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Ann Arbor, Mich.

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For a \$500,000 corker the Merrimac does not seem to have been a startling success.

THE DEMOCRAT is now at home to its friends at 125 N. Main street—the opera house block.

Those who would succeed politically in Washtenaw should take the precaution to secure the enmity of the Register.

If Spain didn't find her lost honor in the bottom of Manila bay she might perhaps discover it along the coast west of Santiago.

AFTER some months of patient and searching investigation, Pearson's Weekly has discovered that there is a split in the Republican party.

Now that the Fourth of July and the battle of Santiago have come and gone the next big event will be the bombardment of Manchester by the Dutch on August 18.

If the city could make some worthy person a present of the boilers which are being removed from Main street the expense of operating the stone crusher might be avoided.

THE Massillon brick with which it is proposed to pave Main street are scheduled tenth in the abrasion test of the Detroit board of public works. Their resistance to absorption must be still lower.

It is to be hoped that our Republican architects will carefully refrain from mentioning the collapse of Joe Leiter's wheat deal while they are erecting the platform upon which the g. o. p. will subside into "innocuous desuetude" this autumn.

Gov. PINGREE says that the Republican party is the roosting place for all of the corporations and trusts that are bleeding the country. In that case the Governor will feel a little out of his class when he renominates himself as the candidate of that octopi breeding stripe.

REFORMERS of the "Voice" stripe are like the benevolent bear in the fable, who watched over the slumbers of the sleeping hermit, and, seeing a fly light on the holy man's nose, took his measures against the disturber by giving it a vigorous slap of his paw, which unluckily smothered the hermit. Like this in the tender care which these fellows exercise over public morals.

AND when it comes to beaching boats Cervera is a bright particular star.

WHILE the man from Kalamazoo may be a dead duck, he will undoubtedly prove a big load to Pack.

NEXT to July 4, 1776, July 4, 1898, will be recorded in history as the most memorable day in American history.

It is undoubtedly the strong religious convictions of the Spanish people that prompts them to baptize their war ships on Sunday.

Now that the anti-Ping fusilliers about the state are beginning to capitulate we may expect to hear something drop in the vicinity of the Ypsilanti train.

ALBERT PACK is the latest Republican candidate for the United States Senate. The Republican party has a penchant for selecting millionaires, or the tools of millionaires, for senatorial honors.

THE Spanish waiships are all of French construction. They have offered but slight resistance to American gunnery. This causes some people to think that possibly the French are not up-to-date in naval construction. If this is the case the French navy would last as long under the fire of English guns as a snow ball in the realm of his satanic majesty.

The question of territorial expansion may well wait until the directions in which we may find feasible opportunity for that diversion are more clearly defined. At present public sentiment upon that question is badly mixed. When Spain is subjugated and the time for settlement is at hand the conditions upon which settlement may thus be made may reverse the opinions which many now hold upon either side of the question.

JACKSON Republicans have given it out cold that Senator Judas Iscariot or Campbell must be renominated or Washtenaw county will not get the nomination. They figure that as Jackson has 26 votes in the convention to Washtenaw's 23 they can insist on a tried and true anti-Pingree candidate and give Billy Judson the laugh. And Billy thinks that for Republican politicians in a Democratic county they are making an unnecessary amount of noise.

It may be noted that the tried military commanders in the American army are very few in number. The majority of the men holding high commands in the regular army have reached distinction through the channels of routine promotions since the civil war. Their experience as military commanders has been that of chasing marauding Redskins and their mettle in modern civilized warfare remains to be proven. If they prove as capable as the naval officers the country will have cause for congratulation.

It would be well for the officers of the district schools of Washtenaw county to consider the provisions of the Graham-Forsythe Normal Text Book bill. It will be necessary for each school district in the county which has not already done so to vote at some regular or special election before the first day of next January to adopt free text books or to remain under the present system. In default of electing to pursue one of these methods the districts will come under the uniform text book act which is essentially vicious. It means that the selection of the books will be taken out of the hands of the hands of the local authorities to whom it properly belongs and be vested in a central board at Lansing. Argument is unnecessary to show that this would be a most unsatisfactory method.

#### DINGLEY'S DEFICIT.

The Dingley bill was passed for the alleged purpose of providing sufficient revenue to run the government and to bring an overplus of prosperity. Taking from the revenue account the money received from the Union and Kansas Pacific debt settlement and from the sale of the war bonds prior to July 1, and deducting from the expense account the extraordinary war payments in the last three or four months of the year, the fiscal operations of the government show a deficit of \$43,166,162.

The economists who framed the Dingley bill are want to use some very disrespectful language when speaking of the Wilson law which preceded it. Yet their effort makes a very poor comparison with the showing of the Wilson law for the preceding two years, considering that it was the free trade deficiency that the Dingley law was designed to overcome. For the fiscal year 1896 the deficiency was \$26,042,242, and for 1897 \$18,623,108, better by \$1,000,000, in round numbers, in 1896 and by \$25,000,000 in 1897.

#### THE FREE PRESS AND DEMOCRACY

It is indeed a cause for sincere regret with us, that in their recent deliberations the Democracy of Michigan did not frame a declaration which would meet the exacting standard of the Free Press code of political ethics. A due regard for the large volume of music which that organ contributes to the political chorus, guided by considerations of common prudence would certainly have brought about this, (to the Free Press) desirable result.

It may be thoughtlessly objected that the Free Press is a journal of no political principles—at all events no Democratic principles. But this does not fairly describe the situation. As well say that a horse dealer is a man of no horses. The horse dealer, it is true, has no particular attachment to his horses, no desire to retain them. He takes them only to part with for a profit. He buys, sells, changes and swaps. And so it is with the Free Press. It is a journal of all principles, with strong predilections for financial ones. Its guiding spirits possess the versatile faculty of adapting to the questions of the hour, from their varied assortment, principles whose advocacy is calculated to induce a restful and self complacent feeling of don't-giveadamitiveness in the business office. And, taking this view of the influence and usefulness of journalism the Free Press is extremely fortunate. Like the Irish worthy, who, when upbraided for selling his country, replied, "And thanks be to Heaven I have a country to sell," the Free Press has a stock in trade which, if properly handled, will form a most continuous and, possibly, satisfactory source of revenue.

And who will question the right of the Free Press to label its present "convictions" Democratic? It matters not if they contain naught of the homely teachings of Jefferson. It is of no consequence that they are intended to promote the welfare of the hereditary enemies of popular Democracy. It is equally immaterial that these "convictions" spring from a deep and abiding sense of duty to the private interests of the wealthy stockholders of the Free Press company. The Republican supreme court of Michigan, while laboring under the influence of an acute spasm of partizan idolatry, has said that the Free Press and its following of 6905 worshippers of the golden calf are the Democratic party of Michigan. Though the effect of this decision is to make political outcasts of the 236,994 Democrats who followed the banner of the Democratic organization of the United States in 1896, the supreme court has said so, and, as the supreme court is a bigger institution even than Hazen S. Pingree its dictum will have to stand. Did the supreme court adjudge Mark Hanna to be a Democrat of unimpeachable antecedents it would be useless to question its findings.

So there is "law" if not reason to support the claim of the Free Press to prescribe the conditions of fellowship in the Democratic party of Michigan. The relative importance of the Free Press contingent to the Democratic party now marshalled under the leadership of Justin R. Whiting, with reference to the politics of the future, may be likened to a little, wheezing, puffing, snorting harbor tug and a great ocean liner. The sphere of the tug is limited and local. It must keep close to shore. Within its narrow environment it is useful but not indispensable. It owes its origin and derives its income from temporary service to the larger craft. While the ship may be freighted with precious humanity and the valuable merchandise of distant climes the tug perhaps bears a pilot who is familiar with the tortuous channel which leads to some particular wharf or the harbor master with authority to select the anchorage of the visitor. The comparative insignificance of the one and the noble proportions of the other may be accentuated by the fact that the tug is equipped with a louder and more penetrating whistle than the ship. But all this does not matter. This is not the first instance in history where a tail has been engaged in an endeavor to wag the dog unfortunate enough to be attached to it. As the Free Press speaks from under the wings of the supreme court and with the assurance of one accustomed to the exercise of authority it is really too bad that the Democratic party was so inconsiderate as to wholly ignore the gyrations of its erstwhile caudal appendage.

PROF. E. L. WALTER whose tragic death on the French liner Bourgoyne is recounted in another column was one of those kindly, unassuming men who are universally loved and respected.

#### SNAP SHOTS.

AFTER much earnest solicitation the press club has prevailed upon George Pond to adjourn that banquet until cooler weather.

It is hardly necessary to state that the removal of the Times to North Main street had nothing to do with the stopping of the court house clock.

The close attention which Seward Cramer is giving to Lansing exchanges these hot July days leads to the conclusion that he has a passing interest in the capitol city.

During the removal of the Times office to the opera house block this week the committee on transportation lost a box of Liseimer's editorials. Finner will put out red flags and notify the board of health.

People living in the eastern part of the city are remarking the great profusion and variety of new plants which Oliver Martin is cultivating in his suburban garden and the really small amount of attention required in their propagation.

Clay Green, the farmer who lives eight miles west of Ypsilanti on the electric road, has just returned from a business trip to the northern part of the state where he has been to dispose of a corn crop that he is raising. Green's corn is especially adapted for use in the northern climate.

An old couple were coming in from the country a few days ago when a city youth whizzed by on a bicycle. "There goes another on them things," said the old lady. "You see a coat tail, get a whiff of cigarette smoke and that's all their be to 'em."

Speaking about the new stamp tax on bank checks, it was the custom before this tax was repealed in 183 to have check books with the stamp printed upon each check. H. W. Hayes of the Michigan Central has one of these books on the First National bank of this city with a few checks remaining.

Alderman Coon of this city lived, when a boy, neighbor to the Shafter's at Kalamazoo, and knew the general well. Luke Shafter, the general's father, was a wealthy farmer whose eccentricities made him widely known. William did not have a penchant for the hard work of the farm in his boyhood days and enlisting in the Union army early in the civil war remained in the regular service after the war was over.

Herr Cramer and Signor A. Knight Haller, more or less intimately connected with the blizzard department of the Times, made a sortie on the banks of the raging Huron Monday, as the cager demonstration to Schley's achievement off Santiago the day before. The press censor will not permit a publication of the full list of casualties, but we are at liberty to say that the dead have been decently buried and that the injured are convalescent.

A travelling eye fakir of evident Tuetonic origin cornered Deputy Clerk Blum in the court house the other day with his wares and the following colloquy ensued. "I hear you haf sometimes some headache, Meester Plum." "That's right sir," was the reply. "I can fix you," said the fakir. "It's your eyes. You shust try once my glasses and you vos all right quick." "O, but my headache don't come from my eyes," replied Blum, "it is caused from my stomach." "But," persisted the fakir, "I tell you it is the eyes. My glasses always cure the headache some more. Did you ever haf your eyes tested?" "Yes, sir." "Who makes 'em the test." "Dr. Carrow, the great eye specialist of the University." "Wough," said the fakir in great disgust, "What does Carrow know about the eyes. He's nothing but a shoemaker."

And the laugh came in when Blum was relating the incident in the presence of a man who had been a shoemaker and who took umbrage at the evident slight put upon that honorable calling by the invidious comparison with an oculist.

SENATOR CHANDLER said the other day in regard to civil service employes: "When they grow old and are unfitted for any other work except for the government, we can't refuse to grant them pensions." What is to hinder a government employe from saying a part of his salary for old age? Men in private life often do this while being taxed for the support of government employes.—Portland Review.

GENERAL GEORGE has come to the conclusion that the Wedemeyer congressional boom is a dangerous flank movement.

AFTER having given birth to many more or less profound opinions during his career as attorney general Fred Maynard thinks his Websterian topknurd lends grace and dignity to the supreme bench. And there are people who think Fred could crowd as much poor law and rank partizanship into a supreme court decision as some of the 2x0 lawyers who are now rattling around on a bench once famous for its Cooley's and its Campbell's.

#### MEMORIES.

(FOR THE DEMOCRAT.)

"Far Dios! what a memory that Sampson's tars have got." Said Admiral Cervera when his fleet had 'gone to pot' For the last, Christobal Colon, hauled down the flag of Spain While Sampson's tars were busy remembering the Maine.

From Santiago harbor the Spaniard hurled his shell (And safely) into cohorts of whom all time shall tell, And the skulker plied the hillside with heaps of heroes slain, While Sampson's tars were busy remembering the Maine. Then, lo! the noble Spaniard whose 'honor' fires his soul, Fired up instead his boilers and began to 'hunt his hole'; And squirming past the Merrimac, he tried his heels—in vain While Sampson's tars were busy remembering the Maine.

Six vessels of their navy gone as braggarts ever go— No shining deed of valor, of pride a shameless show— "Burned, and blown up, destroyed." So soon! not five brief hours! how plain That Sampson's tars were busy remembering the Maine.

What is this gray-haired travesty of manhood that I see Be-decked with rows of medals? (How fond of jewelry!) One scornful glance and I discern an admiral of Spain, The world-contemned—'t is Cervera remembering the Maine.

What is this battered hulk I see, scars only on his breast; He blind and halt, a pensioner on Charity's quest, And dying in a hospital! what phantasm thrills his brain? Speak low—'t is one of Sampson's tars remembering the Maine. —SAMUEL ARTHUR JONES. Ann Arbor, July 4th.

#### DROWNED AT WHITMORE.

A fatality occurred at Whitmore Lake Monday that served to mar the pleasures of those who had gone there to spend the Fourth. There are so many conflicting stories about the sad affair that just how it happened cannot be told with accuracy. The story to which the most credence is to be given is that young Bailey, the 13 years old son of Supervisor M. F. Bailey, of Salem, was out in a sail boat in company with a man and two other boys. The boys either got to scuffing or a sudden gust of wind capsized the boat and it overturned. The man got hold of two of the boys and held them on the boat, but was unable to catch hold of Bailey for fear the other boys might be washed over into the lake again. Bailey could not swim and sank to the bottom. Searching parties hunted for the body all night but it was not recovered until Tuesday, when Undertaker Martin was summoned to take charge of the remains.

#### ANOTHER GASOLINE ACCIDENT.

Another gasoline accident! This morning while Mrs. Esther A. Pike, who manages what is known as Walker's boarding house at the corner of First st. and Miller ave., and her servant, Ella Grubbe, whose home is in the northern part of the state, were cleaning some bed room furniture with gasoline there was a sudden puff and Mrs. Pike's clothes took fire. The cause of the blaze was probably that she stepped upon a parlor match which ignited the gases thrown out by the fluid. The girl immediately ran to her assistance and soon the room was on fire. A window which stands about six or seven feet from the ground was up and Miss Grubbe jumped out through this. Mrs. Pike started to climb out in order to escape from the now burning building and Miss Grubbe helped her to the ground. Mrs. Pike's clothes were burning her and with some difficulty they were torn from her body. Physicians were summoned and every care was given the unfortunate woman. In the meantime the fire department arrived at the scene and quickly extinguished the flames in the building.

Miss Grubbe was the more fortunate of the two women. Her hands were badly burned, but otherwise she was unharmed. Mrs. Pike was terribly burned about the face, the arms and legs. Dr. Kapp thinks that, unless the reaction is too great, she will recover. It was a terrible accident, and following so close upon the Rose Sutter fatality makes the impression on the minds of the people in regard to gasoline all the more solemn.

