncey, were in town calling on friends last week.

James Pierce has recovered from the measles and resumed his studies at the Grass Lake High School.

Mrs. May Jones and sister, Miss Julia Vogel, of Freedom, called at E. M. Pierce's on Thursday.

Mr. Henry Sockenger, of Manchester, and his sister from Bridgewater, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Henry Trolz.

Mrs. Charles Wing, of Ludington, has returned to her home after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. John P. Mount.

School closed in District No. 2, Friday, May 28, with exercises and a picnic. E. M. Pierce, teacher. The program was as follows:

Roll call with quotations. School Song—May... Laura Lena Landwehr... Climb, Climb Away... Herbert Hahl... Jack and Jill... Charles Buss... Summer's Here... Alfred Walter... I Wish I Were a Linnel... Bertha Schlicht... Merry Little Booklet... School Recitation—The Duet... Little Boy Blue... Louis Lindbergs... How Jennie Saved the World's Fair Train... Carrie Buss... Recitation—When the Teacher Gets Cross... Edna Corwin... This is the Cake That Kate Baked... Oscar Buss... Boat Song... School Recitation—Little Tee Wee... LaVern Corwin... The Quangle Wangle Que... Cora Kuhl... Recitation—A Little Star... Herman Landwehr... Dialogue—Calico... Laura Lena Landwehr... Recitation—Eight White Horses... Edna Corwin... Spring Has Come... School Recitation—Which Way... Clara Uphaus... I'm a Little Fellow Now... Otto Lindbergs... Cora Kuhl... Recitation—Song of the Flowers... Edna Corwin... Laura Landwehr... Amanda Meyer... Hannah Walter... Recitation—The Archer... Bertha Landwehr... Telling Fortunes... Mertie Kuhl... Flag Drill... Schools... Song—Good Bye... Schools... A large number of patrons were in attendance, and after supper ice cream and cake were served.

WHITTAKER.

M. C. Doty is out of town again.

Ralph Brining has been in Toledo a few days.

Sheridan Hawkes has removed to Ypsilanti.

A good many around here are having the mumps.

E. F. Whitaker of Belleville, was in town Friday.

Art D. Bindgers returned from Toledo Monday.

Born to Mrs. Henry Walters a son Sunday, May 30.

George C. Moore is build a large addition to his barn.

W. A. Anderson is painting the Congregational church.

Miss Nellie Brining has gone to Milan to visit with her sister.

Lute Fedder was home Saturday and Sunday from Raisinville.

John Fedder and his little son are visiting friends at Monroe.

Lee Brining and Fred Fedder visited friends in Raisinville Sunday.

M. C. Peterson of Ann Arbor, was calling on friends here last Friday.

The Misses Stickers and Doty have relatives visiting them from Monroe.

John Kramer and the Gabels attended the funeral of a relative at Maybee Monday.

The Detroit & Lima Northern ran an excursion of thirteen coaches into Detroit, Monday.

Ed. E. Snowball came very near falling off the roof of his new barn Monday. So near in fact that he hasn't got over the scare yet.

YPSILANTI PLAINS.

The Woodmen organized their Lodge at Dentons last week with about 30 members.

Charles Foster is making extensive improvements on his farm in the way of fencing.

Charles Alban, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is so as to be at his work again.

Farmers in this locality are very busy getting in their corn and preparing their ground for beans.

Mrs. Nathan Burdine and daughter Myrtle, of Saline, were the guests of Mrs. Herbert K. Burrell, Tuesday.

Wirt Colby has the new wall under his house all completed and expects the carpenters to commence on the frame work this week.

John Chambers, an aged and respected citizen, of Denton, died May 22. Funeral services were held at Denton M. E. church, Rev. Wood officiating.

Mrs. Geo. W. Burrell and children, Edith and Herald, who has been spending the last two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Allen, of Willis, returned home Sunday.

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LESSON X, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JUNE 6.

Text of the Lesson, Jas. iii, 1-13—Memory Verses, 11-13—Golden Text, Pa. xxiv, 13—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

1. "My brethren, be not many masters, knowing that we shall receive the greater condemnation." The R. V. says "teachers" instead of "masters." Although the word is translated "master" about 45 out of 65 times, yet it is "teacher" in John iii, 2; Eph. iv, 11, etc. In Luke ii, 46, it is "doctors." The verb "didasko" is always translated "teach" or "taught." The injunction, therefore, seems to be that we are to bear in mind that the position of a teacher is one of such responsibility that we hardly dare covet it. Yet if our Lord choose us and send us forth, no matter in what capacity, His grace is sufficient for us. Happy are those in whom He lives and speaks. "Who teacheth like Him?" (Job xxxvi, 22.)

2. "For in many things we offend all. If any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man and able also to bridle the whole body." The R. V. says, "In many things we all stumble." And yet the ascription in Jude xxiv, R. V., is, "Now unto Him that is able to guard you from stumbling and to set you before the presence of His glory without blemish." If we would but trust Him, who alone of all men never stumbled, never sinned in thought, word or deed, He would keep us from stumbling, for He is able. "Thine is the power, O Lord." The difficulty is all on our side. He says, "I would, but ye would not."

3. 4. Here we have a great creature, the horse, managed by the driver by means of a small bit in his mouth, and we have a mighty ship managed by its governor by means of a very small helm. We might consider the smallness of that which in either case controlled the large body, or we might consider the driver or governor controlling. In Ps. xxxii, 9, we are instructed not to be like a horse or mule, without understanding, whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle. But some horses and mules have understanding, and I believe that some have more than their drivers. We are not warned against such. The great thing is to have a good governor and to be absolutely under his control.

5. "Even so the tongue is a little member and boasteth great things. Behold how great a matter a little fire kindleth." Therefore we are admonished "Keep thy tongue from evil and thy lips from speaking guile" (Ps. xxxiv, 13). And we are reminded that there is not a word in our tongue but He knoweth it altogether (Ps. cxxxix, 4). "Death and life are in the power of the tongue," therefore "whoso keepeth his mouth and his tongue keepeth his soul from troubles" (Prov. xviii, 21; xxi, 23).

6. "And the tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity, and it is set on fire of hell." Perhaps some have seen and heard fearful things from the tongue, but have not considered these things as indications of the state of affairs in hell. This is the word "ge-enna," the place of burning, and is used only by our Lord except in this one instance. "Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh" (Math. xii, 34), and if Satan has control of the heart we may expect the tongue to smell of fire and brimstone.

7. 8. While every kind of creatures can be tamed the tongue is untamable, an unruly evil full of deadly poison. This, of course, describes the worst phase of the tongue that has only the natural, unrenewed heart behind it, but the possibilities of fearful manifestations are in every unrenewed heart. Flattery, mischief and vanity, backbiting, deceit and lying, are all in a wicked tongue (Ps. v, 9; x, 7; xv, 3; lii, 4; lxxviii, 36), or in the heart that is back of the tongue, for "the heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked" (Jer. xvii, 9). And "out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies" (Math. xv, 19). This is our Lord's own testimony, and He alone knows the heart.

9. "Therewith bless we God, even the Father, and therewith curse we men which are made after the similitude of God." It does not seem possible that the same tongue could bless God and curse man. The tongue with only the natural heart back of it can curse, but the natural heart cannot truly bless God. What have we here then, a new heart which blesses God, and the old heart which is prone to cursing, and each using the same tongue? It looks even so, and, according to the Scriptures, is so.

10. "Out of the same mouth proceedeth blessing and cursing. My brethren, these things ought not so to be." These sad things are a dishonor to Christ and should not continue. If we have received the Lord Jesus Christ and have thus a new and divine nature (II Pet. i, 4) the Spirit of God, whose temple we now are, jealously desireth us and liveth in us that we may not do the things which we otherwise would if controlled by the carnal mind (Jas. iv, 5; R. V.; Gal. v, 16, 17; R. V.). Inasmuch as the Lord Jesus is able to subdue all things unto Himself and will do it in due time (Phil. iii, 21; I Cor. xv, 28), He is surely able to subdue in us, and keep subdued, even if He does not in this life cast it wholly out, that old sinful nature which was born in us. Let us yield fully to Him, crying, "Thine is the power."

11, 12. "Doth a fountain send forth at the same place sweet water and bitter? Can the fig tree, my brethren, bear olive berries? Either a vine figs? So can no fountain both yield salt water and fresh." Both trees and fountains produce only after their kind, and if our words or actions are not right before God it is because of an evil root or source or fountain within us. Jesus said that the water which He gives would be in us a well of water springing up into everlasting life (John iv, 14). He Himself is the fountain (Jer. ii, 13).

13. "Who is a wise man and imbued with knowledge among you? Let him show out of a good conversation his works with meekness of wisdom." On to the end of the chapter we have impressed upon us that the heavenly wisdom, which is none other than Christ Himself, when allowed to control us, will be first pure, then peaceable, gentle, easy to be entreated, etc. Everything like envy, strife or confusion is from the devil. According to Isa. xxxiii, 17, "The work of righteousness shall be peace, and the effect (service) of righteousness, quietness and assurance forever." Our Lord Jesus is the Prince of Peace; He is our peace; at His birth the angel said, "Peace on earth," and we, His messengers, are to preach peace (Isa. lx, 6, 7; Eph. ii, 14; Luke ii, 14; Acts x, 36), believing that the time will come when of the increase of His government and peace upon the throne of David there shall be no end; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.

THE AMERICAN CZAR.

Speaker Reed Absolutely Controls Legislation in the House.

Jerry Simpson's protest against the absolutism of the speaker of the house of representatives was ostensibly based, says the Kansas City Times, curiously enough, on an article by Senator Hoar, entitled "Has the Senate Degenerated?" From it Mr. Simpson quoted an exceedingly appropriate paragraph, reading: "The promptness with which the house of representatives deals with some important questions is a good thing, but its capacity for prompt action is purchased at the price of the repudiation of public debts and the suppression of constitutional rights, personal dignity and official authority of the great mass of its members. Gentlemen occupy seats there who from the beginning to the end of their term of service are not permitted to make a motion or to utter a word to the assembly of which they are members. Perhaps wise legislation may be secured while one house is conducted on that principle, but I am afraid free government would not long endure if it were applied to both houses."

The truth of these strong words will be readily granted by most informed men. In the effort to check filibustering and expedite business the lower house has ended by surrendering its government wholly into the hands of the speaker. Ever since Tom Reed seized the gavel and pounded out a Republican majority where there was none before the speaker's rule has been absolute.

The ordinary procedure of the speaker is to control legislation by refusing to recognize a member except to make a motion which has already been submitted to the czar and has secured his approval. Others may rise first, and they may howl themselves black in the face, but they cannot get the floor unless they have made previous arrangements.

Another plan of the speaker's has been devised this session. It is to neglect to appoint committees. Accordingly the house is not organized, and the speaker's word is law. This, as well as the other despotic features of the house procedure, falls heavily on the minority. The Democrats are scarcely treated with decency. The Populists are insulted or ignored. It is this injustice against which Mr. Simpson protests.

The point has certainly been reached where the most representative body of our congress, the chamber which, for this very reason, was given the exclusive right to initiate measures of taxation, has ceased to be a popular assembly. It is simply a machine working swiftly and silently under the perfect control of the speaker. It is the most stupendous example of boss rule in all America. In this the spirit of the constitution has undoubtedly been violated.

M'KINLEY PROSPERITY.

A Sample of the Kind of Which He Is the Advance Agent.

The Illinois Steel company has just given a striking lesson in McKinley prosperity by locking out 4,000 workmen. The motive assigned is the desire to anticipate a strike. The company has been steadily reducing wages, and consequently expected the workmen to quit. So it seized time by the forelock and locked them out.

The situation of these men is full of gloom. For several years they have worked on reduced wages. To save money for the future has been impossible. Now with their poor wives and helpless children they are turned out to beg, steal or starve.

This is McKinley prosperity. This is "opening the mills instead of the mills." This is restoring confidence. This is calming the exciting capitalists' fears so that they may not insist upon denying us the right to live. Skilled workmen are locked out of their shops. They are denied the chance to toil on half pay for a gigantic corporation that has made millions with the aid of a robber tariff. No wonder the people who see these things are testifying their rage in the great Democratic gains that have come to rebuke the "advance agent of prosperity."—Kansas City Times.

A VOICE FROM CANTON.

Why McKinley's Majority Was Reversed in His Own Town.

Canton, O., is President McKinley's home town. A municipal election was held there a few days ago, and Mr. James A. Rice, a free silver Democrat, was elected mayor. Having been asked by the New York World to explain why the Democrats carried McKinley's home town, which gave him a large majority last November, he wrote as follows:

"Failure to make good the promises made by the Republicans last fall, general suffering and distress among the laboring classes, inability to do a prosperous business on 'confidence,' have caused people voting for McKinley for president to realize that the interests of the masses and classes are not mutual so far as Republican rule is concerned."

"This causes the falling off in the Republican vote from last fall and the general Democratic victories throughout the country. People now believe that a change of conditions can be accomplished only by restoration of bimetalism."

Chicago Reputated Hanna.

Chicago did even better for the good cause than was expected. The 50,000 plurality which McKinley had in November has entirely disappeared, and in its stead is a Democratic plurality of 75,000. These figures even do not express the full disgust of the people with "prosperity's advance agent." Out of 800,000 votes cast, the regular candidate of the party, which won last year on false pretenses, got only 61,000; so that the great lake city repudiates Hanna and his work by four to one.

Humbog Rebuked.

The result of the elections in Ohio exemplifies the truth of the saying that you cannot fool the people for very long on any particular question and proves also that the humbug about the advent of prosperity with the return of the Republicans to power is at last thoroughly understood.

GOOD ROADS ECONOMY.

Costs More to Maintain Mud Roads Than Well Built Highways.

Governor Mount of Indiana enunciated some wholesome truths on the road question in his inaugural address. He said in part: "Good roads are essential to our highest development socially, intellectually and financially. Many counties in our state, actuated by a commendable spirit of progress, are rapidly improving the highways. In the near future some of our counties will have a complete system of free gravel roads. The main thoroughfares in these counties, having been graveled and received by the county commissioners, are kept in repair at the county's expense. The supervisor, being thus relieved from care of the main thoroughfares, is enabled to concentrate the labor and tax at his disposal upon the lateral roads; hence all will soon be improved."

The economy in road improvement will soon be demonstrated by the fact that the counties having the best roads will maintain them at less cost than the mud roads, with all their inconveniences, are maintained in their wretched condition. The work required by law of able-bodied men, together with the road tax, gives to the road supervisors of our state the expenditure, in money and labor, of a vast sum. Much of this is wasted by reason of incompetent management. The railroad tax for highway improvement in some road districts of our state is so manipulated by the road supervisor that the money inures more to his benefit than the improvement of the thoroughfares. In some instances in our state a brokerage business is carried on, and money is made out of trafficking in this road tax.

While some of our road laws need reforming, the manner of their execution needs revolution. When competence is made the test in selecting supervisors and taxpayers see that they discharge their duties, we will find some improvement in our highways without additional tax.

CONVICT LABOR ON ROADS.

Would Not Compete With Free Labor if Worked on the Highways.

The only way prisoners can be employed without competing directly with free labor is to put them to work on public improvements that could not be constructed for years to come but for the utilization upon them of labor of this sort, says the Chicago Record. In this way there may be secured improvements of inestimable value for all time that the public might not have felt warranted in constructing under other circumstances. There is no doubt that good roads would be worth almost any amount to a community, but it is practically impossible to get taxing bodies to take from the people the sums necessary for their construction.

Making of good roads would be in many respects ideal employment for a portion of the state's convicts, and the proposition so to employ them has been revived in New York. The chief objection to the plan, peculiarly enough, is a sentimental one. It is argued that the popular sense would revolt at the sight of convicts under guard at work in the presence of the public. This objection has same weight, but it should not be made to appear insuperable.

THE OUTLOOK BRIGHT.

The Year 1897 Promises to Be Notable in Highway Improvement.

It becomes more and more apparent that what was formerly a public request for good roads is now becoming a public demand, says The L. A. W. Bulletin. Where the people were once satisfied to make a suggestion they are now disposed to dictate. What is good for everybody nobody should oppose.

It is now pretty well understood that good roads are the most economical investment a people can put their money in. How to improve the public highways is now the topic of discussion. There is no longer any question that they should be improved.

The already overtaxed farmers are beginning to look upon the securing of good roads as a local means of increasing their welfare rather than as something to add to their present heavy burden of debt. There is a getting together of all the forces interested in the subject that warrants the prediction that 1897 is to be a notable year in highway improvement. The lawmakers and the roadmakers are being encouraged by all classes and ages to do something of a practical nature.

COUNTRY ROADS.

The Vast Majority of Them Are Simply Stretches of Dirt.

For 100 years or more newspapers, philosophers and political economists have vainly tried to convince the tillers of soil that they, more than any other class of people, were directly, vitally and pecuniarily interested in making and maintaining country highways over which heavy loads and light ones could be drawn without the expenditure of an unnecessary amount of costly strength.

The farmers studied tax rates and either would not hear or would not heed any statistics whose bearing was less immediate, though not less obvious. The vast majority of rural roads continued to be stretches of dirt, made into dust by the sun, into mud by the rain and always enforcing the truth that the distance between a farm and a market depends more on the nature of the road connecting them than on the number of miles separating them.—Wheeling Register.

Burned Clay.

A writer in the Davenport (Ia.) Leader advocates burned clay as a road material. He says that he has seen a railroad track "ballasted" with the clay simply put on like ashes, and the surface was so hard that it was impossible to force one's heel into it. It seems, he adds, a simple solution of the road material problem, good and cheap.

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Lot number five in block number two in the Village of Salem, according to the recorded plat thereof, also lots number one and two in George S. and Samuel C. Wheeler's addition to said Village of Salem, according to the recorded plat thereof, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the East front door of the Court House in the said City of Ann Arbor (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said county is held) on the third day of August, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

"You don't half appreciate the beauties of Ann Arbor until you have lived in other college towns," is the verdict of Prof. Lawrence McLouth, formerly instructor in German in the University, but now a professor in the College of the City of New York, and also of Alexis F. Lange, '85, now Associate Professor in the University of California, who have been shaking hands with old friends in the city for the past few days.

Mrs. Angel gave a farewell party last Saturday evening to the members of the Sorosis society of which she is a patroness.

Mr. Harry Nichols, a former Ann Arbor boy, now working in Chicago, is spending a few days with his mother at her home on Church street.

Mrs. Waldron, of State street, gave a delightful luncheon for ten ladies last Saturday noon, as a farewell for her friend, Mrs. Angell. The tables were beautifully decorated, the prevailing colors being purple and white. The ladies present were: Mrs. Angell, Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. D'Ooge, Mrs. Freer, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mrs. Sherman, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Pond, and Miss Pond.

Monday being a vacation day for business men as well as students, made the road to Whitmore Lake a popular one for those owning bicycles, and before the day was over a large number had found their way out there. The fact that so many go where the roads in their present state make wheeling something more than mere pleasure, surely augurs well for the success which will be accorded the new path on which work has already begun.

A most original idea in the way of entertaining was successfully carried out at the Baptist church last Friday evening, by the committee having the social in charge. Beyond providing a pleasant time, the main object of the social was to create a desire in the minds of all who attended, to take the trip to the National convention of the B. Y. P. U., which is held in Chattanooga, Tenn., some time in July. The different rooms of the church parlors had been fitted up to represent some of the different resorts to be found about Chattanooga, and each of the guests, having been given a program in the form of a mileage book, chose which trip he or she cared most to take. Mammoth Cave was, on the whole, the most popular, and guides, with lanterns, were kept busy leading parties of tourists up precipices, and down ravines, from the Bottomless Pit to the Star Chamber, most of the evening.