#### WILLIAM WADE, OF LIMA

Returned to the St. Cloud, Minn., Prison After an Escape.

Martin Waukenhut, deputy sheriff, made a capture Sunday which not only redounded to his credit as an officer but netted him a reward of \$50.

Some time last year William Wade, son of John Wade, a prominent farmer of Lima township, was arrested in Minnesota for robbing a man of \$180. He was convicted and sentenced to five years in the St. Cloud prison. This was the first scrape that Wade ever got into. His previous reputation was looked into by the prison board and found good. He was allowed liberties and was even paroled for short times. The temptation became too great last January and he flew from the restrictions of the prison. He came home here after a while. The prison authorities offered \$50 for his recapture. Waukenhut heard where he was and went after him Sunday. Wade was milking a cow when Waukenhut drove up. He suspected what the visit meant, and, dropping the apparatus he had in his hand as if it was a tarantula, he started to run. The crafty little officer took after him and the chase led through quite an underbrush. Wade, seeing that he was being gained upon, dropped down very foxy in hopes that Waukenhut would pass him. In the meantime the officer had threatened to shoot, although this was simply a bluff (which is the Spanish for a "tall bluff"). Waukenhut ran by where Wade was hiding when he tumbled to the fact that Wade was not any further in the direction in which he was going. He retraced his steps and lit onto his man and lodged him in the Chelsea battle for the night. The authorities at St. Cloud were notified and yesterday afternoon Deputy Warden Norton arrived here and took back his man.

#### DEATH OF PROF. WALTER.

E. L. Walter, professor of romance, language and literature, was a passenger on the French steamer La Bourgoyne which sank in collision off Sable Island early Monday morning. Prof. Walter left this city immediately after the close of commencement exercises last week. He went to New York by way of Cleveland. Prof. Walter is very well known here, having taught in the University for 30 years. He is about 48 years old and unmarried. He intended to spend the summer traveling on the continent.

Prof. Walter was born in Hillsdale county, Mich., in 1840. He was prepared at Albion seminary, took the degree of Ph. B. at the university of Michigan in 1868 and was assistant professor of Greek and Latin at that institution the same year. He was assistant professor of Latin from 1869 to 1878. In 1875 he took the degree of Ph. D. at the University of Leipzig. He was one of the brightest men who was ever on the faculty of the University of Michigan. He served during the civil war in the Fourth Michigan Infantry.

He was one of the most familiar professors to the down town business men that there was in the University. Nearly every day he was to be seen at a comparatively early hour in the morning going to the post office for his mail. He always walked the distance for the exercise.

He was beloved and respected by every student who ever took work under him. His death is shocking to his many friends spread all over the country, and it is a great loss to the University. The following editorial appeared in this morning's Free Press:

"The tragic death of Prof. E. L. Walter removes one of the oldest and best known men on the faculty of Michigan University. The unfortunate teacher who went down in the ill-fated Bourgoyne was a native of Michigan, an alumnus of its great university, and for thirty years a faithful and earnest member of the faculty. Every Latin student of the classes in the '70's and early '80's will look back with kindly recollections to the Latin room presided over by Prof. Walter and recall his courteous and scholarly instruction in the Roman classics; while later classes will have reason to remember with equal gratitude his helpful influence in a different field of literary culture. Prof. Walter's sudden and untimely death will indeed be a shock to his legion of friends, but it must bring them consolation to know that his long and active services is one of the greatest educational institutions in the country will have left the influence of his teaching upon thousands of bright young men—a monument more enduring than 'gilded urn or animated bust.'"

Earl Sawyer had his face and eyes filled with powder Monday. He was firing a small cannon which exploded prematurely. Dr. Brown picked out what he could. Emmet Culver also received two bad bruises while firing the cannon.—Brighton Argus.

In the demonstration at Saline, Monday night, in celebration of the sinking of Cervera's fleet, Don Lawrence was struck by a fragment of an anvil which was blown off while the anvil was being rapidly fired. The missile struck in the groin inflicting a painful wound. About the same time George Burkhardt, postmaster, failed to let loose of a cannon cracker before it exploded and his hand badly bruised and burned.

How often you see a man deeply engrossed in his work, full of satisfaction at what he has accomplished in business, ready to go ahead and carry out boundless schemes of achievement, and using up all his strength and nervous force, never pausing to think what unseen danger may threaten him from behind.



More men would succeed in carrying out their life purposes if they would put their constitutions in strong, forceful, high condition, without waiting until disease has plunged its axe into their vital organs.

It revitalizes every organ and tissue of the body, purges the blood, invigorates the circulation, invigorates the nerve centers and the muscular system and makes a man altogether a man—full of ambition, energy and pluck.

Mr. Jos. Henderson Dirblun, of 54 Josephine Street, New Orleans, La., writes to Dr. Pierce: "I was ailing for some years, suffering from dyspepsia, a tired feeling and loss of energy and appetite. I tried one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and found great relief."

In many cases where constipation is one of the aggravating causes of disease, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be used in conjunction with the "Discovery."

It is a dealer's business to sell you what you ask for—not what he prefers for selfish profit's sake to sell.

Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets, including a small illustration of a medicine bottle and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for W.M. Herz, a painter and decorator, listing services like painting and decorating, and providing contact information for his office and home.

Advertisement for Ann Arbor Fluff Rug Factory, highlighting their products and services, and mentioning that they have a complete stock of everything in the line.

Advertisement for Rinsley & Seabolt, a grocery store, advertising a complete stock of groceries and offering cash prices.

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CO. A, 31 MICH. VOL.

Another News Letter from Special Correspondent F. A. Wagner.

Camp George H. Thomas, Chickamauga Park, Ga., Monday, June 27.—Many events of more than passing interest have invaded the monotony of camp life during the past week.

Notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of Col. Gardner, we have been compelled to fall back upon the old Springfield guns. As soon as the colonel found that new guns were not immediately forthcoming, we were issued Springfield, model 1873.

Practically the same disparity exists between the single shot, 45 calibre Springfield, and the 30 calibre, high trajectory Mauser magazine rifle, which would hold in comparing a single-shot smooth-bore cannon of a quarter of a century ago with the modern rapid-fire gun.

The new recruits, 24 in number, are riveted shortly after noon on Saturday. They were given the glad hand and immediately introduced to a plain but substantial meal of army fare, which they unanimously pronounced to be excellent.

At a cost of much labor and considerable expense the friends of the boys among the Y. M. C. A. men of Michigan have fitted out one of the finest army tents of its kind, with chairs, tables, books, magazines, papers and writing material for the special benefit of the Thirty-first regiment, Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Medaris and the Daughters of the American Revolution, Co. A has received another large addition to its library. It may be interesting to know that the library of Co. A is to be transferred to the Y. M. C. A. tent, where a large number of the boys of the Thirty-first can enjoy its advantages.

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ON THE YOSEMITE.

John Clarken, of this City, writes an Entertaining Letter.

The following letter was received by George R. Cooper from John Clarken, an Ann Arborite who is with the Detroit naval reserves on board the cruiser Yosemite:

Dear Friend George—You will think it about time I answered your letter, but it has been so hot that it is a hard matter to write. We are coaling ship today under a tropical sun, so you can guess how I feel. I just finished one letter, and it is about time for me to go to work again.

We have been moving around a great deal and have seen some very pretty scenery. A more picturesque place than Kingston or Port Royal, Jamaica, it would be hard to find. We will probably see a great deal more than the infantry, yet I believe I would rather be with them, as they can get a cool drink of water once in a while and occasionally get something to eat.

Denby is more than hustling coal today. I don't think he has lost much of his flesh, yet some of the boys are rather thin. I am well and strong—no thanks to Uncle Sam.

We conveyed and landed 800 marines at this place about two weeks ago. After we left them they were attacked by the Spaniards and seven killed and a number wounded, but a lot of the enemy were killed in return. The fighting lasted two days and nights before the Marblehead came to release them.

The Spaniards and about twenty men prisoners, and five more gave themselves up today. If they are a fair sample of the whole Spanish army it hadn't ought to take long to whip them. They are tickled to death to think they are with us. They tell us that lots of the soldiers would give themselves up if they knew they would not be killed.

The insurgents come in as fast as they find out the marines are here. There are about 250 of them camped on shore. The Marblehead clothed and armed them as best they could. Their camp is at the water's edge, with the flag flying, and the marines are on a small hill just above with the U. S. flag floating, and I tell you it makes a pretty picture.

The Marblehead and Dolphin went up the river and fired a few shots at some Spaniards working on a fort near here. The Texas and Wilmington just steamed into the bay and we think they are getting ready to bombard the fort.

One of the ships in passing told us that troops were landed all day yesterday without a shot being fired in resistance. This looked as though they were not going to put up much of a fight. The troops are being landed a few miles from Santiago. We leave some time today and expect to go to Porto Rico. The admiral said we would be in the next bombardment. If we do not see service it will not be the fault of any of the crew, for they all are eager to do something to distinguish themselves. We understand that naval officials here have no earthly use for naval reserves, and from all appearances I guess they haven't.

You asked me how I liked the crew. Well, if I had it to do over again, I would cast my lot with fellows who had been used to hustling for a living—they make better shipmates.

Well, you probably have read more in the papers than could tell in a week, so I had better close. Write when you can, but don't always expect an answer.

600 LIVES LOST.

Large French Steamer Sunk in a Collision.

ONLY 200 ARE SAVED.

Atlantic Liner La Bourgogne the Stricken Vessel.

FROM NEW YORK TO HAVRE.

Ship Cromartyshire and the Big Steamer Come Together on July 4, and the Larger Boat Sinks in Five Minutes—List of First Cabin Passengers Who Had Secured Berths on the Frenchman—Nearly All the Officers Perished.

Halifax, N. S., July 7.—Six hundred persons lost their lives the morning of July 4 as the result of a collision between La Bourgogne and the British ship Cromartyshire, and the French liner lies at the bottom of the sea, a great hole in her side.

The ships met in a dense fog sixty miles south of Sable island. It was 5 o'clock in the morning and the feeble rays of the newly risen sun were unable to even partially penetrate the thick white mist that covered the ocean like a garment.

The Cromartyshire arrived here today in tow by the Allan line steamer Greelan. A ragged wound in her bow and the absence of two of her masts showed the violence of the impact with the sunken vessel.

There were 800 souls aboard La Bourgogne. Two hundred of these were saved. The rest, struggling in the water for a short time, soon gave up the unequal battle and went down, never to rise again.

The fog is unusually heavy in this latitude. Just how the vessels happened to come so near each other without being aware of the terrible danger threatening them, until it was too late, is not yet known.

La Bourgogne is one of the best known of all the French liners. She belonged to the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique and has carried thousands of persons to Europe and back without a serious mishap. She left New York last Saturday, bound for Havre.

Among those saved were the purser, three engineers and thirty of the crew which manned the luckless liner. All the other officers of the ship were drowned.

Out of all the survivors there was only one woman. All the other women on the steamer went to the bottom almost without making an effort to save themselves. Past experience has shown that in such instances collapse of the feminine faculties follows close upon the announcement of disaster, and the victims are generally unconscious before drowning ensues.

Capt. Nunan, who is in command of the Allan line steamer Greelan, to whose courtesy the Cromartyshire owed its conduct to a place of safety, declares that La Bourgogne was less than five minutes from the time of the collision in going to the bottom.

"It was the most appalling and most sudden catastrophe I was ever my misfortune to witness," said Capt. Henderson of the Cromartyshire. "There was a crash, the sound of which was indescribable, composed as it was of the rending apart of the stout oak ribs of the French ship and the snapping under of her iron bolts. Many leaped overboard immediately after the meeting of the vessels, but our men were not among the number of those who lost their heads."

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# MORE MEN NEEDED

Gen. Shafter Applies for Reinforcements.

HE CAN NOT TAKE SANTIAGO.

Enemy's Strength Was Greatly Underestimated.

MORE TROOPS TO BE SENT AT ONCE.

Apparent Reverse of Our Troops Caused Consternation at Washington—War Councils Held at the White House—President Has Confidence in Gen. Shafter's Ability—Telegram of Congratulations Sent to Him and the Troops for the Brave Efforts Made.

Washington, July 5.—Like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky came a dispatch to the secretary of war at noon Sunday from Gen. Shafter on the battlefield saying it would be impossible to carry the city of Santiago by storm with his present force of men. This came at the moment when war department officials were expecting word that Santiago had fallen and that our flag was waving over other details, showing splendid bravery on the part of our men, but all this was lost sight of in the fact of the momentous report that the city itself, after three days of desperate battle, could not be taken. The dispatch was carried by Adjutant General Corbin to the white house, where a council of war was held by the president, Secretary Alger, Gen. Miles, Gen. Corbin, Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Allen. The officials wore an outward calm, but the report had caused the deepest agitation. All attention was directed to sending reinforcements to Shafter immediately, in order that the battle might be renewed and Santiago taken. At the war council it was positively determined there should be no halt in the movement on Santiago, except such time as was necessary to get more men to Shafter. They will be sent from Tampa in large numbers and 15,000 men will then be moved from Chickamauga to Tampa to go forward on transports. Dispatches were sent to the fleet off Santiago to have twelve transports return at once to Tampa to take on more troops for Shafter. Hurry orders were sent to Tampa, and one expedition of six ships with about 6,000 men left there Sunday.

Gen. Shafter's report caused an agitation throughout the national capital almost indescribable. Great crowds surrounded the bulletin boards and churchgoers were greeted with cries of "Extra" papers. The public shared the apprehension of officials, and it was feared Gen. Shafter's position had become dangerous and possibly critical. The official dispatch given out did not contain all Gen. Shafter reported, as part of the report of his future plans was suppressed in order not to reach the enemy. This told of the place he would occupy in order to protect his force from an attack by the enemy. It will be near the coast and under the guns of the American ships. There will certainly be no more fighting for the present until large reinforcements reach Shafter. In the meantime there is a possibility that the Spanish troops may make an attack on our forces, but this is not expected, as the Spaniards are quite as much worn out as our men. There are reports showing that the Spanish loss is over 1,000 and that their leading general, Linares, is severely wounded. Santiago is a mass of ruins, caused by the fire of our troops and bursting shells from Sampson's fleet. The city is like a great morgue, filled with the dying and wounded, and starvation is added to the horrors of their situation. They are far worse off than Shafter's troops, although they cling to their intrenchments in desperation.

The war councils at the white house were devoted to the planning for sending reinforcements. Every available ship has been ordered to Tampa, and a wholesale movement of troops will begin there. Although feeling keenly the failure to take Santiago, officials at the war department say that our troops have done splendid service against terrible odds. They have suffered from the terrible heat and have out through almost impassable underbrush. They have captured many outposts of Santiago, driving the Spaniards into the city. But the forts and intrenchments, combined with guns of the Spanish fleet, have given the enemy heavy advantages.

Gen. Miles may be sent to the field at once to take supreme command, owing to the emergency. He wishes to go, but the war department hesitates to grant permission for fear it will be taken as a criticism of Shafter. There is no desire by the president or the secretary of war to criticize Shafter in any way. They say he has done the best possible under adverse circumstances.