One of the jolliest banquets in the history of the year was enjoyed at the Woman's Gymnasium last Tuesday evening by some 175 members of the Choral Union. Conventionalities were thrown aside and every person seated at either of the two long tables went in for a good time. Probably in order to give the boys a chance to tell their best stories to as many interested listeners as possible, each young gentleman after every course was requested to pick up his glass and napkin and progress two seats toward the left. Whatever the reason was, the result of the progressive scheme was certainly a success, and the future of yearly banquets is assured. After the banquet, Profs. Du Pont and Stanley gave short talks and then dancing became the order of the evening and it was not until a late hour that the strains of the last waltz were heard.

Children, as well as grown folks, are cordially invited by the ladies of the Congregational Church to come to the Experience Social next Thursday evening, June 10, and hear the men as well as the ladies do their best at relating the experiences they have undergone in order to earn an extra dollar. The Sunday School autograph quilt with which the children have raised over fifty dollars will be shown, ice cream and cake will be served and for an admission fee of only ten cents you will hear some stories of real and thrilling experiences well worth listening to.

The last Faculty concert of the year was given at the School of Music last evening and a large and appreciative audience were present to enjoy it. With the exception of Prof. James, who will spend his summer in New York, all of the rest of the musical faculty will pass their vacation abroad. The invitations are out for a large reception and musicale to be given to-night in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Angell, by Prof. and Mrs. Lombard, at their home, Blythcroft, on the Oxford road. Also, in honor of Mrs. Angell, the members of the Browning club, with whom she has been reading tea at winter, were invited to an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. Pettee one day last week.

Mrs. Otis Johnson gave an informal "come and bring your sewing" to a number of her friends last Thursday afternoon.

Some time ago THE DEMOCRAT announced a social, to be given in the near future at the Presbyterian church, which was to be entirely in the hands of the young men. Well, the time came last Friday evening and a grand success the boys made of it. Now this week the girls are to have charge, and so anxious are they to excel the entertainment of the boys, and give a social

which will be a surprise in every way, that they have taken a vow of secrecy and not a hint can be gathered as to what plans they have laid. To which ever side belongs the honor of being the best entertainers, will be decided by the judges at the close of the social tomorrow night, and until that moment the boys will rest secure relying on their success of the past, while the girls will leave nothing undone to bring a greater success out of the future.

In honor of Miss Margaret Douglas of Washington street, whose marriage to Howard Dement, of Lansing, is to take place later in the month, Miss May Cooley gives, on Thursday noon of next week, a luncheon for twelve young ladies.

Owing to a misunderstanding over the time of the meeting the number of women who gathered at the gymnasium Saturday afternoon to form an alumnae association was comparatively small. However a beginning was made and permanent organization of the women of Ann Arbor was decided upon for the purpose of keeping the graduates in closer touch with each other here and elsewhere. As a means of welcoming any former students who may return during commencement it was agreed to give a breakfast in the Woman's gymnasium on the morning of June thirtieth. After this followed the election of officers. President Mrs. J. T. Sunderland; vice-president, Mrs. Scott; secretary, Mrs. Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. Walker; corresponding secretary, Miss Gibbs.

Over thirty of the young people of the High School enjoyed the Anniversary Hop of the A. T. O. fraternity which was held at Grangers last Friday night. Mrs. Spence and Mrs. Hutchins were the chaperones of the evening.

Miss Edith Noble of Division st. is entertaining her friend Miss Letty Stevens of Albion, N. Y. this week.

Death of Mrs. W. B. Smith. Departed this life at her home in Ann Arbor, May 29, 1897, Mrs. Sarah F. Smith, beloved of Dr. W. B. Smith, aged 58 years, 1 month and 11 days.

Mrs. Smith was born in Palmyra, N. Y., April 17, 1839, where she spent the happy days of her childhood, and in 1854 came with her mother and brother to Michigan—married to Dr. W. B. Smith in 1863, with whom she lived in loving and helpful companionship until called to the higher life. In early life she gave herself to the thoughtful study of religious truths, and early identified herself with the church of which she remained a faithful member during life. Her life and its ministrations among the sorrowing and needy around her, will be remembered by the many whom she cheered along the pathway of this life, and her death is mourned by a large circle of friends who had known and loved her many years. A great many friends gathered at her residence, May 31st, to pay their tribute of love and respect to her devoted life, and after a brief but touching funeral service all that was mortal was laid away to wait the resurrection of the just. To her husband and only daughter she leaves the heritage of an earnest, conscientious christian life, and to her neighbors an example worthy of imitation. This world was blessed in her life, and heaven is richer because she has entered in to claim the promise of Him who said "be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life." W. H. BARRAM.

The School of Music.

Following is the list of Graduation and Pupils' Recitals to be given in Frieze Memorial Hall. The public is cordially invited to attend:

- Friday, June 4, 8:00 p. m., Flora Koch (Voice). Monday, June 7, 8:30 p. m., Berthel Wetmore (Voice). Tuesday, June 8, 4:30 p. m., Mary LeBaron (Piano-forte). Tuesday, June 8, 8:00 p. m., Pupils' Recital (Piano-forte). Wednesday, June 9, 4:30 p. m., Pupils' Recital (Organ). Wednesday, June 9, 8:00 p. m., Frederic Danzinger (Voice). Thursday, June 10, 4:30 p. m., Pupils' Recital (Voice). Thursday, June 10, 8:00 p. m., Esther R. Soils (Voice). Friday, June 11, 4:30 p. m., Martha Clark (Piano-forte). Friday, June 11, 8:00 p. m., Emma G. McAulaster (Voice). Saturday, June 12, 4:30 p. m., Pupils' Recital (Violin). Saturday, June 12, 8:00 p. m., Pupils' Recital (Organ). Monday, June 14, 4:30 p. m., Ross Spence (Violin). Monday, June 14, 8:00 p. m., Concerto Evening (Piano-forte). Tuesday, June 15, 8:00 p. m., Graduation Exercises.

Gruner-Strom.

Mr. Leo Gruner and Miss May Strom were married at the residence of Rev. W. L. Tedrow, at noon on Wednesday. Rev. Tedrow performed the ceremony. Miss Emily Gruner acted as bridesmaid, while W. W. Wedemeyer took the part of best man. The groom is a son of Mr. Leonard Gruner, and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Tedrow. They will be at home at 28 N. Fifth Ave., after July 1st.

The New House Numbers.

The Ann Arbor Mfg. Co. will furnish the city the house numbers required by the renumbering ordinance for \$3.40 per 100. The Eberbach Hardware Co. for \$5.00 per 100, and Robert Hunter for \$2.47 per 100. The board recommends that Mr. Hunter be given the contract. The figures will be of aluminum.

CHANGES IN THE UNIVERSITY.

An Important Meeting of the Board of Regents.

The Board of regents met to-day and transacted important business in executive session. The budget for 1897-98 was adopted and appointments for the coming year made. The budget amounts to \$418,545. Victor H. Lane, of Adrian, was appointed Fletcher professor of law at a salary of \$2,500 in place of Prof. Griffin, resigned, and Jas. H. Brewster, professor of law at the same salary. H. L. Wilgus and E. F. Johnson were raised from assistant professors to professors. Judge McAlvay, of Manistee, was made professor of law for half time. Prof. Mechem received a raise in salary to \$3,000, and will remain in Ann Arbor instead of moving to Detroit and becoming a non-resident professor as he had intended. Albert N. Farrah was appointed instructor in law. A new chair was established in English philology and general linguistics. Prof. Geo. Hempf was given this professorship at a salary of \$2,500. This is a chair which has long been needed, and one which will prove of great value to students of comparative philology. Prof. C. G. Taylor was made superintendent of shops in the engineering department, and responsible to the dean only. It was voted to keep the hospitals open during the summer, and R. N. Gordon was made house surgeon with Chas. B. Goss, house physician. W. A. Spitzley, of Detroit, was made assistant in the subject of surgery.

Dr. Martin, Professor of Diseases of women and obstetrics, was granted leave of absence for next year at the meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday, on account of ill health. Dr. Lynds will take his position during his absence, and Dr. Lahnis has Dr. Lynds' former position. Harry Clark was appointed superintendent of the hospitals.

Annual Pioneer Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Pioneer and Historical Society of Washtenaw County will be held in the Opera House in Saline on June 9, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. A large attendance is expected and the hospitable people of Saline and adjoining towns are making arrangements for the meeting and will welcome all the old settlers of the county and their sons and daughters, and furnish them with a bountiful dinner.

Judge W. D. Harriman, of Ann Arbor, will deliver an address on the life and character of Ex-Gov. Alpheus Felch. Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti; Jessup Wood, of Lodi; Wm. H. Davenport, of Saline, and J. W. Wing, of Soio, and others will also deliver addresses on pioneer life and read biographical sketches of some of the well known pioneers who have recently passed over the river.

Music by the Saline quartette. Ann Arbor, May 20, 1897.

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They Go To Church.

The G. A. R., S. of V., W. R. C. and Company A. M. N. G., attended religious services at the M. E. church, Sunday forenoon and listened to an appropriate sermon by Rev. B. L. McElroy. Dr. McElroy chose as his text the expressive words of a portion of the 126th Psalm, "They that sow in tears shall reap in joy."

Cut Out the Rye.

One of our prominent millers has the following to say:

During the past two or three years there has been considerable trouble in state caused by rye getting mixed in wheat. A large quantity of wheat that would otherwise be of fine quality is utterly ruined for milling purposes by the rye that is mixed through the grain and many a dollar is lost to farmers that might easily and readily be saved by the exercise of a little care during the next thirty days to cut the clusters of rye out of the wheat fields.

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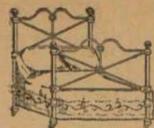
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- Men's Suspenders, Silk Embroidered..... 8 cts
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- 25c Men's Working Shirts, good weight,... 18 cts
- 50c Men's Extra Heavy Working Shirts... 39 cts
- 25c Boys' Percalé Waists..... 18 cts
- 20c Best 4 ply Linen Collars, all the Newest Styles..... 11 cts
- 25c Best 4 ply Linen Cuffs, all Styles..... 17 cts
- 50c Men's Night Shirts..... 39 cts
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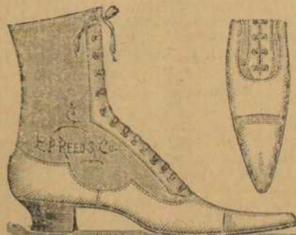
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 Seats to match above racks, with and without boxes for rubbers, etc., prices, **\$3.00 to \$12.75**

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YOUR PARLOR SUIT—Does it begin to look shabby? Buy a new one, a beauty, at \$21.00
 The frames are birch finished mahogany, the coverings are different colorings of figured corduroy; spring edge on each piece, high backs; in fact six good big pieces. It's a desirable suit at a very desirable price..... **\$21**

\$24.00 Buys a beautiful six-piece suit, with either oak frames finished antique, or with birch frames finished mahogany. These suits are upholstered in crush plush, with silk plush bands, or in silk tapestry. There are no two pieces of the same color in any of these suits. A critical examination of the quality of the goods used, and of the workmanship will convince you that the equal was never shown in the city at less than \$33.00. Our price..... **\$24.00**

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- Iron Beds from \$3.75 to \$13.00.**

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EARTH IN A TREMOR.

SHOCKS ARE FELT IN TWELVE OF THE STATES.

High Building Sway and in Some Cases Chimneys Fall—No Great Damage Done, but Many Persons Are Stricken with Terror.

Washington, June 1.—What is supposed to have been an earthquake shock was felt here at 1:59 p. m. yesterday. It lasted about fifty seconds and caused chandeliers to sway and floors to tremble perceptibly. It was noticed at the Capitol, in the telephone exchange and several of the high buildings. The weather and naval observatory have recording instruments. A watchman at the observatory said that the shock lasted nearly a minute. The self-recording instrument at the weather bureau showed that the disturbance began at 1:58 1/2 and lasted five minutes. The movement was from south to north. The shocks were felt in Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, North Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana.

Shock Buildings and Rattled Windows. Baltimore, June 1.—A slight earthquake was felt here shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was not noticeable except in the high buildings, but in these distinct vibrations were felt, lasting about five seconds.

Pittsburg, June 1.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here at 1:51 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was not or was quite perceptible in high buildings and lasted nearly a minute.

Richmond, Va., June 1.—An earthquake shock which lasted a few seconds was experienced here about 1:30 p. m. yesterday. It shook buildings and rattled windows, but no damage was done. The people in many buildings were badly frightened.

Two Shocks at Clarksburg, W. Va.

Clarksburg, W. Va., June 1.—A severe shock of earthquake was felt in this city at 2:02 p. m. yesterday lasting twelve seconds, and followed by a second shock, milder and of shorter duration. The most substantial buildings in the city rocked perceptibly, and some of the occupants were unable to keep their feet. This was the first earthquake reported here since the memorable Charleston quake in August, 1886.

Wheeling, W. Va., June 1.—At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a distinct earthquake shock was felt all over Wheeling and in the surrounding towns. No damage was done so far as could be learned. The quake lasted about thirty seconds and was violent enough to shake brick buildings slightly.

Huntington, W. Va., June 1.—A distinct shock of earthquake lasting ten seconds was felt here at 2:08 yesterday afternoon. It was felt generally throughout southern West Virginia from west to east.

SCARED THE HOLIDAY MAKERS.

Quiver Was Felt All Over Ohio, Causing a Panic at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, June 1.—Special dispatches to The Times-Star report an earthquake felt distinctly all over Ohio. Shortly after 1 o'clock the earthquake was felt here and in the suburbs. The printers ran out of The Times-Star office. Occupants of other buildings were alarmed, and at Coney Island, Chester Park, the Zoological gardens, and elsewhere there was consternation among the holiday crowds. At the lagoon on the Kentucky side there was a panic among several thousand people on the grounds. The waters in the lagoon were so rough that the life saving-crew went to the relief of those out in the electric pleasure boats.

Zanesville, O., June 1.—The earthquake shock was felt here at about 1 p. m. yesterday. The Courier building of four stories exhibited decided vibrations. To such an extent was this noticed and experienced that employees on the fourth and third floors deserted, hurrying below greatly frightened.

Winston, N. C., June 1.—Three severe shocks of earthquake were felt here at 2 p. m. yesterday. Wild excitement prevailed, but no damage was done.

Asheville, N. C., June 1.—At 1:59 p. m. yesterday an earthquake shock very perceptibly shook Asheville. Hundreds of occupants of buildings ran into the streets. No damage was done.

Atlanta, Ga., June 1.—A shock of earthquake was clearly felt here at 1 p. m. yesterday. The trembling was not severe and there was no excitement.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 1.—A distinct earthquake, shaking buildings and rattling windows, was felt here at 1:55 p. m. yesterday. It was as severe as that of August, 1886.

Knoxville, Tenn., June 1.—Two distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in Knoxville yesterday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock. The shocks were general throughout the city, although many people did not feel them. Reports vary as to the length of the shocks, some claiming that they were at least a half minute in length. Several large buildings were shaken and two chimneys fell. Reports from all over eastern Tennessee indicate that in places the shock was felt stronger than in Knoxville.

Louisville, June 1.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt in this city shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. No damage was done. The shock lasted about five seconds. The vibrations passed from south to north, and were felt at Lexington and other points in this state.

Indianapolis, June 1.—At 1 p. m. yesterday a slight earthquake shock was felt here. The shock was most noticeable in the fire tower and high buildings.

JOHN F. JOHNSON SENTENCED.

The Indiana Bank-Wrecker Gets Ten Years in the Penitentiary.

Indianapolis, May 29.—Ten years in the penitentiary. That is the reward Jno. F. Johnson has earned by robbing and wrecking the State National bank, of Logansport. Judge Baker pronounced the sentence yesterday morning on a plea of guilty by the prisoner. Johnson's wife, devoted in time of trial, was present, and neither she nor her husband showed signs of emotion. Mrs. Johnson was heavily veiled, however, and her face could not be seen. Johnson will doubtless prove a model prisoner, and in doing this will reduce his time to about seven years. The court room was crowded during the pleading and sentence and the chief culprit had to sit by and see a number of ordinary criminals get their deserts, one getting a year for passing five counterfeit dimes.

THE WORK IN CONGRESS.

Synopsis of the Proceedings of the National Lawmakers.

Washington, May 29.—The senate yesterday sent to the committee on continental expenses a resolution of Tillman to investigate whether this senate and the senate of 1894 had sold out to the sugar trust. Tillman made a characteristic speech, taking for his base charges made by special correspondents. Thirteen pages of the tariff bill were disposed of, the committee amendments being agreed to everywhere.

Washington, May 31.—The senate Saturday appropriated \$10,000 for the destitute at El Paso, Tex. The tariff bill was taken up and during the debate Morgan severely criticised the house for being under "one-man power," as he held. He was called to order for violating a fundamental parliamentary law against criticizing a co-ordinate legislative body. Only one page of the tariff bill was disposed of in the plate glass schedule.

Washington, June 1.—There was a good attendance on the floor of the house and in the galleries yesterday, notwithstanding the outside attractions. On account of the day the Republican leaders had requested the Democrats to permit a recess until today. Several Democrats objected, but a motion by Dingley to adjourn to today was carried without any business being done. The session did not last half an hour. The Democratic objectors to adjournment wanted to hold the Republicans to their semi-weekly session policy.

Washington, June 2.—The senate reached the metal schedule in the tariff bill, making good progress and the Republicans have a majority on all votes. Smith of New Jersey denounced the newspaper charge as false that he had speculated in sugar during the pending of the tariff bill. Pettigrew introduced a bill to have a popular vote in 1898 on free silver and the election of the president and senate by popular vote.

The house passed bills appropriating for a deficiency in the government printing office and authorizing the secretary of the navy to hire any ships to take corn to the destitute in India. The conference report on the sundry civil bill was adopted and the balance of the day was devoted to debate on the policy of holding but two sessions a week and not appointing the committees.

NOTABLE ATHLETIC EVENTS.

Yale Rows Away from Wisconsin—Naval Cadet Victory Over "Penny."

New Haven, Conn., May 31.—Yale won the two-mile boat race from the University of Wisconsin on Lake Saltonstall Saturday afternoon by about three lengths in 10:54, the Wisconsin eight finishing ten seconds behind. From start to finish the visiting crew gave Yale a good battle. Both eights rowed evenly, Yale spurring ahead as soon as Referee Richards' pistol shot was fired and never being overtaken, although the Yale stroke was lowered during the last half mile and the Wisconsin crew decreased the distance between the two boats by half a length.

Annapolis, Md., May 31.—The naval cadet crew won the boat race from the University of Pennsylvania crew by seven lengths. Cadets' time, 13:17; University of Pennsylvania, 14:15. The race started at 6:30 p. m.; distance two miles. The water was very rough, the Pennsylvanians catching several "crabs," while the cadets never missed a stroke.

Detroit, May 31.—The second annual dual field and track athletic meeting between the University of Michigan and the University of Chicago was held at the Detroit Athletic club grounds Saturday afternoon and resulted in an overwhelming victory for Michigan by a score of 94 points to 46.

PRESBYTERIANS GET THROUGH.