Many of his best generals have been prostrated with the heat and are suffering with fever. Major General Wheeler and Gen. Young are among those fever stricken. This seriously cripples our strength. Wheeler and Young will be brought home and other generals sent in their places. There are rumors also that the heat and climate have told seriously on General Shafter himself, and that he has been unable to lead the army during the fight. Officials say the heat and climate have done more than Spanish bullets

# lets to hurt our troops.

Military authorities are divided in opinion as to what circumstances brought about Gen. Shafter's condition. Some say it would have been better policy to have divided the Spanish forces and fight them near the coast, where Admiral Sampson's ships could have helped shell the enemy. But Shafter determined to drive them away from the coast and pen them up in Santiago. He thought he could then surround the town and capture it. He evidently had greatly underestimated the strength of the city's defense, as his storming has been done at very heavy cost of life, and now he is obliged to retire and wait for more men. The president showed his continued support of Shafter by sending a dispatch congratulating him and the troops on their bravery on first day's fighting. This dispatch was sent by the Secretary of War and says:

"The president directs me to say that you have earned the gratitude and thanks of the nation for the brilliant and effective work of your noble army on Friday, July 1."

It is probable the president will at once issue another proclamation calling for more troops, as the struggle at Santiago, which is known to be far weaker than Havana, has disclosed the heavy task ahead. There is to be no halt in the aggressive campaign, and the apparent temporary reverse of Gen. Shafter will bring forth efforts by officials here for an army large enough to crush the Spaniards at every point.

Late in the afternoon the President again held a council of war, attended by most of his cabinet. The plans for sending reinforcements were again gone over and a most vigorous policy determined upon.

### German Critics.

Berlin, July 5.—The press of the country is now commenting upon the Spanish-American war in a more unbiased manner, and with less venom toward the Americans, although the military editors continue to regard the situation as very unfavorable for the Americans as well as for the Spaniards. With regard to Cuba, it is thought that the American forces there, apart from yellow jack and the influences of the climate, are entirely inadequate. All the American operations since the United States forces have been landed, it is asserted, have been ill-advised and showed lack of foresight. The fact that the army of occupation is so insufficiently equipped with everything needful shows, the papers declare, poor generalship.

### Will Hold Kaiser in Check.

Paris, July 5.—The alleged good faith of Germany in the matter of the seizure of the Philippines, which, it is said, the Washington government does not doubt, is not so viewed on the continent. In fact, the belief is that Germany has ulterior designs. The attitude of the other powers, however, it is believed, will hold the war lord in check. An Italian statesman is credited with saying that he did not believe any European power would raise a hand to prevent the bombardment of Manila by American ships. By such a step the power interested would be regarded as an ally of Spain and her action would mean war. Not a power in Europe, he says, would dare to take the step.

### Dewey Is Disappointed.

London, July 5.—The Daily Telegraph publishes a dispatch from Manila, under date of June 28, via Hong Kong, which says that the non-arrival of the transports from San Francisco has grievously disappointed Admiral Dewey. The Americans express the utmost confidence in their ability to dispose of Admiral Camara's squadron or any other ships that they wish that Admiral Dewey had at least one battleship.

### News of Battle at Tampa.

Tampa, Fla., July 5.—The news of the severe loss sustained by Gen. Shafter's army at Santiago reached Tampa Sunday. The excitement is intense, and the men are wild with the desire to go to Cuba and avenge the death of their comrades. This feeling is as strong among the volunteers as among the regulars, and there is not a soldier here who is not far more anxious to be in the midst of the conflict now than he was before the bad news was received.

### Spanish Ministers Criticized.

Madrid, July 5.—At a banquet in Madrid Senor Romero y Robledo made a violent anti-government speech, accusing the ministers of inactivity and being without an original idea, and leaving everything to the admirals and generals. He concluded with pointing out that the existing institutions would be endangered, adding: "But, nevertheless, we must do our duty as Spaniards and defend our country."

### Will Be Kept Out of the Way.

Madrid, July 5.—There is belief here that the squadron of Camara will not go to the Philippines. Neither will it return to Spain. The evident intention is to keep it out of the way of the American fleet in order that it may not go the way of the Manila squadron or meet the fate the ships of Cervera.

### Spanish Claim Victory.

Madrid, July 5.—No official dispatch has been received regarding the battle of Santiago de Cuba; but private telegrams affirm that the Americans suffered a distinct check, and that a great number of them were captured.

### Coaling Outside Port Said.

London, July 5.—Lloyd's agent at Port Said, telegraphing Sunday, says the Spanish fleet is anchored outside Egyptian waters, and is engaged in coaling.

# BASEBALL REPORT.

Standing of the Clubs Composing the Various Leagues.

In the race for the pennant the national league clubs range as follows:

Club	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Cincinnati	42	23	.644
Cleveland	38	24	.613
Boston	38	25	.603
Baltimore	35	25	.583
Chicago	36	28	.563
Pittsburg	33	30	.524
New York	31	31	.500
Philadelphia	27	31	.466
Brooklyn	26	34	.433
Washington	26	38	.407
St. Louis	22	43	.338
Louisville	22	43	.338

### Western League.

Western league clubs are now in the following positions:

Club	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Indianapolis	59	37	22	.627
Columbus	57	34	23	.596
St. Paul	62	37	25	.596
Kansas City	63	37	26	.587
Milwaukee	63	35	28	.555
Omaha	55	20	35	.363
Detroit	62	21	41	.338
Minneapolis	63	21	42	.333

# BANKS REFLECT PROSPERITY.

Past Fiscal Year One of Business Growth and Expansion.

Washington, July 5.—Mr. Dawes, the comptroller of the currency, has made the following statement regarding the general condition of national banks at the close of the fiscal year:

"The past year has been one of growth and expansion in the business of the national banks of the country, as reports of their present condition, compared with former reports, clearly indicate. The individual deposits of the banks, which, on July 23, 1897, were \$1,770,480,536, reached on May 5, 1898, the sum of \$1,999,308,438, and the five statements called for during the past year show that the rate of gain was quite uniform. The declaration of war did not stop this gain, the increase between February 18 and May 5 of this year being \$16,647,505, and the individual deposits of the national banks of the United States now stand at the highest point in the history of the system. The expansion in loans since May 14, 1897, has been \$173,728,865."

### General Deficiency Agreement.

Washington, July 5.—The conferees on the general deficiency bill have reached an agreement on everything except the Pacific railroad amendment. Chairman Cannon had promised a vote in the house on this matter before an agreement was made. All the senate amendments for the air and navy are retained in the bill; also all certified claims. The senate amendment making an appropriation for the purchase of land adjacent to and dredging the entrance of Pearl harbor was eliminated.

### Fire at Waterford, Wis.

Waterford, Wis., July 5.—The business part of this city was burned Saturday night. The loss is about \$70,000. The fire started in Noel's general store, some oil becoming ignited. The flames spread in every direction and it was only a short time before the entire business district of the city was ablaze. The city has no fire apparatus and Burlington, twelve miles away, sent an engine. At midnight the fire had been entirely subdued.

### Republican League Program.

New York, July 5.—President L. J. Crawford, of the National League of Reform Clubs, has received assurance that Senator John M. Thurston will address the mass meeting at Omaha July 14. In connection with other prominent speakers, President Crawford has assurance from prominent republicans all over the country of their attendance at the national convention at Omaha, July 13 to 15. President Crawford is not a candidate for re-election.

### VOTE MAY COME THIS WEEK.

Friends of Annexation Fix Next Saturday as the Probable Day.

Washington, July 5.—There is a prevailing opinion that a vote in the senate will be reached on the Hawaiian annexation resolutions some time during the coming week. Some shrewd observers fix Saturday next week as the day, while more sanguine talk of the middle of the week. The opponents of the resolutions say that a vote is impossible next week, and say that at the inside limit the debate will run a week from next Wednesday.

The contest seems to have settled down to this situation: If the friends of annexation are able to maintain a quorum until the end of the week it is probable that the opponents will consider further opposition of a filibustering nature useless and some arrangements for a vote will be reported. The first admission of any kind by the opposition that the end was in sight was a partial assent to the suggestion that a vote might be reached after ten days' debate. It is believed by the opposition that when the appropriation bills are passed a quorum can not be maintained. These bills are practically out of the way, and the deficiency bill will probably pass Tuesday. Next week will determine the staying powers of the annexationists. When it is demonstrated that a quorum will stay the opposition will yield and a vote be taken.

### Patrons Are Indignant.

Indianapolis, July 5.—The indignation incident to the alleged extortion by express and telegraph companies of the stamp tax from senders of packages and messages, instead of paying for the stamps themselves, continues without abatement, and many persons have secured receipts showing that they had paid the tax, with a view to bringing suit for recovery. Attorney Taylor said that the law intended the telegraph company to fix the stamp to the copy of the message delivered, and not to the original, as required by the companies.

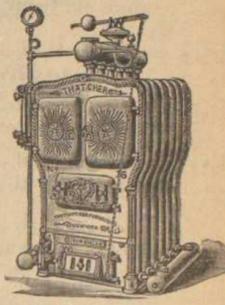
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The Patriotic social at Charles Thompson's on Wednesday evening of last week for the benefit of the M. E. church was a gathering in the gems of thought that the poets have immortalized since the American eagle graced the emblem of the free, and the Willis choir rehearsed them in the sounding chambers of the pulsing, throbbing hearts of the auditors whose thoughts were in keeping with the spirit of war. The speech of Rev. C. T. Allen was characteristic of the patriot. He ministered to the spirit of Patriotism with all the fervor of his devotional nature. He outlined in reminiscence the horrors of the civil war and depicted the stirring scenes of that eventful period that gave to the nation a broader liberty and a grander conception of humanity for which patriots died and heroes won undying fame. In warning himself by a fire of his own kindling he emphasized anew the grandeur and glory of a united people, whose war cry in the present struggle is liberty or death. His peroration to the stars and stripes was Allen in quest of the highest and best that Old Glory suggested to a mind thus impressed.

The entertainment at the Maccabee hall last week given by the Tent and the Hive was helpful to the fun-loving whose dimes filled the coffers of the craft that, as caretakers of the rights of brotherhood, have won for themselves the lasting gratitude of the unfortunate in their ranks.

MUSINGS. The south winds are blowing. The chanticles are crowing. The farmer is working in his corn. The bobolink is singing. The breakfast bell is ringing. Hope is born. The coffee is in waiting. The strawberries are mating with the cream. As life spreads out before us God is watching o'er us. Do we dream? Are the real? And the ideal? What they seem?

The Rev. Howard Moore and wife, of the Denomination of Friends, are visiting in this locality. Hazelton and Cook will be at Willis on and after June 27 for the purchase of the farmer's incoming crops. Bert Young shipped to Willis three car loads of threshing coal. He is selling the farmers at \$3.50 a ton. Mrs. Will Dawson and her twin boys, of Detroit, are entertaining the family of Michael Dawson this week. The rain that beat down the wheat to its parched roots was a treat and it plain that the withered leaves that sighed for growth were satisfied. Loss was gain.

The contest for the Republican nomination for Judge of the Supreme court next spring promises to be an interesting one for Ann Arbor, for among the candidates for the honor will be Judge E. D. Kinne, of this city, Judge C. B. Grant, the present incumbent, formerly postmaster of this city, Attorney-General Fred Maynard, of Grand Rapids, who was born here and whose parents still reside here, and Judge McAlvay, of Manistee, who is at present acting professor of law in the University and who like the other three is a graduate of the Ann Arbor high school and the University. Judge McAlvay was a pupil of the high school when Judge Grant was its principal. There may be other candidates, but these are enough to make it interesting for Ann Arbor. Of course the Washtenaw delegation will go to Judge Kinne without a contest. He has made a fine reputation on the circuit bench, is well equipped mentally and is probably the most popular runner in this congressional district, having twice been elected circuit judge by tremendous majorities in a district composed of two Democratic counties. But this solidity of Washtenaw will not be due to the fact that the other candidates do not have many friends here. For they all have warm personal friends in this city. Judge Grant will represent the anti-Pingreeites in the fight. Judge Kinne and Attorney-General Maynard each evidently expect the governor's support. Judge McAlvay expects to divide the Kent county delegation with Mr. Maynard.

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ELEGANT CHURCH WEDDING.

The Noble-Prentiss Nuptials Celebrated Last Thursday Evening.

Last Thursday transpired an event which shall dwell long in the memory of the society world of Ann Arbor, the brilliant and beautiful nuptials of Miss Edith Henrietta Noble, only daughter of Mrs. A. L. Noble, of this city, and Mr. James Hendry Prentiss, also of this city, formerly of Canton City, Colo. Since the announcement of Miss Noble's betrothal to Mr. Prentiss, society people here have awaited its joyous culmination with delightful anticipation. The festivities which preceded the marriage, the throng of guests from abroad which it brought to the city, and the general and personal interest in the lovely bride and the talented groom, produced an agreeable excitement on the eve of the event which was marked in an extreme degree.

The Methodist Episcopal church formed the background for a picture the beauty of which has been rarely, if ever, excelled in Ann Arbor. The floral decorations were superb. Handsome palms of tropical growth were banked against the organ and around the walls, whilst from the choir gallery was suspended white drapery, extending across the entire church front, upon which was hung festoons of green smilax. The front pews were reserved for the family and house guests and for the members of the Alpha Phi sorority and the Phi Kappa Psi fraternities, of which the bride and groom were respectively members.

As soon as the throng of handsomely gowned men and women had assembled the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, rendered by Professor Reuben Kempf, heralded the approach of the bridal party, and even the flutter of fans ceased as the procession, the cynosure of every eye, entered the church proper. First came the six ushers, who were dressed in black and white. They were Messrs. James F. Brauer, Carl E. Williams, Harry Cole and Robert L. Dean, of Chicago; Mr. Charles B. Hole, of New York City, and Mr. William L. Mack, of Canon City, Colo. Following these were the bridesmaids in the following order: Misses Marguerite Knoll and Jessie Mack, who wore white, and Gertrude gowns, demi-train; Miss Gertrude Savage, of Cassopolis, and Miss Minnie Bunker, of Muskegon, whose gowns were of blue organdie; Miss Katherine Panchon, of Philadelphia, and Miss Eva Jane Hill, of Chicago, wearing yellow gowns. Each of the bridesmaids carried mammoth bouquets of bachelor's buttons. Behind these came the maid of honor, Miss Mila Mae Howlett, who looked charming in a gown of white organdie and carried a bouquet of roses.

Following these came the bride, radiantly beautiful, or the arm of her brother, Mr. Clarence Noble. Her exquisite gown was of heavy shimmering white pean-de-soie. The bodice, high in the neck and worn with long sleeves, was trimmed with point lace. The skirt was made of light tulle and was completely enveloped in a white tulle veil. She carried lilies of the valley.

The groom entered from the front of the church, attended by Mr. Walter F. Beatty, of Chicago, and awaited the bride at the altar. The ushers and bridesmaids parted to the left and right on reaching the altar and the groom advanced to meet the bride. The marriage ceremony was extremely beautiful and deeply impressive, the full Episcopal service being used. Dr. McElroy officiating. During the betrothal Master Fredie Daly softly sang "O Promise Me" and the answer "I Promise Thee" in his wonderfully sweet and sympathetic tones, one of the most beautiful features of the church ceremony. As the party made exit to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, every eye followed the fair bride and happy groom, and truly good wishes went up from every heart.