Shortest Session of the General Assembly in Eight Years.

Eagle Lake, Ind., May 29.—The Presbyterian general assembly, which adjourned last night, was the shortest session in eight years. In spite of the desire to finish up its business last night there was little unusual haste, and the record of the debate on temperance in the afternoon showed that it was ready to defer adjournment, if necessary, in order to attain a suitable and reasonable decision of the questions that remained to be decided. The proceedings of the day were important, the final disappearance of the question of assembly control of theological seminaries being not the least significant of the assembly's general attitude.

The business done during the day may be summarized as follows: Statement in favor of the banishment of liquor selling from government buildings, and approval of every legitimate effort to suppress the liquor traffic; third Sunday of October set apart as temperance day; the assembly laid on the table the matter of the use of wine at the Princeton alumni banquet; a petition to allow a colored church in Texas to join an Arkansas presbytery was decided in the negative, because it tended to recognize color distinctions in the church.

Frightful Coaching Accident.

New York, June 1.—Five young people were killed and a number of others injured in an accident which occurred yesterday afternoon at Valley stream, Long Island. A trolley with a party of twenty-one excursionists from the Greene Avenue Baptist church, Brooklyn, which started out for a day's outing through Long Island, was struck by a train on the Long Island railroad at the Merrick boulevard crossing, and these were instantly killed: George F. Ashley, Jr., William Gilchrist, Jr., Winslow Lewis, Lester W. Roberts, and Miss Dora Burtch—all of Brooklyn.

Indianapolis Road Race.

Indianapolis, June 1.—Elmer Pierce, of Brazil, won the time-trial bicycle race, doing the course—13:25 miles—in 35:45. The race was won by Harry Gordon in 37:59, from a five-minute start. The road was bad, and the time-prize winner performed a great feat.

Chicago Road Race.

Chicago, June 1.—W. D. Smedley, Calumet club, won the Chicago road race. E. Sickles, Morgan Park, was second, and W. Roeder, Calumet, third. Time of winner, 1:07 1/2. It was the eleventh annual road race of the Associated Cycling clubs.

Howard Mann Wins the Handicap.

New York, June 1.—Howard Mann won the Brooklyn handicap yesterday by two lengths: Lake Shore, second; Volley, third. Time, 2:09 1/2.

STATE NEWS NOTES.

MICHIGAN ITEMS WHICH WILL BE OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Short Review of the Work of the State Solons at Lansing—Other News of Interest from All Over the Great State Reported by Telegraph.

Lansing, Mich., May 29.—At midnight, yesterday, amid great confusion, the Michigan legislature ceased transacting legislative business after nearly five months' session. Many of the so-called reform measures, fathered chiefly by the political friends of Governor Pingree, were left in committee, together with many bills of a more local character. The final formal adjournment will be on Monday. Last night Governor Pingree sent a final message to both houses, urging the recall of the Merriman bill for increasing the taxation of railroad earnings and the passage of a substitute which shall be more adequate to accomplish the purpose intended.

Accompanying the message was an estimate of the state railroad commissioner, showing that the increase in taxes under the bill will be but \$155,700. The governor also submitted a brief which tends to show that the act in question is illegal, being "an attempt to usurp the power of congress to regulate and tax commerce among the states and with Canada." The governor urged the passage of an act against which, at least, no legal objections could be raised. The senate refused to take any action on the governor's message. Accordingly both houses adjourned at midnight.

Lansing, Mich., May 31.—The members of the legislature kept up until a late hour their revelry incident to the closing of the business Friday night. During the celebration a valuable portrait of General Lafayette, which hung on the senate walls, was greatly damaged, a couple of books having been thrown against the canvas, tearing it in two places. The elegant glass doors of the senate chamber were broken and the walnut desks were defaced with a carpenter's hammer.

Comedian Comes Near Death.

Mcunt Clemens, Mich., May 29.—Robert Gaylor, the Irish comedian, was overcome by gas at a bathroom and was unconscious two hours before he could be moved. In spite of repeated warnings to guests at all the bathrooms not to turn on mineral water unless an attendant is present, many people suffer the penalty every season of trying to gratify their curiosity. Gaylor had taken his bath and then turned the faucet and allowed the clear mineral water to run over his neck and chest, the result being that he almost lost his life.

Had a Fight with a Porcupine.

Niles, Mich., May 29.—Nolan H. Breece and A. M. Perry, residing near this city, had a desperate fight with a porcupine which they finally killed, and they now have the carcass on exhibition. The animal has been annoying farmers hereabouts for over a year and many attempts were made to kill or capture it. Breece and Perry came on the porcupine accidentally and the animal gave them a great fight, inflicting severe wounds on both men. No one knows where the porcupine came from.

Managed to Sever His Windpipe.

Marquette, Mich., May 28.—William Fitzpatrick, a section foreman for the D. S. & A. railroad, living in Au Train, thirty miles east of here, attempted suicide. Fitzpatrick, who was bossing a gang on the track, walked away a short distance and pulled out his pocket knife and slashed himself seven times across the throat, the last time cutting the wind pipe. He failed to kill himself outright, but he is very low and his attempt has every chance of being successful.

Horsewhipped a Minister.

Metamora, Mich., June 2.—Rev. Dr. W. H. Flint was horsewhipped on Main street by Arthur Brownell, who alleges that Dr. Flint made statements reflecting upon his character, resulting in divorce proceedings. Mrs. Brownell died before the matter came to trial. On her deathbed, it is said, Mrs. Brownell accused Dr. Flint of making these statements. Brownell attempted to have Dr. Flint contradict them, but the latter denied circulating them and refused to retract.

May Be the Chicora.

St. Joseph, Mich., May 31.—What may prove to furnish the location of the Chicora or some other steamboat was found twelve miles in the lake by the tug Sir Arthur. A spar in the water was struck. An attempt was made to pull it out, but it was so fast to something under the water that the attempt was fruitless. It was in 220 feet of water, was painted black and about forty feet long. An investigation will be made.

He'll Never Go Back to Detroit.

Detroit, June 2.—Charles H. Smith has returned to this country. On May 14, 1890, Smith, then a prominent business man of Detroit, mysteriously disappeared. His estate was probated June 19, 1890, and he was declared legally dead. He is alive at New York. Financial reverses drove him away from here and he says he will never come back to Detroit. Smith was formerly a member of the firm of Pingree & Smith.

Pingree Asks a Legal Opinion.

Lansing, Mich., June 1.—Governor Pingree has requested an opinion from Dean Hutchins, of the law department of Michigan university, as to the constitutionality of the Merriman bill to increase taxes upon railroad earnings. The governor must sign or reject the bill by June 5, and he is undecided what to do about it. Its chief alleged defect is that it is in conflict with the interstate commerce law.

Murdered Man's Body Identified.

Newport, Mich., June 1.—Theodore J. Moeller arrived from Cincinnati Sunday and immediately positively identified the body of the man found on the beach Friday as that of his father-in-law, John Koller, the missing Cincinnati merchant. He will take the remains home. Moeller feels certain that Koller was murdered.

Minister Angell Goes to Washington.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 28.—President Angell has left for Washington in obedience to a telegram received from the state department. The summons was entirely unexpected, and its nature is unknown. It is rumored that Dr.

Angell will be ordered to depart for Turkey sooner than he expected, probably within a few days.

Cowardly Murder in Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., June 1.—Richard Palmer applied to Alexander Boulton, an aged citizen of Newberry, Luce county, for employment, and being refused drew a dirk and stabbed Boulton, who died shortly after. Palmer had a hard reputation and recently served a jail term for wife beating.

State Notes.

Four years ago Mrs. William Nunn, of Bay City, Mich., sent a letter to her son William, the musician and minstrel, who was then in Australia with a circus. A few days ago the letter was returned with twenty-six postmarks, yellow but still intact. It had been returned from Australia to London, via San Francisco and had traveled many thousand miles. Mrs. Nunn died two years ago.

Reports from several states indicate that the Detroit Republican League convention will be the most successful in the history of the league.

Fred Kellogg, of Holland, Mich., a painter by trade, has become totally blind as a result of having imbibed a half-pint of wood alcohol.

Little 7-year-old Albert Yankovick, who disappeared at Chertobogon, Mich., two weeks ago, has been found dead twelve miles from home, horribly mutilated. One arm and leg is eaten off. He was carried away by a bear.

MAY WITNESS EXECUTION.

Durrant's Mother Would Be Near Him at the Final Moment.

San Francisco, June 2.—The main incidents of the Durrant tragedy Tuesday was a visit paid him by his mother, who informed him of the governor's refusal to interfere with the sentence. Durrant lost his self-control entirely and wept like a child.

He was removed from his cell and placed in the chamber of death, as it is called, where he will remain until the end. The announcement that Mrs. Durrant would attend the execution has excited an extraordinary amount of comment. She still maintains her determination to be near her son when the final moment arrives.

Interstate Commerce Commission.

Chicago, June 2.—The interstate commerce commission, in all its glory, began a session in the United States circuit court room at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, with numerous complaints, counter complaints and alleged violations of the interstate law upon its docket. A numerous crowd of railroad magnates filled the room when the gavel struck. Chairman William R. Morrison, Judge Yeomans, and C. A. Prouty of Vermont sat in a stately row. Stenographers clustered to the right and left, lawyers blinked along the front row and the whole court room had all the appearance of a most important trial. So many cases, the commissioners say, are on the list that the session will last for ten days or more.

Tennessee's Celebration.

Nashville, Tenn., June 2.—The 101st anniversary of the admission of Tennessee into the Union was appropriately celebrated at the Tennessee centennial exposition Tuesday. The programme of the day began with a parade through the principal streets, two battalions of the National guard, state of Tennessee, escorting Governor Taylor of Tennessee, Governor Russell of North Carolina and Lieutenant Governor McSweeney of South Carolina and their respective staffs, and other invited guests to the exposition grounds. The parade was witnessed by thousands of people.

Largest Swing Bridge in the World.

Chicago, June 2.—The largest swing bridge in the world will soon span the drainage canal at the Panhandle railroad right of way. W. M. Hughes, the chief of the bridge department of the sanitary district, has started his draughtsmen at work upon the plans of the mammoth structure. Some idea of its immensity may be gained from the fact that 3,500 tons of steel alone will be used in its construction. This weight is more than twice that of the present largest swing bridge in America.

Golden Jubilee Celebration.

Philadelphia, June 2.—The American Medical association began the celebration of its golden jubilee Tuesday and will continue four days. The convention was called to order by the president, Dr. Nicholas Senn of Illinois. Members and their wives to the number of over 3,000, had registered. Mayor Warwic welcomed the association on behalf of the state. After the committee on arrangements had reported, President Senn delivered his annual address.

Modern Woodmen.

Dubuque, Ia., June 2.—The head camp of the Modern Woodmen was called to order at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday by Head Consul Northcott. The address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Duffy; response by the head consul. The convention then appointed committees on resolutions, elections, order of business, salaries and compensation, appeals and grievances. After the transaction of minor business the convention adjourned until the afternoon.

International Chess Match.

Washington, June 2.—Picked chess-players of the house of representatives and the British house of commons, the one party in this city and the other in London, began yesterday an international chess match by cable. Before play began Speaker Reed and Speaker Gully, of the respective legislative bodies, exchanged telegrams of amity and good will. The first winner was Plunkett, an English player.

Ten Per Cent. Reduction.

Pittsburg, June 1.—A 10 per cent. cut in wages affecting men not under the Amalgamated scale was ordered at Jones & Laughlin's American Iron works Tuesday. As a result the open hearth workers and some other employes, in all about 200, refused to go to work. The firm employs nearly 3,000 men.

Steamer Ohio Disabled.

Cleveland, O., June 2.—The steamer State of Ohio of the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit line broke her machinery off Ashtabula Monday night and became helpless. She was loaded with holiday passengers, who became badly frightened. Help was summoned from Ashtabula and the steamer is now being towed into Cleveland by tugs.

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Calendar table for June 1897 showing days of the week and dates.

HISTORY OF A WEEK.

Thursday, May 27.

William Johnson and a man named Schaffer were instantly killed and others seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill at Glenhazel, Elk county, Pa.

Obituary: At Owensboro, Ky., Dr. F. J. Kimbly, late surgeon general of Kentucky; At Mobile, Ala., Mrs. Janie Graham Russell. At London, Baron Monk-Bretton, 72.

James McNaspy, once a prosperous broker of Berlington, Kan., and prominent in state politics, has been sentenced to nine years in the penitentiary for forgery. He is said to have realized \$10,000 on forged notes.

The body of John Hoover, a missing sheep herder, was found about two miles from a ranch near Miles City, Mont., with two bullet holes through his body, and his dog was killed by his side, both being killed by Indians.

The seven-story warehouse belonging to the Johnson Chair company, at Chicago, burned. Loss, \$55,000; insurance, \$40,000.

Friday, May 28.

A French cyclist named Garaud, a plumber by trade, recently rode around the coping of a house in course of construction for a wager. The coping stone was barely two feet wide, and was about fifty feet from the ground.

The St. Onge and O'Neill Dry Goods company, of Providence, R. I., has assigned. The paid-in capital stock is about \$20,000, while the liabilities may reach \$70,000.

Trainers of prize fighters can not look to the California courts to assist them in the collection of training fees. Judge Seawell, of San Francisco, so decided in the suit of J. J. Rauer against Thomas Sharkey.

Marquis Ito says Japan would not "have Hawaii if it could be had for the asking."

Saturday, May 29.

William T. Powers and John Lattimore, both colored, were hanged in the county jail at Chicago. They were both found guilty of murder, their victims being men.

Obituary: At Calumet, Mich., Rev. W. A. Haunsberger, 72. At Glencoe, Ill., Miss Laura A. Newbury. At Terre Haute, Ind., John H. Williams. At Charlotte, Mich., Benjamin Stewart, 89.

A hundred thousand dollar set of emeralds will be Queen Victoria's present from the czar and czarina.

James G. Blaine, son of the late secretary of state, is being treated at the Keeley institute at West Plains, N. Y.

WOMAN SUSPECTED OF MURDER.

Charge Is That Her Husband Was the Victim Nearly Two Years Ago.

Rock Island, Ills., June 1.—Mrs. Osbar, wife of Hans Osbar, a prominent German citizen of Davenport, is under \$3,500 bonds here charged with arson. She was the wife of the late Adam Alday, of Moline, whose residence was destroyed by fire in January, 1896. Alday died in October, 1895, in a somewhat mysterious manner. Joseph Kipp, also under arrest, has confessed to setting fire to the Alday homestead. He says that he did so at the instigation of Mrs. Alday, who promised him in payment a Jersey cow and \$40.

Alday's sons, William and Edward, have started suit to break their father's will, alleging that he was not in his right mind when it was made. They also allege that his death was caused by poison, placed in his food during his illness. Adam Alday was wealthy. His body may be exhumed in an attempt to prove the sons' allegation. Startling developments are promised.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

Chicago, June 1. Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today: Wheat—July, opened 67 1/2c, closed 67c; September, opened 66c, closed 66 1/2c. Corn—July, opened 23 1/2c, closed 23c; September, opened 24 1/2c, closed 24c. Oats—July, opened 17 1/2c, closed 17c; September, opened 17 1/2c, closed 17c. Pork—July, opened \$7.95, closed \$7.87 1/2; September, opened \$7.97 1/2, closed \$7.92 1/2. Lard—July, opened and closed \$3.60; September, opened and closed \$3.70.

Produce—Butter—Extra creamery, 15c per lb.; extra dairy, 12c; fresh packing stock, 6@7c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 8 1/2c per dozen. Live Poultry—Turkeys, 7@8c per lb.; chickens, 7c; ducks, 7@8c. Potatoes—Burbanks, 19@24c per bu. Honey—White Clover, 11@12 1/2c per lb. Butter—No. 2, 22c; common to fancy, \$2.00@2.50 per bbl.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 1. Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 16,000; sales ranged at \$2.25@3.50 pigs, \$3.45@3.65 for light, \$3.30@3.40 for rough packing, \$3.47 1/2@3.65 for mixed, and \$3.45 @3.62 1/2 for heavy packing and shipping lots. Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 2,000; quotations ranged at \$5.15@5.45 for choice to extra shipping steers, \$4.60@5.10 good to choice do., \$4.25@4.80 fair to good, \$3.85@4.30 common to medium do., \$3.70@4.20 butchers' steers, \$3.60@4.15 stockers, \$4.10@4.60 feeders, \$2.60@4.25 bulls, oxen and stags, \$3.20@4.50 Texas steers, and \$3.50@6.10 veal calves. Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 11,000; quotations ranged at \$3.50@4.80 western, \$2.70@4.20 Texans, \$2.50@4.90 natives and \$3.25@5.50 lambs.

Milwaukee Grain.

Milwaukee, June 1. Wheat—Lower; No. 2 spring, 71c; No. 1 northern, 75c; July, 67 1/2c. Corn—Dull; No. 3, 22 1/2c. Oats—Higher; No. 3, 20@21c. Barley—No. 2, 22c; samples, 26@30 1/2c. Rye—Dull; No. 1, 35c.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, June 1. Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red cash elevator, 81 1/2c bid; track, \$2@84c; July, 69 1/2c bid. Corn—Firm; No. 2 cash, 22c; July, 21 1/2c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 cash, 18c bid; July, 15 1/2c bid. Rye—Nominal; 82c track.

Detroit Grain.

Detroit, June 1. Cash white, 77c; cash red, 75 1/2c asked; July, 70c bid; September, 67 1/2c.

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LOCAL LINES.

Rev. B. F. Aldrich will have charge of the Tuesday afternoon Bible class at the Y. W. C. A. during the month of June.

The death of Emerson Blood, for many years a resident of this city, occurred at his home on Chicago ave. last Friday.

The Ypsilanti Dairy Association takes in 35,000 pounds of milk daily, which is the largest average of any dairy association in the United States.

Three little girls have been run over by bicycle "scorchers" during the last two weeks. Is it not time that the authorities look after this "scorching" business.

The graduating class in the Ypsilanti high school numbers twenty-five. Commencement exercises will be held on the evening of June 18, and class day exercises on June 17.

The marriage of Charles E. Hendrick, of Ishpeming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hendrick, of this city, to Miss Ida L. Moag, will take place on Wednesday, June 9, at Rawsonville, N. Y.

A letter received from a missionary in Corea, speaks in the most flattering terms of Minister J. M. B. Sill, and states that he has given more encouragement and help to the missionaries than any other minister ever sent to that country.

Mrs. C. S. Barrett has sold her farm of 130 acres known as the DeNike farm, to Mr. A. Beyer of New Philadelphia, Ohio, a resident of this city 40 years ago. Mr. Beyer was a buyer in good earnest this time, as he also purchased the Hemphill farm of 55 acres, and will again become a resident of Ypsilanti. At present he is taking baths at the mineral bath house.

The annual election of officers of the Y. W. C. A. took place last Monday night. President, Mrs. Nellie D. Yerkes, re-elected; vice president, Mrs. Guy Davis; secretary, Miss Sue Ainsworth; treasurer, Miss Grace Sage, re-elected. New members of the board of managers, Mrs. E. Samson, Mrs. Wm Gardam, Mrs. Gaston, Mrs. Hodge, Miss Swift and Miss Strong.

The members of the G. A. R. and the Light Guards attended morning service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. The church was handsomely decorated with palms, flags and flowers, and the music was exceedingly fine. "To Thee O Country," was given by the whole choir, and "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by a quartet of girls. The address by Rev. Robert K. Wharton, was pronounced one of the finest ever delivered in this city on such an occasion.