The reception at the Noble residence took place immediately at the conclusion of the church ceremony. The floral decorations were magnificent, and guests entered the hall the stair railing was marked at once with its wreath of green myrtle and black-eyed susans, while the walls were banked with red poppies. The parlor to the left was extremely attractive with its decorations in pink and white. The mantel mirror and every available nook was banked with pink sweet peas. At the end of the room was suspended a large and beautiful wedding bell of white roses, under which the happy couple stood while receiving the good wishes of the guests. In the windows were massive stacks of white Bermuda lilies.

The back parlor was gorgeously decorated with American Beauty roses and asparagus fern. The bridesmaids also rested their garlands here to enhance if possible the brilliant spectacle. The library across the hall was daintily decorated with nasturtiums, which were massed in profusion about the room. In the dining room sixteen of the bridal party were seated around the table, where an elegant dinner was served. The table was all aglow with tall silver empire candlesticks with pink candles trimmed with smilax, while the walls were draped with green garlands and festoons, affording a fairy scene of ravishing loveliness. At the end of the evening an orchestra, hidden in a bower of tropical plants, was discoursing sweet music.

Upstairs were collected the numerous wedding gifts, which are indeed noteworthy in the form of a princely collection of handsome cut and Venetian glass, superb silverware, beautiful paintings and etchings, etc. The gifts were of unparalleled magnificence, and any attempt to enumerate or describe them would be futile. The bride's gift from the groom was a ring of red gold with Tuscan finish, set with turquoise surrounded with diamonds. The bridesmaids were favored by the bride with dainty little wreath stick-pins of gold. As the bride descended the stairs the bridal wreath was caught by Miss Katherine Panchon. Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss left via the M. C. R. R. for Detroit, whence they will probably go by water to Chicago and then to Mr. Prentiss' old home in Canon City, Colo. They will spend the summer there and in Manitou, Colorado Springs, Denver and other western resorts. The entire party went down to the station and gave them a right royal send-off.

Among the guests from out of town, in addition to the bridesmaids and ushers already named, were the following: Mrs. C. A. Burton, of Chicago; Mrs. Arthur G. Cummer, of Jacksonville, Fla.; Mrs. Dr. McLaughlin, of Detroit; Miss William Tompkins, of Bay City; Miss Anne Howe, of Boston, Mass.; Louise Decker, of Battle Creek, Mich.; Miss Susie McKee, of Charlotte, Mich.; Mrs. E. S. Parsons, of Saginaw; Miss Grace George, of Jackson, and Mr. Bartlett Chase Dickinson, of Kalamazoo.

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THE HERO OF LINDEN STREET.

Be-Informed by Ald. Stevens He Destroyed Commodore Hamilton's Opposing Fleet Tuesday.

The only excitement at Tuesday's common council meeting was the absence of Ald. Brown and a squabble over improvements on Linden st. It seemed that the council had appropriated some money for fixing up the street. Just about the time a motion to adjourn was reached on the program, Ald. Coon arose and made a motion that \$75 more be appropriated to complete the job. This was vigorously opposed by Ald. Hamilton, who said it was setting a bad precedent in appropriating money for street jobs and then coming in afterwards and asking for more. After a great deal of discussion between him and Ald. Coon the motion was put and the vote stood 7 ayes and 4 nays, Aids. Brown, Howell, Stevens and Cady being absent. Pres. Luick declared it carried. While two or three minor matters were being passed upon the city attorney looked up the charter and found that in order to appropriate money it would take a majority of the aldermen-elect to do the job, which would mean that eight votes on the affirmative are necessary. Pres. Luick changed his ruling. Ald. Coon then became the Hero of Linden st. as much as Dewey is of Manila or Sampson of Santiago. He moved for a reconsideration. Ald. Hamilton moved to adjourn. Ald. Hamilton's motion was lost. Just then Ald. Stevens came in and he was the man both sides were after. The alderman from the Seventh decided to re-enforce Ald. Coon, his position being manifested on a test substitute motion made by Ald. Hamilton to appropriate only \$25. There became a compromise after this and \$50 was appropriated, nine votes being registered for it. The fight lasted three-quarters of an hour before Ald. Hamilton's ships were sunk or burned. He went down with colors flying and after the surrender he was extended every courtesy due to his rank by Rear-Admiral Coon.

Property owners petitioned for a brick crosswalk across W. Jefferson st. on Main st. Referred to sidewalk committee.

Property owners of the Second ward petitioned for a crosswalk to be built from the corner of Main and Packard sts. across Main st. Referred.

Property owners asked that an alley be opened up to run parallel to Main st. from William to Liberty sts. and between Main and Fourth ave. Referred.

Property owners of the Sixth ward petitioned for a sidewalk graded and laid on the south side of Belser st., between Fourteenth and Observatory sts., and the board of public works recommended that \$198 be appropriated to grade the street. The petition was referred to the sidewalk committee. The report of the board was referred to the street committee.

The committee on finance presented the bill of the Ann Arbor Electric Co. for street lighting during the month of June at \$568.10. Also the bill of extra lighting for four nights in the month of May at \$75, with the recommendations that the June bill be allowed as presented and that the bill for extra lighting be allowed at \$37.50. The committee further recommended that the Ann Arbor Electric Co. be directed in the future to burn no lights when not provided for in the moonlight schedule unless ordered by the chairman of the lighting committee, or in his absence by the city clerk, who is instructed to consult the proper officials relative to the same. The report was adopted.

An ordinance was presented for the first and second reading in regard to sidewalks, which permits property owners in the stone walk district to repair their tar sidewalks with filling in and mopping. Under the present ordinance they are prohibited from doing this. The new ordinance also allows property owners who put in stone walks to put in flag stones two inches thick instead of three inches. This is quite a retreat from the stone walk policy heretofore in use.

The street committee recommended that \$400 be appropriated for graveling N. Main st. from Catharine to Depot st., and \$400 be appropriated to gravel Division st. between Huron and the sink hole near Detroit st., and for covering that portion with Telford macadam. Adopted.

The committee on sidewalks recommended that the city engineer prepare a profile of the grade of the sidewalk on the west side of Seventh st., between Huron and Liberty sts.; on the east and west sides of Oswego st.; on the west side of S. State st. between William and Jefferson. And, further, the committee recommended that stone or cement sidewalks be ordered along the following streets and in front of the following properties: On the north side of E. William st. in front of the D. K. E. chapter house; on the south side of E. Washington st. from the east side of Fifth ave. east, property of D. F. White and Mrs. Henderson; on the east side of S. Ashley st. across the alley north of Liberty st.; a plank sidewalk on the east side of Second st. between Jefferson and Madison; also that the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of Spring st. between Summit st. and Chubb road, and on the north side of Felch between Fountain and Miner be fixed. Adopted.

The recommendation of the board of health that all "down town store properties be connected up with the sewers was concurred in by the council. City Attorney Butterfield reported that the Detroit Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor Ry. Co. refused to furnish any surety on their bond to pay for their paving between the rails in six and twelve months' time. The company agrees to put in its Y on the west side of Main st. provided it will extend down far enough so that they can turn three cars. Mr. Butterfield said that there might be some difficulty in collecting the amount from the company if they refused to pay as there is a \$300,000 mortgage on the road which would be prior to their paving claims. He said he thought it might be wise for the city to take the chance under the present circumstances.

The amount of the sewer tax to be spread upon the rolls was as follows: the amounts representing the sewer districts in the order named: \$388.29, \$820.64, \$4,511.95, \$617.16, \$1168.44, \$1599.83, \$88.57. Total, \$9215.83. The council then adjourned.

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The little Algonac girl is now in the care of the "Homeopathic Hospital Guild."

Mrs. H. H. Larned, Robert Larned, Stanley Montgomery and Frank H. Bement have returned to Lansing.

Miss Florence Tyler, of Adrian, is attending the summer institute in this city. She is accompanied by her mother.

Gus Abram, formerly proprietor of the Pentan house at Fenton, Mich., has leased the Freeman house at Manchester, Mich.

Prof. A. J. Volland, of Grand Rapids, and Miss Lillian M. Volland, teacher in the Perry school of this city, are in Washington, D. C.

A ladies' chorus has been organized. Miss Kathreen Oberst has been chosen musical director and Miss Mirnie Davis pianist of the club.

The funeral of Maud Myron Bailey, the young boy drowned at Whitmore Lake on Monday, took place at Lapham's church Wednesday afternoon.

County Agent Peter Lehman reports that during the year ending June 30 there were fourteen children arrested for criminal offences in Washtenaw county.

Dr. Kapp reports that Mrs. Pike, who was so severely burned last week by gasoline at the Walker house, is improving rapidly and will be free from any bad scars about the face.

Mrs. James Cosgrove died at her home three miles south of Ypsilanti at 1:30 Wednesday. She was well known in this city. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock on Friday.

A gang of three pickpockets started on their graft at Whitmore Lake Monday, but were discovered before they had accomplished anything. They were notified to fly their kites and their kites flew.

The Unitarian Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Campbell's grove on Saturday next. The trolley car will leave the court house at 1:30 p. m. All friends of the society are invited to attend.

Contractor Clancy has served a notice upon City Clerk Mills that the surface water system has been completed and that he is now ready to start at paving and awaits the orders of the board of public works.

Tuesday Marshal Sweet swore out a warrant against Jennie Mason for keeping a bawdy house on Broadway and against Eliza Weaver for being an inmate. They were released on their own recognizance and the trials set for July 11, they pleading not guilty.

As will be noticed by reference to the common council proceedings, paving ought to be ready to start immediately. The electric railway company has signed an obligation to pay for paving between the tracks. Now let the work proceed and get rid of the fortifications on the sidewalks.

A small part of the mechanism of the city clock broke Monday morning. E. F. Watts, who is repairing it, says that it will be in working order today. In the meantime the clock has had the advantage of nearly every other clock in the city in that it was mathematically correct twice a day anyway.

Dr. Bradshaw's family is at Ironton, Mich., and he intends joining them later.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Phillips, of Milwaukee, are the guests of Ann Arbor friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vogel, of Chelsea, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinn, of N. Main st. Monday.

The taxed bill of costs in the case of Virgie Comiske vs. the City of Ypsilanti has been filed and amounts to \$182.65.

According to the latest orders of the postmaster-general, all second-class mail matter must be prepaid before it is delivered.

The German societies turned out in a patriotic parade Monday. They marched to Relief Park and picniced during the afternoon.

The Wabash road has requested the railroad commissioner to order interlocking switches placed at their crossings with the Ann Arbor road at Milan.

Geo. B. Mason, a registered pharmacist and a well known druggist of this city, has accepted a position in Dr. Salisbury's drug store on E. Huron st.

Michael Flemming died in Chicago of heart disease Saturday. He was sheriff of Washtenaw county several years ago. The remains will probably be interred in Dexter.

Sophie Lyons, the notorious, well known here since her famous trial in this Circuit court, was arrested in New York while attending the funeral of Col. Cruger in Trinity church last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. O'Hara and family have returned from Ann Arbor, where they attended commencement exercises, and are now entertaining Mr. O'Hara's sister, whose home is in the South.—Toledo Blade.

Karl Burg, telegraph messenger in the Western Union office, suffered a slight accident Monday. While firing off a cannon a small quantity of powder was blown up through the fire hole and lodged in his face.

Tuesday was the date set for the matter in the James Richards case to be settled in the Probate court. It was as to whether the illegitimate daughter or a nephew was to have the estate. The case was adjourned for two weeks.

Rabbi Hausmann, of Temple Emanuel, will leave today for Ann Arbor, where he will spend the summer in the study of English and American literature and will also take a look at some of the sciences.—Grand Rapids Herald.

A party of friends comprising "The Jolly Twelve" left Monday over the Ann Arbor railroad for Whitmore Lake, where they are to be guests at Mr. J. C. Carland's cottage over Sunday and Monday, and the ladies of the club may remain at the lake all next week.—Toledo Blade.

The assessed valuation of the city of Ann Arbor is now \$7,116,000. The increase over last year is nearly \$200,000, which includes about \$90,000 personal property. The rate of taxes last year was \$6.65 on \$1,000 of valuation. This year it is \$5.92, which is a decrease of 73 cents from last year.

Ida Kahn, the Chinese girl who graduated in the medical department last year, has hung out her shingle (north and south by the map) in her native town of Kin Kiang on the banks of the Yangtze Kiang river. She is the first native woman of China to become a physician, and is consequently the original "new woman" of the Celestial Empire.

The Seventh Day Adventists have closed their chapel, corner Liberty and Division sts., indefinitely.

Ed McCarthy, of Ypsilanti, has taken James Murnan's place as clerk at the Cook house. Mr. Murnan retires voluntarily.

Postmaster Pond has issued Order No. 1, to the effect that mail carriers are permitted to go without coats during the warm weather—if they will always wear clean shirts.

Miss Nellie Bach, who has been in Switzerland and other countries of Europe during the last twelve months, has sailed for home and is expected to arrive in Ann Arbor this month.

There is an epidemic of measles in the city. Marshal Sweet reports that there about 25 cases and orders come so fast to tack up signs that he carries the cards around with him in his buggy so as to be ready.

John R. Purdy and Garry Osborn, of Saline, have judgments against each other. Yesterday Osborn took out an execution and levied on some growing wheat belonging to Purdy. Purdy came to town and got out an injunction prohibiting the sale under the levy.

Orders have been received at the car shops at Owosso that all men connected with the transportation department of the Ann Arbor railroad must wear uniforms. This includes employes from the general passenger agent's office down to the section men. The suits will be of blue material.

Marriage licenses: Monroe Kendall, Posters; Mary Neff, Solo. Guy Alvord, Manchester; Mary Glatz, Manchester; Nathan W. Wooster, Northfield; Nellie Leland, Northfield; Morris Vedder, Augusta; Lillie Lamkins, London. Jas. H. Hays, Ann Arbor; Franc Louise Barnard, Litchfield, Mich.

George F. Bailey, the original proprietor of Bailey's Quadruple Combination Shows, is visiting George Haviland, who was his financial manager for five years. Mr. Bailey was at one time a half owner of Barnum's circus, and sold out to James Bailey, the present proprietor.

Dr. Wheeler, who delivered the commencement address yesterday, was prominently identified in the revival of the Olympic games in Greece. He is an enthusiast over sports. In his address yesterday he said: "The Anglo-Saxon race—the race that loves football—is the one that is going to rule the world."

Deputy Waukenhut has earned a reward of \$50 for capturing an escaped convict from the St. Cloud, Minn., prison. The fellow has been wanted since Jan. 1 and was in prison for robbing a man of \$180. Mr. Waukenhut recognized the man on the street, looked him up where he was stopping and arrested him.

Dr. Starr G. Church, of Marshall, '90 Phar. '92 Medic., was in the city Sunday evening with a friend to call on his old class mate, Dr. Theo Klingmann. Dr. Church was looking very well and smilingly denies in toto that he has any intentions of becoming a benedict. He says his friends are very previous in their insinuations.

The following marriage licenses have been issued: Alexander Capron, Ann Arbor, and Esther R. Darling, Ypsilanti; Edward Verlander, Ypsilanti, and Mary F. Mette, Detroit; Abner Crump and Mrs. Fannie White, both of Ann Arbor; William George Widdcomb, Detroit, and Emily L. Orcutt, Ypsilanti; Sumner McCallum, Saline, and Mabel Snaubie.

The University flag pole permits the stars and stripes to float at the height of 155 feet above the level of the sea around the campus. The flag staff is for 60 feet of iron, and students find no fun notching it with their names. If Blanco will take the trouble to look in this direction, he can see the flag as it floats.—Adrian Press.

The Detroit Legal Co. News has been incorporated. Guy B. Thompson, Sylvanus W. Curtis and Ambrose Egge are the incorporators. The capital stock is \$2,500. The two first named gentlemen are well known in Ann Arbor, Mr. Thompson being a son of Col. B. M. Thompson, of the law department, and Mr. Curtis was at one time one of the proprietors of the Argus.

Of the four Ann Arbor boys in the fight at Santiago, Don A. Stark is the only one who was unfortunate enough to be hit by a Spanish shot. His right arm was torn off and his hip injured. He was formerly a barber in the employ of J. A. Shetterley and is the son of Mrs. Mary G. Stark, who resides in the Unity block. He enlisted at Island Lake with Co. L, Thirty-Third Michigan Volunteers.

Selby A. Moran has furnished the following special bail for \$3,000 on the case against him by William Judson: G. Frank Allmendinger, Carlos Hill, Paris Banfield, E. E. Calkins, C. H. Cady and Noah Cheever. This guarantees that Mr. Moran will pay any judgment secured against him or that the bondsmen will deliver him over to the custody of the sheriff on a body execution in case of a judgment.

Stamp collectors will be pleased to know that the postoffice has received a supply of the special "Omaha Exposition" postage stamps. They are similar in shape to the Columbian stamps and have scenes peculiar to the western prairie states on the different denominations. The denominations are one, two, four, five, eight and ten cents each, so that persons wishing a set of unused stamps are obliged to plank down 30 cents.

The judgment of \$925 has been paid in the William Bell vs. Charles Rinehart dog biting case. The plaintiff is a resident of Ypsilanti and has a grist of cases to fight to a finish. The repertoire includes repelevins, certiorari, etc. The paid judgment places him in a position so that they can be carried on with very little embarrassment, and as he has the reputation of being a great law case fighter there is fun and remuneration ahead for the lawyers.

John McCloy, son of James McCloy, of this city, who is a member of the Thirty-first Michigan regiment now at Chickamauga park, writes home that recent issues of "the Herald went from one company to another and the whole regiment cheered Judson.—Wandotte Herald. The cheering mentioned above was done when the boys read of the recent convention. There are consequently three heroes whom the soldier boys cheer—Dewey, Sampson and Judson.

People will remember the celebrated Wm. Bell vs. Charles Rinehart case tried in the March term of the Circuit court. It was an action brought for injuries received by a dog bite and the plaintiff received a judgment for \$165 which under the statute is doubled to \$330. The defendant asked for 90 days in which to stay proceedings and file a bill of exceptions, which was granted. The plaintiff has discovered that the time cannot be extended beyond 30 days in any case, and yesterday William Bell made a levy on pretty nearly

everything in sight. The defendant is as hot as the weather, and more legal trouble is anticipated.

Four cars of grooved iron rails have been received by the Electric Railway Co. for their new equipment on Main st.

### PROBATE COURT CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, JULY 9—  
Revival of claims in estate of Chas. Mashat, Ypsilanti.  
Adj. day of hearing claims in estate of Robt. Brown, York.

MONDAY, JULY 11—  
Adj. day of claims in estate of Stativa Hawkins, Ypsilanti.

TUESDAY, JULY 12—  
First day of claims in estate of Daniel Weinert, Saline.

The fruit growers of this vicinity will meet in the basement of the court house Saturday night at 8 o'clock to discuss plans for putting their fruit on the market.

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Only 25 cents for 15 large pages of six-colored authentic maps of all countries of the world, with marginal indices, statistical notes and supplementary sheet showing, in colors, the flags of all nations. The best war atlas published. \$4.00 worth of maps for 25 cents. They can be obtained at the Michigan Central ticket office. WS

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Respectfully,  
EDWARD N. WOOD,  
North Lansing, Mich.  
March 22, 1893."

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For this occasion the Michigan Central Ry. will sell round trip tickets July 11 and 12, good to return up to and including July 21, for \$23.40.

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YPSILANTI.

Miss Mattie Deubel is visiting Miss Myrtle Forman in Escoda.

A "turn-out" is being put in on the electric line in front of the Platt farm.

Mrs. George McElcheron and Mrs. E. M. Spencer left yesterday for Duluth.

Mayor Davis has sold his cottage at Portage Lake to Clerk McGregor.

Within a few days there will be four cars running between Wayne and Ann Arbor.

Miss Edna Barnum has returned from Jackson, where she has been teaching school.

M. B. Follett and Miss Ella Follett, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. C. H. Sanders.

Miss Edith Allen, of Holly, Mich., spent the Fourth with Mrs. Marguerite Hadley.

Fred Ellis had his face filled with powder Monday, but his eyes were not injured.

Saturday's paper reports that W. Freeman, of Troop L, Rough Riders, was injured.

Miss Grace George left for New York and will sail for Germany next Saturday.

The Misses Edna and Nettie Barnum will leave for Petoskey this week to spend the summer.

The Misses Belle and Julia Ross have gone to Jackson, Albion and Mason, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. John Sedlak was taken to Pontiac Wednesday by Marshal Hixson on an order from the Probate court.

Mrs. M. G. Wood and daughter, Mary Bell, have gone to spend a few weeks at northern Michigan resorts.

Next Monday night St. John's congregation will give a social on the church lawn. Music and refreshments.

The following marriage license has been issued in Detroit: Emory Heata, 33, Ypsilanti; Hollie McAfee, 25, Wayne.

It was rumored around this morning that someone was shot at the grove last night, but who it was cannot be learned.

The only celebrating that was going on in the city yesterday was at the Arbeiter grove, and it continued until July 5.

Woodard are in attendance at the National Teachers' association meeting, which is being held in Washington, D. C., this week.

Newton Swift has returned from Yale university, where he graduated this year. Fred Swift has also returned.

Mrs. W. R. Busenbark, who has been making Ypsilanti her home for the past three years, has moved back to her former home in Chicago.

Mrs. Thomas Duffy is entertaining her two sisters, Mrs. S. A. Maddock and daughter Maggie, of Condon, Oregon, and Mrs. T. Moynahan, of Detroit.

Mrs. C. M. Tower, whose eye was burned with a perior match, is recovering under the attendance of Dr. Hull, who has been able to save her sight.

Rev. Wm. Gardam and wife have gone to South Hampton, where they will remain a month. Services will be held at St. Luke's Sunday morning at 10:30.

Dr. R. G. Boone and Prof. E. A. Strong will attend the meeting of the National Educational association at Washington, D. C., which takes place next week.

Warren Lewis has received from the Spalding St. Lawrence Boat Co., of Ogdensburg, N. Y., the finest boat yet seen on the river. The complete outfit cost \$125.

Miss Laura Cruickshank, Chas. Sweet, Miss Gertrude Foreman and Elmer Allen are spending a few days at Portage lake. They made the trip on their wheels.

Miss Grace George left yesterday for New York. She will take the boat Saturday for Switzerland and during her year's stay in Europe will visit Miss Marie Dickenson.

The following persons left Ypsilanti Tuesday afternoon to take in the N. T. A. excursion to Washington, D. C.: Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Gardam, Miss Gertrude Woodard, Lea Spencer, Olive Benedict and Miss Robb.

Arthur Bradley, the mailing clerk at the postoffice, is taking his vacation differently from others. He is setting up machines for Huston & Dawson.

Nellie May Hewitt is now handling the mail pouches in his stead.

Principal Crittenden's resignation has been accepted by the school board and he will assume a similar but more lucrative position in Moline, Ill. His place here will be filled by W. H. Arbrough, a U. of M. graduate.

The ladies of the St. John's congregation will give a social next Monday evening on the church grounds. Fr. Goldrook, of Northfield, will be present and render a few songs, and there will also be other musical features and things of amusement.

Monday noon the house occupied by Fred Miller, near the mill of the Ypsilanti Paper Co., caught fire and burned to the ground. It is believed that sparks from the train started it. The house was insured and there was \$400 on the personal property, most of which was saved.

Dan Quirk and Fred Stuck experienced quite a bit of track work after their aquatic sport Sunday afternoon up the river. In coming back the boat struck a pile and sunk, so that the two occupants had to swim to shore. They were protected from the sun by abbreviated swimming costumes.

The government pays \$80 for a good cavalry horse out in Ypsilanti, but Warren Lewis, the dog dealer, wholesale and retail, sold to a chap in Ogdensburg, N. Y., a spaniel for \$100 the other day. The pup has not been retained, however. Dogs \$100, horses \$80. Is this commercial equality? Every horse in the country will say neigh.—Adrian Press.

Joe Lang, formerly of this city, was nearly killed in Duluth a few days ago. A woman in a neighboring house screamed on account of burglars being in the house, which awakened Joe and he gave chase, but a fellow next door mistook him for the burglar and batted him over the head with a club knocking out his teeth and nearly causing the blow to be fatal.

The kind of political pushers they have in the Republican party over in Washtenaw may be judged by the following from the Ann Arbor Argus: Hezekiah Norris, one of the delegates to the last Republican county convention, was fined \$5 and costs in Justice Childs' court at Ypsilanti for running a gambling place, which Norris claimed he did not run." Norris says Pingree is one of our sort of men.—Adrian Press.

This morning about 4 o'clock some miscreant cut the feed wire between Main st. and the power house, Ann Arbor, which stopped all car service on the line this morning. The Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor Ry. Co. offer \$50 reward for evidence which will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who did the work, and detectives are working on the case. It caused any amount of inconvenience to people who take advantage of the service.

Herbert Boone is visiting in Chicago for a short time.

Many persons will remember the crack-a-jack Washtenaw Times band, which gave an open air concert in this city last year. The band will be here next Tuesday evening. Everybody turn out and listen to good music.

MOORE WANTED \$150.

A few days ago Mayor Davis caused to be served on the aldermen a notice that they must be in their seats at 8 p. m. and that the meeting would positively be called to order at that hour, consequently the city fathers began with the grind at 8:10. All were present except Ald. Worden.

The clerk read a communication from the Lansing Veneer Co. asking how much of a bonus Ypsilanti could give them. Their pay roll amounts to about \$1,000 per month. It was received and placed on file. So also was the invitation of the American association, which is to meet in Detroit in a few days.

The clerk read a communication from Emily C. Place, who claims that the city had no right to put down a walk in front of her place as there already was a good cement walk there, put down according to the survey of the engineer. The walk is on Normal st. and is 110 feet long. She declines to pay for the same. The lady was given an opportunity to talk, but the council never listened.

As there is no fixed rate for street sprinkling, the Businessmen's association asked that the council fix a rate. Referred to the board of public works.

The matter of the east side sewer was laid on the table. There was no protest on the Ellis st. sewer.

The board of public works asked for more time in the matter of building an artificial lake in the Fifth ward park.

There were two bids for the Oakwood ave. sewer. J. M. Brooks bid \$632 and F. W. Gianfield \$738. It was awarded to the former.

The petition of the Congress st. property owners, between Adams st. and the bridge, which contained only six names against paving, was read, received and placed on file. It probably knocked some of the anti-paving aldermen speechless.

There were several bids for the \$6,000 fire bonds the city is issuing, and the lowest was that of the First National bank at 4 5/8 per cent., to whom it has been awarded.

Ald. Van Fossen asked for more time with his sidewalk ordinance, which was granted. At this point Ald. Shafter took occasion to roast the alderman of the Second, who seems to be the only one in the council who has advanced ideas on municipal government.

Ald. Davis brought up the matter as to how fast the street cars can run in the city. Also that they must stop before going on to the bridge.

The council ordered a new dynamo to be bought for the electric light works.

Although Ald. Van Fossen has not got his sidewalk ordinance in shape, yet he has accomplished what will have the same effect in his ward. The street commissioner was ordered to make a thorough inspection of the walks in the Second ward, to repair those that needed immediate repairing, and report at the next meeting of the council.

The sensation of the evening was struck when Ald. Voakalar, the street commissioner, asked for \$150 out of the contingent fund to be appropriated on the streets in his ward. He made a strong plea for it, but none of the other wardsmen could see it that way and the motion was lost.

The ways and means committee were given power to act in the matter of appealing the Comisky case.

WATERS OF MANCHESTER.

It is probably so that Senator Campbell can go back to Jackson wants him. The only question now is whether Jackson has an anti-Pingree candidate of his own or not. It is quite certain that Representative Peak, who is to Jackson what Judson is to Washtenaw, will see that Pingree don't get a senator from this district.

Representative Campbell, however, will not have such an easy time of it. Judson says a Pingree man must be sent from the Second district. Now this district is not so much Pingree as the First is, but A. J. Waters, of Manchester, has shied his castor into the political arena and will make a strong pull for the nomination. Waters is a hustler and would make a better run than Campbell if hustling cuts any figure.

SUCCESSFUL SUMMER SCHOOL.

The Normal is again alive with students, but this time it is the summer school, which is the first attempt in that direction. There are now enrolled 150 students, and from letters of inquiry it is estimated that the attendance will be 200. Nearly the full corps of the regular instructors conduct the work.

One of the most gratifying and astonishing features is that instead of students taking elementary work nearly all are taking advanced studies, and in Dr. Boone's class alone, which numbers 15, the average is six years' experience in teaching. Besides Michigan students, Indiana, Illinois and Ohio are represented and a large number from Lima and Hillsboro, Ohio. The biological, chemical and physical laboratories are filled, and instead of the summer school being an experiment it is an unexpected success.

The training school has a good attendance, but there is room for more. The pupils are taken from the second and third grades.

A PARLOR MATCH.

Saturday, while lighting a gasoline stove, Mrs. Mart, Tower was injured so that she might lose her eyesight. The match which she used was one of those large head parlor matches and the whole head flew into her eye when she struck it burning until the tear drops put it out. Dr. Hull picked out several pieces and today she will be taken to Ann Arbor, where Dr. Carrow will operate on it.

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GO. G, 31 MICH. VOL.

Another News Letter from Special Correspondent "Jack" Hillman.

Chickamauga Park, Camp Thomas, July 2.—(Special).—All is activity in the camp of the Thirty-first. New recruits are still coming into camp and the officers are kept busy equipping and drilling them.

This morning, by Col. Gardner's orders, Co. G "struck" tents and went through the practice of loading the company's baggage. The work was done under Capt. McKeand's direction, and Col. Gardner said it was the best loaded baggage he had seen yet.

Each company has to do this work, so that when the order comes to break camp it will be done speedily and without any waste of time. Col. Gardner wants to pack the wagons for each company so that all the heavy baggage belonging to the men may be taken by the wagons, leaving nothing for the men to carry but canteens, rifles and puppets.

Yesterday Lieut. Green was officer of the guard. Late in the afternoon Col. Gardner came to the guard house. The command was given, "Turn out the guard, commanding officer." The boys fell in their places on the double-quick. When the guard saluted the colonel said: "That is good; the best I have seen it done yet." Col. Gardner takes special care in training the guard, and it pleases him when it comes up to his high standard of excellence.