Following is a list of the teachers to be employed in the Ypsilanti city schools next year: High School, Austin George, A. M., M. P. D., supt.; A. R. Crittenden, A. B., principal; Helen A. Rice, B. L., preceptress; De Forest Ross, Angeline Wilson, Kate A. Arnold, Hattie Culver, and Kate Cherry, Grades, Ella Spencer, Belle Kennedy, Carrie Havens, Lillian Schlee, Myrtle D. Wortley, Estelle Baker, Mina Bordine, Maude Fraser, Lillian Eadus, Anna McDougal, Emma Holbrook, Lutie Densmore, Carrie Steffy, Carrie Read, Estelle Collins, Alice Beini, and Anna Chalmers.

The death of Mrs. Mary A. Thompson occurred last Saturday afternoon, at the home of her son-in-law, Chas. L. Stevens. For several years Mrs. Thompson has been in delicate health, and during the last month her decline has been rapid. Mrs. Thompson has been a resident of Ypsilanti almost constantly since 1836, and since the death of her husband eight years ago she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Stevens. Five children survive her: Mrs. Margaret E. Benedict, Mrs. C. L. Stevens, Fred L. Thompson, of Victor, Col.; John J. Thompson of Jamestown, North Dakota; and H. D. Thompson of Moline, Ill. Funeral services were held at the house Tuesday afternoon.

At the special meeting of the Common Council, Tuesday evening, a petition from the Ypsilanti League Wheelman asked permission to build a cycle path within the city limits, beginning west of the water tower, at the point where Ellis street crosses the car track, extending west to the city limits; said path to be of gravel, six feet wide, parallel with the car track, the nearest edge of the path to be 35 feet from the center of the car track. Referred to the committee on streets and tracks, to report at the next meeting. A petition was received and granted, that the Congress street bridge, approaches, and the street opposite the Fifth ward park be sprinkled by the street sprinkler, at the expense of the city. Health officer Batwell reported the general health of the city to be in a most satisfactory condition. The Board of Health has made its usual inspection, and the hardest work they had to do was to find anything to find fault with, the condition of the sidewalks in the city not coming under their jurisdiction.

The 40th anniversary meeting of the Home Association, was held in the Presbyterian church, Tuesday afternoon. In her report of the year's work the president, Mrs. John Gilbert, stated that the total amount spent in aiding the poor during the past year was \$416.35, the number of families helped being 145, the largest number of any year since the existence of the association. Among the most faithful workers in the organization are Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. Wm. Cheshire, who have been connected with it for over 15 years. The funds are raised by membership fees of \$1.00 per year, by the Thanksgiving collection from the churches, and by donations of money, food and clothing. Contributions of second-hand clothing are gratefully received. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Mrs. John Gilbert, pres.; Miss C. S. Weed, 1st vice pres.; Mrs. M. B. Fairfield, 2d vice pres.; Mrs. H. E. Dickinson, 3d vice pres.; Mrs. Florine Yost, recording secretary; Mrs. Abigail Van Fossen, treasurer.

Real-estate.

Following the wedding of Mr. Emery Beal of Ypsilanti to Miss Minnie Jenkins of Portland, comes the double wedding of Mr. Beal's two sisters Phoebe and Alice which occurs at the family home in Northville on June 10th a. m. Miss Phoebe Beal will become Mrs. Ralph Horton of Detroit and Miss Alice Beal becomes Mrs. Prof. Thos. Clemo of Bellaire.

PERSONAL.

Miss Ella Spencer visited in Detroit over Sunday.

Robert L. Spencer is spending the week in Detroit.

D. C. Griffen spent the first of the week in Buffalo.

Miss Mary Shaw has been seriously ill for several days.

Miss Allie Steever spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

Wm. M. Gregory of Jonesville, is in Ypsilanti this week.

Miss Edna Barnum was home from Jackson over Sunday.

Mrs. McPetridge and daughter visited in Ida, Mich., last week.

Rev. B. F. Aldrich delivered the Memorial Day address at Orion.

Mrs. Fred Williams of Detroit visited Ypsilanti friends over Sunday.

Capt. Allen gave his lecture on Lincoln in Dexter last Sunday p. m.

Will S. Carpenter and Don Lawrence are spending the week at Base Lake.

Prof. Fred L. Ingraham delivered the Memorial Day oration at Dundee.

Mrs. J. P. Vroman returned Monday night from a ten days' visit in Detroit.

Mrs. Adaline Greene is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. R. Bishop, in Cadillac.

W. S. Whittlesey of Clinton visited at the home of O. A. Ainsworth last week.

Miss Leah Spencer came home from Detroit Friday night, returning Monday p. m.

Mrs. Frank Simons has returned to Detroit, after spending several weeks in this city.

Messrs Vandemark and R. J. Hill of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Dr. L. D. Coombs.

Mrs. P. W. Corne has gone to Lake Geneva, Wis., where she expects to spend the summer.

Prof. Minor C. Baldwin of New York City was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Deubel the first of the week.

S. E. Jacobs, editor of the Brighton Argus, was the guest of L. H. Metras Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holmes spent last week in Charlotte, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Bastian Smits.

Miss Mary B. Wood will occupy the position of first soprano in the Presbyterian choir this summer.

Miss Wilkinson of Marquette, who has been visiting Miss Caddie Sanders, left Tuesday for Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Wilbur and son of Charlotte are visiting Mrs. Wilbur's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, this week.

Prof. Oscar Gareissen has been able to meet his classes this week, having recovered from a two weeks' illness.

Frank McKinstry acted as "best man" at the wedding of Miss Minnie Jenkins and Mr. E. R. Beal, at Portland, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Katherine Campbell came home from Southfield, Ind., Monday night, and will spend the summer with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell.

Miss Higley, Miss Strong and Mesdames Ainsworth, Holmes, Wilcox and Wood attended the foreign missionary meeting of the Jackson association of Congregational churches, at Chelsea, last Wednesday. Mrs. Angell, the state president, met with the association for the last time before going to Turkey. She was presented with a bouquet of beautiful roses from the association.

Normal Commencement.

Following is the program for commencement week at the Normal, the exercises lasting from June 18 to 24.

SUNDAY, JUNE 20. Meeting of the Students' Christian Association, 9:30 p. m. Baccalaureate Sermon—Rev. R. K. Wharton, 8:00 p. m.

MONDAY, JUNE 21. Conservatory Recital, 9:00 a. m. Junior Class-Day Exercises, 9:30 p. m. Normal Choir Concert, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22. Conservatory Recital, 9:00 a. m. Senior Class-Day Exercises, 11:30 a. m. Reminon of Former Classes, 2:30 p. m. Alumni Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23. Commencement Exercises, 9:00 a. m. Address by Prof. R. M. Wenley, "The Teacher's Safeguard," 8:00 p. m.

A banquet will be held, at the close of the Commencement exercises, in the gymnasium, tickets to which may be purchased for 50c each.

When John Wesley Was in America. Few people know that John Wesley was ever in America. Few know that it was he, and not Robert Raikes, who established the first Sunday school in the world. It was John Wesley who preached the first Methodist sermon delivered in the United States. In The Ladies' Home Journal for June, Rev. W. J. Scott will tell in the "Great Personal Events" series the story of "When John Wesley Preached in Georgia," which is said to be one of the most interesting narratives in this most successful series.

Real Estate Transfers.

Chas. Faultie by extr. to Samuel Faultie, Ann Arbor, \$ 9,000

Martin Minor to Bradley Way, Bridgewater 750

John E. Perry & w. by sheriff to E. S. Worden, Salem, 2,414.16

F. W. Schlade to Frances M. Hamilton, Ann Arbor, 325

Anna Christensen et al to Chas. F. Meyer & w., Ann Arbor, 420

J. Schrader by grdn to Chas. F. Meyer, Ann Arbor, 140

Margurite Holt to Willard E. Holt, Augusta, 1

W. E. Holt to L. H. Vedder, Augusta, 300

Almira Hill to John F. & M. E. Maier, Chelsea, 485

Chas. K. Adams to Ellen G. Butts, Ann Arbor, 1,600

Darwin Nelson to Elizabeth Waters, Salem, 723

Darwin Bainbridge to Lydia Walter, Bridgewater, 1

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People calling on their merchants for trading stamps, please remember to call for your stamps when you pay for your purchase and receive them with your change, thus saving the merchant or his clerk an extra trip to the cashier's desk to get them for you.

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Nervous and Weak

and life seemed a burden. It happened that my husband bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and I commenced to take it in small doses. In a short time it was evident that it was helping me. In two weeks I felt that I was being greatly benefited. About this time our youngest son, then 15 years of age, was taken down with typhoid fever. He passed on to his reward, and soon others of the family were taken ill, until I was the only one left to care for them. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and to the surprise of myself and all the neighbors, I not only kept up and took care of the sick, but my

Health Continued to Improve.

For nearly three months this siege of typhoid fever held the family down. All this time, as by a miracle, my health kept up and I grew stronger. At present I am feeling well and know that the benefit derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla is permanent. Other members of the household have since taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills with good effect." Mrs. REBECCA PLACE, N. Sixth St., Goshen, Ind.

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Advertisement for Mummery's Orange Phosphate and Orange Ice Cream Soda, including a testimonial and address.

Advertisement for Schaller's Bookstore, listing various books and stationery.

Advertisement for The Democrat newspaper, listing subscription rates and contact information.

Large advertisement for the Big Bicycle Race Meet at Ypsilanti, including details about the event, prizes, and admission.

THE DEMOCRAT

Friends of The Democrat, who have business at the Probate Court, will please request Judge Newkirk to send their Printing to this office.

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.

The Epworth League "picnicked" at Cascade Glen Monday.