Earl Hawks has been detailed at the commissary department as clerk to assist during the rush occasioned by the issuing of equipments to the recruits. And Dave Morford is overseer in the quartermaster's department.

Orders for the company and his staff are chosen each night to serve for 24 hours. The men who look the neatest and execute the manual of arms the best are selected. Last night Clyde Pierce was chosen and the night before Charlie Hurline. Both acted as orderly for the colonel, an honor sought for.

Seldom a night passes without Co. G furnishing one or more orders out of five required from the 12 companies in the regiment.

Corporal Mat Kirk returned today with four more recruits making Company G's quota complete. Mat was wounded in the leg with a bullet from the boys. He is fatter than when he left camp and he must have lived on the best Ypsilanti could furnish.

It is stated on good authority that fifty rounds of ammunition will be issued soon to each man for target practice. The officers were looking over the park today in search of a suitable location.

27,000 rounds of ammunition was transferred from division headquarters today to our regiment. The boys would enjoy hearing a gun fired.

The large Y. M. C. A. tent under the control of the Ypsilanti Y. M. C. A. society, under Bert Johnson, is supplying the boys with a much felt want. A library numbering over seven hundred books and magazines is located at the tent. The well equipped tent supplies a home for the boys where they never fail to receive a welcome. An effort will be made to get permission from the war department to let the tent be taken to Porto Rico when the regiment goes.

It is hard for the new recruits to learn to eat out of a tin plate, drink from a tin cup and get on the ground to eat. This morning one of the guests who had to eat with I was told, when I was at home I had butter, napkins, a table and chair and I came from that for this," and he held up his tin plate. But the new and the old boys are becoming wonderfully satisfied and enjoy camp life.

The boys of Co. G, Company are in the best of health and no one has answered a sick report for weeks.

HILLMAN.

ROUGH RIDER FREEMAN.

Wednesday Mrs. Chas. Freeman received a letter from her son, Will Freeman, of Troop F, Rough Riders. He said that they embarked for Cuba June 22 and the next day witnessed the bombardment at Santiago. Before they could land they were compelled to go 30 miles up the coast. On Friday they marched towards Santiago, Troop L being in the front and Troop F following them. For several hours they marched on when suddenly they found themselves in a trap, heavy firing from both sides. Two hours they fought like demons, and with 500 men repulsed 4,000 Spaniards, who were entrenched. He says that he had many narrow escapes and that he was at his side when shot down. While lying there he gave Freeman ammunition out of his belt, who shot over 100 rounds, so that his gun was so hot that he could hardly hold it. The letter was written twelve miles from Santiago. After the battle he went to the rear and helped to take care of the wounded.

Freeman was wounded in last Friday's engagement, but not severely.

DIRECTORY OF THE ARMY.

Thirty-first Regiment—Camp Thomas, Chickamauga, Ga.

Thirty-second Regiment—Third Division, Gen. Coppinger's Army; First Brigade, Brig.-Gen. Jacob Kline, commanding, Camp De Soto, Tampa, Fla.

Thirty-third Regiment—With Gen. Shafter's army, before Santiago.

Thirty-fifth Regiment—Organizing at Camp Eaton, Island Lake.

Michigan Naval Reserves—U. S. S. Yosemite, on cruise, with Sampson's fleet, in Cuban waters.

Officers for members of the Naval Reserves, while the Yosemite is on cruise, should be addressed to the ship, care of the Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

Nineteenth U. S. Infantry—The larger number of members of this regiment are Michigan men. Second division, Gen. Coppinger's army; First Brigade, Col. I. D. De Russey, commander, Camp De Soto, Tampa, Fla.

Gen. Shafter Improving.

Washington, July 7.—Secretary Alger received the following dispatch from Gen. Shafter this morning: "Playa del Este, via Hayti, July 6.—Hon. Secretary of War, Washington: Camp Near Santiago, July 5.—Capt. Alger and Sewell and Mr. Corbin are well. I am feeling better. Had hoped to be up this morning, but as everything is quiet I will remain still. Gen. Wheeler is feeble, but remains with his command. Gen. Young leaves for Key West today. Gen. Hawkins slightly wounded in foot. All others well. (Signed) "Shafter."

WHAT'LL THEY DO ?

ONLY SIX PROPERTY OWNERS OPPOSED TO PAVING.

(From Wednesday's Times).

The Times has made a special effort to see every property holder on Congress st., between the bridge and Adams st. Only five property holders were not seen and out of the whole number of these owners of property there were as many against it as there are legs on a fly. Out of the 53 owners 33 signed in favor of paving and 14 did not care or were out-of-town landlords.

The total amount of feet frontage to be paved is 1,649 feet, of which the owners of 990 feet are in favor of paving, 317 against and 342 feet of which the owners were non-residents or did not care whether the street is paved or not.

In this entire list there is not a tenant; every one mentioned has a title in the property. This is just in line with the argument of Ald. Van Fossen, who claimed the property holders do not want paving. In taking this census we showed no partiality, but simply asked "Do you want the streets paved?"

Following are the names, number of feet around and the answer of each property owner:

Chas. King, 22, yes; Mary Spencer, 21, yes; A. Worden, 21, no; Samuel Post, 77 1/2, yes; Alice Sherwood, 22, no; Mrs. Lucking, 22, yes; First National Bank, 40, yes; James Davis, 22, yes; David J. Tyler, 24, yes; Helen McAndrews, 20, yes; C. H. Cady, 32 1/2, yes; T. W. McAndrews, 21, yes; Ira Davis and D. C. Griffin, 33, yes; Mrs. Lambie, 15, yes; Lydia Spencer, 20, no; Mrs. Lambie, 21, yes; C. Millington, 40, yes; Lois Hewitt, 40, yes; Mary H. Cheever, 24, yes; Geo. J. Arment, 40, yes; Mack & Mack, 27, yes; Huston & Dawson, 35, yes; Miss Van Cleve, 166, no; W. J. Clarke, 21, yes; Wallace & Clark, 22, yes; H. M. Curtis, 18, yes; A. S. Nowlan, 60, yes; E. R. Beal, 50, yes; Austin George, 67, yes; Bank block, 50, yes; Moorhead estate, 70, yes; Alice Sherwood, 18, no; Ainsworth, Batchelder & Co., 66, no; J. H. Miller, 41, yes; estate, D. C. Griffin, agent, 22, no; Adam Shaener, 40, yes.

Following these are the names of those who did not sign: Morfar & Pitzer, 20, out of town; C. Wordley, 75; F. K. Rexford, 20; Erastus Sampson, 20; non-resident owners of harness shop, meat market, and grocery store, 63; Mrs. Sanders, 43; Austin Burbank, 18; Jos. De Mosh, 62.

Promotions in the Navy.

Washington, July 7.—By the retirement of Rear Admiral Kirkland, having reached the age limit, all naval officers of the line go up one number. Acting Rear Admiral Sampson, who in the line was head of the list of captains, passes up to the foot of the list of commodores. The naval examining board, composed of Rear Admirals Franklin, Secord and Mathews, passed on Sampson's record and approved the recommendation of promotion. This action was a formal one of naval routine and has no special significance.

ARMIES BURY THEIR DEAD.

Washington July 7.—Santiago's fate is so certain that the brief breathing spell granted her will make no difference in the result. The armistice granted by Gen. Shafter has expired. Unless the Spaniards surrender active hostilities will be resumed, although the assault upon the city may not be made immediately. The truce was made the occasion for the burial of the dead and the recovery of the wounded by both sides.

DEBATE ON SCHLEY RESOLUTION.

Washington, July 7.—Senator Pettigrew has introduced a resolution tendering the thanks of congress to Commodore Schley and the men under him for gallant conduct in the destruction of the Spanish squadron at Santiago. The resolution caused some debate. Senator Hale declared that no one knew who was entitled to the credit of the great victory. Mr. Pettigrew said he introduced the resolution to remove in a measure the erroneous impression that Sampson had won the most remarkable naval battle of the world. The resolution went to the committee on naval affairs.

PARROTS ARE PATRIOTIC.

They Unlearn Spanish and Hurrah for Admiral Dewey.

From Chicago Chronicle: Bird fanciers who deal in parrots have been obliged to teach their pets phrases to meet the exigencies of the war. Trite phrases such as "Polly wants a cracker" and the other infantile remarks that constituted the repertoire of a well-educated parrot are now no longer in demand. The public will buy only such birds as can utter patriotic sentiments. One dealer in talking birds who conducts a store on North Clark street has on hand at present fifty new parrots just imported from Venezuela and Trinidad. Their cages are ranged round a phonograph which is constantly repeating phrases such as these: "Remember the Maine," "Death to Weyler," "What's the matter with Dewey?" "How do you feel today, Alfonso?" "On to Havana," "Hurrah for Fitzhugh Lee." At the end of a week the feathered regiment is capable of giving utterance to more patriotic sentiments in five minutes than the most accomplished Fourth of July orator could in a month. Occasionally a parrot is found who repeats a few Spanish words, picked up in its South American home. In former days it was considered an accomplishment for a parrot to speak several languages, but nowadays a parrot who speaks the tongue of the hated dons is likely to get its next wrung.

JAPAN HAS HER TROUBLES.

Yokohama, June 29.—Okuma Stagaki has been charged to form a new cabinet. It will be the first party cabinet in the history of Japan. The resignations of the Marquis Saigo Tsugumichi, the minister of marine, and Lieut.-Gen. Katsura, the minister of war, have not been accepted. They will probably retain their posts, in deference to the clan feeling among the officers.

Companies to Ann Stamps.

Chicago, July 7.—An important ruling on the war revenue law has been made by V. B. Scott, commissioner of internal revenue, in response to the protest of the Illinois Manufacturers' association against the collection of the stamp tax from shippers by transportation companies. Commissioner Scott interprets the law in direct variance with the construction placed upon it by railroad and express companies, and says they must meet the expense of stamps themselves.

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Mail ..... 9 18

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DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The platform adopted by the Democratic state convention reaffirms the Chicago platform, favors a vigorous prosecution of the war with Spain in the interests of the nation, congratulates the nation on the volunteer troops, and especially those from Michigan, favors equality in taxation and insists that corporations and accumulated wealth should bear their just share of taxation, favors the initiative, endorses Congressmen Brucker and Todd and says:

"We call attention to the fact that when the Democratic party came into power in this state in 1891, for the first time in many years, it promptly inaugurated measures looking to the equal and just taxation of railroad and other corporations. It passed a law compelling railroads to carry passengers at 2 cents per mile, which has been sustained by the Supreme court of the state; it established a franchise fee for corporations, which has produced large revenues; it restricted the right of consolidation of competing railroads; it inaugurated the first Australian ballot law ever enacted in the state, designed to prevent the coercion of the votes of workmen by corporate agents; it enacted the first practical and effective law for the protection of mechanics' liens; it repealed the law which practically exempted mining companies from taxation, and compelled them to pay their just share of taxes.

"It introduced business methods in all branches of the state government by which the people were better served at much less expense than any prior or subsequent administration.

"We promise a continuance of this work. We believe and confidently assert that the record of the Republican party in this state precludes its support of any measures not satisfactory to the combinations of capital, which have been the chief development of its policy.

"We demand the passage of state laws which shall keep the control of corporate action at all times in the hands of the people, and place a limit to permissible extortion by fixing a maximum charge for freight and passenger service, and compel recognition of the public rights by the holder of every franchise.

"We demand a strict supervision of telegraph, telephone, express and other corporations using similar privileges, that their charge for service shall be held within reasonable limits and the rights of patrons vigorously protected.

"We condemn the Republican party of Michigan for its machine methods, and its subservience to corporate wealth, by which in the last legislature it controlled the state senate and through which it boasted that in the future all attempts to equalize taxes or impose just burdens upon corporations shall be defeated. We appeal to the people of this state to select a Democratic legislature in both branches and thus guarantee reforms on these important questions."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

- John B. Corless to Marie Durheim, Ann Arbor, \$75.
Charles J. Depew and wife to Martin Howe and wife, Chelsea, \$750.
Margaret Leach to George Leach, Chelsea, \$75.
John Baumgardner to George W. Turnbull, Chelsea, \$15.
Wm. K. Childs to George W. Bullis, Selo, \$1.
George W. Bullis to Wm. K. Childs and wife, Selo, \$1.
Catharine Phillips, by adm., to Hasler E. Jenks, Ypsilanti, \$485.
Charles F. Rinchart and wife to Wm. Thorn, Ypsilanti, \$175.
Maria S. Heath to S. L. Smalley, Ypsilanti, \$150.
Albert Havens, by heirs, to Milo Hath, Sylvan, \$1,125.
Adelia Thatcher to Ralph Thatcher, Chelsea, \$1.
Adelia Thatcher to Orin Thatcher, Chelsea, \$1.
Adelia Thatcher to Edna S. Flisk, Chelsea, \$1.
Adelia Thatcher to Emily Monroe, Chelsea, \$1.
J. D. Corey to Wurster Bros. & Co., Manchester, \$75.
Edward V. Hangsterfer and wife to John W. Hangsterfer, Ann Arbor, \$1.
John W. Hangsterfer and wife to Jos. Mayworm, Ann Arbor, \$1.
Evron C. Whitaker to Robert Sleaator, Dexter, \$800.
Robert Sleaator and wife to Byron Whitaker, Dexter, \$200.
Daniel Sackett to Robt. Sleaator, Dexter, \$200.
John R. Miner to Ann Arbor Savings Assn., Ann Arbor, \$1.
Walter H. Nichols and wife to Ly-sander Miller and wife, Ann Arbor, \$325.
Franklin D. Wagner to George Wagner, Selo, \$1,200.
A. K. Zacharias, by sheriff, to W. W. Beaman, Superior, \$495.
Henry Hazen and wife to Levi Kimball, Sharon, \$150.
Eugene Champlain to Florence Champlain, Ypsilanti, \$1.
Bryant Walker, adm., to George P. Coter and wife, Ann Arbor, \$3,100.
Miss Jackson, of Urbana, who is visiting at the residence of S. H. Dodge, sprained her ankle Monday while jumping from a buggy.

HOW THE BATTLE WAS WON

Detailed Account of Admiral Sampson's Victory.

SPANISH ADMIRAL A CAPTIVE.

Cervera's Fleet Unable to Withstand the Terrific Fire from the American Vessels—No Thought of Surrender in the Minds of the Spaniards.

Santiago de Cuba, July 3, via Kings-ton, Jamaica, July 4.—Admiral Cervera's fleet, consisting of the armored cruisers Cristobal Colon, Almirante Oquendo, Infanta Maria Teresa and Vizcaya and two torpedo boat destroyers, the Furor and the Pluton, which had been held in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba for six weeks past by the combined squadrons of Rear Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley lies at the bottom of the Caribbean sea, off the southern coast of Cuba. The Spanish admiral is a prisoner of war on the auxiliary gunboat Gloucester and 1,000 to 500 other Spanish officers and sailors, all who escaped the frightful carnage caused by the shells from the American warships, are also held as prisoners of war by the United States navy.

The American victory is complete and the American vessels were practically untouched, and only one man was killed, though the ships were subjected to the heavy fire of the Spaniards all the time the battle lasted.

Admiral Cervera made as gallant a dash for liberty and for the preservation of his ships as has ever occurred in the history of naval warfare. In the face of overwhelming odds, with nothing before him but inevitable destruction or surrender, if he remained any longer in the trap in which the American fleet held him, he made a bold dash from the harbor at the time the American least expected him to do so, and fighting every inch of his way, even when his ship was ablaze and sinking, he tried to escape the doom which was written on the muzzle of every American gun trained up on his vessels.

The Americans saw him the moment he left the harbor and commenced their work of destruction immediately. For an hour or two they followed the flying Spaniards to the westward along the shore line, sending shot after shot into their blazing hulls, tearing great holes in their steel sides and covering their decks with the blood of the killed and wounded.

At no time did the Spaniards show any indication that they intended to do otherwise than fight to the last. They showed no signals to surrender even when their ships commenced to sink and the great clouds of smoke pouring from their sides, showed they were on fire, but they turned their heads toward the shore, less than a mile away, and ran them on the beach and rocks, where their destruction was soon completed. The officers and men on board then escaped to the shore as well as they could, with the assistance of boats sent from the American men-of-war and then threw themselves upon the mercy of their captors, who not only extended to them the gracious hand of American chivalry, but sent them a guard to protect them from the bands of Cuban soldiers hiding in the bush on the hill-side.

One after the other of the Spanish ships became the victims of the awful rain of shells which the American battleships, cruisers and gunboats poured upon them, and two hours after the first of the fleet had started out of Santiago harbor, three cruisers and two torpedo boat destroyers were lying on the shore ten to fifteen miles off Morro castle, pounding to pieces, smoke and flames pouring from every part of them and covering the entire coast line with a mist which could be seen for miles.

Admiral Cervera escaped to the shore in a boat sent by the Gloucester to the assistance of the Infanta Maria Teresa and as soon as he touched the beach he surrendered himself and his command to Lieut. Morton and asked to be taken on board the Gloucester, which was the only American vessel near him at the time, with several of his officers, including the captain of the flagship. The Spanish admiral who was wounded in the arm was taken to the Gloucester and was received at her gangway by Lieut.-Commander Richard Wainwright, who grasped the hand of the gray bearded admiral and said to him: "I congratulate you, sir, upon having made as gallant a fight as was ever witnessed on the sea." He then placed his cabin at the disposal of the admiral and his staff.

At that time, the Spanish flagship and four other Spanish vessels had been aground and burning for two hours, and the only one of the escaping fleet, which could not be seen at this point was the Cristobal Colon. But half a dozen curls of smoke far down on the western horizon showed the fate that was awaiting her.

The Cristobal Colon was the fastest of the Spanish ships and she soon obtained a lead over the other after leaving the harbor and escaped the effect of the shots which destroyed the other vessels. She steamed away at great speed with the Oregon, New York, Brooklyn and several other ships in pursuit, all of them firing at her constantly and receiving fire themselves from her after guns. There is no possibility whatever for her escape.

Capt. Evans, who was in the thick of the engagement, said that to the best of his knowledge not one American ship had been struck.

The torpedo boat Ericson made a similar report. There is no means of telling now what the Spanish loss was,

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but it is believed to have been very heavy, as the prisoners in custody report their decks strewn with dead and wounded in great numbers and besides there is a statement that many bodies could be seen fastened to the pieces of wreckage floating in the sea after the battle was over. A large number of the Spanish wounded were removed to the American ships.

Bryan in Federal Service.

Omaha, Neb., July 6.—The regiment of Col. Bryan is now in the federal service. Col. Bryan is now actively assisting in the mustering in of his command and has been eating from a tin pan for several days at Fort Omaha. Fort Omaha is assuming quite a military appearance. The grounds are patrolled night and day, and military discipline is strictly enforced. More than 1,000 men are at the fort now, all the companies having arrived, with the exception of that from Alma.

Money for Sampson's Men.

New York, July 6.—The men of Admiral Sampson's fleet will get something besides glory as payment for their work of destroying the Spanish fleet. A considerable amount of hard cash will be theirs. For every man on the Spanish warships at the time of our attack our sailors will receive \$100 bounty. There were about 1,700 men on Cervera's ships when the battle began. The officers and men of our navy will consequently divide up over \$170,000.

Congratulations to the Navy.

Washington, July 6.—The following dispatch has been sent to Admiral Sampson by Secretary Long: "The secretary of the navy sends you and every officer and man of your fleet, remembering equally your dead comrade, grateful acknowledgement of your heroism and success. All honor to the brave. You have maintained the honor of the American navy."

John D. Long.

For Joint Attack on Santiago.

Washington, July 6.—At a cabinet meeting it was determined to direct Admiral Sampson to confer with Gen. Shafter and arrange for an immediate joint attack on Santiago. It is expected that Sampson will enter the harbor, and reports are current that he has already done so. It is certain the bombardment only awaits the entrance of the fleet.

Forming a Big Army.

Washington, July 6.—Seven thousand men at Chickamauga are to go at once to Savannah to embark for Cuba. Two regiments from Camp Alger left today. Two Ohio regiments left on the St. Paul from New York. Rush preparations are being made everywhere for the immediate formation of a big fighting army.

Will Ask for Negro Forces.

Washington, July 6.—Secretary Alger will send to Congress an application for authority to enlist 25,000 negro soldiers in case he deems it necessary to increase the present force.

May Create Trouble.

Berlin, July 5.—At a meeting of the Colonial Society at Danticon at the instance of the president, a resolution was adopted which is liable to create trouble. The resolution provides that no German, no matter where he may emigrate, hereafter, shall lose his nationality except on his own initiative. A bill embodying the resolution, which is endorsed by the emperor and many members of the reichstag, will be introduced at the coming session.

National Call Issued.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 5.—A. E. Manning, chairman of the Negro National Democratic league, has issued a call for the national convention of the league to meet in New York the second Tuesday in August. The call fixes the apportionment of delegates at one for each congressional district, and closes with a patriotic appeal to colored men to assist in electing a democratic majority to the next congress.

Pando in Santiago.

New York, July 5.—A special dispatch from Playa del Este to the Evening World quotes General Garcia as authority for the statement that General Pando has entered Santiago with 6,000 soldiers, re-enforcing General Linarez.

Lynched a Negro.

Pine Bluff, Ark., July 6.—Goode Gray, colored, charged with the robbery and murder of Bart Fredericks, a white man, was taken from the prison, Ark., jail by a mob and lynched.

SPAIN WOULD WANT MUCH

Thinks She Can Purchase Peace Cheaply.

TO EXACT TRIBUTE FROM CUBA

Her Demands Are Felt to Be Beyond All Reasons, From an American Standpoint—Arrangements as to the Philippines.

London, July 6.—A dispatch from Berlin to the Daily News says that feelers have been put out from Spanish quarters with a view to ascertaining how the powers and the United States are likely to regard the terms of peace that Spain is willing to propose. These are said to be: First, the independence of Cuba; second, that Cuba pay a tribute to Spain for twenty years; third, that Spain keep a small garrison at a small port during that period; fourth, that other powers be entitled to maintain small bodies of troops on the island for the protection of their own subjects; fifth, that the Philippines be declared independent of tribute and that Spanish occupation on one island be permanent; and sixth, that Porto Rico be occupied by the United States as a pledge for the punctual payment of indemnity, and that the island be evacuated after Spain shall have fulfilled her obligations.

Gen. Shafter Is Ill.

Washington, July 6.—A telegram received at the war department from Gen. Shafter says that he has been suffering



GEN. WHEELER.

from heat prostration and had been unable to eat anything for four days. The war department has been informed that Major-General Wheeler is very much better.

Will Fight to the End.

London, July 6.—A dispatch to the Central News says that in an interview with Senor Sagasta, that evidence was given that he entertained not the slightest idea of surrender or of making any overtures for peace. Senor Sagasta, in the course of the interview, said: "Though the Americans get reinforcements and take Santiago, we will yet pursue this war to the end. There are in Cuba a hundred thousand men, including the volunteers, who are ready to die in its defense, but will never yield."

Spain's Power No More

Paris, July 6.—The Temps, commenting upon the destruction of Admiral Cervera's squadron, says that Spain's naval power is no more. It adds: "If bravery, skill and qualities of heart and mind could have saved it, the third of July would not have seen the ocean close over this second armada. We are bound to draw from the event the lessons it contains. Everybody sees them. Nobody is unaware of the cruel, imperious obligations imposed by the great disaster. Spain must not lose a moment in negotiating for peace."

Winfield Scott Schley.

Washington, July 6.—Winfield Scott Schley was born in Frederick county, Md., Oct. 9, 1839. He was graduated at the naval academy and served on the frigate Niagara. On July 16, 1862, he was made a lieutenant, and from that time on he alternated between active service in different parts of the world and as instructor at the naval academy. In 1874 he was promoted to commander and in 1888 to captain.

Fatal Fire in Pennsylvania.

Uniontown, Pa., July 4.—The most destructive fire this place has ever experienced occurred Sunday, originating in G. E. Baisley's restaurant in the basement of the Wilson building, on Main street. A strong wind prevailed, and for a time the entire business section of the town was in great danger. Two men were seen on the roof of the Wilson building just before it fell and they are supposed to have perished. The loss aggregates \$115,000, with \$65,500 insurance.

Same Scale as Last Year.

Muncie, Ind., July 4.—The convention of the green glass pressers of the United States and Canada adjourned to meet next year in Marion, Ind. The same scale in vogue the last ten years was adopted. The officers elected are President, Frank Lafferty, Muncie; Recording Secretary, James McClain, Muncie; Corresponding Secretary, Thomas Atkins, Philadelphia; Financial Secretary, Patrick Kelly, Muncie.

For a Vice Admiral.

Washington, July 4.—Senator Mason of Illinois has introduced a bill to authorize the President to appoint with the advice and consent of the senate one vice-admiral to be selected for distinguished conduct in battle, or for extraordinary heroism in the present war from the list of active rear admirals, and who shall be the ranking officer in the navy.

FLEET WIPED OUT.

Spanish Squadron Blown Up at Santiago.

ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE.

Americans Commence Attack with a Fierce Fire.

CERVERA RUNS BACK TO SHELTER.

Closely Followed by Admiral Sampson, and Seeing No Possibility of Escaping, the Spaniard Blew Up All His Ships but One, Which Escaped to the Open Sea, and Is Being Pursued—Fall of Santiago Is Now Inevitable—News Received at Washington.

Off Santiago de Cuba, via Tampa, July 5.—Yesterday morning Admiral Cervera attempted to escape from the harbor and run by the American fleet. The attempt was unexpected by Admiral Sampson, but his ships were prepared in an instant for the fight.

With the flagship, the New York, in the lead, the fleet advanced to meet the enemy. So fierce and well directed was the fire from the American ships that after less than twenty minutes fighting Cervera signaled to return. Admiral Sampson followed closely, and Cervera, seeing capture certain, blew up his entire fleet, with the exception of one boat, which escaped to the open sea and is being pursued by two of Admiral Sampson's squadron.

The occupation of the harbor by the American fleet renders the situation of the Spanish troops who hold the city, absolutely untenable, and an immediate surrender is inevitable.

Washington, July 5.—The news of the destruction of Admiral Cervera's fleet was received in this city with indescribable satisfaction. The apparent reverse suffered by Gen. Shafter, which became public early in the day, had caused a feeling almost of dismay, and the change in the situation was joyfully welcomed by the president and cabinet. The reinforcements asked for by Gen. Shafter may not be hurried to the front as early as had been anticipated.

Bicycle Records Lowered.

Boston, Mass., July 4.—All world's records from one to fifteen miles inclusive took a sudden drop at Charles River Park Saturday afternoon, when Eddie McDuffee, of Boston, defeated Jimmy Michael, the tiny cyclist, who has long held the title of champion of the world. It is possible that the race might have had a different ending but for an accident which befell Michael and practically threw him out of the race. At the end of the first mile the watches recorded 1:45 2-5, against 1:43 3-5, the former world's record, made by Elkes in his race with Martin, one week ago. The two miles were ridden in 3:24 3-5, a gain of :04 3-5 on the previous two-mile record. When the bell announced the last mile of the race McDuffee pulled out a spurt and headed across the tape in 26:30 3-5.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

The meaner a man is the more agreeable he tries to be.
Time advances at a snail's pace, but it retreats like a scorcher.
Worthless people are always more amusing than worthy ones.
Hope for the best, prepare for the worst and take what comes.
There is nothing so apt to make a man economize as the lack of money.
Life may be one grand sweet song, but the majority of us are unable to sing.
It's a pity that a man can never see himself in a poker game as others "see" him.
The average man prides himself on the possessions his neighbor can't afford.
Nature may be a success as a country artist, but it takes a man to paint the town.
Bronze is all the rage now, but some people continue to exhibit a good deal of brass.
Babies have more sense than grown people; they will refuse to kiss unpleasant people.
A boy is always eager to go to the grocery for any purchase which he can nibble on the way home.
No man can ever be great all by himself; somebody always pops up and tells what a good mother he had.
The man who truly loves a woman will sometimes give up tobacco for three weeks after they are married.
The fact that the cigarette is a Spanish invention makes many long-suffering women wish they could go to war, too.
When a girl tells a man never to darken her doors again, he sometimes finds her out on the piazza the next evening.
Strike Hanging On.
Oshkosh, Wis., June 29.—The wood-workers' strike still hangs on, although the three factories running claim an increase of thirty workmen today. After repeated consultations with the local authorities the governor has decided not to withdraw the troops until all danger is past, which, according to city officials, will not be until after July 4 at least. After that date the other factories will resume operations, and the strength or weakness of the strike will soon be discovered.

Test Case to Be Made.
Washington, July 5.—The Merchants' association of Baltimore threatens to enter a legal fight with the express companies to prevent the latter from shifting the burden of the war tax on express packages to the shippers. The merchants of Baltimore will offer packages to be expressed, and demand that the tax be paid by the companies, and if they decline to do so test cases will be made.

Reagan for Conquest.
Waco, Tex., July 5.—Hon. John H. Reagan, who was a cabinet officer in the government of the southern confederacy, is a strong indorser of the war policy of the present administration, and is a very strong expansionist. He favors acquisition and retention of the Spanish islands and archipelagoes and the annexation of Hawaii.

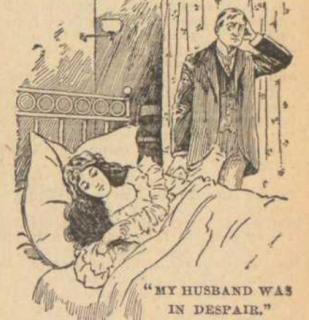
Will Test the Law.
Muncie, Ind., July 5.—The building and loan associations of this county, called upon by the state to open their books to the county assessor, declined to do so, and will appeal the case to the supreme court to make a test case of it. The assessment of every building and loan association in Indiana will hinge upon the decision of the court.

Heavy Fire at Boston.
Boston, Mass., July 5.—The Atlas Stores, near Congress street bridge, were partially burned. The loss will be heavy. Several seamen of the United States steamship Minnesota, the naval reserve ship lying alongside, were overcome by the heat and smoke and were more or less injured.

In a Receiver's Hands.
Indianapolis, Ind., July 5.—The differences between the proprietors of the Indianapolis News led to the appointment of a receiver for that publication, the parties agreeing to this course as a means of reaching a speedy dissolution of the partnership by the sale of the paper.

HOPE OUT OF DESPAIR.