Mrs. Hazlett was the guest of Col. and Mrs. Dean during her stay in Ann Arbor.

The big bicycle race meet occurs at Ypsilanti next Thursday and Friday. It will be the event of the season.

Geo. W. Bullis has just completed the erection of one of the handsomest monuments in Forest Hill cemetery.

State street people have arranged for street sprinkling. As State street is in the dry end of town this is a proper move.

The game between the A. A. Browns and the Normals at Ypsilanti Monday resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of the Ann Arbor team.

Bonds were offered for one of the Richards suspects Tuesday, but they were refused by the circuit court on the ground of insufficiency.

Judge Newkirk delivered the memorial address at Milan, Monday, to an audience that was too large to be accommodated in the opera house.

Inspector-General Case will inspect the Light Infantry Tuesday evening, June 22. Captain Gardner, 19th Infantry U. S. Army, will assist General Case.

The popular Wayne Hotel, Detroit, will be headquarters for a large number of Michigan Shrines during the meeting of the Imperial Council, June 7th to 10th.

Judge Newkirk has been called to Buffalo, N. Y., on business and consequently will not be in his office on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Lawyer Butterfield is piloting the M. C. Ry. Co. through the pitfalls of a \$50,000 damage suit at Jackson. The suit is brought on account of the death of Engineer Peppitt.

Mrs. Hallock has begun the erection of another new house on the corner of Hill and State streets. This makes the fourth house she has built on that property within a year.

Chas. Sauer has moved the old house on the corner of Jefferson and Fifth ave. to the rear of the lot and is remodeling the same. This leaves a desirable building site on the corner.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will give a lawn social Friday June 11th at the residence of W. C. Stevens, 18 N. Ingalls st. The proceeds go towards furnishing the new Y. M. C. A. building. Everybody invited.

Glenn Trowbridge has made restitution of the funds stolen from the Ann Arbor postoffice. Of the amount \$250 was government funds which went to Postmaster Beakes. The remainder is paid out to claimants upon proper proofs submitted.

The U. of M. was in it all along the line at Detroit, Saturday. The ball team licked Illinois with a score of 5 to 3, and the score on general athletics stood Michigan 93—Chicago 45. This victory will help to grease up the sore spots made earlier in the season.

Paul G. Sukey has returned from Sicily where he has been for some time settling the estate of an uncle. Mr. Sukey is enjoying the best of health and spirits and says that Mrs. Sukey has greatly benefited by the warm southern climate and change of scene.

Richard Hamilton, of Lima, Ohio, a colored junior dental student at the University, is under arrest on the charge of indecent exposure. At the hearing before Justice Pond Wednesday, he waived examination and was bound over to the next term of court in the sum of \$300, which he cannot give.

The Forty Hours Devotion will begin at St. Patrick's church in Northfield next Sunday morning. Rev. Fr. Kelly, of this city, will open the services, and his own pulpit will be occupied on that day by Rev. Fr. Goldrick, of Northfield. The neighboring priests will continue the services, which are to close Tuesday.

The men's meeting at Y. M. C. A. rooms next Sunday, at 2:45 p. m., will be conducted by the wood-workers of the Association. Every wood-worker in the city is respectfully invited to be present and help to make the meeting a live-awake one. This meeting is not limited to wood-workers, but all classes of men are invited.

Arthur Hagan, who has been a suffering invalid from chronic rheumatism for years, started a little grocery store in a little room on Depot street one year ago with a capital of only one dollar and a half. He has now a stock of goods amounting to \$800 and all paid for. Arthur may well feel greatly elated over his wonderful success.

The second Everybody's Social of the Y. M. C. A. was another great success. In spite of the chilly weather about 350 persons were present and an enjoyable evening was spent. The program was praised by all, each person being called back. The music furnished by Becker's Band was the main attraction of the evening. This band deserves much praise, and people of Ann Arbor should be proud of it and encourage the boys in their good work.

Dr. Martin contemplates spending a portion of his year's rest on the Sandwich Islands.

Dr. A. S. McGuire of Detroit, was the guest of his parents Mr and Mrs. Hugh McGuire of N. Main st., over Sunday.

The artistic display of wall decorations, papers, artists' materials etc., at C. H. Major's show windows is evidence of the quality within.

Bach & Butler have secured the agency of the National Bicycle Protective Company, which insures bicycles against theft for \$2 per year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Granger will give a dancing party at the academy next Saturday evening. All former pupils and friends are invited to participate.

The Marshal has served notice on those property owners who are in the habit of dumping refuse in the street, that they must refrain from this practice in the future.

Three of a kind are hard to beat, but officer Ambruster landed two out of three drunken tramps, who were making more noise, on Detroit street, Tuesday night, than the law allows. Justice Gibson gave them ten and fifteen days, respectively, close companionship with Billy Judson.

Geo. Angell and Clara Benjamin, of Ypsilanti, secured a license to wed, yesterday, and Justice Gibson tied the knot, in the Clerk's office, while the license was yet hot. Capt. Schuh did the honors of the occasion, and kissed the bride without changing a shade of the color in his rosy countenance.

A meeting is called to meet at the County Clerk's office at four o'clock this afternoon, to consider the matter of a Fourth of July celebration. It will be a lasting disgrace if we have not enterprise enough in Ann Arbor to let our children see a genuine Fourth of July celebration once in a decade.

Herman Bucholz stored his skin so full of Dutch disturbance Tuesday night that the quiet and orderly life of Ann Arbor became too tame for him. Officer Ambruster bagged the game and Justice Pond let him off upon paying costs and receiving for \$14 worth of good advice.

It was Dr. Carrow's turn this week to drop in and settle with Justice Pond for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk. The Dr. is president of the bicycle club, but the justice did not take cognizance of this fact when he assessed the ordinary penalty for "first timers," \$2.70. The doctor, who does business in such close proximity to THE DEMOCRAT that he cannot escape the force of its salutary teachings if he would, evidently has not profited by the gospel that goes forth weekly from this office for the nominal tax of \$1.00 per year.

THE NEW LIGHTING PLANT

Will be a Desirable Acquisition to the Mechanical Plant on the Campus.

The new electric lighting plant for which the legislature has appropriated \$20,000 will be located in a room in the new boiler house which was designed for that purpose when the building was constructed three years ago.

As at present contemplated the specifications will provide for two 60 Kilowatt dynamo for lighting purposes and one 500-volt dynamo for power purposes. This latter will displace three engines now in use in the laboratories. A small plant at the hospital will also be provided for and one of the engines displaced by electricity in the physical laboratory will be used to run it. The campus will be lighted with arc lights and the buildings with incandescent lamps. The new plant will be of inestimable value to the instructors in the engineering courses. With the campus brilliantly lighted the opportunities for nest hiding within its generous shade will be perceptibly diminished.

Wants to Know.

Gov. Pingree was in town Tuesday in consultation with the law faculty concerning the constitutionality of the Merriman railroad bill, which Railroad Commissioner Wessellius has pronounced unconstitutional. The Governor wants to know before he signs it.

Found the Kid.

M. C. Peterson followed H. L. Cone, who deserted his wife in this city a few days since, taking their baby girl with him, to Columbus, O., where he recovered the child, and restored it to its mother.

Ever have your bicycle stolen? Bach & Butler will insure it against theft for \$2 per year.

If you are going to paint your house inside or out, better get some estimates at C. H. Major's.

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Ann Arbor Markets.

Corrected regularly to Thursday of the current week.

Table with market prices for various goods like Apples, Corn, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Onions, Potatoes, Butter, Honey, Tallow, Lard, Pork, Beef, Chickens, Hides.

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At Staebler's Art Store

You will find the celebrated Florentine Art Goods, etchings, photogravures, unmounted photographs and every thing in the art goods line. We also have the finest stock of picture frame moulding in town and we can make you an elegant frame on short notice. Wall paper Yes, we have it in all styles and quantities from 3 cents a roll up. Decorating? Yes, we have an established reputation in that line and can refer you to a long list of the best residences in Ann Arbor that we have decorated. We will paint your house, too, or if you want to paint it yourself we will sell you the paint to do it with. Best Linseed Oil, 40 cents per gallon.

STAEBLER'S ART STORE, 25 S. Fourth Ave.

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A new, modern 9 room house for \$2,500. B, care DEMOCRAT.

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A good house, with all modern improvements, located on a full lot within less than block of campus, can be had for \$3,000 if taken soon. Address "A," care DEMOCRAT.

The best tonic in the world is a pure wine. Try some of the pure home-made grape and berry wines for sale at 24 West Washington street. 43-44

Bicycles cleaned, repaired and enamelled at Wenger's, 8 North Fourth ave. 42-44.

Go to Davis & Seabolt's, 38 S. Main street, for everything new and fresh in groceries and provisions. Headquarters for strawberries, the finest in the city, at reasonable prices. How would you like a Silver spoon with every box of soap you buy? Come and get one and then you will know whether you will want more or not.

If you want to be in line, ride the Elgin, \$50 to \$125, highest grade wheel in the world. W. J. Wenger, 8 North Fourth ave. 42-44

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Cement walks and all kinds of cement work constructed in a first-class manner at reasonable prices.

S. W. PIKE, 15 Miller ave.

The old reliable Phoenix bicycle is just what its name implies—its a bird J. E. Harkins sells them at 28 East Huron street. 41tf

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2 Special Gingham Drives

1000 Yards 25 cent Scotch Zephyr Ginghams

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You will find these two offerings specially desirable.

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Mills & Co.,

20 South Main St.

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FOR THIS WEEK



WE offer you one lot of 200 pairs of Ladies' Fine Turn Oxfords, Black Vici Kid, and Ox-blood, New Coin Toe, (exactly like cut) worth \$3.00,

This Week \$1.98

Ladies' Black Vici Kid Lace (coin toe)..... \$2.98 Ladies' Chocolate Kid Lace (coin toe)..... \$2.98

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