This is a story of a woman who suffered and despaired. Not a romantic tale of an imaginary woman, but the plain unvarnished facts about a wife and mother, whose final triumph over misery and hopelessness teaches this indisputable truth: neither nature nor the Creator of nature ever intended women to be all their lives incapacitated and worn and racked with continual aches and agonies.
Women who drag along in weakness and wretchedness a large share of their time, get into the habit of thinking that there is



"MY HUSBAND WAS IN DESPAIR."

no help for it; that it is all part of their inevitable destiny. They become discouraged with failure after failure of unnatural drugs and unscientific practitioners to bring them any permanent relief. They settle down into despondent conviction that there is no way of escape from the fearful weakness which drags them backward.
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GLEANINGS OF A WEEK.

J. R. Bullis has removed to 1069 W. Huron st. Mrs. Robert Mann and Miss Mary Mann have returned to Lansing. C. W. Wagner and family have gone to Wequetonsing to spend the summer. George W. Wiltse, of Packard st., is moving with his family to Clinton this week. A. C. Schumacher has been elected treasurer of the State Board of Pharmacy. Miss Olive Benedict has gone to Baltimore, Md., to spend a portion of the summer. Mrs. W. H. McIntyre, of Dewey ave., is spending a few days in Toledo and Monroe. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Corydon Parker will be "at home" at 392 E. Ann st. after Sept. 15. The University flag is flung at half-mast on account of the death of Prof. Walter, who was wrecked at sea. Elmer E. Beal, of Ann Arbor, is visiting Chas. F. Zieffe, manager of Beal's shoe store for a few days.—Owosso Argus. Mrs. A. R. Barnes, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Maria Longyear. Mrs. Barnes is also here.—Kalamazoo Telegraph. Mr. and Mrs. Almeron Crandall and Miss Florence Reed, of Cleveland, O., are the guests of M. E. Crandall and family of S. State st. At the annual meeting of the American Medical Temperance association, held in Prohibition park, Staten Island, Tuesday, Dr. W. D. Herdman, of this city, read a paper. Paste this in your hat for ready reference. The Washenaw Times band will give an excursion to Toledo on Sunday, July 17. Train will leave here at 8 a. m. Dr. Charles A. Cattermole, of Ann Arbor, arrived in the city yesterday. He will practice medicine in company with his brother, on Ionia st. west.—Lansing Journal. The congressional canvass over in Washenaw is somewhat warmer than it is in Lenawee, and the opposition to Gen. Spalding is decidedly pronounced.—Adrian Telegram. Judge Kinne says that he felt very fearful that sometime the north steps to the court house would tumble down and hurt somebody, but now that they have been painted over he anticipates no danger. Supt. and Mrs. Herbert M. Slauson, Prof. D. W. Springer and Prof. Walter Hamilton left Monday for Washington, D. C., to attend the annual convention to the National Educational association. L. C. Goodrich leaves Saturday for Alpena, thence to the northern peninsula, on a month's tour of inspection among the chapters of Royal Arch Masonry, in his capacity of grand lecturer and visitor. Miss Emma Bower has started out with a petition to the common council asking them to provide a public drinking fountain. It is a laudable object and the petition is being numerously signed. Dr. Alex. Corpron, U. of M. '98, and Miss Esther Darling were married yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at the residence of Pusey Moore, on Elizabeth st., by Rev. B. L. McElroy. After the ceremony an elegant dinner was served to the company of invited guests. Dr. Corpron will take up the practice of his profession soon in Minnesota. The report was circulated yesterday that Alexis C. Angell was in company with Prof. Walter upon the ill-fated La Burgayne. The story started from the fact that in the list of passengers the name of A. E. Angell was given next to that of Prof. Walter. Although Mr. Angell contemplated a European trip he will not undertake it until later on. Ald. Koch, chairman of the street committee, George Kay, city engineer, and William Clancy, contractor, went to Massillon, O., yesterday to see if the stack of chips sent up here for paving brick is their first-class material, and if the brick can be furnished right along so as not to hinder progress in paving and such other work "as may come regularly before the lodge." Capt. Ross Granger, now at Chickamauga, Ga., received the following letter from R. F. Thuma, secretary of the American Association of Teachers of Dancin, in convention at Detroit during the last week in June: "Your letter to the association received during convention, was received with cheers. By reaction of the majority it has been ordered to be filed in full on the minutes of the association. We had a most successful and interesting session and missed you very much. Trusting that you will come back covered with fame and glory and show the world that a dancing master is as loyal a patriot as any other citizen. Three cheers for the red, white and blue."—Pearson's Weekly. The subject of the following notice is the daughter of Professor Moses Colt Tyler, who is personally known to a number of people in Flint. The mother of the bride was of this city, Charles H. Johnson, of this city, to whom the Globe is indebted for this item: The wedding of Miss Jessica Tyler and Instructor Willard H. Austin took place in St. John's Episcopal church at 8:30 o'clock last night, the ceremony being performed by the bride's father, Rev. Moses Colt Tyler, professor of American history in Cornell university, Miss School, of New York city, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Simpson, of Buffalo, groomsmen. Messrs. James Gould, Norman Gould, of Seneca Falls, and R. P. Tarr, C. U., '98, officiated as ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Austin left for the east on the Lehigh Valley midnight express.—Flint Globe.

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SOME SUGGESTIONS

As Made by an Alumnus—Thoughts of Commencement Week. We have had one of the most successful commencement weeks in the history of the University. There were several hundred of the alumni present in all departments and several reunions of the older classes. Age seems to increase the interest of the average alumnus in his alma mater. The senior promenade was somewhat broken up by a sudden storm, but this could not be avoided. The senior reception was a splendid success. The secretary of the Alumni association had a very extensive and fine collection of portraits of professors and graduates, which was a source of interest to all during the entire commencement week. The older graduates became young again in looking at the portraits of their professors taken about 1860, and some earlier than that date. It is the intention of Mr. Prentiss, the secretary of the Alumni association, to ultimately make as complete a collection as possible of the portraits of the professors and instructors in the University, and also of the graduates. He also intends to make a collection as far as possible of the books written by the members of the University faculty and the graduates. This will in time make quite an extensive library. The business meeting of the Alumni association was much more largely attended than ever before, and much interest was exhibited in all matters pertaining to the association. A vote was given on the measure of hearing the address to the graduating class, but near it very nighly spoken of on all hands. This, however, was accompanied by the universal criticism that it was much too long. Why is it not possible to bring this address within the limits of thirty or forty minutes. It seems to me that if the University authorities would notify the speaker in advance that the address was not expected to be over thirty or forty minutes long, that a great reform might be accomplished. The alumni dinner in the Waterman gymnasium was well attended as usual. After the usual dinner the acting-president, Prof. Hutchins, gave a very brief and able resume of the coming needs of the University. By the way, Prof. Hutchins has been a very candid and successful acting-president of the University, and all are very much pleased with the management of University affairs during the past year. President Hutchins, after his able statement of the present needs of the University, introduced the following persons, who responded to different sentiments in relation to the University: Judge Claudius B. Grant, of our state Supreme court; Prof. Wheeler, of Cornell University; Dr. Jacoby, of Columbia University; ex-Regent Barbour, Major W. C. Hanson, of the class of '48, Judge Wall of the class of '58, and Prof. Freeman, of Wisconsin University, representing the class of '68. The acting-president of the University and the invited guests and speakers were seated at a table at the west end of the gymnasium, the other tables running east and west from this table. We obtained a seat near the center of the audience, expecting to hear the very interesting speeches that are delivered upon these occasions. The dinners on these occasions are usually very good, but I do not think many of the alumni would attend the alumni dinner solely on that account. Most of them go there to hear the eminent speakers who are invited to respond to toasts upon these occasions. In the center of the audience it was impossible to hear a word that was said by Judge Claudius B. Grant, Prof. Wheeler and Dr. Jacoby. The acoustic properties of the gymnasium are such that it is impossible to hear a conversational tone of voice at any great distance from the speaker. We were seated near the center of the audience and were not able to hear a word spoken by these three eminent gentlemen. We are bound to presume that the speeches of all of these gentlemen were of a very high order, both on account of their well known reputation and also because all seemed pleased who were seated at the same table with them. The remainder of the speakers could be heard very well by most of the audience. A large number of the alumni ending that they were not able to hear anything that was said, left the room before the close of the first address. So many were unable to hear that before the close of the meeting one-half of the audience had left the room. There was another difficulty about these responses. Some of them were quite thirty minutes long. No public speaker should be allowed to speak more than ten minutes in response to a toast. The president should notify the speakers, that a bell will be rung at the end of ten minutes and they are expected to close at once, and this order of affairs should be insisted upon and adhered to strictly. Long experience has demonstrated that men and women upon their feet, speaking to a public audience, cannot possibly take any note of time. Indeed, a half hour to a public speaker does not seem to be more than ten or fifteen minutes. As it seems impossible, after years of experience, to have the public speakers regulate themselves, some means should be taken to regulate them on behalf of the audiences. On a hot June afternoon an audience of the alumni will listen with pleasure to a large number of ten minute speeches, but one or two thirty minute speeches will drive them from the room, particularly if they do not hear one word of the long speeches. I suggest the following changes to remedy some of these difficulties. Let the table for the president and the invited guests including the speakers, be placed north and south directly in the center of the other tables. Let all the other tables be placed north and south parallel with the visitors' table. This will, of course, place the back of some of the speakers to a portion of the audience, but we can hear them. Next, let each speaker be notified that a bell will be rung at the end of ten minutes, and he is expected to close his remarks immediately thereafter. If the alumni address can be reduced to thirty minutes, which it ought to be, the conferring of the degrees would be completed by 12 o'clock and the alumni dinner could commence at half-past 12 or 1 o'clock, then ample time would be given for the completion of all exercises at the alumni dinner before the leaving of the trains in the afternoon. There is another nuisance at these alumni dinners that ought to be stamped out with vigor. The waiters at the tables seem to think that it is very funny to slam the doors and rattle the dishes during the responses by the different speakers, and make other annoying demonstrations for the purpose of compelling the meeting to close, so that they can get through earlier with their duties. We suggest that at least this nuisance can be abated. Let us hope that these reforms may be inaugurated and enforced at the next commencement of our university. Respectfully, ALUMNUS.

THE THIRTY-FIRST.

(From Chattanooga Times.) The monotony of camp life was somewhat broken during the past few days by the excitement and pleasure manifested by the boys of the Thirty-first Michigan over the order that the First division and first two brigades of the Second division were to be prepared and equipped as an expeditionary force for active field service. But the fact that the order was revoked Tuesday by Maj.-Gen. Brooke has again set the Michigan lads to wondering how much longer they will remain at Camp Thomas before the regiment is ordered into the enemy's country. The modern Springfield rifles have been issued to Col. Cornelius Gardener's command, and although the issue is not up to the expectation of the Michigan boys, who felt sure that they would shoulder the new magazine rifles, they are better than no rifles at all. Drilling has begun in earnest, while particular attention has been paid to the firing movements and sighting. Maj. Howell, of Adrian, Mich., the old commander of the Third battalion of the Thirty-first, who was rejected on his eyesight, but subsequently appointed assistant paymaster, surprised the boys of the Thirty-first by dropping in on them Monday. He was tendered a most hearty reception, especially by the officers and men of his old command, while the Ann Arbor boys welcomed him with the University of Michigan yell. New recruits are arriving for the Thirty-first and it is expected that all the companies will be recruited to the required quota within the next few days. The arrivals have been duly registered and assigned to quarters and three times a day are initiated in the school of the soldier and the manual of arms. Capt. Ross Granger, of Co. A, and Capt. J. M. Holloway, of Co. B, are entertaining their wives, who came South for a two weeks' visit. Co. A, Capt. Ross Granger's command, which was the first company of Michigan volunteers mustered into the service, is again to the front on recruits, his company being the first to be recruited to the required quota of 106 men. Col. Cornelius Gardener has reported to Maj.-Gen. Brooke that he has not had one case of good square drunk in his regiment.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

(OFFICIAL REPORT.) Special meeting of the board of education held at the office of J. E. Beal at 9 a. m., July 2nd. Present, full board except Trustee Smith. The committee on buildings and grounds submitted plans and specifications for an addition to the Tappan building, as prepared by Architect Scott. Trustee Jacobs moved that the plans and specifications be accepted by the board and that the chairman of the committee on buildings and grounds advertise for bids for the completion by Sept. 5th of the proposed addition. The president added Mr. J. E. Beal to the committee on buildings and grounds for the balance of the fiscal year. The committee on buildings and grounds reported sundry repairs needed at the High School, estimated cost of which would not exceed \$200. Upon motion of Trustee Mills the committee on buildings and grounds were authorized to make the suggested repairs, at an expenditure not to exceed \$200. Upon motion of Trustee Bower the secretary was directed to inform the janitor of the High School that unless the building was kept in better condition the board would dispense with his services. Upon motion of Trustee Mills the board adjourned. E. F. MILLS, Secretary. It is discovered that farmers are prohibited from killing crows which devastate their corn fields by an act of the legislature of 1897. Act No. 159 provides that certain birds, and all insectivorous birds, except black-birds, blue jays, English sparrows and butcher birds, must not be killed in this state. In reply from an inquiry from E. R. Bloomer, of Farmington, the attorney-general held that the crow was an insectivorous bird, and as it is not excepted under the statute it is protected by law from the shot guns of farmers.

OUT OF THE VEST POCKET.

There are 154,083 Presbyterians in the state of New York. England makes \$20,000,000 a year profit out of its postoffice. The Victoria cross carries with it a pension of \$250 a year for life. The total number of United States vessels encircling Cuba is seventy-seven. Fifteen years ago Reading, Pa., did not have a single hosiery mill. Now it has sixteen, employing 2,500 hands. The bull ring of Madrid stands a mile or so outside the city. It was built in 1874 at a cost, it is said, of £80,000. British trade with the Philippines last year was \$9,934,590; that of the United States, \$5,145,303, or about half as much. The unprecedented price of 300 guineas was paid a few days ago in London for a set of Wheatley's famous "Crles of London." The Philadelphia Zoological gardens contained on January 1, 1,019 living animals—339 mammals, 421 birds, 238 reptiles and 21 batrachians. It is expected that the work on the civil war one man in every thirteen died of disease, or proportionately five times as many as were killed in action. The four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of Trinidad by Columbus, which will occur July 31, will be commemorated by the issue of a special postage stamp. With all her agricultural wealth, South Dakota is also third in the list of gold-producing states. The aggregate of gold produced in the state last year was \$5,829,575. It is expected that the work on the last section of the subway in Boston will be finished in a few days, and that cars will be running through the entire structure by September 1. One of the latest things in surgery is the practice of embalming an injured limb as a substitute for amputation. It is claimed by a celebrated surgeon that much more tissue is thereby saved. A startling revolution in etiquette is about to come upon fashionable London. Men who desire to be absolutely up-to-date will, it is rumored, have to have their names on their wives' calling cards. A report recently made to the borough board of Manhattan estimates that 950 new teachers will be required annually for Greater New York—a number far in excess of the annual supply of local normal school graduates. The Japanese government has under consideration a plan for the establishment of banks with foreign capital. The plan, as outlined, is designed to encourage foreigners to become interested in the support of industrial enterprises in Japan.

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